

RUSTAMJON URINBOYEV

CURRICULUM VITAE



1. Full names

Rustamjon Urinboyev

2. Date and place of birth

29.12.1983, Fergana, Uzbekistan

3. Current positions and date of appointment

Senior researcher

Department of Sociology of Law, Faculty of Social Sciences, Lund University, 2013– Present
Tasks: Research and teaching

University researcher

Aleksanteri Institute, Faculty of Arts, University of Helsinki, 1 Jan 2018 – Dec 2019
Tasks: Research and teaching

Associate researcher

Centre for Socio-Legal Studies, Institute of Sociology of the Russian Academy of Sciences (Saint Petersburg branch), Nov 2018 – Present

4. Education and degrees awarded

- PhD in Sociology of Law, Department of Sociology of Law, Faculty of Social Sciences, Lund University, 22 March 2013.
- Application submitted for the title of Docent in Russian and Eurasian Studies at the Aleksanteri Institute, Faculty of Arts, University of Helsinki (an official appointment decision is expected in August 2019)
- Application submitted for the title of Docent in Sociology of Law at the Department of Sociology of Law, Lund University (an official appointment decision is expected in October 2019)
- MSc in Public Policy and Human Development, Maastricht Graduate School of Governance, Maastricht University, 31 March 2009.
- LLB in International Law, Faculty of International Law, University of World Economy and Diplomacy, Uzbekistan, 27 June 2007

5. Previous appointments

Research fellow

Centre for Work, Technology and Social Change, Lund University, 2013-2014
Tasks: Research

Project assistant

Department of Sociology of Law, Faculty of Social Sciences, Lund University,

2011-2012 (3 months). Tasks: Research

Junior researcher

NGO Centre for Political Studies, Uzbekistan, 2004-2005. Tasks: Research

6. Research grants and projects

- **Principal Investigator**, “*Non-Western Migration Regimes: Migrant Illegality and Legal Adaptation in Russia and Turkey*”, Research Project funded by the University of Helsinki Three-Year Grants Programme, 2019-2022 (€450.000)
- **Co-Investigator**, “*The Multilevel Orders of Corruption: Insights from the Post-Soviet Context*”, Research Project funded by the Swedish Research Council, with PI Måns Svensson and Matthias Baier, Lund University, Department of Sociology of Law, 2019-2022 (€ 415.000)
- **Principal Investigator**, “*What’s New in New Authoritarianism*”, Research Initiation and Networking Grant, funded by Riksbankens Jubileumsfond, 2018 (€25.000) ^[1]_[SEP]
- **Individual Fellowship**, “*Migration, Shadow Economy and Parallel Legal Orders in Russia*”, Research Project funded by the European Commission H2020/Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions IF, 2018-2020 (€191.000)
- **Co-Investigator**, “*Migration, Shadow Economy and Parallel Legal Orders in Russia*”, Research Project Grant, funded by the Finnish Kone Foundation, with PI Anna-Liisa Heusala and Kaarina Aitamurto, Aleksanteri Institute, University of Helsinki, 2017-2021 (€165.000)
- **Principal Investigator**, “*MICEE: Migration and Informality in Central and Eastern Europe*”, Research Initiation and Networking Grant, funded by Riksbankens Jubileumsfond, 2018 (€26.000) ^[1]_[SEP]
- **Principal Investigator**, “*Migration and Legal Cultures in Post-Soviet Societies*”, Research Project funded by the Swedish Research Council International Postdoc Grant, 2014-2017 (€ 315.000)
- **PhD Scholarship** in the Frame of Erasmus Mundus External Cooperation Window Programme, 2009-2013 (€70.000)
- **PhD Scholarship**, Global Supplementary Grants Program, Open Society Institute, 2009-2012 (€13.500)
- **PhD Scholarship**, Guest Scholarship Programme (Swedish Institute, 2008-2009 (€20.000)
- **Full Scholarship** for MSc Public Policy and Human Development Programme at Maastricht University (Maastricht Graduate School of Governance Scholarship Fund, 2007-2008 (€20.000)

7. Editorial board memberships

- Member of the Editorial board, *Studies of Transition States and Societies*, an open-access interdisciplinary journal for the study of transition societies.

