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Qualification:

2016 – CSc (PhD) (Economic and Social Geography; Thesis title: Territorial identity of the population of Podolia), Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv

2012 – MSc (Social and economic geography, Department of Economic and Social Geography), Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv)

Professional life:

since 2016 junior research fellow, scientific research laboratory “Regional Problems of Economics and Politics”, Faculty of Geography, Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv

since 2015 Manager of regional development, NGO "Ukrainian Researches Society"

2015 research and development engineer, scientific research lab “Regional Issues of Economics and Politics”, Faculty of Geography, Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv

2012-2015 PhD student, Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv

2011-2015 freelance translator (predominantly clinical studies)

since 2010 co-founder and chief content manager, geographic web-portal Geograf.com.ua

Contemporary Scientific Fields:

- transformation of urban regions and cities;
- suburbanization;
- perception and imagines of regions and cities;
- toponymy;
- historical geography.

Professional societies:

- Ukrainian Geographical Society
- NGO "Ukrainian Researches Society" (Head of Human Geography Branch)

Memberships in Editorial Staff:

- “Ekonomichna ta Sotsialna Geografiya” (Executive Editor, since 2015)

Research projects:

2016-Present	Shifting Paradigms - Towards participatory and effective urban planning (Volkswagen Foundation)
2016-Present	Spatial transformations in Ukraine: models of organization and planning of urban areas (Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv)
2015-2016	Administrative-territorial reform in Ukraine (NGO "Ukrainian Researches Society")
2015	Spread of Communist toponyms in Ukraine (NGO "Ukrainian Researches Society")
2015	Ecological, natural and human-caused safety in Ukraine: regional dimension (Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv)
2010-2015	Territorial identity of Ukrainian population (master's thesis and postgraduate research program, Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv)
2008-2010	Research of Ukrainian oikonyms in regional dimension (bachelor's research project, Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv)

Author of over 30 articles, books and conference papers

List of the main publications:

Book chapters:

1. Mezentsev K., Gnatiuk O. (2014): Russian culture in Ukraine. In: *Phenomenon of culture in Russian human geography; expert opinions, analytics, concepts*. Rostov-on-Don, 378-397. (In Russian).

Selected articles:

1. **Gnatiuk O.** (2016): National and local patriotism in spatial dimension: case of Podolia, Ukraine. *Human Geography Journal* 21(2), 75-79.
2. **Gnatiuk O.** (2015): Perception of local geographical specificity by the population of Podolia. *Ekonomichna ta Sotsialna Geografiya*, 71, 88-99.
3. Melnychuk A., **Gnatiuk O.**, Rastvorova M. (2014): Use of territorial identity markers in geographical researches. *Scientific Annals of "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iasi – Geography series*, 60(1), 157-184.
4. **Gnatiuk O.** (2014): Names of enterprises and organizations in Ukraine as a marker of territorial identity of the population. *Kyiv Geographical Almanac*, Vol. 9, 67-77. (In Ukrainian).
5. **Gnatiuk O.** (2013): Factors that determine the territorial identity of regional population. *Scientific Bulletin of Dragomanov Pedagogical University. Series 4: Geography and modernity*, 18(30), 262-274. (In Ukrainian).
6. **Gnatiuk O.** (2013): Component structure of the territorial identity of the population. *Bulletin of Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv. Series: Geography*, 1(61), 59-61. (In Ukrainian).
7. **Gnatiuk O.** (2013): Urban place-names in Ukraine as a marker of territorial identity of the population. *Human Geography Journal* 15(2), 144-147. (In Ukrainian).
8. Oliynyk Ya., **Gnatiuk O.** (2013): Methodological approaches to the study of territorial identity of the population. *Ukrainian Geographical Journal* 3, 34-39. (In Ukrainian).
9. Melnychuk A., **Gnatiuk O.**, Rastvorova M. (2013): Territorial identity of the population of Ukraine: impact on spatial transformations. *Kyiv Geographical Almanac* 9, 170-175.
10. **Gnatiuk O.** (2012): Hierarchical structure of the spatial identity of Ukrainian population. *Ekonomichna ta Sotsialna Geografiya* 65, 242-250. (In Ukrainian).
11. Melnychuk A., **Gnatiuk O.** (2012): Types of regional identity of the Vinnytsia residents. *Scientific*

- Bulletin of Dragomanov Pedagogical University. Series 4: Geography and modernity* 15(27), 124-133. (In Ukrainian).
12. Mezentseva N., **Gnatiuk O.**, Andriyanova V., Moroz O. (2011): Human-geographical study of the middle class development in Ukraine. *Ekonomichna ta Sotsialna Geografiya* 62, 169-177. (In Ukrainian).
 13. Melnychuk A., **Gnatiuk O.**, Rastvorova M. (2011): Comparative analysis of regional identity in the cities of Zaporizhia, Vinnytsia and Kyiv. *Regional problems of Ukraine: geographical analysis and search for solution*, 212-222. (In Ukrainian).
 14. Mezentseva N., **Gnatiuk O.**, Andriyanova V., Plaksiyenko A. (2010): The middle class in Ukraine: preconditions of development and indicators. *Human Geography Journal* 9 (2), 49-54. (In Ukrainian).
 15. Melnychuk A., **Gnatiuk O.** (2010): Oykonymic zoning of Podolian human-geographical region. *Scientific Bulletin of Kotsiubynsky Vinnytsia State Pedagogical University. Series: Geography* 21, 173-177. (In Ukrainian).
 16. Melnychuk A., Kononenko O., **Gnatiuk O.** (2009): Development of oykonymic structure in Podolian human-geographical region on specified historical-geographical cross-sections. *Scientific Bulletin of Chernivtsi University. Geography* 459, 34-38. (In Ukrainian).

Participation in more than 15 scientific conferences, in particular:

- Redefining Cities in Post-Soviet Space (Leipzig, Germany, 2016)
- Spatial Transformation Processes in Central Europe in XXI century (Kyiv, Ukraine, 2013)
- Social-Geographical Challenges in the Eastern Central Europe on the Beginning of the XXI Century (Berehovo, Ukraine, 2012)
- Regional problems of Ukraine: geographical analysis and search for solution (Kherson, Ukraine, 2011)

Distinctions and awards:

2012 Taras Shevchenko Prize of Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv (for the cycle of scientific works "Hierarchical levels of the spatial identity in Ukraine")