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EDUCATION

PhD, Economics, George Mason University, VA, 2014-2019.

MA, Economics, George Mason University, VA, 2011-2014.

BS, Economics, Towson University, MD, 2007-2010.

MBA Study (one year), University of Alaska, Anchorage, AK, 2006-2007.

BA, Russian and Russian Pedagogy, Liaoning University, Liaoning, China, 1990-1993.

EMPLOYMENT

Postdoctoral Fellow, Philosophy Politics and Economics, University of Pennsylvania, PA, 2019-2021

RESEARCH FIELD

Behavioral Economics, Public Economics, Political Economy, Experimental Economics, Applied Microeconomics.

PUBLICATIONS AND WORKING PAPERS

Tasch, J. & Tasch W. (2021). "Boiling Frogs and Hotter Summers: Social Ambivalence towards Climate Change." Working Paper.

Bulutay, M., Hales, D., Julius, P., & Tasch, W. (2021). "Imperfect Tacit Collusion and Asymmetric Price Transmission." Working paper under review at *Journal of Economics Behavior and Organization*.

Tasch W. & Houser, D. (2019) "Social Preferences and Social Curiosity." *CESifo Working Paper Series* No. 7132. Available at SSRN: <https://ssrn.com/abstract=3235299>

Tasch, J. & Tasch W. (2017). "Ambiguity in an Ambiguous Region: Risk Conundrums in the Arctic," in R.E. Kasperson (Ed), *Risk Conundrums*, (pp. 147-162). London and New York: Earthscan / Routledge.

Tasch J. & Tasch W. (2016). "Redesigning Physical Geography 101: Bringing Students into the Discussion." *Journal of Geography in Higher Education* 40 (4), 565-584.

Tasch, J. & Tasch W. (2013). "An 'Azerbaijani spring'? Civil Discourse, Discord and Dissent." *Pennsylvania Geographer*, Special Issue on Geopolitics (Fall-Winter):1-18.

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

"Norm Building in Exceptional Environments," with Cristian Bicchieri, Jeremy Tasch, and Daniel Houser.

"Social Preferences and Information Ignorance," with Daniel Houser.

CONFERENCE & SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS, WORKSHOPS

June 2021	The International Congress of Arctic Social Sciences, Arkhangelsk, Russia
July 2020	The Annual Conference SABE 2020 on Behavioural Economics, Moscow, Russia
Mar. 2020	Guest Lecturer for Masters students in "Prototyping Future Cities" at the Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia

Oct. 2019 Norms and Behavioral Change Workshop, Philadelphia, PA
June 2019 Tsinghua Conference on Behavioral, Experimental & Theoretical Economics, Beijing, CH
Nov. 2018 Southern Economic Association 88th Annual Meeting, Washington, DC
Oct. 2018 Workshop On Choice-Process Data (NSF-funded), Antigua, Guatemala, Guatemala
Oct. 2018 North American Regional Economic Science Association Meeting, Antigua, Guatemala
Oct. 2018 Norms and Behavioral Change Workshop, Philadelphia, PA
Sept. 2018 Fall 2018 Seminar Series, Towson University, Towson, MD
July 2018 9th Workshop on Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics, Berlin, GE
July 2018 11th BESLab Experimental Economics Summer School in Macroeconomics, Berlin, GE
Mar. 2018 Spring School in Behavioral Economics, San Diego, CA
Nov. 2017 Southern Economic Association 87th Annual Meeting, Tampa, FL
Oct. 2017 North American Regional Economic Science Association Meeting, Richmond, VA

HONORS & AWARDS

2012-2019 Graduate Research Assistant, Interdisciplinary Center for Economic Science, George Mason University
2018 Joachim Herz Best Project Award, Experimental Economics Summer School in Macroeconomics
2018 Osher Lifelong Learning Institute Distinguished Graduate Student Scholarship
2011 Graduate Instructor Award, Macroeconomics, Department of Economics, Temple University
2010 College of Business and Economics Outstanding Graduate, Towson University

REFeree EXPERIENCE

Management Science; Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization; Journal of Neuroscience, Psychology and Economics; Journal of Behavioral Decision Making

PROGRAMMING SKILLS

Python, z-Tree, Matlab, Stata

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Chinese: Native Russian: Fluent English: Fluent

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Econometric Society 2018-Present
American Economic Association 2015-Present

Economic Science Association 2014-Present

REFERENCES

European Economic Association 2018-Present

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