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**ACADEMIC INTERESTS**

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Sociology of violence, Gender and crime, Homicide and crime in Russia and post-Soviet countries, Dating violence, Female and male offending and victimisation, Violence against women, Cross-cultural comparative studies, Criminal justice and domestic violence, Quantitative and qualitative methods

**EDUCATION**

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- 2010-present **Ph.D. in Criminology (expected defence: April 2015)**, University of Toronto, Centre for Criminology and Sociolegal Studies, Canada. Title: *"Dynamics of violence between intimate partners: A violent events perspective"*  
**Dissertation committee:**  
Dr. Rosemary Gartner (Supervisor), Dr. Candace Kruttschnitt, Dr. Katreena Scott
- 2009 **PhD (Dr. of Sociology)**, The Russian Academy of Sciences, Institute of Sociology, Department of Crime and Deviant Behaviour, St. Petersburg, Russia. Title: *"Dating violence: Prevalence, risk factors, and approaches to prevention"*
- 1999-2002 **Candidate of Sciences (Sociology)**, Far Eastern University, Sociology Department, Vladivostok, Russia. Title: *"Practitioners' decision-making on cases of domestic violence: Sociolegal analysis"*
- 1994-1999 **Undergraduate studies** in Social Psychology with **Diploma (with honours)**. Qualification: Psychologist. Teacher of "Psychology", Far Eastern Federal University, Russia

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

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- 05.2014-07.2014 **Visiting Scholar/Intern**, World Health Organization, Department of Violence Prevention, Geneva, Switzerland
- 09.2010 – present **Research and Teaching Assistant**, Centre for Criminology and Sociolegal Studies, University of Toronto, Canada
- 04.2010-09.2010 **Professor**, School of Social Sciences, Far Eastern Federal University, Vladivostok, Russia
- 04.2003-03.2010 **Associate Professor**, School of Social Sciences, Far Eastern Federal University, Vladivostok, Russia
- 01.2009-05.2009 **Visiting Carnegie Professor**, Sociology department, Family Research Laboratory, University of New Hampshire, USA
- 09.2006-11.2007 **Visiting Humboldt Professor**, Criminology department, Max Planck Institute for International and Foreign Law, Freiburg, Germany
- 01.2004-09.2004 **Visiting Fulbright Professor**, Sociology department, New York University, New York, USA
- 04.2002- 03.2003 **Assistant Professor**, School of Social Sciences, Far Eastern Federal University, Vladivostok, Russia

## TEACHING

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### Courses taught at the Far Eastern Federal University (Russia):

*Sociology; Sociology of Family Violence; Sociology of the Family; Sociology of Crime and Deviance; Interpersonal Violence; Research Design; Methods of Sociological Inquiry*

### Assisted in teaching following courses at the University of Toronto (Canada):

*Crime, Sex, and Gender; Penology; Immigration and crime; Introduction to Criminology; Punishment; Criminal Justice, Representing crime*

## HONOURS AND AWARDS

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- 2011-2014 **Trudeau Doctoral Award and Scholarship**, Canada. \$180,000.  
 2014 **Richard Ericson Award and Scholarship**, University of Toronto, \$1,000.  
 2011 **Barbara Frum Memorial Award in Canadian Studies**, University of Toronto. \$3,500.  
 2010-2015 **Connaught International Scholarship for Doctoral Students**, University of Toronto.  
 2010-2011 **Global Supplementary Grant Program, Open Society Foundation, USA.** \$5,000.  
 2010-2015 **University of Toronto Fellowship.**  
 2006 **Award and Medal of the Russian Academy of Sciences for Excellence in Scholarship,** \$1,000.  
 2006 **The Best Young University Lecturer Award, Far Eastern Federal University,** \$1,000.  
 2004 **The Best Young University Lecturer Award, Far Eastern Federal University,** \$1,000.

