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## PERSONAL STATEMENT

I am a highly motivated and hardworking graduate with a Master's degree in Medical biology. Having worked in fundamental research setting as well as in clinical trials development, I am inspired by the societal & business aspects of healthcare innovations. With a strong biomedical background and a keen interest in disseminating knowledge, I envision a career in consultancy, clinical project management, product management, health technology assessment (HTA), value assessment, or health economics.

## EDUCATION

- 09/2022 – 08/2024    **MSc in Medical Biology – Radboud University, Nijmegen, The Netherlands**
- ✓ Specialisation: Science, Management and Innovation
  - ✓ GPA 7.63/10.00
  - ✓ Principal subjects: Future of health, How Health Systems Work, Sustainable Innovation Management, Methods in Societal Research, Reaching the Sustainable Development Goals
  - ✓ Projects: «HTA of a Medical Guidance App for International Students in the NL»  
«A Shared Ownership Model of the Green Corridor, Nijmegen»  
«A Circular Alternative to Single-Use Cups Within the Dutch Train System»
  - ✓ Master thesis: «Potential added value of home telemonitoring technology in elderly care»
- 09/2016 – 06/2020    **BSc in Biology – Lomonosov Moscow State University (MSU), Moscow, Russia**
- ✓ Specialisation: Human and Animal Physiology
  - ✓ GPA 4.83/5.00
  - ✓ Principal subjects: Human and animal physiology, Electrophysiology of excited cells, Neurochemistry, Physiology of central nervous and visceral systems, Physiology of circulation, Virology, Microbiology
  - ✓ Bachelor thesis: «Role of TASK-1 channels in arterial tone regulation in different organs in rats»

## WORK EXPERIENCE

- 02/2024 – 08/2024    **Intern at [Digital Transformation of Rehabilitation Care](#)**  
**HAN University of Applied Sciences – Nijmegen, The Netherlands**
- ✓ Added value research of home telemonitoring in elderly care based on the HTA framework presented onto the Quadruple aim
  - ✓ Communication with >10 hospitals and medical associations
  - ✓ Deployment of surveys (22) in Dutch and interviewing (7) medical professionals in English on their home telemonitoring experience/attitude
  - ✓ Cost-effectiveness analysis (Markov model cohort simulation) on home telemonitoring in the Netherlands
- 02/2023 – 08/2023    **Intern at [Neuronal Networks of Memory](#)**  
**Donders Institute – Nijmegen, The Netherlands**
- ✓ *In vivo* Ca<sup>2+</sup> imaging of the retrosplenial cortex in mice during head-fixed virtual social learning
  - ✓ Management of laboratory animals (mice, handling & feeding)
  - ✓ Computational analysis of the obtained data (Python, DeepLabCut)

08/2021 – 08/2022

**Assistant at the Science department of the Contract Research Organization  
LABMGMU, LLC – Moscow, Russia**

- ✓ Developing clinical trial design, synopses, protocols, investigator's brochures for >35 phase I, II, III clinical trials and bioequivalence trials
- ✓ >30 user interviews (testing the readability of pharmaceuticals' package leaflets)
- ✓ Project management (control of the deadlines; compliance with the sponsor's requirements)
- ✓ Computational analysis of the obtained data (STATISTICA, GraphPad Prism)

10/2020 – 10/2021

**Junior Research Assistant at Faculty of Biology  
Lomonosov Moscow State University – Moscow, Russia**

- ✓ Physiological and molecular biology experiments (wire myography, real-time PCR, western blot)
- ✓ Management of laboratory animals (Wistar rats)
- ✓ Statistical analysis of the obtained data (STATISTICA, GraphPad Prism)
- ✓ Project management (experiment and research strategy planning)
- ✓ Presentation of the results at two conferences (Oct, 2020; Apr, 2021)

## **DIGITAL SKILLS**

Python (beginner), DeepLabCut, STATISTICA, GraphPad Prism and MS Office softwares

## **LANGUAGES**

Russian (native), English (fluent – C<sub>1-2</sub>), German (intermediate – B<sub>1-B2</sub>), Dutch (low intermediate – A<sub>2-B1</sub>), French (beginner – A<sub>1</sub>)

## **ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS**

- 2022-2024    Awarded Orange Tulip Scholarship for the studies at Radboud University
- 2020-2021    Awarded MSU Increased State Academic Scholarship for scientific and academic achievements
- 2021        Second prize-winner in the Lomonosov Universiade on modern problems of biology

## **CERTIFICATES**

- 2023    A course on ex. Art. 9 of the Dutch Act on animal experimentation, Radboudumc
- 2021    An upgrade training on ICH GCP guidelines, LABMGMU

## **VOLUNTEERING ACTIVITY**

- 08/2024    Mentorship of international exchange and Master's students at the Radboud Intro
- 05/2023    Organization of the BBB Career Event 2023, Nijmegen
- 2022-2023    Organization of volleyball tournaments in the international volleyball group at Radboud
- 2018-2021    Mentorship of first-year students at Faculty of Biology, MSU, Moscow

## **HOBBIES**

Volleyball, drawing, guitar playing, traveling

## **JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS**

1. Shvetsova Anastasia A., **Lazarenko Varvara S.**, Gaynullina Dina K., Tarasova Olga S., Schubert Rudolf (2022). TWIK-Related Acid-Sensitive Potassium Channels (TASK-1) Emerge as Contributors to Tone Regulation in Renal Arteries at Alkaline pH. *Frontiers in physiology*, 13: 895863. <https://doi.org/10.3389/fphys.2022.895863>

2. **Lazarenko Varvara**, Shvetsova Anastasia, Gaynullina Dina, Schubert Rudolph (2020). TASK-1 Channels Play an Anticontractile Role in Rat Septal Coronary Artery Under Pharmacological Blockade of Endothelium. *Artery Research*, 26(S1): S58. <https://doi.org/10.2991/artres.k.201209.048>

3. Borzykh A.A., Kuzmin I.V., Kiryukhina O.O., Selivanova E.K., Shvetsova A.A., **Lazarenko V.S.**, Los-Arkos Uvarova S., Nesterenko A.M., Tarasova O.S. (2020). Voluntary running training of female rats during gestation: characteristics of an experimental model [in Russian]. *Aviakosmicheskaya i Ekologicheskaya Meditsina*, 54(2): 89–95. <https://www.elibrary.ru/item.asp?id=42721639>