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Areas of interest (max 100 words)	Medieval history and archaeology; Byzantine and Slavonic sigillography; Byzantine Commonwealth; the Black Sea region in Late Antique and Medieval periods; Byzantium and the Viking World; Old Rus' history and archaeology; the archaeology of Eurasian nomads; social networks in early medieval period; cultural interaction in borderland areas of Byzantine Empire; archaeology and nationalism; archaeology and writing national histories; transnational history; Constantinople and early medieval urbanization in Scandinavia and Eastern Europe
Current research project (100 words)	My current research is devoted to studies of the contacts between Byzantium, Old Rus' and Scandinavia in the Viking Age. Questions concerning Byzantine influence on dress customs, city life, court ceremonies, town planning and defence are central in my research.
Keywords (5-10)	Byzantium, Old Rus', the Viking World, cultural contacts, urbanization, border studies, transnational history
Relevant publications (max 10)	<i>The Northmen and Slavs in the Desna River Area:</i>

	<p><i>Models of Cultural Interaction in the Period of the Early Middle Ages</i> (Kiev 1999); <i>Scandinavian Antiquities of Southern Rus'; A Catalogue</i> (Paris, 2012) and forthcoming <i>Vikings in the East: Essays on Contacts along the Road to Byzantium A.D. 900-1100</i> (Uppsala, 2013) and <i>Swords and Social Aspects of Weaponry in Viking Age Societies</i> (Stockholm, 2013)</p>
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