## RESEARCH GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

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- 2014 **World Health Organization**, Department of Violence, Injury Prevention and Disability, Geneva, Switzerland. Working on the “*Global status report on violence prevention*”. Supervisor Dr. Alexander Butchart
- 2013 **Max Plank Institute for the International and Foreign Law**, Department of Criminology, Freiburg, Germany. “*Dynamics of family violence*”. Supervisor Dr. Dietrich Oberwittler.
- 2012-2013 **President of the Russian Federation research grant.** Principal Investigator (PI). “*Female offending and victimization: Prevalence and risk factors*”. \$60,000.
- 2009 **Carnegie Research Fellowship Program**, University of New Hampshire (Sociology), USA. Supervisor Dr. Murray Straus. \$7,000.
- 2008 **Russian Foundation for Fundamental Research**, Travel grant to present at the World Society of Victimology meeting in Mito, Japan. \$2,000.
- 2008-2009 **President of the Russian Federation research grant**, PI, “Spousal homicide in the Russian Federation”. \$20,000.
- 2006-2007 **President of the Russian Federation research grant**, PI, “Measurement of the extent and risk factors of intimate partner violence in Russia”. \$20,000.
- 2006-2007 **German Chancellor Scholarship Program and Alexander von Humboldt Foundation**, Max Planck Institute for Foreign and International Criminal Law, Germany. Supervisor Dr. Helmut Kury, \$40,000.
- 2005 **Fulbright Alumni Small Grant.** \$1,000.
- 2003-2004 **Fulbright Program**, New York University (Sociology) (USA). Supervisor Dr. J. Dixon, \$24,000.
- 2004 **Summer Fellowship at the Albert Ellis Institute for Rational-Emotive Behavioural Psychotherapy** (New-York City, USA). \$1,500.
- 2003 **Scholar at the Library of Congress and Kennan Institute** at the Woodrow Wilson International Centre for Scholars (Washington D.C., USA). \$3,000.
- 2002 **Open World Program «Women as Leaders»** (Maryland, USA).

## SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS

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### *Peer-Reviewed Publications, including those indexed in Scopus*

- Lysova, A.V. (2014). Conjugal dominance and violence in Russia. *Criminological Journal of Baikal University*, 2, 133-141 (in Russian).
- Lysova, A.V. (2013). Prevalence and trends of female crime in Russia. *Sociological Studies*, 10, 137-142 (in Russian).
- Lysova, A.V. (2013). Dating violence and gender equality: Results of the international study. *Criminological Journal of Baikal University*, 2, 111-118. (in Russian).
- Lysova, A.V. (2012). Towards the qualifications of the radical feminist theory in explaining family violence. *Sociological Studies*, 4, 110-117 (in Russian)
- Lysova, A.V. & Pridemore, W. A. (2010). Dramatic problems and weak policy. Trends in alcohol consumption, harms and policy: Russia 1990–2010. *Nordic Studies on Alcohol and Drugs*, 5(27), 425-447.
- Lysova, A.V. & Shchitov, N.G. (2010). About intrafamily violence. *Sociological Studies*, 10, 55-62 (in Russian).
- Lysova, A.V. & Hines, D.A. (2008). Binge Drinking and Violence against Intimate Partners in Russia. *Aggressive Behaviour*, 34, 416-427.
- Lysova, A.V. & Douglas, E.M. (2008). Intimate Partner Violence among Male And Female Russian University Students. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, 23 (11), 1579-1599.
- Kury H., Lysova A., & Schitov N. (2008). Zu Kriminalität, Sanktionseinstellung und Sichtweise der Strafverfolgungsorgane in Russland (About crime, attitudes to sanctions and to penal institutions in Russia). *Polizei & Wissenschaft*, Vol.2, 2-19. (in German)
- Lysova, A.V. (2007). Dating violence in Russia. *Russian Education and Society*, 49 (4), 43-59.

