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## Curriculum Vitae

- since  
May / 2021      PhD student in the Research Training Group 2304 "Byzantium and the Euro-Mediterranean Cultures of War. Exchange, Differentiation and Reception", Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz.  
Dissertation title: *War Discourse in Times of Crisis: Authorial Strategies in Byzantine Historical Literature of the 14th century*  
Supervision Univ.-Prof. Dr. Johannes Pahlitzsch, Prof. Dr. Jan Kusber
- 2017-2018      Master of Studies in Late Antique and Byzantine Studies (Distinction), University of Oxford  
Supervisor: Professor Marc Lauxtermann
- 2013-2015      Master of Philology (Distinction), Russian Literature, Ural Federal University  
Thesis: *Byzantine Historical Works of the 12th – 14th centuries: The Image of the World and the Image of an Emperor*  
Supervisor: Senior Lecturer Irina Letova
- 2009-2013      Bachelor of Philology (Distinction), Russian Language and Literature, Ural Federal University  
Thesis: *The Concept of History and the Image of an Emperor in the Writings of George Pachymeres and Nicephorus Gregoras*  
Supervisor: Senior Lecturer Irina Letova
- 2005-2007      Specialised educational scientific centre at Ural State University

## Honours

- 2017-2018      Hill Foundation Scholarship
- 2011, 2012,  
2013              Oxford Russia Fund Scholarship
- 2012              Scholarship of the Fund named after the First President of Russia Boris Yeltsin (for outstanding progress in studying and academic activity)