8. Supervision of doctoral and master’s level students

PhD thesis supervision

- Main supervisor: Mr. Mirzokhid Karshiev, PhD Candidate (2019-2023), Doctoral Programme in Political, Societal and Regional Change, Aleksanteri Institute, Faculty of Arts, University of Helsinki
- Co-supervisor: Mr. Davor Vuleta, PhD Candidate (2014-2020) in the Department of Sociology of Law, Lund University: Economic security and over-indebtedness among refugees in Sweden. Co-supervisor
- Co-supervisor: Ms. Cansu Bostan, PhD Candidate (2018-2022) in the Department of Sociology of Law, Lund University: Suspended at the Purgatory: Mourning, Grievability and Legality in Northern Kurdistan

Master’s thesis supervision at the Department of Sociology of Law, Lund University

- Supervised 17 students within MSc Programme in Sociology of Law, 2013-2018

9. Visiting research fellowships

- Visiting fellow, Swedish Research Institute in Istanbul, 2017
- Visiting fellow, University of Helsinki, Aleksanteri Institute, 2015-2016
- Visiting scholar, University of Copenhagen, Centre for Advanced Migration Studies, 2016
- Visiting fellow, University of Cambridge, Central Asia Forum, 2014-2015
- Visiting PhD student, Tallinn University of Technology, Department of Governance, 2012

10. Other academic and professional activities

Participation in international projects and networking

- Institutional coordinator (for Department of Sociology of Law, Lund University, €100.000), NEW MARKETS: An exploration into the changing nature of business environments, informal barriers and emerging markets in the post-Soviet region, led by Dublin City University, funded by H2020/MSCA-RISE, 2019-2023.
- Institutional coordinator (for Department of Sociology of Law, Lund University, €90.000), SHADOW: An exploration of the nature of informal economies and shadow practices in the former USSR region”, led by Dublin City University, funded by H2020/MSCA-RISE, 2018-2022.
- Coordinator (for Department of Sociology of Law, Lund University), “Student and academic staff mobility between Lund University (Sweden) and University of World Economy and Diplomacy (Uzbekistan) within the Erasmus+ ICM Programme”, 2015-2019 (€120.000).

Fieldwork experience

- Ethnographic fieldwork in Istanbul, Turkey, 2017–2019
- Ethnographic fieldwork in Fergana valley, Uzbekistan, 2009 –2019
- Ethnographic fieldwork in Moscow, Russia, 2014 –2019

Peer-reviewer for journals and academic publishers

- International Journal of Public Administration, Administrative Culture, Studies of Transition States and Societies, Central Asian Survey, Cambridge Central Asia Reviews, Palgrave, Routledge, Lexington Books

Organisation of international events

- Video conference: Crime prevention: Comparative and socio-legal perspectives, Academy of General Prosecutor’s Office of Uzbekistan, Tashkent, August 7, 2018
- International workshop: Migration and informality in Central and Eastern Europe, Lund University, Sweden (with Abel Polese and Rano Turaeva), March 26-27, 2018
- The 23rd NISPAcee annual conference, 21-23 May 2015, Tbilisi, Panel on Islamic Public Administration, Panel Chair with Wolfgang Drechsler and Abdillah bin Noh
- The 22nd NISPAcee annual conference, 22-24 May 2014, Budapest, Panel on Islamic Public Administration, Panel chair with Wolfgang Drechsler and Abdillah bin Noh

Expert work and collaboration with wider society

- Member of the expert council Buyuk Kelajak that advises Uzbek Government in designing long-term development model “Uzbekistan-2035”. Serves as an expert on law, anti-corruption and public administration, 2017-Present
- Consultant to Auto Images (Movie production company in Malmö) on documentary film about Uzbekistan, September-November, 2018

- Expert opinion for the Department for Russia, Eastern Europe and Central Asia, Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Finland, Helsinki, 2017
- Expert opinion for the Department for Eastern Europe and Central Asia, Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Stockholm, 2014

Media coverage and interviews

- Interviews (BBC Uzbek, Radio Free Europe Uzbek Service) and television appearances (Uzbekistan 24).