### *Publications in progress:*

- Lysova, A.V. & Straus, M.A. Legitimate violence and criminal violence: A multi-nation test of the spillover theory. *European Journal of Criminology*.
- Lysova A.V. Dominance and violence in Russian marriages. *Journal of marriage and family*.
- Lysova A.V., Shchitov N.G. Problems with homicide data: Case of Russia. *Bulletin of the World Health Organization*.
- Lysova, A.V. & Shchitov, N.G. (forthcoming in 2015). Homicide in Russia. *Theoretical Criminology* (Special edition on Crime and Criminal Justice in Post-Soviet Region).
- Lysova, A.V. (forthcoming in 2015). Victims but also offenders: Women's experiences with partner violence. In Helmut Kury, Slawomir Redo, and Evelyn Shea (Eds.). *Women and Children as Victims and Offenders: Background – Prevention – Reintegration. Suggestions for Succeeding Generations*. Springer.

### *Books and Book Chapters:*

- Lysova, A.V., Shchitov, N.G., & Pridemore, W.A. (2012). Homicide in Russia, Ukraine and Belarus (pp. 451-469) / In Pridemore, W. & Liem, M. (Eds.). *Handbook of European Homicide Research*, New York: Springer.
- Lysova, A.V. (2012). Corporal Punishment and Depressive Symptoms: The Moderating Effect of Positive Parenting in a Multi-National Perspective and Russia (pp.313-323) / In Morosawa, Hidemichi, Dussich, John J.P., and Kirchhoff, Gerd Ferdinand (eds.), *Victimology and Human Security: New Horizons*, Nijmegen (NL): Wolf Legal Publishers.

- Lysova, A.V. (2011). *Dating violence. Risk factors and approaches to prevention*. Saarbrucken: LAP LAMBERT Academic Publishing. (in Russian).
- Lysova, A.V. (2008). Alcohol abuse and family violence (pp. 362-378). In Larisa I. Romanova (ed.). *Issues of alcohol drinking and alcohol abuse: Interdisciplinary approach*. Vladivostok: Far Eastern University Press. (in Russian)
- Lysova, A.V. (2007). *Violence in premarital relationships: Theoretical and Empirical analysis*. Vladivostok: Far Eastern National University Press. (in Russian)
- Lysova, A.V. (2003). *Implications of conceptualizations of family violence for the social policy responses in Russia*. Deposited at the Institute of the Information of the Social Sciences at the Russian Academy of Sciences (INION RAN) № 57902 from 04.04.2003. Moscow. (in Russian)
- Lysova, A.V. (2003). *Psychology of family: Textbook* [Electronic resource]. Vladivostok: TIDOT FENU, 2003. (in Russian)
- Lysova, A.V. (2001). *Family Violence: The Major Theoretical Issues*. Vladivostok: Far Eastern National University Press. (in Russian).

#### **Other Selected Publications (in Russian)**

- Lysova, A.V. (2013). Corporal punishment and intimate partner violence in all-national Russian survey. *Social Sciences Studies in East Siberia and the Far East*, 4 (24), 110-117.
- Lysova, A.V., & Istomina, A.V. (2009). Toward the measurement of the parenting discipline techniques. *Sociology: Methodology, Methods, and Mathematical Models*, 28, 87-106.
- Lysova, A.V. (2008). Violence in premarital and marital relationships in Russia. *Journal of Sociology and Social Anthropology*, 3, 129-145.
- Lysova, A.V. (2008). Female aggression and family violence. *Social Sciences and Contemporaneity*, 3.
- Lysova, A.V. (2008). Physical violence against women in Russian families. *Sociological Studies*, 9, 121-128.
- Straus, M.A., Imola, A., Limanskaya, K., Lysova, A., Saklakova, S., Shestakov, D., Szotyori Nagy, & V., Vilmante, P. (2008). The relation of criminality and dominance to physical assaults and injury of dating partners by university students in four eastern European nations. *Criminology: Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow*. Vol. 1 (14).
- Lysova, A.V. (2008). Alcohol abuse and violence in dating relationships. *Criminology: yesterday, today and tomorrow*. Vol. 1 (14).
- Lysova A.V. (2008). Violence in the family and interpersonal relationships: Review of the basic Russian studies. *Criminology: yesterday, today and tomorrow*. Vol. 2 (15).
- Lysova, A.V. (2007). Verbal aggression in a family: risk factors and the models of explanation. *Sociology: Methodology, Methods, and Mathematical Models*, 27, 118-142.
- Lysova, A.V. (2007). Psychological aggression as a factor of physical violence in dating relationships. *Journal of Sociology and Social Anthropology*. 3.
- Lysova, A.V. (2007) Application of the Conflict Tactics Scales for measuring sexual abuse. *Sociological Studies*, 8, 97-103.
- Lysova, A.V. (2007) Corporal punishment of children in the family and violence in dating relationships. *Family in Russia*, 1-2, 37-47.
- Lysova, A.V. (2006). Dating Violence in Russia. *Sociological Studies*, 2, 94-103.
- Lysova, A.V. (2005). Family Violence as a Target of the Social Policy in the US. *Sociological Studies*, 12, 108-116.
- Lysova, A.V. & Shchitov, N.G. (2004). Rational-Emotive Behavioural Therapy of family violence. *Psychology of Family and Family Psychotherapy*, 1, 85-97.
- Lysova, A.V. & Shchitov, N.G. (2003). Response to family violence: the US experience. *Journal of Sociology*, 3, 99-115.

