

# ILYA KASHNITSKY

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## PERSONAL INFORMATION

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## CURRENT POSITIONS

**2014.08-present** PhD researcher  
University of Groningen (RUG) &  
Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic  
Institute (NIDI)  
2511CV Lange Houtstraat 19, The Hague

**2016.08-present** Junior Researcher  
National Research University Higher  
School of Economics, Institute for  
Social Policy  
109074, 4-2 Slavyanskaya sq., Moscow

## EDUCATION

**2012.09–2014.06** Master of Sociology (Demography)  
National Research University Higher School of  
Economics, Institute of Demography, Moscow, Russia  
[[doc](#)]

**2008.09–2012.06** Bachelor of Ecology and  
Environmental Management  
Moscow State University, Faculty of Geography,  
Department of Geocology, Moscow, Russia [[doc](#)]

## COURSES & TRAINING

**2015.07** Getting and Cleaning Data (MOOC), John Hopkins  
University, Baltimore, USA

**2015.05–07** Publishing in English, University of  
Groningen, Groningen, Netherlands

**2015.04** Sequence Analysis Using TraMineR, NIDI, The  
Hague, Netherlands [[doc](#)]

**2015.03** Exploratory Data Analysis (MOOC), John Hopkins  
University, Baltimore, USA [[doc](#)]

**2015.01** Spatial Demography, MPIDR, Rostock, Germany  
[[doc](#)]

**2014.03–04** Internship in Netherlands Interdisciplinary  
Demographic Institute, The Hague, Netherlands

**2014.02** Introduction to R with Advanced Methods and  
Elements of Reproducible Research, 3rd ECPR Winter  
School in Methods and Techniques, University of  
Vienna, Austria [[doc](#)]

**2013.08** Advanced Issues in Survey Design and Analysis,  
Utrecht Summer School, Utrecht University, Utrecht,  
Netherlands [[doc](#)]

## ACHIEVEMENTS

**2014.08–2017.05** Erasmus Mundus AURORA scholarship for  
a PhD project in University of Groningen [[doc](#)]

**2014.02–06** Potanin Fund scholarship [[doc](#)]

**2013.12** HSE contest for the best student and alumni  
research paper. 1st place among the papers on  
sociology [[doc](#)]

**2013.04** International Student Conference Lomonosov-  
2013, Geography strand, Moscow State University,  
Moscow, Russia. Winner of the poster session [[doc](#)]

**2012.09–2013.06** Oxford-Russia Fund scholarship [[doc](#)]

**2008.04** Moscow school competition in geography. 2nd  
place [[doc](#)]

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**2013.02–2016.07** Research Intern  
National Research University Higher School of  
Economics, Institute for Social Development Studies  
109028, Pokrovskiy bld. 8, Moscow, Russia

**2013.09–2014.03** Teaching Assistant  
National Research University Higher School of  
Economics, Institute of Demography  
101000, Myasnitskaya str. 40/1, Moscow, Russia  
**Course:** Demographic Analysis | **Lecturer:** Mikhail  
Denissenko **Students:** 1 year Masters Demography

**2012.07–2012.08** Research Intern  
Moscow State University, Geography Department  
119991, Leninskie Gory 1, Moscow, Russia

**2011.09–2012.06** Journalist  
Sci-pop magazine Zerkalo Mira  
109507, Obraztsova str. 5, Moscow, Russia

## RESEARCH PROJECTS

**2014–2017** Regional demographic convergence in Europe.  
Advisors: Leo van Vissen & Joop de Beer.  
Organisation: RUG & NIDI. Funding: European  
Commission, Erasmus Mundus

**2015–2016** Migrants in Moscow: integration into the  
city space and sociocultural adaptation. Leader:  
Ekaterina Demintseva. Organisation: HSE. Funding:  
HSE Basic Research Programme

**2013–2014** Mathematical and cartographic modelling of  
interregional migration flows in Russia. Leader:  
Irina Tikunova. Organisation: Moscow State  
University. Funding: Russian Foundation for Basic  
Research

