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## Employment

since 09/2004      Leading researcher, Institute for Industrial and Market Studies, national Research University Higher School of Economics, Moscow

1981-2004      Senior researcher (between 1981 and 1985 – junior researcher) at the Institute of World Economy and International Relations of the Russian (Soviet) Academy of Sciences

## Academic education and degrees

1978 – 1981      Post-graduate student at the Institute of World Economy and International Relations of the Soviet Academy of Sciences. PhD degree in economics, 1982

1973-1978      Student at the Moscow State University named after Lomonosov, Geographical faculty – Scholarship of Miklukho-Maklai. MA in economic geography, 1978

## List of publications (selection)

### Refereed international journals

Gonchar K. R., Bessonova E. (2017) Incentives to innovate in response to competition: the role of agency costs, in: Economic Systems, Vol. 41. No. 1. P. 26-40. [doi](#)

Gonchar, K. R.; Bessonova, E. (2015): Bypassing weak institutions in a large late-comer economy, in: Journal of Institutional Economics, Doi: 10.1017/S1744137415000041.

Gonchar K. R., Kuznetsov B. V. (2015) How import integration changes firms' decision to innovate. In: The Annals of Regional Science. 2015 [doi](#)

Gonchar, K. R., Marek P. (2014): The regional distribution of foreign investment in Russia. Are Russians more appealing to multinationals as consumers or as natural resource holders?, in: Economics of Transition, Vol. 22 (4), 605-634.

Gonchar, K. R. (2013): Actions and Reactions of Russian Manufacturing Companies to the Crisis Shocks from 2008–2009: Evidence from the Empirical Survey, in: Europe-Asia Studies, Vol. 65 (3), 508-527.

Golikova, V.; Gonchar, K. R.; Kuznetsov, B. V. (2012): Does international trade provide incentives for efficient behaviour of Russian manufacturing firms?, in: Post-Communist Economies, 2012 Vol. 24 (2), 277-289.

Kuznetsov, B. V.; Dolgopyatova, T. G.; Golikova, V.; Gonchar, K. R.; Yakovlev, A. A.; Yasin, E. G. (2011): Russian manufacturing revisited: industrial enterprises at the start of the crisis, in: Post - Soviet Affairs, 2011 Vol. 27 (4), 1-37.

Gonchar, K. R.; Wulf, H. (1998): Lessons learnt from conversion in Russia and in Western Europe, in: Defence and Peace Economics, Vol. 9 (4), 339-365, DOI: 10.1080/10430719808404909.

Gonchar, K. R.; Opitz, P. (2000): Regional conversion in the Russian case, in: International Regional Science Review, Vol. 23 (1), 103-119, Doi: 10.1177/016001700761012567.

### Further publications (selection)

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Gonchar K. R., Bessonova E. (2017). Structural decisions of multinationals in regions with weak courts. National research university Higher School of economics. Series WP BRP "Basic research program". 2017. No. 161.

Gonchar, K. R. (2014): Innovative behavior of traditional industrial firms, in: Kuznetsov, B. (ed.), *The essays on the Russian industrial modernization*. Moscow: HSE Publishing house, pp. 195-221 (in Russian).

Gonchar, K. R. (2014): Industry in distanced settlements, in: Kuznetsov, B. (ed.), *The essays on the Russian industrial modernization*. Moscow: HSE Publishing house, pp. 125-142 (in Russian).

Gonchar, K. R.; Golikova, V. (2014): Three case studies of successful firm modernization in manufacturing industry, in: Kuznetsov, B. (ed.), *The essays on the Russian industrial modernization*. Moscow: HSE Publishing house, pp.125-142 (in Russian).

Freinkman L.; Gonchar, K. R.; Kuznetsov, Y. (2013): Linking talent abroad with a drive for innovation at home: a study of the Russian technological diaspora, in: Kuznetsov, Y. (ed.): *How can talent abroad induce development at home? Towards a pragmatic development agenda*, Washington: Migration Policy Institute, pp. 207-266.

Golikova, V.; Gonchar, K. R.; Kuznetsov, B. (2012): The impact of export on technological and managerial innovations of the Russian firms, in: *Russian Management Journal*, Vol. 10 (1), 3028 (in Russian).

Gonchar, K. R. (2010): Wettbewerbsfähigkeit und Innovationen in der russischen Industrie. Das schnelle Wachstum einer nicht wettbewerbsfähigen Wirtschaft, in: *Länderbericht Russland*, Bonn: Bundeszentrale für politische Bildung, pp. 315-328.

Gonchar, K. R.; Kuznetsov, B. (2010): Large Russian business in the Russian innovation landscape: did we grow the "national champions", in: *Russian Management Journal*, (4), 113-118 (in Russian).

Gonchar, K. R. (2009): Innovative behavior of the largest Russian firms, in: World economy and international Relations, (3), 3-14 (in Russian).

Gonchar, K. R.; Golikova, V. (2009): Innovative behavior of the firms: Stock holding "Halogen", in: Russian management journal, Vol. 7 (3), 113-138 (in Russian).

Gonchar, K. R. (2009): Innovations in industry: develop of adapt, in Voprosi ekonomiki, No Moscow: 12, pp. 125-141 (in Russian).

Gonchar, K. R.; Kuznetsov, B. (ed). (2008) Russian industry at the growth curve: factors of firms' competitiveness, Moscow: Vershina.

### Third party funded research projects (selection)

2010-2013 'Sharing knowledge assets: interregionally cohesive neighborhoods', funded by the EU 7th Framework Programme under grant agreement no. 266864 (Project SEARCH). Team leader under Task 4.1. Technological activities in countries and regions (HSE). Cooperation partners from 19 European Universities

2011-2012 'Location choice of foreign investors in transition economies', funded by the German Research Foundation (DFG), Cooperation partner: Jutta Günther and Philipp Marek, IWH (Halle).

2010-2013 'Systemic Risk and Financial Crisis', funded by EU COST Action ISO 902. Cooperation partners from EU and CIS countries, including Ukraine.

2004-2006 'Investment Climate Assessment in Russia" (ICA), funded jointly by the World Bank and the Russian Ministry for Economic Development and Trade. Project coordinator (HSE). Cooperation partners: The World Bank, Center for Financial and Economic Research (Moscow), Development Center (Moscow), GFK "Rus".

### Prizes, awards, scholarships

German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD), 1989

Peace Research Institute, Oslo, 1995

Certificate of honor for academic achievements, (Moscow), 2010