11. Teaching activities

MA level teaching at Lund University, Department of Sociology of Law, Lund University

- Research Methods in Social Sciences, Graduate School, Faculty of Social Sciences (2011-2013)
- Introduction to Sociology of Law, Master's Programme in Sociology of Law (2017-2019)
- Literature Review – Internship Course, within Master's Programme in Sociology of Law (2017)
- Evaluation Research (English, 15 ECTS), Graduate School, Faculty of Social Sciences (2018)

MA level teaching at the University of Helsinki, Aleksanteri Institute/Faculty of Arts

- Global processes and flows in Russia, (RUS-303, English, 5 ECTS), Master's Programme in Russian Studies (2018)
- Norms and Ethics: Global Indicators of Governance and Law in Russia (RUS-302, English, 5 ECTS), Master's Programme in Russian Studies (2018)

Guest Lecturer, Romanian National University of Political Studies and Public Administration

- Law, Society and Corruption in Post-Socialist Societies (English)
- Migration Governance in Russia

BA and MA level teaching at the University of World Economy and Diplomacy, Guest Lecturer within the Erasmus+ International Credit Mobility Programme

- Introduction to Sociology of Law (English)
- Research Methods in Social Sciences (English)
- Academic Writing (English)

Tutor

- International Summer School for Russian and Eurasian Studies, organised by the Finnish-Russian Network for Russian and Eurasian Studies in Social Science and Humanities (FRRESH), Orilampi, 21-25 August, 2018.
- Literature review and academic writing, four-month internship programme for five master's level students at the Department of Sociology of Law, Lund University, 2017.

12. List of Publications

Peer Reviewed Scientific Articles

Polese, A., Urinboyev, R., Kerikmäe, T., Rekhviashvili, L., & Murru, S. (2018). Negotiating Spaces and the Public -Private Boundary: Language Policies vs Language Use Practices in Odessa. *Space and Culture*, 1-17

Urinboyev, R., Polese, A., Svensson, M., Adams, L. L., & Kerikmäe, T. (2018). Political vs Everyday Forms of Governance in Uzbekistan: the Illegal, Immoral and Illegitimate Politics and Legitimacy in Post- Soviet Eurasia. *Studies of Transition States and Societies*, 10(1), 50–64.

Urinboyev, R. and Polese, A., (2016). Informality Currencies: A Tale of Misha, His Brigada and Informal Practices among Uzbek Labour Migrants in Russia. *Journal of Contemporary Central and Eastern Europe*, 24 (3), 191–206.

Urinboyev, R., Wickenberg, P., and Leo, U., (2016). Child Rights, Classroom and School Management: A Systematic Literature Review. *International Journal of Children's Rights*, 24 (3), 499–521.

Vargas, A.M. and Urinboyev, R., (2015). Everyday Forms of Resistance to the Law: An Ethnographic Study of Street Vendors in Bogotá. *Droit et Société*, 3 (91), 623–638.

Urinboyev, R., (2015). Local Government Capacity in Post-Soviet Central Asia. *Public Policy and Administration*, 14 (3), 177–199.

Noh, A., Drechsler, W., and Urinboyev, R., (2014). Islamic Public Administration: First Explorations in the Former Second World (and other Regions). *Administrative Culture*, 15 (2), 120–122.

Urinboyev, R., (2014). Is There an Islamic Public Administration Legacy in Post-Soviet Central Asia? An Ethnographic Study of Everyday Mahalla Life in Rural Ferghana, Uzbekistan. *Administrative Culture*, 15 (2), 35–57.

