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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] [GPA: 5.0 out of 5]

2008.09–2012.06 Bachelor of Ecology and
Environmental Management
Moscow State University, Faculty of Geography,
Department of Geocology, Moscow, Russia [doc]
[GPA: 4.7 out of 5]

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 modeling 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, Gunko M. 2016. Spatial variation of in-migration to Moscow: Testing the effect of housing market. *Cities* 59: 30-39. [[doi](#)] [[pdf](#)]
- 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. 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](#)]

Full list at [personal website](#) (including publications in Russian)

CONFERENCES

- 2016.12 The Third Russian Economic Congress, Moscow, Russia [[slides](#)]
- 2016.11 Dutch Demography Day 2016, Utrecht, Netherlands [[slides](#)]
- 2016.09 European Population Conference 2016, Mainz, Germany [[paper](#)] [[slides](#)] [[link](#)]
- 2016.04 Regional Studies Association Annual Conference 2016, Graz, Austria [[slides](#)]
- 2015.12 Urban and Regional Studies Institute Autumn Conference 2015, Groningen, Netherlands [[slides](#)] [[abstract](#)]
- 2015.02 Internal migration and commuting in international perspective, Wiesbaden, Germany [[poster](#)]
- 2014.06 European Population Conference 2014, Budapest, Hungary [[paper](#)] [[slides](#)] [[link](#)]
- 2014.04 XV April International Academic Conference on Economic and Social Development, Moscow, Russia [[paper](#)] [[slides](#)]
- 2013.09 British Society for Population Studies Annual Conference 2013, Swansea, Great Britain [[slides](#)] [[abstract](#)]

Full list at [personal website](#) (including talks in Russian)

TEACHING

- 2016.12 Brief introduction to R, Master program Population and Development, Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia.
- 2016.12 Lectures on migration, Master program Population and Development, Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia.
- 2015.12 Mapping in R, a one-day workshop, prepared together with Michael Thomas, University of Groningen, Netherlands.

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) [[article 1](#)] [[article 2](#)]

SKILLS

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

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

Proficient user of MS Excel, ArcGIS, QGIS, GlobalMapper, GeoDa, SasPlanet, Zotero, Photoshop, CorelDraw. User of Linux

PROFILES

[NIDI](#)

[HSE](#)

[Google Scholar](#)

[ORCID](#)

[Publons](#)

[SSRN](#)

[RePEc](#)

[ResearchGate](#)

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[StackOverflow](#)

[Habrahabr \(ru\)](#)