Lysova, A.V. & Shchitov, N.G. (2003). Medicalization of social control and punishment. *Herald of Kharkov National university named after V.N.Karazin "Sociological research of modern society: methodology, theory, methods"*. #577. (Ukraine).

### **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY AND AFFILIATIONS**

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**American Society of Criminology**

**American Sociological Association**

**Australian and New Zealand Society of Criminology** (until 2012)

**International Society of Research on Aggression** (until 2010)

**International Men's Experiences with Violence study** (along with Dr. Denise Hines (USA), Dr. Emily Douglas (USA), Dr. Elizabeth Celi (Australia), and Dr. Louise Dixon (UK)).

**International Parenting Study** (Director Dr. Angele Fauchier, University of New Hampshire, USA).

**International Dating Violence Study** (Director Murray Straus, University of New Hampshire, USA).

**Federal Expert in Social Sciences, the Russian Federation**

**Fulbright Program in Russia**, Expert of projects in Sociology

**Criminological Highlights (University of Toronto)**, Member of the editorial board

**Family Violence and Sexual Assault Bulletin**, Ad hoc reviewer (2005-2009)

**Journal of Rational Emotive and Cognitive Behaviour Therapy**, Member of the editorial board

### **SELECTED PRESENTATIONS**

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#### ***Invited Lectures and Interviews (in English)***

- 2013 *An interactional perspective on intimate partner violence: Research results from Canada and Russia.* **Max Planck Institute for the International and Foreign Law**, Freiburg, Germany.
- 2011 Interviewed by CBC morning radio show (Canada), commentary on partner violence.
- 2011 Interviewed by Barbara Kay from *National Post* about women's experiences of intimate violence.
- 2010 *Homicide in Russia and other Post-Soviet countries.* **Woodsworth College at the University of Toronto**, Canada.
- 2010 *Family violence, Alcohol and Drug abuse in Russia.* Columbia University's Global Health Research Centre of Central Asia, **Columbia University**, School of Social Work, New York, USA.
- 2010 *Gender Symmetry in Intimate Partner Violence.* Presented at the Psychology Department at **St. John's University** (New York City, USA).
- 2009 *Family/Intimate Partner Violence and Social Policy in Russia.* **University of Texas at Austin** (USA).
- 2009 *Family and Intimate Partner Violence in Russia.* **Bridgewater State College** (MA, USA).
- 2009 *Considering Diversity and Russian-American attitudes in the psychotherapy work.* Counselling Centre Schofield House at the **University of New Hampshire** (Durham, N.H., USA).
- 2008 *Violence among married, cohabiting, and dating partners.* Demography department at the **Higher School of Economics** (Moscow) (in Russian).
- 2008 *Gendered and gender specific perspectives in studying family violence.* **Centre for Independent Social Research** (Saint Petersburg) (in Russian).
- 2007 *Dynamics of the intimate partner violence in Russia.* **Max Planck Institute for Foreign and International Law** (Freiburg, Germany) (in English).

