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Summary of key academic and research skills:

- PhD dissertation “Beyond motherhood: Ukrainian female labor migration to Italy.” (defended on Nov. 10th 2011 with magna cum laude distinction)
- Marie Curie Social Anthropology (2006-2009) and Fulbright (2002-2003) Fellow
- Conducted over 15 months of fieldwork on Ukrainian labor migration in Ukraine and Italy

EDUCATION

Central European University, Hungary Ph. D. in Social Anthropology Supervisors: Dr. Ayse Caglar (CEU), Dr. Prem Kumar Rajaram (CEU), Dr. Frances Pine (Goldsmith)	2006 –2011
Goldsmith University, London, UK Visiting PhD Researcher	Fall 2009
Max Planck Institute, Halle, Germany Visiting PhD Researcher	Spring 2009
Central European University, Hungary MA in Nationalism Studies. Thesis: “Stanislav Phenomenon: More on Ukrainian National Identity“ GPA: 3.9 (Diploma with distinction)	2004–2005
University of Kansas, USA MA in Indigenous Nations Studies. Thesis: “The Role of Pop Culture in Sherman Alexie’s Works” GPA: 4.0 (1st degree honors)	2002 –2003
Precarpathian University, Ukraine Bachelor of Arts in Education Major: English Language and World Literatures	1996- 2001

HONORS & AWARDS

Marie Curie Social Anthropology Doctoral Fellowship	2006 –2009
Fulbright Scholarship (Institute of International Education, USA)	2002 –2003
Doctoral Student Research Grant (CEU)	2009
Student Merit Tuition Fee and Living Costs Scholarship (CEU)	2005- 2006
Bowlus Scholarship Award (Center of Indigenous Nations Studies, KU, USA)	2003

PUBLICATIONS

- Fedyuk O. 2010. "Images of transnational motherhood: the role of photographs in measuring time and maintaining connections between Ukraine and Italy." *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, February 2012, 38(2).
- Fedyuk O. 2009. "Death in the life of Ukrainian labor migrants in Italy." March 20 2009. *Migration Online* <<http://www.migrationonline.cz/e-library/?x=2162690>>
- Fedyuk O. 2008 a. "Priceless Cargo." 28 Nov. 2008. *Plotki: Changes from Below*. <http://www.plotki.net/cms/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=743&Itemid=90>
- Fedyuk O. 2008 b. "A Prayer for Visa." 5 Sept. 2008. *Plotki*. <http://www.plotki.net/cms/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=697&Itemid=31>
- Fedyuk O. and Schober E. 2008 . "Going Over There: How the East/West Divide is Negotiated in Beds and Minds." 1 Nov. 2008. *Plotki*. <<http://www.plotki.net/cms/index.php?option=content&task=view&id=597>>
- Fedyuk O. 2006 a. "Ukrainian Labour Migrants - Visibility Through Stereotypes" 4.March 2006. *Migration Online*. < <http://www.migrationonline.cz/e-library/?x=1963597>>
- Fedyuk O. 2006 b. "Ukrainian Mother Abroad." In *Plotki Special Project: Work is Elsewhere*. 2006. <<http://www.plotki.net/wie/cms/article/23/portrait-15>>
- Fedyuk O. 2006 c. "Stanislav Phenomenon. More on Ukrainian identity." 28 Aug. 2006. *Kakanien Revisited*. <http://www.kakanien.ac.at/beitr/fallstudie/OFedyuk1.pdf/show_pdf>
- Fedyuk O. 2006 d. "Exporting Ukraine West And East Ruslana Vs. Serducka." 28 June 2006. *Kakanien Revisited*. <<http://www.kakanien.ac.at/beitr/emerg/OFedyuk1.pdf#search=%22olena%20Fedyuk%22>>

