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RESEARCH INTERESTS	Authoritarian Politics, Russian Politics, Offshore Finance, International Investment, Causal Inference, Machine Learning, Bayesian Statistics
EDUCATION	<b>University of California, Los Angeles</b> Ph.D. Candidate, Political Science, expected graduation date: June 2018 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dissertation Topic: “Offshore Finance and Politics in Vladimir Putin’s Russia”</li><li>• Dissertation Committee: Prof. Daniel S. Treisman (chair), Prof. Barbara Geddes, Prof. Leslie Johns, Prof. Jeffrey B. Lewis, Prof. Nico Voigtlaender (UCLA Anderson School of Management)</li></ul> M.Sc., Statistics (June 2018, expected)  <b>New Economic School</b> , Moscow, Russian Federation M.A., Economics (with concentration in Development Economics and Finance), July 2012  <b>Novosibirsk State University</b> , Novosibirsk, Russian Federation M.Sc., Physics, July 2009 B.Sc., Physics, July 2007
PUBLICATIONS	Inside the Kremlin: Presidency and Executive Branch, in “The New Autocracy: Information, Policy and Politics in Putin’s Russia” (ed: Daniel Treisman), Brookings Institution Press, Washington DC, <i>forthcoming</i>  Public Opinion in Russia (with Kirill Rogov), in “The New Autocracy: Information, Policy and Politics in Putin’s Russia” (ed: Daniel Treisman), Brookings Institution Press, Washington DC, <i>forthcoming</i>
WORKING PAPERS	Effect of Income on Trust: Evidence from 2009 Economic Crisis in Russia (with Sergei Guriev), accepted for publication in <i>The Economic Journal</i>  Information and Communication Technologies, Protests, and Censorship (with Galina Zudenkova and Maria Petrova)
MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION	Political Economy of Cross-Border Tax Planning: A Protection Racket Approach  Exit and Voice: Evidence from Russia’s Business Elite  How Tax Havens Facilitate Patronal Exchange in Autocracies  Unknown Unknowns: How Uncertainty Undermines Protest in Russia (with Samuel Greene)  Invincibility Signaling and Information Acquisition in Authoritarian Elections (with Michael Poyker)

POLICY BRIEFS	Crisis and Trust (with Sergei Guriev), The Forum for Research on Eastern Europe and Emerging Economies (FREE Network), January 26, 2015
CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS	<p>MPSA Annual Meeting, April 2015, 2016, 2018 (accepted)</p> <p>APSA Annual Meeting, September 2014 (poster), 2015, 2016, 2017</p> <p>Institute for Humane Studies Graduate Research Colloquium, November 2017</p> <p>Council of European Studies Annual Conference, June 2017</p> <p>International Center for the Study of Institutions and Development's Annual Conference at Higher School of Economics, June 2017</p> <p>The AALIMS Conference on the Political Economy of Muslim World, April 2017, Graduate Student Conference in Comparative Politics at UCLA (COMPASS), May 2017</p> <p>American Economic Association Annual Meeting, January 2017</p> <p>The Society for Political Methodology Summer Meeting, July 2015 (poster), 2016 (poster)</p> <p>WPSA Annual Meeting, March 2016</p> <p>Association of the Study of Religion, Economics and Culture, March 2016</p> <p>Population Association of America, April 2015 (poster)</p> <p>Royal Economic Society Annual Meeting, April 2015</p>
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	<p><b>Instructor:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to Data Analysis, Summer 2017</li> </ul> <p><b>Teaching Assistant (graduate level):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Maximum Likelihood for Social Science, Fall 2017 (Instructor: Prof. Jeffrey B. Lewis)</li> </ul> <p><b>Teaching Assistant (undergraduate level):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Russian Politics, Winter 2014, Fall 2015, Winter 2017 (Instructor: Prof. Daniel S. Treisman)</li> <li>• African Politics, Fall 2016 (Instructor: Prof. Daniel Posner)</li> <li>• Diversity, Disagreement, and Democracy, Spring 2016 (Instructor: Prof. Susanne Lohmann, online class)</li> <li>• Introduction to Statistics for Life and Health Sciences, Spring 2017, UCLA Department of Statistics (Instructor: Prof. Linda Zanonian)</li> </ul>
AWARDS AND GRANTS	<p><i>External</i></p> <p>Institute for Humane Studies Ph.D Fellowship, 2017</p> <p>Columbia University Harriman Institute Travel Award, 2017</p> <p>Royal Economic Society Travel Award, 2015</p> <p><i>Internal</i></p> <p>UCLA International Institute Fieldwork Travel Grant, 2017</p> <p>UCLA Center for European and Eurasian Studies Summer Fieldwork Fellowship, 2017</p> <p>UCLA Center for European and Eurasian Studies Travel Award, 2013, 2015, 2017</p> <p>UCLA Center for Global Management Global Research Graduate Award, 2013-2014</p> <p>UCLA Political Science Department Fellowship, 2012-2013</p>
PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Junior Scholar, Russia Political Insight, 2014-2016</li> <li>• Affiliated Researcher, International Center for the Study of Institutions and Development, Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Summer 2014</li> <li>• Affiliated Researcher, Center for Study of Diversity and Social Interaction, New Economic School, Moscow, 2013-2014</li> <li>• Referee for <i>Journal of Comparative Economics</i>, <i>Economics of Transition</i></li> </ul>

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