

KATSIARYNA (KATJA) SIAMIONAVA

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EDUCATION

Georgia Institute of Technology Ph.D. in IT Management	May 2020 GPA 3.75
Oklahoma State University (OSU) M.S. Hotel & Restaurant Administration Thesis: “ <i>Understanding the effect of spatial colors on guests’ perception of the hotel room using virtual visualization techniques</i> ”	May 2016 GPA 3.89
Belarusian State University (BSU) B.S. Management	June 2014 GPA 9.2

EXPERIENCE

August 2016-now	Scheller College of Business: Atlanta, GA, USA Graduate Teaching Assistant <ul style="list-style-type: none">Assisted in teaching MGT 6503 “Managing information resources” and MGT 2200 “Information Technology”Was in charge of the development of homeworks, tutorial manuals, and grading.
August 2014 –May 2016	School of Hotel & Restaurant Administration: Stillwater, OK, USA Graduate Teaching and Research Assistant <ul style="list-style-type: none">Assisted in teaching “Intro to Hospitality Technology” course, assisted 40 students with learning Excel, Micros, and Opera Helped in preparing the course workbook.Conducted grading.Assisted faculty members in conducting research projects.
May -August 2015	Four Seasons Hotels & Resorts: Dallas, TX, USA As a sales intern I was involved in multiple projects in Delphi system. In particular, I helped to update and trace customers, prepared contracts, calculated commissions, and issued gift certificates. The F&B internship duties included taking care of the hotel guests and members staying at the Family pool.
February -April 2014	PricewaterhouseCoopers: Minsk, Belarus Junior Associate I audited largest Belarusian retail companies. My responsibilities included checking the financial documents of the audited companies. I conducted the test of revenue, payroll, accounts receivable & accounts payable. During this internship I was assigned to one of the audit teams and I had a chance to learn the entire company’s audit process from the very beginning to the very end as I assisted my senior colleagues in different areas.
March-April 2013	Holiday .by: Minsk, Belarus During this internship I was developing the content of the mobile audio guide and assisted with integrating the mobile guide in the Holiday .by’s website.
January - December 2010	DomDecorStroj, Minsk, Belarus Economic manager My primary duties included cost analysis for the projects and preparation of company’s financial statements.

HONORS & AWARDS

February 2016	College of Human Sciences Outstanding Graduate Student Nominee, OSU
January 2016	CHTR Research Award, OSU
October 2015	First place at Teradata Business Analytics Competition
July 2015	Teradata PARTNER’S Student Scholarship
June 2014	Valedictorian of the Class 2014 at the Department of Management &

	International Tourism Management, BSU
March 2014	International Visegrad Fund scholarship for the Eastern Partnership
October 2013	American Councils for International Education & Education USA "Opportunity" scholarship
April 2013	Second place award at the 19 th Belarusian National Competition of Students' Scientific Works
April 2013	The Second place award at the 15 th International Scientific Conference at Donetsk Institute of Tourism Business, Donetsk, Ukraine
October 2012	Second place award in the individual round at the International Student Olympiad "Business and Management – 2012" (Saint-Petersburg, Russia)
April 2012	<i>The Best Paper award</i> at the 69 th Scientific Conference of Students and Aspirants of BSU
April 2011	<i>The Best Paper award</i> at the 68 th Scientific Conference of Students and Aspirants of BSU
November 2011	Finalist of the competition for the best promotional concept for Belarus at the 2 nd International Forum: "Image of Belarus. The strategy of development"
September 2012-2014	Government scholarship for the academic excellence

CERTIFICATES

January 2016	SAS Certified Statistical Business Analyst Using SAS 9: Regression and Modeling Credential
July 2015	An Introduction to Interactive Programming in Python: Coursera Verified Certificate: CWHYFBV6Q5
December 2013	TOEFL : 103

ACTIVITIES & SERVICE

January-May 2016	HRAD GSA representative at GPSGA, OSU: Stillwater, OK, USA
October, 2015-present	President of the Russian Language Club at OSU: Stillwater, OK, USA
August 2015-December 2016	Vice President of the HRAD Graduate Student Association
February, 2015-present	Toastmaster International club member: Stillwater, OK, USA
September-October 2013	Volunteer during the AIESEC Global community development program in Hungary : Pecs, Hungary
November 2013	Volunteer at the 7 th Belarusian Investment Forum :Minsk, Belarus
August 2012	Volunteer at the Lubcha castle volunteer summer camp: Lubcha, Belarus

SKILLS

Software proficiency	SAS, R, Tableau, IBM Modeler, SPSS, Python (basic), Opera, Lotus Notes, Delphi, Photoshop, 3D Max, Mathematica, Latex
Language proficiency	English (fluent), Russian (native speaker), Belarusian (native speaker), Italian (basic), German (basic)

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS, PRESENTATIONS, & CONFERENCES

2016	CIST 2016: Conference on Information Systems and Technology, Nashville, TN (attended)
2016	Siamionava, K., Garcia, N., & Gonzalez, A. US Students' attributes of hostel choice, Proceedings of the 21st Annual Graduate Education & Graduate Student Research Conference in Hospitality and Tourism
2015	Siamionava, K., Pearson, J., Mei, K. Hotel Online Occupancy Rates vs Online reviews, Teradata PARTNERS Conference 2015, Anaheim, CA
2015	Ishida, K., Slevitch, L., & Siamionava, K. The Effects Of Traditional And Electronic Word-Of-Mouth Perceptions On Destination Image: A Case Of Vacation Tourists Visiting Branson, Missouri, <i>Journal of Tourism Management</i> (under revision)
2015	Siamionava, K. The Effect of Spatial Colors on Guests' Perception of a Hotel. The paper abstracts book of the 26th Annual Research Symposium; Oklahoma State University, p.45
2013	Siamionava K. Rural tourism stakes on sacred heritage of pre-Christian Belarus, Collection of theses of the 15 th International Scientific Conference at Donetsk Institute of Tourism Business, Publishing center of the Donetsk Institute of Tourism Business
2012	Khomich S., Siamionava K. Innovative approach to the use of Krasnoselsky

- chalk quarries' tourism resources, Materials of the XI International Scientific Conference "Belarus in the modern world", Publishing center of the BSU, 2012, p.359
- 2012 Siamionava K. Scientific and methodological approach to contextual advertising of tourism resources in the city of Minsk with the help of Augmented Reality, Collection of theses of the 69th Scientific Conference of Students and Aspirants of BSU, p.376-377
- 2011 Siamionava K. Organization of tourism in the student community, Collection of theses of the 68th Scientific Conference of Students and Aspirants of BSU, p.90
- 2010 Siamionava K., Gerasimovich A. Development of a walking tour "The road of theatres", Collection of theses of the 67th Scientific Conference of Students and Aspirants of BSU, "Four quarters" Publishers, Minsk, 2010
- 2010 Siamionava K., Kulichieva A. The tourism potential of the water routes of Belarus, Collection of theses of the 67th Scientific Conference of Students and Aspirants of BSU, "Four quarters" Publishers, Minsk, 2010
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BOOKS AND CHAPTERS

- 2015 Hoart, H., Im, J.Y., Siamionava, K. HRAD 2533 Introduction to Hospitality Technology Workbook; School of Hotel and restaurant Administration; Oklahoma State University
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