

Curriculum Vitae

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Employment

Since 1995, Center for Independent Social Research, Chair of the Environmental Sociology Group, St. Petersburg, Russia

Before 1995: Associated Professor at Hertsen Pedagogical University, St. Petersburg, Russia

Degrees

1998 Master of Environmental Studies from Bard College, New York, USA. MSc.

Thesis: "Sustainable Development in Russia and the US."

1984 Ph.D in Biology from Sechenov Institute of Evolutionary Physiology and Biochemistry, Russian Academy of Sciences, Russia

1978 Degree in Biology, St. Petersburg State University, Russia

Teaching

2009, 2010, 2011 University of Joensuu, Finland. Course: Russian Environmental Law and Policy

2004 University of Freiburg, Germany: The Course on Forest Certification

Intensive course at the

University of Joensuu, 29th-31st of May 2002. Course: Politicization of Nature-new formulations of culture/nature research. Organized by Geography Graduate School and the Graduate School of Environmental Social Science. Keynote lecture: The Challenge of Accountability: The Russian Model of Coping with Nature.

University of Helsinki Europe's New Scripts. May 16-18, 2002, organized by Finnish Graduate School for Russian and Eastern European Studies and Graduate School of Cultural Interaction and Integration. Key note lecture: Role of Transboundary Environmental Organizations in linking Eastern European and Western European Environmental Policy.

2001 Taught a course at Johns Hopkins University, MD, USA (graduate level) "Environmental Organizations and Policy"

2001, Spring 2003 Taught a courses at Dickinson College, PA, USA (undergraduate level) "Politics of Sustainable Development", "Environmental Movement and Policy"

2000-2001 Towson University, MD, USA Adjunct professor (undergraduate level) "Social Movements and Policy: Case of the Environment;" "Environmental Policy: an International Perspective;" "Environmental Policy Implementation," "Politics of Sustainable Development"

2000, Fall 2003- Taught courses at Ramapo College of New Jersey, NJ, U.S. "Environmental studies", "International Perspectives of Environmental Policy", "Environmental Movement in Russia and the U.S.", "Building Sustainable Communities," "Globalization and Sustainable Development"

Selected recent research projects

Making Democracy Work: Building Capacity of Ordinary Citizens in Russian Rura Settlements 12.2007-05.2009, sponsored by EU

Citizen Empowerment in resource-dependending communities 2010-2011, sponsored by EU
 Transnationalization of Forest Governance 01.2008-12.2011, sponsored by Finnish Academy
 Trust in Finnish-Russian Forest Industry Business Relations 01.2008-12.2010, sponsored by Finnish Academy
 Moscow Public Scientific Foundation (2006-2007): The role of civil society in fostering corporate social responsibility within the Russian forest sector.
 Governance of Renewable Natural Resources in Northwestern Russia, from Finnish Academy 2004-2007, sponsored by Finnish Academy
 Coordinated the project sponsored by the Trust for Mutual Understanding “Fostering Effective Partnerships Among Russian and North American FSC Experts, Activists and Social Scientists”, 2007
 Coordinated the project sponsored by the Trust for Mutual Understanding with Yale University (2004-2005) Promoting Forest Certification in Russia and North America

Most important scientific positions of trust

RC-24 International Sociological Association-member of the Board of directors, Committee Environment and Society, effective (2006-2010) since the World Congress in Durban

Most important fellowships

2005 Research fellowship at Yale University: “Forest certification as a non-state market driven governance” (August-October 2005)
 2001 International Fellowship in Philanthropy at Johns Hopkins University, Institute for Policy Studies, research project: “Citizen Involvement in Environmental Policy in Russia and the U.S.: Role of Nonprofits”
 1999 Fulbright fellowship, U.S. Research project: “Building sustainable Communities in Russia and the U.S.”

