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**CURRENT POSITION**

Since 10/2015                      Researcher, Research group “International Distribution and Redistribution”, ZEW Mannheim

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**ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS**

Since 10/2015                      Affiliated researcher, Department of Living Conditions, Luxembourg Institute of Socio-Economic Research (former CEPS/INSTEAD)

Since 01/2015                      Research affiliate, IZA Bonn

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**EDUCATION**

09/2010 – 09/2015                      Doctoral studies in Economics and Social Sciences (Dr. rer. pol.) at Luxembourg Institute of Socio-Economic Research and the University of Bremen, (the title is obtained in December 2015 with the distinction ‘summa cum laude’)

09/2009 – 07/2010                      M.Sc. in Social Policy Analysis, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Belgium (*magna cum laude*)

09/2000 – 07/2004                      B.A. and M.A. in Economics and Entrepreneurship (specialization in Finance), Kirovohrad National Technical University, Ukraine (*with honours*)

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**RESEARCH VISITS**

09/2013 – 01/2014                      Visiting research fellow, Harvard University, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Multidisciplinary Program in Inequality and Social Policy, USA

05/2012 – 06/2012                      Visiting researcher, German Institute for Economic Research, Germany

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**PREVIOUS ACADEMIC POSITIONS AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

05/2008 – 08/2009                      Lecturer, Department of Economic Theory and Law, Kirovohrad National Technical University, Ukraine

09/2006 – 05/2008                      Teaching Assistant, Department of Economic Theory and Law, Kirovohrad National Technical University, Ukraine

11/2004 – 09/2007                      Research fellow, Department of Labour Economics, Kirovohrad National Technical University, Ukraine

## RESEARCH FIELDS

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Public Economics, Labour Economics, Applied Microeconomics

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Economics of inequality and poverty, income redistribution, intergenerational earnings and income mobility, equality of opportunity, evaluation of policy effects

## PUBLICATIONS IN PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS

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Kyzyma, I. and Williams, D. R. "Public cash transfers and poverty dynamics in Europe". *Empirical Economics* (accepted)

Kyzyma, I. (2014) "Changes in the patterns of poverty duration in Germany, 1992-2009". *Review of Income and Wealth*, 60 (S2), pp. S305-S331.

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

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Fusco A., Van Kerm P., Alieva A., Bellani L., Etienne-Robert F., Guio A-C., **Kyzyma I.**, Leduc K., Liégeois P., Pi Alperin M-N., Reinstadler A., Sierminska E., Sologon D., Thill P., Valentova M., Voicu B., (2014). "Luxembourg: has inequality grown enough to matter?", in Nolan B., Salverda W., Checchi D., Marx I., McKnight A., Tóth I. G. and Van de Werfhorst, H. G. (Eds.) *Changing Inequalities and Societal Impacts in Rich Countries: Thirty Countries' Experiences*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 437-458.

Berger, F., Fusco, A. and **Kyzyma, I.** (2014). "Comprendre l'évolution des inégalités de revenu entre 1987 et 2010 au Luxembourg", in Marlier, E., Brosius, J., Dautel, V., Decoville, A., Durand, F., Gerber, P. et Guio, A.-C. (Eds.) *Cohésion sociale et territoriale: Regards croisés*. Peter Lang : International Academic Publishers, pp. 53-67.

## WORK IN PROGRESS

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"Behind a stable poverty rate: Changes in the duration of poverty episodes in the United States since the mid-1980s"

"Accounting for changes in the distribution of household income by its sources: Decomposition based on copula function", with Alessio Fusco and Philippe Van Kerm

"Intergenerational Economic Mobility in Germany", with Olaf Groh-Samberg

"How poor are the poor? Modelling the income-to-poverty ratio across the entire distribution of household income"

## AWARDS, GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

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PhD project grant from the 'Le Fonds National de la Recherche Luxembourg' (10/2011 – 09/2015)

Fellowship of Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences, inter-university institute of the University of Bremen and Jacobs University Bremen (09/2010 – 09/2011)

CEPS/INSTEAD scholarship for M.Sc. studies in Social Policy Analysis (09/2009 – 06/2010)

Governmental Fellowship for Young Scientists, Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine (05/2007 – 05/2009)

Research Grant for Young Scientists, Kirovohrad City Hall (05/2007 – 05/2008)

