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WORK EXPERIENCE

- Belarusian Economic Research and Outreach Center (BEROC), Academic Director, Minsk, Belarus, 2016 – present
 - Developing research agenda and strategy of the Center
 - Supervising the work of the research team
 - Taking lead in research and policy projects focusing on economic growth and social issues in Belarus
 - Communicating research results to policy makers and media
- UNICEF Belarus, Consultant (short-term appointment, Aug 2018- December 2019)
 - Recent trends analysis in application to UNICEF Country Strategy
 - Fiscal impact analysis for children in Belarus (CEQ4C)
 - Modelling demographic dividend
- World Bank, Consultant (separate short-term appointments)
 - Welfare and multidimensional poverty assessment of households with children during the COVID-19 pandemic and development of effective social assistance response (May 2020 – current)
 - Analysis of welfare impact of recessions in Belarus and household coping strategies (Feb-June 2019)
 - CEQ analysis for Ukraine (Nov 2017-June 2018)
 - CEQ analysis for Kyrgyzstan (March 2018-June 2018)
 - CEQ analysis for Belarus (Dec 2016- June 2017)
 - Country macroeconomic diagnostics for Belarus (through BERO, Apr – Jun 2016)
- Senior Economic Advisor to Resident Coordinator, UN, Minsk, Belarus, August 2016 – February 2017
 - Strengthening UN/UNDP strategy in Belarus
 - Mainstreaming SDGs to the UN country strategy
 - Advising on the priorities of UN/UNDP projects in Belarus
- Research fellow, Belarusian Economic Research and Outreach Center (BEROC), Minsk, Belarus, 2010 – 2016
 - Leading research and policy projects, with focus on economic growth and social issues in Belarus
 - Teaching courses in BERO educational activities
 - Supervising the work of junior researchers
- Visiting professor, New Economic School, Moscow, Russia, 2012
- Visiting professor, Kyiv School of Economics, Kyiv, Ukraine, 2011

EDUCATION

- PhD, Economics, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, 2016
- M.A., Economics, Kyiv School of Economics (EERC), Kyiv, Ukraine, 2004
- B.A., Management, Odessa National University, Odessa, Ukraine, 2002

FIELDS OF SPECIALIZATION

Macroeconomics, Labor Economics, Economics of Transition

PUBLICATIONS

- *"The Impact of the Russian crisis on the Belarusian economy: the trade channel"* with I. Livshits, in "The Russian Economy Under Putin" edited by T. Becker and S. Oxenstierna, Routledge (2018), pp 48-65
- *"Effects of Population Ageing on the Pension System in Belarus"* with K. Lisenkova, *Baltic Journal of Economics* (2017) 17 (2), 103-118
- *"Will a Decline in Smoking Increase Body Weights? Evidence from Belarus."* with A. Amialchuk, M. Ali, *Eastern Economic Journal* (2016): 1-21.

WORKING PAPERS

- *"Poverty, Vulnerability, and Household Coping Strategies during the 2015-16 Recession in Belarus"*, with A. Cojocar, M. Matytsin and G. Shymanovich. Policy Research Working Paper; No. 9003. Washington, D.C. : World Bank, 2019
- *"Fiscal Incidence in Ukraine: A Commitment to Equity Analysis"*, with M. Matytsin and N. Leshchenko. Poverty and Equity Global Practice Working Paper; no. 193. Washington, D.C. : World Bank Group. 2019
- *"Fiscal Incidence in Belarus: A Commitment to Equity Analysis"*, with A. Chubrik and G. Shymanovich, Policy Research Working Paper; No. 8216. World Bank, Washington, DC, 2017
- *"Accounting for Labor Productivity Puzzle"*, BEROС working paper no. 026, 2015
- *"Belarusian Economic Growth Decomposition"* with Dzmitry Kruk, BEROС working paper No.024, 2013
- *"Real Business Cycles in The Model with Two-Person Household and Home Production"*, BEROС working paper No. 012, 2010

POLICY PAPERS AND POLICY PUBLICATIONS

- *"Trust and Economic Growth"*, with Hanna Aginskaya, Chapter in "Because We Have Decided So", edited by Kiryl Rudy, Minsk, 2017
- *"Structural challenges"*, Chapter in "The Belarus Economy: The Challenges of Stalled Reforms", edited by Rumien Dobrinsky, The Vienna Institute for International Economic Studies (wiiw), November 2016
- *"Fertility Policies"*, Chapter in "Financial Diet for Belarus", edited by Kiryl Rudy, Minsk, 2016
- *"Pension System of Belarus: Current State and Necessity for Reforms,"* with Katerina Lisenkova & Anastasia Luzgina, Chapter in "Financial Diet for Belarus", edited by Kiryl Rudy, Minsk, 2016
- *"Government Expenditure Efficiency in Belarus (in Russian)"*, with Aleh Mazol, BEROС Policy Paper no. 29, 2016
- *"Tax Amnesty (in Russian),"* with Dzmitry Kruk, Gleb Shymanovich and Yuri Tserlukevich , BEROС Policy Paper No.21, 2014
- *"Currency Crisis in Belarus: Social Impact and Redistributive Effects"*, *Baltic Rim Economies Quarterly Review*, 11-12, June 2012
- *"Estimation of Equivalence Scale for Belarusian Households and Implications for Determination of Socially Vulnerable Groups"* with Chubrik, A., Shymanovich G., BEROС Policy Paper No.7, 2011

REFEREEING

Review of Economics and Statistics, КВАНТИЛЬ, Journal of Belarusian Studies

SKILLS and LANGUAGES

Languages: Russian (native), Ukrainian (native), English (fluent), Belarusian (fluent), Spanish (intermediate)

Programming: Fortran, Matlab, Stata

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Citizenship: Ukraine

Family status: married, two children