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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

### Substantive

- social judgement
- intellectual humility
- basic and moral values
- cross-cultural differences

### Methodological

- measurement theory
- measurement invariance
- structural equation modeling
- multilevel modeling

## EMPLOYMENT

2022–	University of Waterloo, Canada <i>Research Associate</i> at the Department of Psychology
2011–2022	Higher School of Economics, Russia <i>Assistant Professor and Senior Research Fellow</i> at the Department of Empirical Social Science Methods
2017–2020	University Institute of Lisbon (ISCTE-IUL), Portugal <i>Research Scientist</i> at the Centre for Psychological Research and Social Intervention
2010–2017	World Bank / National Training Foundation, Russia <i>Psychometrics expert and test developer,</i>
2006	World Food Program, UN, Russia <i>Statistician and survey manager</i>
2001–2006	Russian Academy of Education, Russia <i>Junior Research Fellow</i> at Centre for Sociology of Education

## EDUCATION

2009	PhD, Social Science [Kandidat Nauk] (Cum Laude) Institute of Sociology, Russian Academy of Sciences  Thesis: <i>Basic Values of The Population: Comparison of Russians with Residents of The Other European Countries</i>
2006	MA (Licentiate), Social Psychology Sholokhov Moscow State Open University of Pedagogy, Moscow

## PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES (33)

\* The most representative § \*Shared first author

- 2025 Grossmann I., **Rudnev, M.**, ... Machery, E. Decision-making preferences for intuition, deliberation, friends or crowds in independent and interdependent societies. *Proceedings of Royal Society Series B*, 292: 20251355. <https://doi.org/10.1098/rspb.2025.1355>
- 2024 \***Rudnev, M.**, Barrett, H.C., Buckwalter, W., Machery, E., Stich, S., Barr, K., Bencherifa, A., Clancy, R.F., Crone, D.L., Deguchi, Y., Fabiano, E., Fodeman, A.D., Guennoun, B., Halamová, J., Hashimoto, T., Homan, J., Kanovský, M., Karasawa, K., Kim, H., ... Grossmann, I. Dimensions of Wisdom Perception Across Twelve Countries on Five Continents. *Nature Communications*. <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41467-024-50294-0>
- \*Fischer, R., & **Rudnev, M.**\* From Misgivings to Mis-en-scène: The Role of Invariance in Personality Science. *European Journal of Personality* (accepted) <https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/5uwmb>
- Jovanović V., **Rudnev M.**\*, Aryanto, C. B., Balgiu, B. A., Caudek, C., Datu, J. A. D., Guse, T., Kyriazos, T., Lambert, L., Mishra, K. K., Puente-Díaz, R., Rice, S. P. M., Singh, K., Sumi, K., Tong, K. K., Yaaqeib, S. I., Yıldırım, M., Zager Kocjan, G., & Žemojtel-Piotrowska, M. A Cross-Cultural Evaluation of Diener's Tripartite Model of Subjective Well-Being across 16 Countries. *Journal of Happiness Studies*, 25(82). <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10902-024-00781-4>
- 2023 Jovanović V., **Rudnev M.**\* & 127 coauthors. The Coronavirus Anxiety Scale: Cross-National Measurement Invariance and Convergent Validity Evidence. *Psychological Assessment*, 36(1). <https://doi.org/10.1037/pas0001270>
- Karakulak, A., Tepe, B., Dimitrova, R., [+127 coauthors] & **Rudnev, M.** Trust in Government Moderates the Association Between Fear of COVID-19 as Well as Empathic Concern and Preventive Behaviour. *Communications Psychology*, 1(1), 43. <https://doi.org/10.1038/s44271-023-00046-5>
- Vauclair, C.-M. & **Rudnev, M.**\* Multiple Jeopardy, National Wealth, and Perceived Discrimination: Subjective Health of Intersecting Minority Groups across 28 Countries. *Acta Sociologica*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00016993231210650>
- Tormos, R., **Rudnev, M.**\*, & Bartolomé Peral, E. Patterns of Change in the Justifiability of Euthanasia Across OECD Countries. *Frontiers in Political Science*, 5, 67. <https://doi.org/10.3389/fpos.2023.1036447>
- Vauclair, C.-M., **Rudnev, M.**\*, Hofhuis, J., & Liu, J. H. Instant messaging and relationship satisfaction across different ages and cultures. *Cyberpsychology: Journal of Psychosocial Research on Cyberspace*, 17(3). <https://doi.org/10.5817/CP2023-3-8>
- Remizova A., **Rudnev M.**\*, & Davidov E. Religious involvement across Europe: Examining its measurement comparability. *Survey Research Methods*, 17(1). <https://doi.org/10.18148/srm/2023.v17i1.8011>
- 2022 **Rudnev M.** & Vauclair C.-M. Revisiting Cowgill's Modernisation Theory: Perceived Social Status of Older Adults Across 58 Countries. *Ageing & Society*, 1-18. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0144686X22001192>