PROFESSIONAL AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- "Emerging Social Structures and New Anthropologies" conference** July 2010
Closing conference of the Marie Curie Doctoral Training School
CEU, Budapest, Hungary
- Key co-organizer of the 3-day conference event (over 100 participants): organization of the conference's panels, budget, and structure
- "Beyond East and West: Two Decades of Media Transformation After the Fall of Communism" conference** June 2009
Center for Media and Communication Studies (CMCS)
CEU, Budapest, Hungary
- Volunteered to help organizing a conference (up to 200 participants)
- Introduction to a Documentary Filmmaking** Sept 2008
A workshop on digital filmmaking, interview techniques, film pre- and post production.
Oxford Academy of Documentary Film
Astra Film Center, Sibiu, Romania
- Anthropological fieldwork research** 2007-2008
Naples, Bologna, Milan, Brescia (Italy), Lviv, Ivano-Frankivsk (Ukraine)
- Conducted structured and semi-structured interviews, life-story histories, long-term participant observation, institutional research, notes (including audio-visual methods of recording and analyzing data)
- "Work is Elsewhere" visual-textual project** June – Sept. 2006

Multicultural Center of Prague and Migration Online, Prague, Czech Republic

- Conducted research and interviews for the project, wrote three texts for the catalogue, website and photo exhibitions held in Prague, Ostrava and Berlin

Vice-President of KU Fulbright Student Association
University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS, USA

2002 - 2003

CONFERENCES, PRESENTATIONS AND TALKS

- IMISCOE Eighth Annual Conference: Dynamics of European Migration Space: Economy, Politics and Development** Sept 2011
Warsaw, Poland
Presented a draft State-of-the-Art *“Ukrainian migration to the EU migration practices in the context of changing EU legality regimes and policies”*
- Sixth Annual Danyliw Research Seminar on Contemporary Ukraine** Oct 2010
University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Canada
Presented a paper: *“Second generation in migration: strategies and outcomes of the re-unification of Ukrainian migrants’ families in Italy.”*
- “Emerging Social Structures and New Anthropologies” conference** July 2010
Closing conference of the Marie Curie Doctoral Training School
CEU, Budapest, Hungary
Presented a paper: *“Migrants’ Embodied Geographies”*
- European Sociological Association (ESA) 9th conference** Sept 2009
Lisbon, Portugal
Presented a paper: *“Beyond motherhood: transforming sexualities and developing intimacies while maintaining transnational families (the case of Ukrainian caregivers in Italy).”*
- Annual Soyuz Symposium: “Global Socialisms and Postsocialisms.”** Apr 2009
Yale University, New Haven, USA
Presented a paper based on the visual – textual project *“Images of Transnational Parenthood”*
- “Transnational Parenthood and Children-Left-Behind” conference** Nov 2008
International Peace Research Institute, Oslo, Norway
Presented a paper based on the visual – textual project; *“The role of Photographs in Maintaining Transnational Families.”*
- “Analysing the Visual” Workshop** Sept 2008
University of Tromsø , Tromsø , Norway
Presented a visual –textual project: *“The role of Photographs in Maintaining Transnational Families”*
- Biennial conference of European Association of Social Anthropologists (EASA)** Aug 2008
Ljubljana, Slovenia
Presented a paper: *“Death in the Life of the Labor Migrants.”*
- “Conducting a Research on Labor Migration: the Case of Ukrainians in Italy. ”* May 2008
Presentation of the current PhD research project at the Sociology Department, University of Padua, Padua, Italy.
- “Gender Aspects of Migration in South Eastern Europe” conference** Nov 2007
University of Thessaly, Volos, Greece
Presented a paper: *“Two generations in circular migration: Ukrainian labor migrants in Italy.”*
- “Europe, Work and Welfare” summer school** June 2007
RECOWE/ESPA *net* Edinburgh Summer School Edinburgh, UK.
Presentation of the PhD research project.

TV Talk-show “Across the Mediterranean”

June 2005

03 Production, Al Arabiya TV channel, Beirut, Lebanon

Was one of the eight participants of a six-episode political talk-show dedicated to the human rights aspects of the Euro-Mediterranean partnership

LANGUAGES

Ukrainian (native speaker), Russian (native speaker), English (fluent), Hungarian (intermediate), German (intermediate), Italian (basic).