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SUMMARY

I am a researcher specializing in education science and science of sciences, with a background in economics and econometrics. My research involves studying people and their groups to estimate inequalities and develop actionable policies. **SKILLS:** Statistics, data collection, preprocessing, exploratory and statistical data analysis, textual analysis, data visualization (R, Python).

ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH POSITIONS

Researcher, Department of Empirical Methods and Statistics	Sep. $2023 - present$
Europa-Universität Flensburg, Germany	
• Project: Admission Restrictions and Inequality in Higher Education.	
Researcher, Center for Institutional Analysis of Science & Education	Jan. $2020 - \text{Sep. } 2023$
European University at St. Petersburg, Russia	
• Projects: Gender Inequality in Science; Funding Policy Analysis.	
Assistant Lecturer / Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics	Oct. 2014 – Dec. 2019
Samara State Technical University, Russia	
• Courses: Economics, Econometrics.	
EDUCATION	
University of Michigan	Jul. $2024 - Aug. 2024$
ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods	
• Causal Inference II, Simultaneous Equation Modeling	
Higher School of Economics, Moscow	Jul. 2017 – Aug. 2018
Applied Econometrics Certificate	
• Microeconometrics, Macroeconometrics, Spatial Econometrics	
Samara State Technical University	Sep. 2006 – Jul. 2011
Specialist Degree in Economics (diploma with distinction)	

Research Papers

- Chechik E. (2024). "Gender Disparities in Research Fields in Russia: Dissertation Authors and Their Mentors." Scientometrics. doi.org/10.1007/s11192-024-05018-y. Available at: rdcu.be/dHB39
- Guba K., Chechik E., Tsivinskaya A. O., & Buravoy N. (2024). "Global Ranking of Expertise about Russia." Problems of Post-Communism. doi.org/10.1080/10758216.2024.2386995
- Chechik E. (2023). "Parenthood and Gender in Russian Academia." Voprosy obrazovaniya (in Russian). doi.org/10.17323/vo-2023-16337

• Business Economics, Macroeconomics, Forecasting, Banking, Stock Market

- Guba K., Zheleznov A., **Chechik E.** (2023). "Evaluating Grant Proposals: Lessons from Using Metrics as a Screening Device." *Journal of Data and Information Science*. doi.org/10.2478/jdis-2023-0010
- Sokolov M., **Chechik E.** (2022). "Academic Reputations of Russian Economists and Their Scientometric Assessments." *Voprosy ekonomiki* (in Russian). doi.org/10.32609/0042-8736-2022-11-117-135

WORKING PAPERS

- "Socioeconomic Inequality in Post-Secondary Transitions: The Causal Impact of Admission Reforms in Germany" (with Florian Hertel)
- "The Influence of Bilateral Relations on Scientific Research: The Case of U.S. Research on Russia" (with Carolina Coimbra Vieira and Victoria Di Césare)
- "Global Organization of Russian Studies: Large-Scale Scientometric Analysis of Publications and Citations, 1990-2020". Guba K., Chechik E., Tsivinskaya A., & Buravov N. (January 2024). ssrn.com/abstract=4696769

RESPECT Doctoral Fellowship

Georgia Institute of Technology

• Mentorship program with Thema Monroe-White and Cassidy R. Sugimoto on intersectional inequalities in science.

Grant for Junior Researchers for Policy Analysis Reports

Jan. 2020 - Nov. 2021

Sep. 2023 – present

Center for Advanced Governance, Moscow

• Project: Gender Wage Gap Decomposition (approx. \$10,000).

Fulbright Scholarship FFDP 2018–19

Aug. 2018 – Jan. 2019

University of Massachusetts, Department of Economics, Boston, U.S.

• Internship in feminist economics with Julie Nelson.

Conference Presentations

- Social Inequality and Diversion at the Threshold to Post-secondary Education in Germany. Chechik E., Hertel F. ECSR 2024, Barcelona, Spain.
- Gender, Parenthood, and Academic Performance: Work-life and Work-work Balance in Russian Academia. Chechik E. STI 2023, Leiden, Netherlands. hellche.github.io/parenthood_HEI/
- Uncovering Barriers for Women in Russian Grant Funding: Rejected and Supported Grant Applications. Chechik
 E. Poster Presentation at STI 2023, Leiden, Netherlands. github.com/hellche/grant_applications
- Gender Disparities in Academic Disciplines: An Attempt to Fill in the Blind Spots of Bibliometrics. Chechik E. Poster Presentation at ISSI 2023, Bloomington, US. github.com/hellche/issi2023
- Dissertation Authors and Their Mentors: Can Gender Diversity in Russian STEM be Achieved? Chechik E. STI 2022, Granada, Spain. zenodo.org/record/6956906
- Use of Scientometrics in Evaluation of Grant Proposals. Guba K., Zheleznov A., Chechik E., Tsivinskaya A. ISSI 2021, Leuven, Belgium.

SUMMER SCHOOLS

Atlanta Academy on Science and Innovation Policy, Georgia Tech (April 2024); Science of Science Summer School, SOS+CD Lab and School of Information Studies, Syracuse University (August 2022); Experimental Economics Summer School, Lab of Experimental and Behavioural Economics, Higher School of Economics, Moscow (August 2019).

SKILLS

Tools: R, Python, Stata, git, LATEX

Languages: English (advanced), German (beginner), Russian (native)