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JOB QUALIFICATION:

Rich experience in demographic and epidemiological analyses. Expertise in demographic and medical statistics. Measurement and statistical tools in demographic, epidemiological, and public health studies. Co-ordination of scientific activities, projects, and surveys.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

- April 2000 to present Head of the Data Laboratory, Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research. Management, collection, and processing of demographic data. Methods for measurement and decomposition in demography. Macro- and micro-level epidemiological studies on mortality and health in Russia and Eastern Europe. Co-ordination of works on mortality databases: Human Mortality Database, Human Life Table Database, Kannisto-Thatcher Database on Old Age Mortality. Design and organization of data projects on fertility and family planning and on health and health-related behaviors.
- 1993-2000 Head of the Laboratory for Mortality Analysis and Forecasting, Center of Demography and Human Ecology at the Institute for Economic Forecasting of the Russian Academy of Sciences. Annual reports on population trends in Russia. Prognosis of mortality and population dynamics. Development of the data bases on health and socio-economic indicators for the Russian Federation and its regions. Epidemiological and demographic studies on mortality in Russia and Eastern Europe.
- 1991-93 Head of the Laboratory for Demographic Analysis and Forecasting, Center of Demography and Human Ecology, Institute for Employment Studies of the USSR Academy of Sciences. Descriptive analyses of mortality and life expectancy. Reconstruction of the long-term mortality trends by cause of death in the countries of the ex-USSR. Co-ordination of works on demographic prognosis for Russia and its regions for the period of 1993-2015.
- 1989-91 Senior research fellow, Department of Demography at the Institute for Socio-economic Studies of Population of the USSR Academy of Sciences. Monitoring and analyses of changes in mortality and life expectancy for all regions of the USSR. Development of computer programs for decomposition, construction of multiple decrement life tables and other techniques and their graphic presentation.
- 1987-88 Head of the Department of Health Economics, Computer Center of the Health Ministry of the Russian Federation. Development of methods for estimation the

costs of treatment across the set of standard diagnostic categories (adaptation of the US approach).

1981-86 Served as programmer-statistician, and head of group at Computer Center of the Health Ministry of the Russian Federation. Production and analyses of medical and demographic statistics. Development of indices of mortality and ill health. Studies on spatial variation of mortality in the Russian Federation. Studies on modeling of mortality curves for general mortality and degenerative causes of death.

INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH PROJECTS:

2002-2005 Wellcome Trust project "Case-control study of levels of alcohol consumptions and socio-economic factors in relation to mortality among working-age men in Russia" / Co-ordinator and scientific supervisor.

2000-2003 INTAS project "Expectation of life and causes of death in different Republics of the ex-USSR: long term trends and recent changes" / Participant

1999-2000 The UNDP/Moscow project on the Policies for the control of the transition's mortality crisis in Russia / Co-ordinator and scientific supervisor

1998-99 The project of the British Ministry for Foreign Affairs "Geographical patterns of public health in the former Soviet Union" / Principal investigator

1997-99 The Rockefeller Foundation-SIDA project "Global Health Equity Initiative" / Member of the Measurement group.

1997-98 The Rockefeller Foundation-SIDA project "Global Health Equity Initiative: Russia case-study". / Co-ordinator and scientific supervisor for Russia

1996-97 The British Know How Fund Project "Mortality Crisis in Russia" / Principal investigator

1996-97 The UN World Institute for Development Economics Research (WIDER, Helsinki) project on "Economic Shocks, Social Stress and the Demographic Impact". Russia case study / Participant

1994-96 The WHO Regional Office for Europe project "Atlas of leading and 'avoidable' causes of death in countries of Central and Eastern Europe". Sections on Russia, Belarus, and Ukraine / Principal collaborator

1994 The WHO Regional Office for Europe's report on causes of mortality crisis in Russia / Visiting researcher

1990 to present Project on the reconstruction of mortality by cause of death series in Russia and other former Soviet Republics (CDHE-INED) / Permanent collaborator

ASSOCIATIONS:

Since 2002. Member of the WHO Advisory Committee on Health Research (ACHR)

2000-2004. Head of Committee on Emerging Health Threats of the International Union for Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP)

1999. Head of the exploratory mission of the IUSSP for establishing a new Committee on Emerging Health Threats

Since 1995. Member of the Moscow House of Scientists. Section of Demography.

Since 1993. Member of the International Union for Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP).

