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Current Status: Ph.D. candidate at the Georg-August University of Goettingen, Germany. Cluster of Excellence “Functional Biodiversity Research”, Grassland Management (GrassMan) Project.

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Languages Spoken: Russian (native speaker)
English (fluent)
German (fluent)
Spanish (intermediate)

Professional Experience

- Ph.D. candidate in the GrassMan project at the Department of Grassland Science, Georg-August University of Goettingen, Germany (since April 2010).
- Scientific work within the framework of the Coastal Futures project (www.coastal-futures.org) (May 2009 – January 2010).
- Scientific assistant at the Department of Hydrology at the Ecology Center Kiel (Sep. 2008 – March 2010): assistance during the course Geographical Information Systems.
- Internship at the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of the Russian Federation, Department of Co-ordination of Economic Policy (Dec. 2006 – May 2007, Moscow).
- Part-time job at the “Kelis Consulting” Company (Jan. 2005 – Oct. 2007, Moscow): Positions and responsibilities:
 - personal assistant of the director (correspondence, organization of meetings),
 - consultant in the Marketing Department (gathering and analyzing information and writing reports),
 - senior consultant (market researches, business-planning: environmental aspects).
- Private lessons in English, German and Spanish for school-children (2003 – 2005).
- Work as assistant of the editor, preparation of the manual in Economic Geography of Foreign Countries for university entrants (May – Aug. 2003).

Educational Background

- Ph.D. Candidate at the Georg-August University of Goettingen, Germany. Preliminary completion date: May 2013.
- Master of Sciences (with distinction) in the International Master program “Environmental Management - Management of Natural Resources” at the Ecology Center of the Christian-Albrecht’s University of Kiel (Oct. 2007 – Jan. 2010). DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) scholarship-holder. Course coordinator and contact for references: Dr. Wilhelm Windhorst (wwindhorst@ecology.uni-kiel.de).
- Diploma with honors in International Economy and Trade, specialization World Trade of Services at the Russian State University of Trade and Economy, Moscow (Sep. 2002 – Jul. 2007).
- High school education (Sep. 1991 – Jun. 2002). Center of Education # 1862, Moscow.

Additional Education and Courses

- Methods in Landscape Analysis (at the Leibniz Center for Agricultural Landscape Research in Muencheberg (ZALF)) in April 2011.
- Summer school “Management of water quality” (September 2009).
- DAAD Summer School (Program “International Summer Course – Management and Economy”) in August 2006.

Publications:

- From T., Wrage N., Isselstein J. (2012) Exploring the relationship between diversity and productivity of a semi-natural permanent grassland using plant functional traits. Grassland Science in Europe.

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- From T., Wrage N., Isselstein J. (2011) Does the scale of sampling affect the relationship between biodiversity and productivity of temperate grasslands? Presented as a poster at the International conference Functions and Services of Biodiversity in Goettingen, Germany (20-22 June 2011).
- Master thesis "Changing Ecosystem Services by the Invasion of the Alien Species in Coastal Zones. "Case Study Sylt: Pacific Oyster *Crassostrea gigas*, Cord Grass *Spartina anglica*, Japanese Rose *Rosa rugosa*". Completed in January 2010.
(URL http://iczm.ecology.uni-kiel.de/servlet/is/14487/Master_thesis_Tatiana_From_CAU_2010.pdf?command=downloadContent&filename=Master_thesis_Tatiana_From_CAU_2010.pdf)
- Open Landscapes Project ZALF Wiki (online article): Espinoza G., From T. (2009) Ecosystem Goods and Services
(URL http://openlandscapes.zalf.de/OpenLandscapesWiki_Glossaries/Ecosystem%20Goods%20and%20Services.aspx)
- ENCORA Project (online article): From T. (2009) Threats to Cold Water Reefs, Sand Banks and Seagrass Habitats in the North Sea by Climate Change Effects: Sea Level Rise, Temperature Rise and Storm Surges.
(URL http://www.coastalwiki.org/coastalwiki/Threats_to_cold_water_coral_reefs,_sand_banks_and_seagrass_habitats_in_the_North_Sea_by_climate_change_effects:_sea_level_rise,_temperature_rise_and_storm_surges)

Computer Knowledge: Microsoft Office, Access, Internet, Statistica, R, GIS, Canoco.