**2013–2014** Ecological risks in suburbs and rural area.  
Leader: Maria Gunko. Organisation: Institute of  
Geography, Russian Academy of Sciences. Funding:  
Russian Geographical Society

## PUBLICATIONS

- Kashnitsky I, Mkrtchyan N, Leshukov O. 2016. Interregional migration of youths in Russia: a comprehensive analysis of demographic statistics. *Educational Studies Moscow* 13: 169-203. [[doi](#)] [[pdf\\_ru](#)] [[pdf\\_en](#)] [media: [1](#), [2](#), [3](#), [4](#), [5](#)]
- Kashnitsky I, Gunko M. 2016. Spatial variation of in-migration to Moscow: Testing the effect of housing market. *Cities* 59: 30-39. [[doi](#)] [[pdf](#)]
- Kashnitsky I. 2016. A cohort is not representative of humanity: Review of 'Evidence for a limit to human lifespan'. *Publons*. [[doi](#)] [[pdf](#)]
- Kashnitsky I. 2015. Youth migration drives the depopulation of periphery. In XV April International Academic Conference on Economic and Social Development. Higher School of Economics: Moscow; 103-113. [[pdf](#)] [media: [1](#), [2](#)]
- Kashnitsky I, Mkrtchyan N. 2014. Russian periphery is dying in movement: a cohort assessment of Russian internal youth migration based on Census data. *NIDI Working Papers 2014/14*. [[pdf](#)] [media: [1](#)]

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## CONFERENCES

- 2016.09 European Population Conference 2016, Mainz, Germany [[paper](#)] [[ppt](#)] [[link](#)]
- 2016.04 Regional Studies Association Annual Conference 2016, Graz, Austria [[ppt](#)]
- 2015.12 Urban and Regional Studies Institute Autumn Conference 2015, Groningen, Netherlands [[ppt](#)] [[abstract](#)]
- 2015.02 Internal migration and commuting in international perspective, Wiesbaden, Germany [[poster](#)]
- 2014.06 European Population Conference 2014, Budapest, Hungary [[paper](#)] [[ppt](#)]
- 2014.04 XV April International Academic Conference on Economic and Social Development, Moscow, Russia [[paper](#)]
- 2013.09 British Society for Population Studies Annual Conference 2013, Swansea, Great Britain [[ppt](#)] [[abstract](#)]

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## OTHER ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

### Reviewer of the following peer-reviewed journals

*Tijdschrift voor economische en sociale geografie* (en)  
*Demographic Review* (ru)

### Member of the following organizations

European Association for Population Studies (since 2014)  
Regional Studies Association (since 2016)  
Netherlands Demographic Society (since 2016)

Organizer of the Feedback Forum at NIDI

## MEDIA

[Demoscope Weekly](#) (in Russian), the most popular website on sociology in Russia [[paper](#)] [[essay](#)]

[Demographic Digest](#) (in Russian), a regular column at Demoscope Weekly [[archive](#)]

[Habrahabr](#) (in Russian), the most popular IT related community in Russia [[contribution](#)]

[DemoTrends](#), a blog of phd-students in demography [[contribution](#)]

MEDUZA (Russian newspaper) [[paper 1](#)] [[paper 2](#)]

## SKILLS

Russian - mother tongue  
English - fluent; TOEFL - 102/120 [[doc](#)]

Proficient user of R, a programming language and environment for statistical analysis

Experience with MS Excel, ArcGIS, QGIS, GlobalMapper, GeoDa, SasPlanet, Zotero, Photoshop, CorelDraw. User of Linux

## PROFILES

[NIDI](#)

[HSE](#)

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[ORCID](#)

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[SSRN](#)

[RePEc](#)

[ResearchGate](#)

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[CyberLeninka \(ru\)](#)

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[github](#)

[StackOverflow](#)

[Habrahabr \(ru\)](#)