***Presentations at International Conferences (in English)***

- 2013 *Males' experiences of partner violence as viewed by incarcerated women.* 2013 Annual Convention of the **American Psychological Association**. Honolulu, Hawaii, USA.
- 2013 *Women's involvement in intimate partner violence: Introducing the interactional perspective.* **International Congress on Gender Violence**, Onati, Spain.
- 2013 *An Interactional Perspective on Intimate Partner Violence: Implications for public policy and treatment.* **Stockholm Criminology Symposium**, Sweden.
- 2012 with R. Gartner. *Escalation/De-escalation within violent interactions between intimate partners.* **American Society of Criminology**, Chicago, IL, (USA).
- 2011 *Criminalized women's narratives of their involvement in intimate partner violence.* **Crime, justice and social democracy: An international conference**, Brisbane, QLD (Australia).
- 2011 *Gender equality and the mutuality of dating violence by university students in 32 national settings.* Annual **Australian and New Zealand Society of Criminology (ANZSOC) Conference**, Geelong, (Australia).
- 2011 *Escalation to violence in criminalized women's narratives.* **Ending Domestic & Sexual Violence: Innovations in Practice & Research Conference**, Portsmouth, NH (USA).
- 2009 *Corporal Punishment and Depressive Symptoms: The Moderating Effect of Positive Parenting in a Multi-National Perspective and Russia.* **World Society of Victimology Symposium**, Mito, Japan.
- 2009 with M. Straus. *International Parenting Study in Russia: Preliminary Results.* **Society of Cross-Cultural Research**, Las Vegas (USA).
- 2008 with E. Douglas. *Violence socialization in childhood and later life attitudes and behaviours concerning physical discipline and partner violence: An analysis among 500 Russian university students.* Annual **International Conference on Family Violence Research**, University of New Hampshire (USA).
- 2008 with A. Fauchier and M. Straus. *Corporal Punishment and Other Discipline Methods Used by Russian and American Fathers and Mothers.* Annual **International Conference on Family Violence Research**, University of New Hampshire (USA).
- 2007 *Female aggression and violence in intimate relationships in Russia.* **European Society of Criminology**, Bologna, Italy.
- 2007 *Social policy on family violence in Russia and implications to improve it.* **World Family Conference**, Prague, Czech Republic.
- 2004 *Gender stereotypes about violence in teen dating relationships.* **Victimization of Children and Youth: An International Research Conference**, University of New Hampshire, USA.

**REFERENCES**

<p><b>Dr. Rosemary Gartner, Professor of Sociology and Criminology,</b> Centre for Criminology and Sociological Studies 14 Queen's Park Crescent West <b>University of Toronto</b> Toronto, Ontario, Canada M5S 3K9 Phone: 416-978-6438, ext. 235 Fax: 416-978-4195 E-mail: <a href="mailto:rosemary.gartner@utoronto.ca">rosemary.gartner@utoronto.ca</a></p>	<p><b>Dr. Denise A. Hines, Director,</b> Family Impact Seminars, Co-Director, Clark Anti-Violence Education (CAVE) Program Associate Research Professor, <b>Clark University</b> 950 Main St. Worcester, MA 01610, USA Office: Jonas Clark Room 346 Phone: 508-793-7458 Fax: 508-793-7265 Email: <a href="mailto:dhines@clarku.edu">dhines@clarku.edu</a></p>	<p><b>Dr. Helmut Kury, Professor</b> Department of Criminology <b>Max Planck Institute for the International and Foreign Law and the University of Freiburg</b> (retired) Waldstrasse 3 D-79194 Heuweiler Deutschland/Germany Tel.: 07666-3799 Mobil: 0175 35 27 170 E-mail: <a href="mailto:helmut.kury@web.de">helmut.kury@web.de</a></p>
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