Most important scientific acknowledgements and awards

2008 Storm van der Chijs Fund award for scientific achievements
 2007 Certificate of appreciation for achievements in sociology (from the Center for Independent Social Research)
 2004 Certificate of appreciation from Yale University, US for organizing Russian-American scientific program: “Promoting Forest Certification in Russia and North America”
 2001 Certificate of Achievement, The Johns Hopkins University, Institute for Policy Studies, Center for Civil Society Studies
 2001 Certificate in Nonprofit Studies, The Johns Hopkins University, Institute for Policy Studies, Center for Civil Society Studies
 2001 Certificate of Appreciation for outstanding contribution toward protection and restoration of streams and rivers, MD Department of Natural Resources, U.S.
 2000 Outstanding Teaching Award, Center for International and Intercultural Education, Ramapo College of New Jersey, U.S.
 1997 Interdisciplinary Environmental Association Outstanding Contribution Award

Selected publications

Tysiachniouk M (ed) Internationalization, trust and multi-stakeholder governance of natural resources. Special Issue, *Journal of Sociology and Social Anthropology* 2010, St. Petersburg
 Tysiachniouk M NGOs and Businesses as Strategic Partners in Building models of Sustainability. In: Tysiachniouk M (ed) Internationalization, trust and multi-stakeholder governance of natural resources. Special Issue, *Journal of Sociology and Social Anthropology* 2010, pp. 154-185, St. Petersburg
 Tysiachniouk M Transnational Actors and Institutional Change in Russian Localities: Effects of Forest

- Stewardship council Certification Scheme. In: Tysiachniouk M. (ed) Internationalization, trust and multi-stakeholder governance of natural resources. Special Issue, *Journal of Sociology and Social Anthropology* 2010, pp. 203-252, St. Petersburg
- Tysiachniouk M Preventing and overcoming lack of trust in the process of FSC certification: designation of social value forests around the village Tunguda. *Sustainable Forest Management*, #1 (23) 2010, pp. 44-50
- Tysiachniouk M. Markers of trust in the supply chain: from forest stands in Russia to end consumers in Europe and the USA. *Economic Sociology*, V. 11, #3, May 2010, p. 58-83
- Tysiachniouk M. Social Movements for the Preservation of Forests in North-West Russia: From Consumer Boycotts to Fostering Forest Certifications. *Russian Analytical Digest*, # 79 Environmental Issues and the Green Movement in Russia, May 2010, pp20-23, <http://www.res.ethz.ch/analysis/rad/>
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- Tysiachniouk M. New approaches towards sociology of social movements under globalization context. In: Tysiachniouk M (ed) Internationalization, trust and multi-stakeholder governance of natural resources. Special Issue, *Journal of Sociology and Social Anthropology* 2010, pp 38-62, St. Petersburg
- Tysiachniouk, M. 2009. Conflict as a form of governance: the market campaign to save the Karelian Forests. In Nystén-Haarala (eds). 2009. *The changing governance of renewable natural resources in Northwest Russia*. London: Ashgate,169-196.
- Keskitalo, E. C. H., C. Sandstrom, M. Tysiachniouk, and J. Johansson. 2009. Local consequences of applying international norms: differences in the application of forest certification in northern Sweden, northern Finland, and northwest Russia. *Ecology and Society* 14(2): 1.
- Экологическая социология
- Maletz O, Tysiachniouk M The effect of expertise on the quality of forest standards implementation: The case of FSC forest certification in Russia. *Forest Policy and Economics*, Volume 11, Issues 5-6, October 2009 422-428
- Sun, Yanfei and Tysiachniouk, Maria “Caged by boundaries? NGO cooperation at the Sino-Russian border. In: *China’s Embedded Activism* (Ed. Ho, Peter and Edmonds, Richard Louis), Routledge, London, 2008, pp 171- 194
- Kotilainen J., Tysiachniouk M., Kulasova A., Kulasov I., Pchelkina S. The Potential for ecological modernisation in the Russia: scenarios from the forest industry // *Environmental Policy*. Feb. 2008. Vol. 17. No 1. p. 58-77.
- Tysiachniouk M. Adaptation of businesses of transnational corporations to the Russian organizational environment on the example of Stora Enso company, 2008, т.9, №4, pp. 56–72
- Tysiachniouk M. Scenarios of ecological modernization of Russian Pulp and Paper Mills. *Social Research* 2008, № 9. pp. 68-78.
- Tysiachniouk M. Tulaeva S. Transformation of corporate social responsibility of TNCs under influence of globalization. *Social Policy and Sociology*, № 4 (40), 2008, pp. 104-116.
- Cultures of contamination: Legacies of Pollution in Russia and the US. *Research in Social Problems and Public Policy*, 2007, Volume 14 Ed. By Michael Edelstein, Maria Tysiachniouk and Ludmila Smirnova Elsevier Ltd
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