Urinboyev, R. and Svensson, M., (2013). Living Law, Legal Pluralism, and Corruption in Post-Soviet Uzbekistan. *The Journal of Legal Pluralism and Unofficial Law*, 45 (3), 372–390.

Svensson, M., Wigerfelt, A., and Urinboyev, R., (2013). Diskriminering och Psykosocial Ohälsa: Migrantarbetare i Jordbruket. (Discrimination and Psychosocial Health: Migrant Workers in Agriculture). *Arbetsmarknad & Arbetsliv*, 19 (2), 41–54.

Svensson, M., Urinboyev, R., and Åström, K., (2012). Welfare as a Means for Political Stability: A Law and Society Analysis. *European Journal of Social Security*, 14 (2), 64–85.

Urinboyev, R., (2011). Law, Social Norms and Welfare as Means of Public Administration: Case Study of Mahalla Institutions in Uzbekistan. *The NISPAcee Journal of Public Administration and Policy*, 4 (1), 33–57.

Book Reviews

Urinboyev, R., 2019. Why Control Immigration? Strategic Uses of Migration Management in Russia. By Caress Schenk. Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2018. xvi, 374 pp. Appendix. Notes. Bibliography. Index. Figures. Tables. \$71.25, hard bound. *Slavic Review*, 78 (2), 529–533.

Chapters in international research books

Urinboyev, R. (forthcoming 2018). Corruption in Post-Soviet Uzbekistan. In A. Farazmand ed. *Global Encyclopedia of Public Administration, Public Policy, and Governance*. Berlin: Springer.

Urinboyev, R. (forthcoming 2018). Local Government in Uzbekistan. In A. Farazmand ed. *Global Encyclopedia of Public Administration, Public Policy, and Governance*. Berlin: Springer.

Urinboyev, R. (2018). Migration, Transnationalism, and Social Change in Central Asia: Everyday Transnational Lives of Uzbek Migrants in Russia. In: M. Laruelle and C. Schenk eds. *Eurasia on the Move. Interdisciplinary Approaches to a Dynamic Migration Region*. Washington DC: The George Washington University, Central Asia Program, 27-41

Adams, L., Svensson, M and Urinboyev, R., (2018). Everyday Governance in Post-Soviet Uzbekistan. In: D.L. Burghart and T. Sabonis-Helf eds. *Central Asia in the Era of Sovereignty*. Boulder, CO: Lexington Books, 487-508.

Urinboyev, R. (2018). Mahalla. In: A. Ledeneva, ed. *The Global Encyclopaedia of Informality: Understanding Social and Cultural Complexity*. London: UCL Press, 69–72.

Urinboyev, R. and Polese, A., (2017). Informality Currencies: A Tale of Misha, His Brigada and Informal Practices among Uzbek Labour Migrants in Russia. In: A. Polese, L. Rekhviashvili, B. Kovács and J. Morris eds. *Post-Socialist Informalities: Power, Agency and the Construction of Extra-Legalities from Bosnia to China*. London: Routledge

Urinboyev, R. and Svensson, M., (2017). Corruption, Social Norms and Everyday Life in Uzbekistan. In: I. Kubbe and A. Engelbert, eds. *Corruption and Norms: Why Informal Rules Matter*. Basingstoke: Palgrave, 187-210

Urinboyev, R., (2017). Establishing ‘Uzbek Mahalla’ via Smartphones and Social Media: Everyday Transnational Lives of Uzbek Labour Migrants in Russia. In: M. Laruelle, ed. *Constructing the Uzbek State: Narratives of Post-Soviet Years*. Boulder, CO: Lexington Books, 119–148.

