

# *Curriculum Vitae*

*Anna Kulkova*

## **Personal Information**

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## **Academic Formation**

**Postgraduate student:** National Research University Higher School of Economics, Moscow (HSE), 2014-2017, Political Science. Ph.: +7 (495) 531-0063. E-mail: hse@hse.ru  
**MA:** HSE, 2012-2014, Political Science, cum laude. Master Thesis: “Influence of Religiosity on Political Participation in Contemporary Russia”  
**BA:** HSE, 2008-2012, Political Science, cum laude. Graduation Paper: “Orthodox Nationalism in Contemporary Russia”  
**Additional education:** 2014 LCSR Summer School on Categorical Data Analysis (2014, June – July, Saint-Petersburg, HSE)

## **Experience**

**2014 – till now** Junior Research Fellow: Laboratory for Political Studies, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Moscow (HSE). Head - Kasamara, Valeria A.  
**2016 – till now** Lecturer in “Political Behavior”, School of Political Science, HSE.  
**2013 – 2015** Teaching Assistant in “Political Analysis”, School of Political Science, HSE.  
**2013 – 2014** Research Assistant: Laboratory for Political Studies, HSE. Head - Kasamara, Valeria A.

## **Research projects**

**2015:** “Value orientations of Russian elite universities’ students”. Head: M. Urnov. Department: Laboratory For Political Studies.  
**2015:** “The Influence of Cultural Heterogeneity on Social Capital in Russia”, Individual Research Project. Head: Ekaterina I. Borisova, Irina A. Levina. Department: International Center for the Study of Institutions and Development  
**2014:** “Syndrome of political nostalgia in modern Russia”. Head: M. Urnov. Department: Laboratory For Political Studies.  
**2013:** The Impact of Value Heterogeneity on Social Dynamics. Head: M. Urnov. Department: Laboratory For Political Studies.

## **Papers**

Borisova, E. and Kulkova, A. (2016), “Culture, Names, and Economic Development”, *Voprosy Ekonomiki*, No. 1, pp. 81–106. (in Russian)

Kulkova, A. (2016), “Religiosity and Political Participation across Europe”, *Identity and Values Change in Europe: Religious, Political, Social and Familial Values in the European Social Survey*, Ashgate, London. (in print)

Kulkova, A. (2015), “The Interaction between Religiosity and Social Conservatism: Russia and Europe Compared”, *Social Sciences and Modernity*, pp. 141–154. (in Russian)

Kulkova, A. (2015), “Religiosity and Political Participation: the Role of Politics in Russian Religious Communities”, *Working Papers by NRU Higher School of Economics. Series WP14 “Political Theory and Political Analysis”*, No. 2. (in Russian)

Kulkova, A. (2014), “Religiosity and Political Participation in Contemporary Russia: A Quantitative Analysis”, *Working Papers by NRU Higher School of Economics. Series PS “Political Science”*, No. 20, available at: <http://publications.hse.ru/en/preprints/151058955>.

Kulkova, A. (2014), “The Interaction between Religiosity and Political Participation: Russia and Europe”, *Social Sciences and Modernity*, No. 6, pp. 102–112. (in Russian)

Kulkova, A. (2014), “The Influence of Religiosity on Political Participation in Contemporary Russia”, *Faith and Religion in Contemporary Russia. All-Russian Contest for Young Scholars: 25 Best Papers*, Avgust Borg, Moscow, pp. 148–161. (in Russian)

## **Conference participation**

**European Social Survey (ESS) Conference 2015** (Limerick). Presentation: Religiosity and Political Participation across Europe. May – June 2015.

**Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) 73rd Annual Conference** (Chicago). Presentation: Religiosity and Political Participation across Europe. April 2015.

**XVI April International Academic Conference** on Economic and Social Development (Moscow). Presentation: Religiosity and Political Participation across Europe. April 2015.

**BASEES Annual Conference**, Fitzwilliam College, Cambridge (Cambridge). Presentation: Politics in Russian Orthodox Parishes: Field Research. March 2015.

4th **LCSR International Annual Research Conference** (St.-Petersburg). Presentation: Religiosity and Political Participation across Europe. November 2014.

**BASEES Annual Conference**, Fitzwilliam College, Cambridge. Presentation: Influence of Religiosity on the Political Participation in Contemporary Russia. April 2014.

## **Accomplishments**

Winner (3d place) in the Contest of Students’ Research Papers (НИРС), HSE. Nomination: Political Science. Paper: “The Influence of Religiosity on Political Participation in Contemporary Russia”. Advisor: Urnov M. Y. (2013, December).

Winner (special nominations “Best Research Using Quantitative Methods” and “Best Paper Based on Field Data”) in the Contest for Young Researchers “Faith and Religion in Contemporary Russia”. Paper: “The Influence of Religiosity on Political Participation in Contemporary Russia” (2013, December).

## **Skills**

Languages: English – advanced (TOEFL - 111, 2014); French – pre-intermediate  
PC: MS Office, Adobe Photoshop, SPSS, STATA, LMS.

## **Professional Interests**

Redistribution preferences, political behavior, political participation, religion and politics, culture and development, statistical methods.