LIST OF SELECTED PUBLICATIONS IN REVERSE CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER

Out of a total of about 110 publications

Books

2000. Shkolnikov V.M., Andreev E.M., Maleva T. ed. *Neravenstvo i smertnost v Rossii*. [Inequality and Mortality in Russia] Signal, Moscow, 107 p.
2000. Shkolnikov V. M. and Chervyakov V. V. ed. *Policies for the Control of the Transition's Mortality Crisis in Russia*. UNDP/Russia, Moscow, 159 p.
1996. Meslé F., Shkolnikov V.M., Hertrich V., Vallin J. *Tendances recentes de la mortalité par cause en Russie 1965-1994*. Serie: Données Statistiques, 2, INED, Paris, 140p.
1997. Vishnevski A., Shkolnikov V. *Smertnost v Rossii: glavniye gruppi riska i prioriteti deistviya*. [Mortality in Russia: main groups at risk and priorities for action]. Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. Scientific Reports, No 19, Moscow, 92 p.
1995. Shkolnikov V.M., Meslé F., Vallin J. *Ozhidayemaya prodolzhitel'nost' zhizni i smertnost naseleniya v 1970-1993 godakh: analiz i prognoz*. [Life expectancy and mortality of the Russian population in 1970-1993: analysis and prognosis]. Fond "Zdorovye i Okruzhayushchaya Sreda", Moskva, 103 p.
1989. Komarov Yu.M., Shkolnikov V.M. *Mediko-geograficheskii analiz smertnosti za rubejom*. [Mediko-geographical analysis of mortality abroad]. Serie: "Itogi nauki i tekhniki", vol. 16, VINITI AN SSSR. Moskva, 199 p.

Articles and book chapters since 1995

2005. 110. Moser K., Shkolnikov V., Leon D.A. 2005. World mortality 1950-2000: divergence replaces convergence from the late 1980s. *Bulletin of the World Health Organization*, 83(3), pp. 202-209.
2004. Shkolnikov V.M., Andreev E.M., Leon D.A., McKee M., Mesle F. and J.Vallin 2004. Mortality reversal in Russia: the story so far. *Hygiea Internationalis*, vol. 4, issue 4, pp. 29-80.
2004. Shkolnikov V.M., Andreev E.M., Anson J., Meslé F. The peculiar pattern of mortality of Jews in Moscow, 1993-95. *Population Studies*, 58(3), pp. 311-329.
2004. Shkolnikov V.M. Book Review of Guillaume Wunsch, Michel Mouchart and Josianne Duchêne (Eds.) *The Life Table. Modelling Survival and Death*. Dordrecht, Boston, London: Kluwer Academic Publishers, 2002. *European Journal of Population*, 20, pp. 177-179.
2004. Pridemore, W., Shkolnikov, V. 2004. Education and marriage as protective factors against homicide mortality: methodological and substantive findings from Moscow. *Journal of Quantitative Criminology*, 20(2), pp. 173-187.
2004. McMichael, A.J., McKee, M., Shkolnikov, V.M., Valkonen, T. Life Expectancy Trends and Setbacks: Global Convergence or Divergence? *The Lancet*, 363, April 3, pp. 1155-1159.
2004. Shkolnikov, V.M., Deev, A.D., Kravdal, Ø., Valkonen, T. Educational differentials in male mortality in Russia and northern Europe. A comparison of an epidemiological cohort from Moscow and St. Petersburg with the male populations of Helsinki and Oslo. *Demographic Research*, vol. 10, article 1, <http://www.demographic-research.org/Volumes/Vol10/1/>
2004. Philipov, D., Andreev, E., Kharkova, T., Shkolnikov, V. 2003. Recent trends in induced abortion in Russia and under-reporting in surveys. *European Journal of Population*, 20, No 2, pp. 95-117.
2003. Andreev, E.M., McKee M. and Shkolnikov, V.M. Health expectancy in the Russian Federation: a new perspective on the health divide in Europe. *Bulletin of the World Health Organization*, 81, 11, pp. 778-788.
2003. Meslé, F., Vallin, J., Hertrich, V., Andreev, E.M., Shkolnikov, V.M. Causes of death in Russia: assessing trends since the 1950s. In: *Population of Central and Eastern Europe. Challenges and opportunities*. Ed by Irena E. Kotowska and Janina Jozwiak. Statistical Publishing Establishment. Warsaw, pp. 389-414.
2003. Meslé, F., Vallin, J., Shkolnikov V. La mortalité est-elle sous-estimée? In: Meslé, F. et Vallin, J. avec contributions de Vladimir Shkolnikov, Seii Pyrozkhov et Segruei Adamets *Mortalité et causes de décès en Ukraine au XXe siècle*. Serie: Les cahiers de l'INED, Cahier No 152, pp. 79-90.

