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RESEACRH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Economic sociology, informal economy, higher education, social entrepreneurship

EDUCATION

- 2014 –till now **Postgraduate Studies, Sociology** Higher School of Economics.
Thesis: *The strategies of lead Russian universities to recruit international students*
- 2012-2014 **M.A. (Honors), Sociology.** Higher School of Economics (Moscow, Russia).
Specialization – Applied Methods of Social Analysis of Markets
Thesis: *Strategies of Fundraising Funds to Increase Public Trust during the Process of Collecting Private Donations*
- 2013 **Semester abroad, Sociology.** George Mason University (Fairfax, USA).
Courses taken: *Sociology of Globalization, Racial and Ethnic Relations: American and Selected Global, Perspectives, Anthropology of the City*
- 2008-2012 **B.A., Sociology.** Higher School of Economics (Moscow, Russia).
Thesis: *Social entrepreneurship in Russia: the structuration of the organizational field*

ADDITIONAL EDUCATION

- 2013 European Entrepreneurship Summer School, The University of Sheffield, City College (Thessaloniki, Greece). 19 to 23 August.
- 2011 Summer School ‘Exploring Entrepreneurship’ University of Twente (Enschede, The Netherlands). 18-28 August.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2013-2014 Awarded teacher-student international cooperation grant by International Center for Study of Institutions and Development, Higher School of Economics. Advisors: Tomas Remington (Emory University), Israel Marques (Columbia University), Brendan McErloy (Harvard University)
- 2013-2014 Scholarship of the Government of the Russian Federation
- 2012-2013 Oxford Russia Fund Scholarship
- 2012 Federal State Statistics Service Medal and Award for Achievements in Organization of Russia population census (2010)
- 2011-2012 Scholarship for Academic Achievements

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2014-2015	Teacher (seminars): ‘Economic Sociology’ (2 nd and 4 th Module), “Sociology” (2 nd Module), ‘Sociology of Markets’ (4 th module)
2013-2014	Teaching Assistant (seminars): ‘Informal Economy’ (3 rd Module) and “Economic Sociology” (4 th Module)
2012	“Basic Sociology” (lectures) Winter Economic School for Pupils

PUBLICATIONS (*Russian titles are translated in brackets*)

2013	[Social Entrepreneurship in Russia; key players and potential for the future development] in <i>Economicheskaya Sociologiya</i> [Economic Sociology], 14 (3): 109-132
2011	Albutova A. I., Gudov A. S., Konobeeva E. A., Murzacheva E. I. <i>Who is financing the start-ups? Sources and structure of financing of early stage entrepreneurship in the Netherlands and Russia</i> , in: <i>Theory of Entrepreneurship: new results and prospects (Research papers)</i>
2011	Albutova A.I., Sorokina O.S., Shlykova O.V. [<i>Social entrepreneurship organizations experience in the world (11 cases)</i>] // In. : [Social Entrepreneurship in Russia and in the world : Practice and Research]/ Executive editor: Moskovskaya A.A. M: Publishing House, HSE, 2011. Ch. 2. Pp. 27-80.

LANGUAGES

Russian	Native
English	Advanced
German	Intermediate