- \* Remizova A., **Rudnev M.**,\* & Davidov E. In Search of a Comparable Measure of Generalized Individual Religiosity in the World Values Survey. *Sociological Methods and Research*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00491241221077239>
- Leitgöb H., Seddig D., Asparouhov T., Behr D., Davidov E., De Rrover K., Jak S., Meitinger K., Menold N., Muthén B., **Rudnev M.**, Schmidt P., & van De Schoot R. Measurement Invariance in The Social Sciences: Historical Development, Methodological Challenges, State of The Art, and Future Perspectives. *Social Science Research*, 102805. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ssresearch.2022.102805>
- Kirkland K., Crimston C., Jetten J., **Rudnev M.** [+41 coauthors], & Bastian B. Moral Expansiveness Around the World: The Role of Societal Factors Across 36 Countries. *Social Psychological and Personality Science*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/19485506221101767>
- Jovanović V., **Rudnev M.**,\* Iqbal N., Žemojtel-Piotrowska M., & Rice S. Cross-Cultural Measurement of Positive and Negative Emotions in Adolescence: Evidence from Three Countries. *Journal of Happiness Studies*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10902-022-00521-6>
- Jovanović V., **Rudnev M.**,\* [+31 coauthors] The Satisfaction with Life Scale in Adolescent Samples: Measurement Invariance across 24 Countries and Regions, Age, and Gender. *Applied Research in Quality of Life*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11482-021-10024-w>
- 2021      \* **Rudnev M.** Caveats of Non-Ipsatization of Basic Values: A review of issues and a simulation study. *Journal of Research in Personality*, 93, 104118. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jrp.2021.104118>
- \* **Rudnev M.** Political Participation and Basic Values in Europe: Replication and Extension of Vecchione et al. (2015). *British Journal of Psychology*, 112(4). <https://doi.org/10.1111/bjop.12496>
- Vauclair C.-M. & **Rudnev M.**\* Modernization theory. In D. Gu & M. E. Dupre (eds.) *Encyclopedia of Gerontology and Population Aging*. Springer. [https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-69892-2\\_750-2](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-69892-2_750-2)
- 2020      Remizova A. & **Rudnev M.**\* Understanding the justifiability scale in international surveys: an exploratory study. *International Journal of Social Research Methodology*, 23(3). P. 291-309. <http://doi.org/10.1080/13645579.2019.1683135>
- Rudnev M.** & Vauclair C.-M., [28 coauthors], & Bastian B. Measurement invariance of the moral vitalism scale across 28 cultural groups. *Plos One*, 15(6). P. 1-11. <https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0233989>
- 2018      **Rudnev M.**, Magun V., & Schwartz S. H. Relations Among Higher Order Values Around the World. *Journal of Cross-Cultural Psychology* 49(8), 1165-1182. <http://doi.org/10.1177/0022022118782644>
- Rudnev M.** & Savelkaeva A. Public Support for the Right to Euthanasia: Impact of Traditional Religiosity and Autonomy Values Across 37 Nations. *International Journal of Comparative Sociology*, 59(4), 301-318. <http://doi.org/10.1177/0020715218787582>
- Rudnev M.** & Vauclair C.-M. The Link Between Personal Values and Frequency of Drinking Depends on Cultural Values: A Cross-Level Interaction

