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- EDUCATION **Stanford University**, Stanford, CA, USA
Ph.D. Candidate in Political Science 2020–Present
M.A. in Economics 2024
Fields: Comparative Politics, Political Methodology, Economic History
- Higher School of Economics**, Moscow, Russia
M.A. in Sociology 2017–2019
B.A. in Political Science (*with distinction*) 2013–2017
- PUBLICATIONS “Ethnic-Specific Infant Care Practices and Infant Mortality in Late Imperial Russia” (with **Timur Natkhov**). *Economic History Review*, August 2023, 76 (3): 783–806.
- “Skilled Immigrants and Technology Adoption: Evidence from the German Settlements in the Russian Empire” (with **Timur Natkhov**). *Explorations in Economic History*, July 2021, 81.
 ▷ Winner of the **Larry Neal prize 2022 for best article in Explorations in Economic History**
- WORKING PAPERS “Why Reforms Fail? Peasant Commune and the Demand for Land Titling in Imperial Russia”, 2024
- “Immigrant Knowledge and the Growth of American Agriculture: the Case of Russian Germans” (with Jennifer Kowalski), 2024
- WORK IN PROGRESS “Reading Orwell in Moscow: the Full-Scale Invasion of Ukraine and the Market for Political Ideas in Russia”
- “Establishing a Parliament: the Political Economy of Elections in Late Imperial Russia” (with **Eugenia Nazrullaeva**)
- PUBLICATIONS IN RUSSIAN “State and Society as Co-Production Partners: Theory and Russian Evidence” (with Leonid Polishchuk and Igor Shagalov). *Obshchestvennye Nauki i Sovremennost’*, March 2019, 2: 35-53.
- “Who Is in Charge of Security? Division of Labor between Public and Private Security Producers” (with **Alexander Yarkin**). *Voprosy Ekonomiki*, March 2018, 3: 102–129.

GRANTS AND AWARDS	Stanford King’s Center for Global Development	2021
	Exploratory Grant (\$2,200)	
	Higher School of Economics, Moscow	
	Best Teaching Assistant Award	2020
	Student Academic Fellowship (\$1,500)	2017, 2019
CONFERENCES AND TALKS	Virtual Workshop in Historical Political Economy	2024
	Lewis Lab Graduate Student Workshop, Manchester	
	MPSA, SIOE, EPSA	
	APSA	2023
	Summer Workshop in the Economic History and Historical Political Economy of Eurasia, Paris	
		2022
	Historical Social Science Graduate Student Workshop, Stanford University	
	ASREC Graduate Student Workshop “Introduction to the Economics of Religion”, Chapman University	
		2020
	Summer Online Workshop in the Economic History and Historical Political Economy of Russia	
		2019
	Analytics for Management and Economics Conference, St-Petersburg	
	XX April Conference On Economic and Social Development, Moscow	
	Baltic Connections: Conference in Social Science History, Helsinki	
		2018
	The Second Ghent Russia Colloquium, Ghent	
	XIX April Conference On Economic and Social Development, Moscow	
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Stanford University, Stanford, CA	
	Data Science for Politics	Fall 2024
	Solving Social Problems with Data	Spring 2024
	Math Camp for Political Scientists	Summer 2023, 2024
	Political Methodology III: Model-Based Inference	Spring 2022, 2023
	Strategy: Introduction to Game Theory	Winter 2023
	Higher School of Economics, Moscow	
	Probability and Statistics	Spring 2019, 2020
	Game Theory	Fall 2018, 2019
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	Stanford University, Stanford, CA	
	Research Assistant to Professor Vicky Fouka	2023
	Research Assistant to Professor Stephen Haber	2022
	Higher School of Economics, Moscow	
	Research Assistant at Center for Institutional Studies	2016–2020
MEMBERSHIP	APSA, EHA, EPSA, MPSA, SIOE	

SERVICE	Organizer: Historical Social Science Workshop, Stanford University	
	Co-organizers: Vicky Fouka and Emily Russell	2024
	Co-organizers: Emily Russell and Theo Serlin	Spring 2023
SKILLS	R, Python, QGIS, STATA, SPSS, L ^A T _E X	
	Archival data collection	
	Languages: English (fluent), German (intermediate), Russian (native)	