Urinboyev, R., (2016). Migration and Transnational Informality in Post-Soviet Societies: Ethnographic Study of ‘Po Rukam’ Experiences of Uzbek Migrant Workers in Moscow. In: A.-L. Heusala and K. Aitamurto, eds. *Migrant Workers in Russia: Global Challenges of the Shadow Economy in Societal Transformation*. London: Routledge, 70–93.

Urinboyev, R. and Svensson, M., (2014). Rethinking Corruption in Post-Soviet Uzbekistan: Ethnography of ‘Living Law’. In: K. Papendorf, S. Machura, and A. Hellum, eds. *Eugen Ehrlich’s Sociology of Law*. Zürich/Berlin: LIT Verlag, 207–238.

Urinboyev, R. and Svensson, M., (2013). Corruption in a Culture of Money: Understanding Social Norms in Post-Soviet Uzbekistan. In: M. Baier, ed. *Social and Legal Norms*. Farnham: Ashgate, 267–284.

Peer-Reviewed Working Papers

Urinboyev, R. (2019). Everyday Corruption and Social Norms in Post-Soviet Uzbekistan. *GLD Working Paper Series* No 19. The Program on Governance and Local Development, University of Gothenburg.

Books

Urinboyev, R. (manuscript submitted, forthcoming 2020). *Central Asian Migrants in Russia: Legal Adaptation in Hybrid Political Regimes*. (contract signed) University of California Press

Urinboyev, R. and Svensson, M (forthcoming 2019). *Law, Society and Corruption: Lessons from the Post-Soviet Context*. (contract signed), Routledge

Edited books

Polese A, Turaeva R and Urinboyev, R (in preparation), *Mobilities and Informality in Former Socialist Spaces*, to be published with Palgrave (International Political Economy series), end 2019 or early 2020

Published development or research report or study

Rönkkö, K., Urinboyev, R., Svensson, M., Svensson, L., and Carlsson, H., (2017). Literature Review of Social Media in Professional Organisations 2000-2015: Work, Stress, Power Relations, Leadership, Librarians, Teachers, and Social Workers. Kristianstad: Kristianstad University Press.

Svensson, M., Wigerfelt, A.S., Urinboyev, R., Nilsson, U., Littorin, M., Lundqvist, P., Nyström, B., Westregård, A., Bohgard, M., Alkan-Olsson, J., and Albin, M., (2015). Migrantarbetare inom Jordbruket – Arbetsmiljö och Arbetsvillkor. (Migrant Workers in Agriculture – Work Environment and Working Conditions) Lund: Arbetsliv i Omvandling.

Svensson, M., Urinboyev, R., Wigerfelt, A.S., Nilsson, U., Littorin, M., Lundqvist, P., Nyström, B., Westregård, A., Bohgard, M., Alkan-Olsson, J., and Albin, M., (2012). Kunskapsöversikt: migrantarbete inom den gröna näringen. (Knowledge Compilation: Migrant Workers in the Green Sector). Stockholm: Arbetsmiljöverket.

Popularized articles, newspaper articles

Urinboyev, R., (2017). Arbeitsmigration Und Schattenwirtschaft in Russland (Migration and Shadow Economy in Russia). Religion und Gesellschaft in Ost und West, 7-8, 18–19

Urinboyev, R., (2017). Perestrojka à la Usbekistan? (Perestroika in Uzbekistan?) Religion und Gesellschaft in Ost und West, 3, 10–11

Urinboyev, R., (2016). Migration and Parallel Legal Orders in Russia. Aleksanteri Insight Expert Opinion Series. Helsinki: Aleksanteri Institute, University of Helsinki. Available at: http://www.helsinki.fi/aleksanteri/english/insight/AI_16_4.pdf

Theses

Doctoral dissertation (articles)

Urinboyev, R., (2013) (PhD Thesis, Introductory chapter and 4 articles), *Living Law and Political Stability in Post-Soviet Central Asia. A Case Study of the Ferghana Valley in Uzbekistan*. Lund Studies in Sociology of Law. Media Tryck: Lund. 220 p.