**Monica Bykowski**

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**Education**

**University of Notre Dame**, Notre Dame, IN Fall 2011 - Present

Doctoral Candidate, Department of History, Russian History

Master of Arts, Department of History May 2014

Advisor: Dr. Alexander Martin

Fields: Imperial Russian, Soviet Russian, Modern Europe, 19th C Global History

**Northwestern University**, Evanston, IL

Bachelor of Arts in History with Honors June 2010

Minor in Slavic Studies, Cumulative GPA: 3.71/4.00

**American Councils – Russian Language Area Studies**

Moscow International University Summer 2013

Russian State Pedagogical University Summer 2012

**Institute for the International Education of Students**, Paris, France Fall 2008

**Sorbonne Paris IV**, Paris, France

**Awards**

**Dominica and Frank Annese Fellowship in Graduate Studies, *The Nanovic Institute for European Studies*, 2015**

**Humanities Without Walls Pre-Doctoral Fellow, *Humanities Without Walls*, 2015**

**The Katie Murphy McMahon Grant for Russian and East-Central European Studies, *The Nanovic Institute for European Studies*, 2014**

**Graduate Student Research Award, *Institute for Scholarship in the Liberal Arts*, 2014**

**Professionalization Award*, Union of Graduate Historians*, 2014 & 2015**

**Summer Language Abroad Grant**, ***Center for the Study of Languages and Cultures***, 2013

**Department of State Title VIII Scholarship**, 2012 & 2013

**Advanced Language Study Grant**, *The* ***Nanovic Institute for European Studies***, 2012

**Work Experience**

**Eck Visitor Center,** *University of Notre Dame***,** Notre Dame, IN

*Customer Service Associate* and *Tour Guide*, May 2014 – Present

**Department of History,** *University of Notre Dame***,** Notre Dame, IN

*Assistant to the Director of Graduate Studies*, Spring Semester 2014

*Teaching Assistant*, Europe at War: 1900-1945, Fall 2013

*Teaching Assistant*, Modern France, Spring 2013

*Teaching Assistant*, The World since 1500, Fall 2012

**Museum of Science and Industry**, Chicago, IL

*Group Center Facilitator*, April 2011 – June 2011, Winter 2011

**Pritzker Military Library**, Chicago, IL

*History Education Intern*, November 2010 – March 2011

**The Crown Family Center for Jewish Studies**, *Northwestern University*, Evanston, IL

*Research Aide*, January 2009 – June 2010

**Office of Financial Aid**, *Northwestern University*, Chicago, IL

*Clerical Aide*, Summer 2008 and 2009

**America Reads**, *Northwestern University*, Evanston, IL

*Tutor*, September 2007 – June 2008

**Lincoln Park Zoo**, Chicago, IL

*Intern*, Summer 2006

**Professional Activities**

**Global Dome Exchange Program, Notre Dame PhD Accelerator in History and Literature,** London and Edinburgh

Presenter, “Russian Peasants and Proto-industrialization: Personal Debts, Rental Agreements, and the Money Market before 1861,” 2016

**2016 International Graduate Student Workshop Exchange,** Bielefeld University, Germany

Presenter, “Proto-industrialization in the Provinces of Russia: Household Divisions and Economic Mentalities”

**“Contemporary Russia in a Global World,” Annual International Student Scientific-Practicum Opening Conference**, International University in Moscow, 2016

**The History Museum**, South Bend, IN, Volunteer, December 2014 – May 2015

**2015 International Graduate Student Workshop Exchange**, University of Notre Dame,Presenter, “Peasant Social Structures Under Serfdom: Gagarin and Golitsyn Family Estates, 1800- 1861”

**2013 International Graduate Student Workshop Exchange**, University of Notre Dame,Presenter, “Articulating Freedom: How Serfs Learned to Write about Freedom”

**"Culture, Society, and Memory,"** **2012 International Graduate Student Workshop Exchange**, Bielefeld University, Germany

Workshop Participant

**Midwestern Russian History Workshop**, Participant, 2012-2015

**Modern European Reading Group**, Participant, 2012-2016

**2010 Northwestern Undergraduate Research Symposium**, Presenter, “Froissart: Herodotus of the Middle Ages?” Northwestern University, 2010

**"Striving for Excellence in Teaching" Certificate**, *Kaneb Center for Teaching and Learning*, University of Notre Dame, 2014

**Language Experience**

Russian

French