## PROJECT PARTICIPATION

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The GINI - “Growing inequalities’ impacts”, an FP7 project funded under the Socio-Economic Sciences and Humanities theme (2010-2013)

PersiPov - “The dynamics and persistence of poverty in Luxembourg”, a research project funded by the Luxembourg Fonds National de la Recherche (2011-2014)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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Master course “Duration analysis using Stata”, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven and CEPS/INSTEAD Luxembourg (winter semester 2012), *60 teaching hours*

Lectures and tutorials in Introductory Economics, Principles of Macro- and Microeconomics, State Regulation of Economy (bachelor level), Kirovohrad National Technical University, Ukraine (September 2006 – August 2009), *taught on the regular semester basis*

## SELECTED CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

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### 2016:

SEMILUX Research Seminar, Luxembourg, G.D. Luxembourg

### 2015:

ECINEQ 2015 conference, Luxembourg, G.D. Luxembourg

4<sup>th</sup> SOLE/EALE World Meeting, Montreal, Canada

Workshop ‘Social Mobility in the Americas’ at Stanford Center on Poverty and Inequality, Palo Alto, USA

Population Association of America Annual Meeting, San Diego, USA

9<sup>th</sup> Biannual Federal Reserve System Community Development Research Conference on Economic Mobility, Washington D.C., USA

10<sup>th</sup> Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory, Alba di Canazei, Italy

### 2014:

33<sup>d</sup> General IARIW Conference, Rotterdam, the Netherlands

InGRID Summer School on Advanced Poverty Research, Bremen, Germany

Conference on Public Economics of Economic Inequality, Berlin, Germany

2<sup>nd</sup> Luxembourg Workshop on Household Finance and Consumption, G.D. Luxembourg

IZA Summer School in Labor Economics, Buch/Ammersee, Germany

Spring Meeting of Young Economists, Vienna, Austria

SEMILUX monthly seminar, Luxembourg, G.D. Luxembourg

American Economic Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, USA

### 2013:

Research seminar at Kent State University, Ohio, USA

PHF-SAVE Conference on Household Finances, Saving and Inequality, Eltville, Germany

IMPALLA/ESPANET International Conference, Esch-sur-Alzette, Luxembourg

Augustin Cournot Doctoral Days, Strasbourg, France

### 2012:

32<sup>nd</sup> General IARIW Conference, Boston, USA

10<sup>th</sup> International GSOEP User Conference, Berlin, Germany

Brown Bag research seminar in DIW Berlin, Germany

## **ADDITIONAL TRAINING (SELECTED)**

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11<sup>th</sup> Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory, Alba di Canazei (Italy), January 11-14, 2016

PoRESP Summer School in Anti-poverty policies and individual responses, Brussels (Belgium), July 6-9, 2015

InGRID Winter School in Cross-country Microsimulation, Colchester (UK), February 18-20, 2015

10<sup>th</sup> Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory, Alba di Canazei (Italy), January 12-15, 2015

InGRID Summer School on Advanced Poverty Research, Bremen (Germany), September 15-19, 2014

IZA Summer School in Labor Economics, Buch/Ammersee (Germany), May 12-18, 2014

PhD course on Program Evaluation – Microeconomic Methods and Practical Applications with Stata, Bremen (Germany), March 5-7, 2014

Canadian Labour Market and Skills Researcher Network Summer School, Topics in Labour Economics, Toronto (Canada), June 13 -14, 2013

8<sup>th</sup> Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory, Canazei (Italy), January 7-10, 2013

PhD course in Advanced Econometrics – Non-linear models and methods, University of Luxembourg (Luxembourg), March 9-16, 2012

PhD course in Econometric methods to estimate causal effects, University of Bergen (Norway), March 20-23, 2012

PhD course 'Using Longitudinal Data in Health Economics', University of Bergen (Norway), June 14-24, 2011

Training on Dynamic and non-linear panel data models, CEPS/INSTEAD, Esch-sur-Alzette (Luxembourg), September 13-15, 2011

## **OTHER**

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**Professional membership:** American Economic Association, International Association for Research in Income and Wealth, Society for the Study of Economic Inequality

**Referee experience:** Review of Income and Wealth, *Empirica*

**Software:** Stata (experienced user), SPSS (experienced user), LaTeX (beginner)

**Languages:** Ukrainian (mother tongue), Russian (mother tongue), English (fluent), German (advanced), French (intermediate), Luxembourgish (beginner)