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EDUCATION	Ph.D. Candidate in Political Science <i>Exam Fields: Comparative Politics, Formal & Quantitative Methods</i> <i>Joint Degree Program in Social Policy, Woodrow Wilson School</i> Princeton University	2013-pres.
	M.A. (with Honors) in Political Science University of Mannheim	2011-2013
	B.A. (with Honors) in Sociology Higher School of Economics	2007-2011
ADDITIONAL EDUCATION	Erasmus Graduate Certificate in Political Science University of Essex	2012-2013
	ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods University of Michigan	Summer 2012
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	Associate Researcher Laboratory for Comparative Social Research (LCSR), HSE	2011-pres.
	Research Assistant GESIS - Leibniz-Institute for the Social Sciences The German Microdata Lab (GML), Mannheim	2011-2013
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Teaching Assistant <i>Violent Politics</i> , Professor Jacob Shapiro Department of Politics, Princeton University	Fall 2015
	Tutor <i>Advanced Statistics, Microeconomics</i> PIIA Junior Summer Institute, Princeton University	Summer 2015
	Instructor <i>Data Analysis & L^AT_EX for Social Scientists</i> LCSR Methods Summer School, HSE	Summer 2013
AWARDS & HONORS	RAM Prize for Best M.A. Thesis in Social Sciences	2013
	DAAD Postgraduate Fellowship	2011-2013
	HSE Academic Merit Scholarship (Ranked Top of the Class)	2007-2011
	Vladimir Potanin Foundation Scholarship	2009-2010
PUBLICATIONS	Kustov, A. (forthcoming). How ethnic structure affects civil conflict: A model of endogenous ethnic grievance. <i>Conflict Management and Peace Science</i>	

- WORKING PAPERS “Xenophobia as a Response to Perceived ‘Group Threat’? On the Role of Intergroup Difference, Competition, and Hierarchy.”
- “Ethnoracial Divisions and Public Goods Provision: New Evidence from Brazilian Municipalities,” with Pardelli G.
- PRESENTATIONS “Introduction to Computational Social Science” (invited talk), DAAD Annual Conference 2012, University of Ulm, Ulm (03/2012)
- “Globalization & Support for the Welfare State” (invited talk), Higher School of Economics, St. Petersburg (02/2012)
- ECPR General Conference, Montreal (08/2015)
 - Aage Sørensen Memorial Conference, Princeton (04/2015)
 - APSA Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C (08/2014)
 - MPSA Annual Conference, Chicago (04/2014)
 - General Online Research Conference 2013, Mannheim (03/2013)
 - Higher School of Economics, Moscow (11/2012, 07/2012, 11/2011, 05/2011)
 - Higher School of Economics, St. Petersburg (04/2012, 04/2011, 04/2010)
 - Södertörn University/the Nobel Museum, Stockholm (11/2011)
 - European Humanities University, Vilnius (05/2011)
 - CREEES, Stanford University (04/2011)
- ADDITIONAL TRAINING
- Advanced Statistical Programming Camp, Princeton University (01/2015)
 - Summer School on Empirical Methods in Economic History, Mexico City (05/2014)
 - Workshop on Web Scraping and Text Processing, Princeton University (01/2014)
 - Summer School on Multilevel Structural Equation Modeling, St. Petersburg (08/2013)
 - Olympia Summer Academy on Conflict & Political Violence, Olympia (08/2013)
 - Berlin Summer School in Social Sciences, Berlin (07/2013)
 - Next Generation Forum on Future & Finance, Goethe University Frankfurt (05/2013)
 - Summer School on Causal Models & Structural Equations, St. Petersburg (07/2012)
 - Workshop on Bayesian Analysis, University of Mannheim (01/2012)
 - Workshop on Multilevel Modeling, University of Mannheim (01/2012)
 - Summer School on Science & Technology Studies, St. Petersburg (07/2011)
 - Summer School on European Studies & Methodology, St. Petersburg (06/2011)
 - Stanford US-Russia Forum, Stanford University (04/2011)
- ADDITIONAL AWARDS
- Stafford Fund Travel Grant (2015)
 - PIIRS Summer Grant (2014)
 - International Olympic Academy Scholarship (2013)
 - LCSR Research and Travel Grant (2013)
 - LCSR Full Scholarship for ICPSR Summer Program (2012)
 - RIAC Global Perspectives Award (2011)
 - HSE Prize for the Best B.A. Research Project (2010)
 - Russian Standard Bank Talented Youth Scholarship (2009-2010)
- SKILLS
- R, Python, Stata, SPSS, Mplus, Netlogo, ArcGIS
 - Russian (native proficiency), German and Spanish (working proficiency)