

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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WORK EXPERIENCE

23/10/2001-13/06/2019

Asoc.professor

University of Latvia, Faculty of Geography and Earth Sciences, Riga (Latvia)

18/06/2012–18/06/2018

Leading researcher

University of Latvia, Faculty of Geography and Earth Sciences, Riga (Latvia)

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

28/06/1999

PhD in geography

University of Latvia

Doktora

28/12/1993

Master degree in geography

University of Latvia

Maģistra

01/06/1983

Bachelor degree in geography

University of Latvia

Bakalaura

Mother tongue Latvian

Other languages

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| English | C1 | C1 | C1 | C1 | C1 |
| Russian | C1 | C1 | C1 | C1 | C1 |
| Spanish | A1 | A1 | A1 | A1 | A1 |

PERSONAL SKILLS

Communication skills Good communication and facilitation skills.

Organisational / managerial skills Excelent skills to organize scientific conferences on national and international level.
Excelent skills to organize academic, practical and field studies.

Job-related skills Excelent skills to collect information, conduct and and elaborate research, applied planning projects and prepare presentations.

Digital competence Excelent skills in MS Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint).

Driving licence B, A

Publications Zariņa, A., Vinogradovs, I., Šķinkis, P. (accepted for publication). Polder Landscapes After Soviet Productivism: Towards (Dis)Continuity of Latvia's Agricultural Wetlands. *Landscape Research*.

Cimdiņš R., Šķinkis P., Kaugurs K. Community Structure and Elements Affecting Its Activity: Case of Jaunpils County. *Proceedings of the International Scientific Conference - Economic Science for Rural Development*. Jelgava: Latvia University of Agriculture, 2015.

Gutmane, H., Schreurs, J., Skinkis, P. Urban project in Riga's public space: behind the curtain of rational decision. In: *Landscape and Architecture. Landscape Transformations of the Post-communist Countries*. Praha: CTU in Prague, 2013. ISBN 978-80-01-05431-4

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Šķinkis P., A.Pužulis, S. Meiere. Public and Private in Space: Values, Legal Practice and Land-Use Planning in Latvia. In: *European Integration and Baltic Sea Region Studies: University-Business Partnership through the Triple Helix Approach*, Berlin: BWV • BERLINER WISSENSCHAFTS-VERLAG GmbH. 2012, P.319-334. ISBN 978-3-8305-3028-2.

Cimdinis, R., Skinkis, P. Development Policy Monitoring Issues – Regional and Local Experiences in Riga Region. In: *European Integration Studies: Research and Topicalities* No.5. Kaunas: Institute of Europe, Kaunas University of Technology, 2011, P.14-19. ISSN 1822-8402.

Cimdinis, R., Skinkis, P. Monitoring as a Tool for Collaborative Planning in Riga Region. In: *European Integration and Baltic Sea Region: Diversity and Perspectives*. Riga: The University of Latvia Press, 2011, P.460-469. ISBN 9789984453989.

Projects

COST Action TU 1201 Urban Allotment Gardens in European cities (2013-2015)
Baltic-German University Liaison Office project "Evaluation of Urban Qualities for Integrated Spatial Planning", expert, project leader, 2014
EU ESF projekts projekts „Elaboration of Innovative Tools for Regional Development Assesement”, vadošais pētnieks, 2013 – 2016
EU ESF projekts "Savs kaktiņš, savs stūrītis zemes-Latvijas lauku iedzīvotāju attīstības stratēģijas un kultūrvides pārmaiņas" vajadzībām (LU 2011/13_ESF).

EEZ/NFI/2015/009 Strengthening and transferring the intellectual capital among geographers in Latvia and Norway (INTELGEO), 2016.
Project NPHE-2016/10134 Localized Learning Approach to Urban Studies & Planning in the Baltic Sea Region. Nordplus Higher Education 2016.
Project Urban Challenges. ERASMUS+, 2016.

Academic activities

Academic courses:

Geog2008 Geography of Latvia (A) 6 ECTS
Geog3009 Principles in Planning (B) 6 ECTS
eog5022 Social and Political Geography (B) 6 ECTS
Geog5039 Principles in Spatial Planning (A) 6 ECTS
Geog5048 Strategic Planning and Methods (A) 3 ECTS
GeogR00 Urban Studies and Planning (A) 9 ECTS

Supervision of thesis:

PhD thesis – 8
Bachelor thesis – 44
Master thesis – 61

Lectures at other universities:

University of Bergen, Department of Geography (October, 2016): Master study program of geography: “Riga - suburban transformations and planning”; lecture/seminar: “Territorial differences in social capital: local qualities and regional development in Latvia” (ERASMUS+ framework);

University of Turku/ Tartu University of Life Sciences (September 2016): Master Study program: ‘Planning, urban development and regeneration in Latvia’;

University of Dortmund, Faculty of Spatial Plannig (November 2015): Master Study program: “Mapping of social space”.

Organisational activities

Head of the Board of Study Programmes in Geography; Member of the Board of Study Programme in Professional Master study programme in Spatial Development Planning; director of Professional Master study programme in Spatial Development Planning.

Participation in associations etc.

IALE (International Association of Landscape Ecology), member of the work group on the Research of the Environment development progress – since 1993; AESOP (Association of European Schools of Planning) member – since 1997; member of the of Latvia Geography Association – since 1993; member of Association of Latvian Territory Planners – since 1997.