

**Andrew Savchenko**  
**Curriculum Vitae**

EDUCATION

1992-98 Ph.D. program in Sociology at Brown University Dissertation on: *Rationality, Nationalism and post-Communist Market Transformation: a Comparative Analysis of Belarus, Poland, and the Baltic States* Degree awarded: 05/25/98

1990-92 MA program in Sociology at Brown University. Degree awarded: 05/30/1992

1985-90 Ph.D. program in Political Economy at the Economic Research Institute of the Belarusian Academy of Sciences Dissertation on: *Evaluation of Performance of Industrial Enterprises*. Dissertation approved 05/25/1990

1975-82 MA in Economics at the Belarusian State Economic University Degree awarded: 05/30/1982

ACADEMIC AWARDS

2002-03 Harvard University Eugene and Daymel Shklar Fellowship

1996-97 Brown University Thomas Watson Jr. Institute for International Studies Dissertation Fellowship

1996 Brown University Graduate Council Research Fellowship

1995-96 Brown University Fellowship

1994-95 Institute for the Study of World Politics Dissertation Fellowship

1994 Travel Grant, Center for Comparative Study of Development at Brown

1994 Brown University, Thomas Watson Jr. Institute of International Studies Research Grant

1990-91 IREX Graduate Fellowship

CURRENT TEACHING APPOINTMENTS

Rhode Island School of Design – Senior Lecturer  
University of Rhode Island – Part-time Instructor

COURSES TAUGHT

**Rhode Island School of Design:**

Introduction to Social Theory 2004-2008  
Economy and Society 2008-2015  
Eastern Europe after Communism 2008  
Sociology of Business, Entrepreneurship and Organizations 2014-2015

**University of Rhode Island:**

General Sociology 2000-2015  
Social Psychology 2005-2015  
Social Inequality 2005-2006  
War and Society 2004-2006, 2009-2010  
Health, Illness and Medical Care 2011  
Culture and Prosperity 2008

**College of the Holy Cross:**

Military and Society 2002-2014  
Sociological Perspectives 2004  
Development of International Relations in Eastern Europe 2001

**Bryant College:**

Principles of Sociology 1998-2000  
Sociology of Work 1999

**Brown University:**

Relations between post-Soviet States (taught jointly with Sergey Khrushchev) 2000  
Perspectives on Society 1998  
Market Transitions in Eastern Europe 1996  
Capitalism and Social Theory (taught jointly with Dietrich Rueschemeyer) 1994

**OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

*Eurasia Energy Consultants, LLC.* Principal  
Political risks assessment in energy trade

*The Economist Intelligence Unit* (a subsidiary of *The Economist*) Contributing writer  
Write reports and articles on Belarus, Ukraine, Russia

*Oxford Analytica* Contributing writer  
Write country briefs on Eastern Europe and post-Soviet space

**PUBLICATIONS**

Books and book chapters:

AEconomic Systems@ in Masamichi Sasaki et al., editors, *Concise Encyclopedia of Comparative Sociology*, Leiden, the Netherlands: Brill Academic Publishers, 2014

“The Political Economy of Belarus’s Authoritarianism” in *European Welfare States – Citizenship, Nationalism and Conflict* (edited by A.M. Suzycki and I.P. Karolewski),

Osnabrueck: fibre Verlag, 2013

*Belarus: A Perpetual Borderland*. Leiden, the Netherlands: Brill Academic Publishers, 2009

A Modern Nationalism along the Europe-Eurasia Border: why Post-Soviet Belarus is Different from its European Neighbors@ in *Nation and Nationalism: Political and Historical Studies* (edited by A.M. Suzsycki and I.P. Karolewski), Wrocław: Willy Brandt Zentrum, 2007

*Talcott Parsons: Economic Sociologist of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century*. (Co-edited with Laurence Moss). Malden, MA: Blackwell Publishers, 2006

A Toward Capitalism or away from Russia? Early Stage of post-Soviet Economic Reforms in Belarus and the Baltics.@ in Laurence S. Moss (ed.) *The New Political Economies*, Oxford, UK, Blackwell Publishers, 2002

*Nationalism, Rationality, and Post-Communist Market Transformation: A Comparative Analysis of Belarus, Poland and The Baltic States*. Aldershot, UK: Ashgate International Publishers, 2000

#### Other selected publications:

“The Mystery of Historical Specificity or how Geoffrey Hodgson misinterpreted Talcott Parsons’ Life and Theory.” (co-authored with Jens Kaalhaug Nielsen) *Journal of Classical Sociology*, Spring 2012.

A Introduction.@ (Co-authored with Laurence Moss). *The American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, Vol.65 No.1, 2006

A Sakhalin@, *Encyclopedia of the Arctic*, Fitzroy Dearborn, London, England, 2005

Book Review. James Van Hook, *Rebuilding Germany*, Forthcoming in *The American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, Vol. 65, No.2, 2006.

A Constructing a world fit for Marxism: Utopia and Utopistics of Professor Wallerstein.@ *The American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, Vol.66, No. 2, 2007

Book Review: Alex Callinicos, *Against the Third Way*, *The American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, Vol. 63 No.3, 2004

Book Review: Geoffrey Hodgson, *Economics and Utopia*, *The American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, Vol.62 No.4, 2003

A Toward Capitalism or away from Russia? Early Stage of post-Soviet Economic Reforms in

Belarus and the Baltics. @, *The American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, Vol.61 No.1, 2002

Book Note: Vladimir Shlapentokh, *A Normal Totalitarian Society. Johnson=s Russia List, Analytical Supplement* No.5, February 2002

Book Note: Paul Ormerod, *Butterfly Economics. The American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, Vol. 60, No. 3, 2001

AThe Property Rights Approach to Post-Soviet Economic Transformations: A Critical Analysis. @ An occasional paper at the Watson Institute for International Studies, 1999.

#### PRESENTATIONS:

Harvard University, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies. ABelarus and Russia: the Ties that Bind @. October 2002.

Harvard University, Ukrainian Research Institute. ABelarus: A Perpetual Borderland @ March 2003.

Harvard University, Ukrainian Research Institute. AWill Belarus Follow in Ukraine=s Footsteps? @. March 2005.

Eastern Economic Association Annual Conference. A Political Economies of Systemic Reforms: a Comparative Study of Systemic Economic Reforms in Germany, Britain and Russia. @ February 2003.

Eastern Economic Association Annual Conference. AIntellectual Pedigree of Economic Policies of British Labour Government, 1945-1951. @ March 2005.

#### JOURNAL REFEREE:

*The American Journal of Economics and Sociology*. Provide referee reviews of articles on the following topics:

- Transitional economies in Eastern Europe;
- Comparative economic reforms
- German Ordo-Liberalism
- Theoretical issues of economy and society

#### EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBER:

*The American Journal of Economics and Sociology*

#### OTHER PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

2002- 06 Harvard University, Ukrainian Research Institute.  
2003-04 Harvard University, Center for European Studies

**LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY**

English, Russian, Belarusian. Working knowledge of German, French, Polish, Czech, Ukrainian