- Approach. *Frontiers in Psychology*, 9(1379), 1-13.  
<http://doi.org/10.3389/fpsyg.2018.01379>
- \* **Rudnev M.** Testing for invariance of latent classes: Group-as-covariate approach. In Davidov E., Schmidt P., Billiet, J., & Meuleman B. (Eds.) *Cross-cultural analysis: methods and applications, second edition*. Routledge (pp. 449-479). <https://doi.org/10.4324/9781315537078-16>
- Rudnev M.**, Lytkina E., Davidov E., & Schmidt P. Testing Measurement Invariance for a Second-Order Factor: A Cross-National Test of the Alienation Scale. *mda: methods, data, analysis*, 12(1), 47-76.  
<https://doi.org/10.12758/mda.2017.11>
- 2016 **Rudnev M.**, Magun V., & Schmidt P. Basic Human Values: Stability of Value Typology in Europe. In Voicu, M., Mochmann, I.C. & Dülmer H. (Eds.) *Values, Economic Crisis and Democracy*. Abingdon: Routledge (pp.21-50).
- \* Magun V., **Rudnev M.\***, & Schmidt P. Within- and Between-Country Value Diversity in Europe: A Typological approach. *European Sociological Review*, 32(2), 189-202. <https://doi.org/10.1093/esr/jcv080>
- 2015 Magun V. & **Rudnev M.\*** Basic Human Values of the Russians: Both Different from and Similar to Other Europeans. In L. Harrison, E. G. Yasin (eds.) *Culture Matters in Russia and Everywhere: Backdrop for the Russia-Ukraine Conflict*. Lexington Books (pp. 431-450).
- 2014 **Rudnev M.** Value Adaptation among Intra-European Migrants: Role of Country of Birth and Country of Residence. *Journal of Cross-Cultural Psychology*, 45(10), 1626 -1642. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0022022114548482>  
Dobewall H. & **Rudnev M.\*** Common and Unique Features of Schwartz's and Inglehart's Value Theories at the Country and Individual Levels. *Cross-Cultural Research*, 48 (1), 45-77. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1069397113493584>
- 2008 Magun V. & **Rudnev M.\*** Basic Values of Russians and Other Europeans: Similarities and Differences. *Russian Public Opinion Herald*, 93(1) in Russian. Unauthorized translation: Magun V., Rudnev M. (2010) The life values of the Russian population: Similarities and differences in comparison with other European countries. *Russian Social Science Review*, 51(6),  
<https://doi.org/10.1080/10611428.2010.11065411>.
- 2007 Magun V. & **Rudnev M.\*** Basic Values of Ukrainians: Comparison with 23 Other European Countries. *Russian Public Opinion Herald*, 89(3) in Russian.
- Recent preprints (3)
- Rudnev, M.**, Rodriguez de la Rosa, A. L., Barrett, R., Christakis, N. A., & Grossmann, I. (2024) Measuring intellectual humility through situated behavior: An alternative to dispositional self-reports. *PsyArXiv*, <https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/9bscz>
- Milkova, M., **Rudnev, M.\***, & Okolskaya, L. (2023) Detecting Value-Expressive Text Posts in Russian Social Media. *arXiv preprint*. cs.CL.  
<https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2312.08968>
- Russian-language papers (15): see <https://maksimrudnev.com/papers/#5>