2003. Meslé, F., Vallin, J., Shkolnikov V. Trois quarts de siècle d'évolution de la mortalité par sexe et âge. In: Meslé, F. et Vallin, J. avec contributions de Vladimir Shkolnikov, Seii Pyrozkhov et Segruei Adamets *Mortalité et causes de décès en Ukraine au XXe siècle*. Serie: Les cahiers de l'INED, Cahier No 152, pp. 91-100.
2003. Shkolnikov, V. Ukrainiens et Russes en Ukraine et en Russie. In: Meslé, F. et Vallin, J. avec contributions de Vladimir Shkolnikov, Seii Pyrozkhov et Segruei Adamets *Mortalité et causes de décès en Ukraine au XXe siècle*. Serie: Les cahiers de l'INED, Cahier No 152, pp. 105-110.
2003. Shkolnikov, V. Crises sanitaires et mortalité de générations. In: Meslé, F. et Vallin, J. avec contributions de Vladimir Shkolnikov, Seii Pyrozkhov et Segruei Adamets *Mortalité et causes de décès en Ukraine au XXe siècle*. Serie: Les cahiers de l'INED, Cahier No 152, pp. 111-120.
2003. Shkolnikov, V.M. Mortality reversals. In: *Encyclopedia of Population*, ed. by Paul Demeny and Geoffrey McNicoll, NY, Thompson and Gale, pp. 676-679.
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2003. Shkolnikov, V.M., Chervyakov, V.V., McKee, M., Leon, D.A. Russian mortality beyond vital statistics. A case-control study of deaths from circulatory disease and external causes among men aged 20-55 years, Udmurtia, 1989-99. *Demographic Research*. (Submitted)
2003. Philipov, D., Andreev, E., Kharkova, T., Shkolnikov, V. 2003. Recent trends in induced abortion in Russia and under-reporting in surveys. *European Journal of Population*. (Submitted)
2003. Shkolnikov, V.M., Deev, A.D., Kravdal, Ø., Valkonen, T. Educational differentials in male mortality in Russia and northern Europe. A comparison of an epidemiological cohort from Moscow and St. Petersburg with the male populations of Helsinki and Oslo. *Demographic Research*. (Submitted)
2003. Shkolnikov V.M., Andreev E.M., Begun A.Z. Gini coefficient as a life table function: computation from discrete data, decomposition of differences and empirical examples. *Demographic Research*. Vol. 8, article 11.
2003. Andreev E.M., Nolte E., Shkolnikov V.M., Varavikova E., Balabanova D., McKee M. The evolving pattern of avoidable mortality in Russia. *International Journal of Epidemiology*. 32, pp. 437-446.
2002. Nolte E., Scholz R., Shkolnikov V., McKee M. The contribution of medical care to changing life expectancy in Germany and Poland, *Social Science & Medicine*, Vol. 55, 11, pp. 1905-1921
2002. Andreev E.M., Shkolnikov V.M., McKee M. Prodolzhitelnost zdorovoi zhizni. [Healthy life expectancy]. *Voprosi Statistiki*, 11, pp. 16-21.
2002. Chervyakov V.V., Shkolnikov V.M., Pridemore W.A., McKee M. The changing nature of murder in Russia. *Social Science and Medicine*, 55(10), pp. 1713-1724.
2002. Andreev E.M., Shkolnikov V.M., Begun A.Z. 2002. Algorithm for decomposition of differences between aggregate demographic measures and its application to life expectancies, healthy life expectancies, parity-progression ratios and total fertility rates. *Demographic Research*, vol. 7, article 14, www.demographic-research.org/
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2002. Lock K., Andreev E.M., Shkolnikov V.M., McKee M. What targets of international development policies are appropriate for improving health in Russia? *Health Policy Plan*, 17(3), pp. 257-263
2002. Shkolnikov V.M., McKee M., Chervyakov V., Kyrianov N. Is the link between alcohol and cardiovascular death among young Russian men attributable to misclassification of acute alcohol poisoning? Evidence from the city of Izhevsk. *Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health*, Vol. 56, pp. 171-175
2001. Shkolnikov V., Valkonen T., Begun A., Andreev E. Measuring inter-group inequalities in length of life. *Genus*, Vol. LVII, No 3-4, pp. 33-62.

