

Education

Ph.D. in Economics, CERGE-EI, July 2024

visiting student at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, host: Alexey Makarin
visiting students at Columbia University, host: Jan Švejnar
visiting students at EIEF, host: Alexey Makarin

03/2023-06/2023
01/2022-05/2022
10/2021-11/2021

MA in Economics, CERGE-EI, Prague, Czech Republic

2019

MA in Economics, ISET, Tbilisi, Georgia

2016

BA in Economics, Armenian State University of Economics

2009

Professional Experience

Credit Risk Model Specialist, ČSOB

10/2025-current

Postdoctoral Researcher, IRES/LIDAM, UCLouvain

10/2024-09/2025

Junior Researcher, CERGE-EI

09/2018-09/2024

Research Assistant, Czech Science Foundation (GACR) Grant

01/2019-12/2023

Data Specialist, American University of Armenia

03/2017-08/2017

Senior Bank and Cash Flows Control Specialist, HayPost

10/2012-08/2014

Teaching Experience

Main Instructor, CERGE-EI Foundation (Online)

01/2023-current

Econometrics in a Nutshell with R (BA and MA level)

Instructor and Assistant Instructor, CERGE-EI Foundation

08/2019-09/2024

Distance Learning Program Pedagogical Training for Local Instructors

Graduate Teaching Fellows Teaching Principles and Practices for Economics Course

Career Integration Fellows Teaching Principles and Practices for Economics Course

Lecturer, Armenian State University of Economics Gyumri Branch (Online)

01/2021-06/2024

Business Statistics, Mathematical Statistics

Introductory and Advanced Econometrics with Stata (BA level)

Invited Lecturer, American University of Armenia

03/2024-04/2024

Development Economics (MA level)

Graduate Teaching Assistant, CERGE-EI

09/2018-07/2021

Macroeconomics I, Quantitative Methods, Microeconomics III,
Econometrics II, Economic Development and Institutions (MA and PhD level)

Teaching Assistant, ISET

09/2015-07/2016

Statistics I, Statistics II, Econometrics I,
Econometrics II, Econometrics III (MA level)

Working Papers and Work in Progress

Understanding migration within countries: A global perspective. CGIAR Initiative on Fragility, Conflict, and Migration. Washington, DC: International Food Policy Research Institute. 2024 ([link](#)) – with Maystadt, J. F., Peracchi, S., & You, L.

Potato to the Rescue: Home Production and Child Health during a Deep Economic Crisis ([link](#)) with Pestova A. & Mamonov M. – *submitted*

Violent Conflicts and Child Gender Preferences of Parents: Evidence from Nigeria, Working Paper Series 723, CERGE-EI, March 2022 ([link](#))

Activated Memory of Natural Disasters and Child Gender Preferences: The Case of Armenia – work in progress

Scholarships, Award and Grants

European Union's Horizon 2020 research and innovation program under the Marie Skłodowska-Curie grant agreement No 870245	03/2023-06/2023
grant agreement No. 681228	01/2022-05/2022

Principal Researcher, the Charles University Grant Agency (GAUK)	2020-2021
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Best Paper Award, Young Economists Meeting in Brno	09/2021
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Citigroup Endowment Fund Scholar, CERGE-EI, Prague for Excellent Academic Performance	Fall 2018-Spring 2020
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Referee Work

Journal of Peace Research, LIDAM Discussion Papers IRES

Language and Software Skills

Armenian (native), Czech (A2), English (fluent), Russian (fluent), Stata, R, Python, QGIS

Presentations and Conference Participation

Machine Learning Prague: Workshop, Prague, Czech Republic, May 2026
17th Joint IOS/APB/EACES Summer Academy on Central and Eastern Europe, Tutzing, Germany, July 2025
International Association for Applied Econometrics, Torino, Italy, June 2025
Society of Economics of the Household (SEHO): Annual Meetings, Zaragoza, Spain, June 2025

Research Seminar at the University of Economics in Bratislava, Bratislava, Slovakia, April 2025
Research Seminar at Umea University, Umea, Sweden, January 2024
Armenian Economic Association: Annual Meetings, Yerevan, Armenia, June 2023
Student Research Breakfast, Columbia University, New York, USA, May 2022
XXIII Yasin International Academic Conference on Economic and Social Development, Online, April 2022
Rare Voices in Economics Conference, Geneva, Switzerland, September 2021
Young Economists Meeting in Brno, Brno, Czech Republic, September 2021
1st International Workshop Applied Research in Labor Economics and Human Capital, Online, November 2021
1st Inaugural International Conference on Econometrics and Business Analytics (iCEBA), Online, July 2021
Armenian Economic Association: Annual Meetings, Online, June 2021