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EDUCATION	Stanford University , Stanford, CA, USA Ph.D. Candidate in Political Science 2020–Present M.A. in Economics 2024 <i>Fields:</i> Comparative Politics, Political Methodology, Economic History
	Higher School of Economics , Moscow, Russia M.A. in Sociology 2019 B.A. in Political Science (<i>with honours</i>) 2017
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)
WORKING PAPERS	“Peasant Commune and the Demand for Land Titling in Imperial Russia”, 2025 “Immigrant Knowledge and the Growth of American Agriculture: the Case of Russian Germans” (with Jennifer Kowalski), 2024
PUBLICATIONS	“Ethnic-Specific Infant Care Practices and Infant Mortality in Late Imperial Russia” (with Timur Natkhov). <i>Economic History Review</i> , August 2023, 76 (3): 783–806. “Skilled Immigrants and Technology Adoption: Evidence from the German Settlements in the Russian Empire” (with Timur Natkhov). <i>Explorations in Economic History</i> , July 2021, 81.
GRANTS AND AWARDS	Stanford University SIEPR Dixon and Carol Doll Graduate Fellowship 2025 King Center on Global Development’s Graduate Fellowship George P. Shultz Dissertation Support Grant IRiSS Dissertation Fellowship The Europe Center Graduate Student Research Grant CREEES Graduate Conference Travel Grant King’s Center for Global Development Exploratory Grant 2021 Explorations in Economic History Larry Neal Prize for the Best Article in EEH 2022

	Higher School of Economics	
	Best Instructor Award	2020
	Student Academic Fellowship	2017, 2019
CONFERENCES	MPSA, EHA (scheduled)	2025
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	
	ASREC Graduate Student Workshop “Introduction to the Economics of Religion”, Chapman University	2022
	Summer Online Workshop in the Economic History and Historical Political Economy of Russia	2020
	Baltic Connections: Conference in Social Science History, Helsinki	2019
	The Second Ghent Russia Colloquium, Ghent	2018
TEACHING	Stanford University	
EXPERIENCE	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	
	Probability and Statistics	Spring 2019, 2020
	Game Theory	Fall 2018, 2019
	Introduction to R	Spring 2018
RESEARCH	Stanford University	
EXPERIENCE	Research Assistant to Professor Vicky Fouka	2023
	Research Assistant to Professor Stephen Haber	2022
	Higher School of Economics	
	Research Assistant at the 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	2024–2025
	Co-organizers: Emily Russell and Theo Serlin	Spring 2023
SKILLS	R, Python, QGIS, Stata, SPSS, \LaTeX	
	Archival data collection	
	Languages: German (advanced), Spanish (beginner), Russian (native)	