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RESEARCH INTERESTS Labor Economics, Development Economics, Economics of Education

EDUCATION PhD Candidate, Economics
University of Toronto, ON 2007-present
MA in International Economics and Finance
Ryerson University, Toronto, ON 2005-2006
MGIMO University, Moscow, Russia

RESEARCH Working papers:
“Caste, Gender and School Enrollment: Evidence from the Nepalese Living Standard Survey”
“Quantifying the Microeconomic Effects of War: How Much Can Panel Data Help?”
(with Eik Swee)
“Ethnic Enclaves and Immigrant Children Achievements: Evidence from Canada”
“Peers in the Classroom: Evidence from Provincial Test Scores”

CONFERENCE PRESENTATION European Economics Association Meeting, Oslo August 2011
Canadian Economics Association Meeting, Ottawa June 2011
Global Economic Costs of Conflict, DIW, Berlin January 2011

TEACHING EXPERIENCE ECO220Y Quantitative Methods in Economics Summer 2010
Instructor 2010-2011, 2011-2012

TA EXPERIENCE ECO220Y Quantitative Methods 2009-2010, Summer 2011, 2009, 2008
ECO220Y Quantitative Methods (at UTM) Summer 2009
ECO429Y History of Economic Thought 2007-2008, 2008-2009
ECO206Y Microeconomic Theory 2008-2009, 2010-2011
ECO202Y Macroeconomic Theory and Policy 2007-2008
EF8931 International Trade Theory and Policy, graduate 2005-2008

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE Research Assistant to Professor Loren Brandt 2011
Research Assistant to Professor Dwayne Benjamin 2010

AWARDS

Doctoral Completion Award, 2012
Department of Economics Conference Travel Grant, 2011
University of Toronto Graduate Fellowship, 2007-2010
Ryerson University Graduate Fellowship, 2005-2006.

**COMPUTER
SKILLS**

Software: STATA, Matlab, R, HTML and L^AT_EX.

CITIZENSHIP

Canadian, Russian Federation

LANGUAGES

English, Russian (native speaker), French (basic), German (basic)