## FUNDED RESEARCH PROJECTS

- 2024-2027 Wisdom Across Cultures Beyond Traditional Decision-Making Paradigms.  
*Templeton World Charity Foundation.* Co-applicant/Team member.
- 2020-2021 Annually reviewed and awarded funding from *Basic Research Program of HSE University.* Co-PI.
- 2017-2020 "Brave Old World? The Role of Old Age Diversity in Ageism", *CIS-Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE-IUL).* Co-Investigator.
- 2014 "Social Identity and values: cross-nation comparison", from *Basic Research Program of HSE University.* Co-investigator.
- 2013 "Personal activity in a value system: cross-nation comparisons", from *Basic Research Program of National Research University Higher School of Economics.* Co-investigator.
- 2012 "Basic and labor values and its dynamics in 1990-2000: comparison of Russia with other European countries", from *Basic Research Program of HSE University.* Co-investigator.
- 2011 "Regional specifics of models of economic attitudes and behavior among Russians", from *Basic Research Program of HSE University.* Co-investigator.
- 2009 "Socio-Psychological Study of Basic Human Values and Subjective Well-Being of Russian Youth and Analysis of Its Determinants", from *Russian Humanities Foundation.* Co-investigator.
- 2008 "Change of Social Structure, Values and Images of Russian and Ukrainian Population: Comparative Study", from *Russian Humanities Foundation.* Co-investigator.

## TEACHING

### Graduate level

- 2023 Applied Multi-Level Modeling / *University Waterloo, Canada*
- 2021 Quantitative Methods in Comparative Social Science / *European University at Saint Petersburg, Russia*
- 2020 Capabilities and Building Blocks of R Language / *Smart-BEEjS PhD program at Nottingham Trent University (online)*
- 2019 Methods of Cross-Cultural Research: Measurement invariance with JASP / *Koç University, Istanbul, Turkey, Summer School of GlobalMINDS Master program*
- 2019 Brief Introduction to R / *ISCTE – University Institute of Lisbon, Portugal*

### Undergraduate

- 2025 Introduction to Psychology / *University Waterloo*
- 2023-2025 Basic data analysis / *University Waterloo*
- 2016-2022 Data analysis and visualization with R, with a special topic on Structural equation modeling / *HSE University*
- 2012-2015 Structural equation modeling with latent variables using *Mplus* and *R* / *HSE University*
- 2012 Methods of Social Research / *HSE University*

## SOFTWARE

### *Measurement Invariance Explorer – MIE*

Collection of functions for measurement invariance tests and implementation of the stratified invariance approach. R package and Shiny Application  
<https://github.com/MaksimRudnev/MIE.package>

### *LittleHelpers*

Collection of little helpers for multilevel and multigroup analyzes.  
 R package. <https://github.com/MaksimRudnev/LittleHelpers>

### *mplus.rstudio*

RStudio add-in allowing to seamlessly run Mplus code.  
<https://github.com/MaksimRudnev/mplus.rstudio>

### *Burnout assessment tool*

Online multilingual assessment benchmarking user's burnout scores using a complex psychometric model running under the hood. R Shiny Application  
<https://theburnout.app>

# SERVICE

## EDITING

2023-2024 Associate Editor in: *Current Research in Ecological and Social Psychology (CRESP)*

## OCCASIONAL REVIEWER (23 journals)

Journals (selected)

- European Journal of Personality
- European Review of Applied Psychology
- European Sociological Review
- Journal of Cross-Cultural Psychology
- Journal of Experimental Psychology: General
- Journal of Happiness
- Journal of Personality
- Journal of Personality and Social Psychology
- Psychological Inquiry
- Public Opinion Quarterly
- Sociological Methods and Research
- Structural Equation Modeling
- Survey Research Methods

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## DISSEMINATION

*“Wisdom is a virtue, but how do we judge if someone has it?” Psyche. AEON.*

<https://psyche.co/ideas/wisdom-is-a-virtue-but-how-do-we-judge-if-someone-has-it>

*“What makes a person seem wise? Global study finds that cultures do differ – but not as much as you'd think”. The Conversation.*

<https://theconversation.com/what-makes-a-person-seem-wise-global-study-finds-that-cultures-do-differ-but-not-as-much-as-youd-think-238808>

*Trends in Basic Values of European Countries. An R Shiny Application*

<https://maksimrudnev.com/basic-values-app/>

*European Social Survey Topline results.*

Basic Human Values (pp. 28-29).

[https://www.europeansocialsurvey.org/sites/default/files/2023-06/ESS\\_Findings\\_HVS.pdf](https://www.europeansocialsurvey.org/sites/default/files/2023-06/ESS_Findings_HVS.pdf)

Over 20 publications in Russian media

<https://maksimrudnev.com/papers/#4>

Public BlueSky account

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