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EDUCATION

PhD, Social Research Methods 2015 - 2019 (expected)
London School of Economics and Political Science, London, UK

Dissertation title: "Essays in Political Text: New Actors, New Data, New Challenges."
Supervisors: Kenneth Benoit, Benjamin Lauderdale

MSc (with Distinction), Social Research Methods 2013 - 2014
London School of Economics and Political Science, London, UK

BA, Political Psychology 2007 - 2012
St Petersburg State University, St Petersburg, Russia

WORK IN PROGRESS

Tom Paskhalis "Interest Group Strategies in the Digital Era: Lobbying and Social Media"

Tom Paskhalis "The Role of Negation in Political Text: British and German Electoral Campaigns"

Denisa Kostovicova, Tom Paskhalis "Women Deliberators and Transitional Justice: What Kind of Voice?"

AWARDS

Clifford C. Clogg scholarship, 2017
ESRC Data Analysis Workshop bursary, 2016
LSE Postgraduate Travel Fund, 2016, 2017
LSE PhD studentship, 2015-2019

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

ICPSR Summer Program, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, US 2017
Courses taken: Bayesian Modelling for Social Sciences, Network Analysis

Mathematics for Information Systems 2011 - 2013
Faculty of Mathematics and Mechanics, St Petersburg State University, St Petersburg, Russia

ECPR Summer School, University of Ljubljana, Ljubljana, Slovenia 2011
Courses taken: Quantitative Text Analysis

Other Workshops and Seminars
Nonlinear and Latent Variable Models, Nottingham Trent University 2016
Introduction to Advanced Bayesian Multilevel Modeling, Nottingham Trent University 2016

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, LSE, Department of Government 2016 -
Principal Investigator: Denisa Kostovicova

Research Assistant, LSE, Department of International Relations 2015
Principal Investigator: Tomila Lankina

Research Assistant, LSE, Department of Government 2014
Principal Investigators: Alexander Herzog, Maja Kluger Rasmussen

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant, LSE, Department of Methodology 2016/17
MY451 Introduction to Quantitative Analysis
Course instructor: Benjamin Lauderdale

Teaching Assistant, LSE, Department of Methodology 2015/16
MY459 Quantitative Text Analysis
Course instructor: Kenneth Benoit

Methods Surgery, LSE, Department of Methodology 2015 - 2017

NON-ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Data Science Intern 2014
YPlan, London, UK

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

APSA, San Francisco, US 2017 (forthcoming)
EPSA, Milan, Italy 2017
BISA, Brighton, UK 2017
LSE Applied Text Analysis Conference, London, UK 2017
ECPR Standing Group on Interest Groups, Copenhagen, Denmark 2016

INVITED TALKS

“*Women Deliberators and Transitional Justice: What Kind of Voice?*” 2017
Centre for Women, Peace and Security, LSE, London, UK

“*Kak rabotaet sovremenny kontent-analiz: Razbor partiinykh programm*” 2011
(How Modern Content Analysis Works: Analysis of Party Programmes)
European University, St Petersburg, Russia

COMPUTER SKILLS

Statistics: R, Stata, SPSS
Programming Languages: R, Python, bash
Miscellaneous: git, L^AT_EX, MySQL, Qt/PyQt, RESTful API

LANGUAGES

English (proficient), *Russian* (native), *Greek* (advanced), *German* (basic)

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Elected *Secretary* of the LSESU Methodology Society

REFERENCES

Kenneth Benoit, Professor of Quantitative Social Research Methods,
Department of Methodology, London School of Economics and Political Science,
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Benjamin Lauderdale, Associate Professor in Research Methodology,
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