2001. Yeganyan R., Badurashvili I., Andreev E., Meslé F., Shkolnikov V., Vallin J. 2001. Life expectancy in two Caucasian countries. How much due to overestimated population? *Demographic Research*, Vol. 5, article 7, www.demographic-research.org
2001. McKee M., Shkolnikov V. 2001. Understanding the toll of premature death among men in Eastern Europe. *British Medical Journal*, Vol. 323, November, pp. 1051-1054
2001. Anand S., Diderichsen F., Evans T., Shkolnikov V., Wirth M. Measuring disparities in health: methods and indicators. In: *Challenging Inequities in Health: From Ethics to Action*. ed. by T.Evans, M.Whitehead, F.Diderichsen, Abbas Bhuiya. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 49-67.
2001. Shkolnikov V.M., Field M.G., Andreev E.M. Russia: socio-economic dimensions of the gender gap in mortality. In: *Challenging Inequities in Health: From Ethics to Action*. ed. by T.Evans, M.Whitehead, F.Diderichsen, Abbas Bhuiya. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 139-156
2001. Shkolnikov V.M., McKee M., Leon D.A. Changes in life expectancy in Russia in the mid-1990s. *Lancet*, Vol. 357, March, pp. 917-921.
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1999. Nemtsov A.V., Shkolnikov V.M. Poteri v svyazi s alkogolnoi smertnostyu v Rossii v 1980-h-1990-h godakh. [Losses due to alcohol-related mortality in Russia in the 1980s-1990s] *Alkogolnaya Bolezn'*, Serie "Medicina", No 5, pp. 1-15.
1999. Vishnevsky A. and Shkolnikov V. Russian mortality: past negative trends and recent improvements. In: *Population under Duress. The Geodemography of Post-Soviet Russia*. Ed. by G.J.Demko, G.Ioffe, Zh.Zayonchkovskaya. Westview Press, Boulder, Colorado-Oxford, pp. 59-71
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1998. McKee M., Bobak M., Rose R., Shkolnikov V., Chenet L., Leon D. Patterns of smoking in Russia. *Tobacco Control*, 7, pp. 22-26

1998. Waldberg P., McKee M., Shkolnikov V., Chenet L., Leon D. Economic change, crime and Russian mortality crisis: a regional analysis. *British Medical Journal*, vol. 317, August, pp. 312-318
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1997. Shkolnikov V., Meslé F., Vallin J. Recent trends in life expectancy and causes of death in Russia, 1970-1993. In: J.-L. Bobadilla, C.A. Costello, and Faith Mitchell eds., *Premature Death in the New Independent States*, National Academy Press, pp. 34-65.
1997. Shkolnikov V. Zdoroviye Naseleniya Rossii. [Health of the Russian Population]. *Voprosi Statistiki*. No 3, pp. 54-58.
1997. Leon D. A., Chenet L., Shkolnikov V.M., Zakharov S.V. et al. Huge variation in Russian mortality rates 1984-1994. Artefact, alcohol or what? *Lancet*, vol. 350, pp. 383-388.
1997. *Atlas of leading and 'avoidable' causes of death in countries of Central and Eastern Europe*. Ed. by Peter Jozan and Remigius Prokhorskas. WHO-CSO. CSO Publishing House, Budapest.
1996. Shkolnikov V.M., Meslé F. The Russian epidemiological crisis as mirrored by mortality trends. In: Julie DaVanzo ed., *Russia's Demographic "Crisis"*, RAND, Santa Monica, pp. 113-161.
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1996. Shkolnikov V., Meslé F. Epidemiologicheskiy krizis i smertnost v Rossii. [Epidemiological crisis and mortality in Russia] *Rossiyskiy Demograficheskiy Jurnal*, No 1, pp.46-62
1995. Shkolnikov V., Meslé F., Vallin J. La crise sanitaire en Russie. Tendances récentes de l'espérance de vie et des causes de décès de 1970 à 1993. *Population*, vol. 50, No 4-5.
1995. Shkolnikov V., Meslé F., Vallin J. La crise sanitaire en Russie. II. Évolution des causes de décès: comparaison avec la France et l'Angleterre (1970-1993). *Population*, vol. 50, No 4-5.
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1995. Meslé F., Shkolnikov V.M. La mortalité en Russie: une crise sanitaire en deux temps. In: *Revue d'Etudes Comparatives Est-Ouest*, 1995, 4 (decembre), pp. 9-24.

EDITORIAL AND REVIEW ACTIVITIES

Since 1998. Member of editorial board of the *Bulletin of the WHO*

Reviewer of manuscripts for *European Journal of Public Health*, *European Journal of Population*, *Social Science and Medicine*, *International Journal of Epidemiology*, *Economics and Human Biology*, *Addiction*, *Population*, *Population Studies*, *Population Research and Policy Review*.

I have officially reviewed four doctoral dissertations from Russia in 1985-1999 and one doctoral dissertation from Finland in 2002.

EDUCATION

1987 - Ph.D. in Population geography, Institute for Geography of the Academy of Sciences of the USSR
1980 - M.Sc. in Applied Mathematics, Moscow Aerospace Institute

STUDENT SUPERVISION AND TEACHING

I served as a scientific advisor of a doctoral dissertation related to mortality and public health by D.Jasilionis (Lithuania, 2002-2003).

In 2001 I gave a three-lecture course on "Changing patterns of mortality in Eastern Europe: methods of analysis, empirical evidence and interpretations" at the Max Planck Research School for Demography, winter semester 2001/02.

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