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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

08/2021—Present **UVA McIntire School of Commerce** **Charlottesville, VA**
Lecturer of Commerce

EDUCATION

10/2014 – 07/2021 **IE Business School** **Madrid, Spain**

PhD in Marketing (with honors)

Dissertation: Macro-Level Perspectives on Consumer Brand Preference.

Committee: Prof. Antonios Stamatogiannakis (Advisor), Prof. Nicholas Lurie, Prof. Haiyang Yang, Prof. Dilney Goncalves, Prof. Kriti Jain.

IE Business School is AACSB, EFMD, and AMBA accredited.

01/2019 – 05/2019 **UConn School of Business** **Storrs, CT**

Visiting research scholar – Under supervision of Prof. Nicholas Lurie.

09/2011 – 09/2014 **Graduate School of Management,
St. Petersburg State University** **St. Petersburg,
Russia**

PhD in Economic Sciences (Russia: Kandidat Naouk)

Dissertation: Measurement of Corporate Rebranding Performance.

GSOM SPbSU is EQUIS, AMBA, ACCA accredited.

12/2012 – 07/2013 **ESADE School of Business** **Barcelona, Spain**

Visiting research scholar – Under supervision of Prof. Oriol Iglesias.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Macro-level influences on consumer brand preference

How do *terrorist attacks* such as 9/11 and *viral pandemics* such as COVID-19 affect brand preference?
Can the outcomes of *political elections* influence brand preference?

Psychology of technology

How to encourage the use of *sustainable data management* practices?
How do consumers perceive *censorship of controversial content*?

PUBLICATIONS & BOOK CHAPTERS

Luffarelli J., Delre S.A., and **Landgraf, P.** (Forthcoming), How has the Effect of Brand Personality on Customer-Based Brand Equity Changed over Time? Longitudinal Evidence from a Panel Data Set Spanning 18 Years, *Journal of the Academy of Marketing Science*.

Guha, S., and **Landgraf, P.** (2021). [Sustainable Data Management](#), in: *Handbook of Sustainability-driven Business Strategies in Practice*. Edward Elgar.

Iglesias, O., **Landgraf, P.**, Ind, N., Markovic, S., and Koporcic, N. (2020), [Corporate Brand Identity Co-Creation in Business-to-Business Contexts](#), *Industrial Marketing Management*, 85(2), 32-43.

WORKING PAPERS

The Psychology of Consumer-Driven Media Censorship— with T.Kim
Under review at *Journal of Consumer Research*

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WORKING PAPERS (CONTD.)

How New Product Names Can Influence Funding Outcomes on Crowdfunding Platforms— with A. Stamatogiannakis and J. Luffarelli

1st round R&R at *Journal of Product Innovation Management*

The Impact of Mortality Salience on Brand Preference—with A. Stamatogiannakis and H. Yang

1st round R&R at *International Journal of Research in Marketing*

How Political Elections Impact Brand Evaluations— with A. Stamatogiannakis and H. Yang

In preparation for submission to *Journal of Marketing*

Movement means life: Mortality salience influences preference for dynamic brand logos— with A. Jacubanecs, A. Stamatogiannakis and S. Fedorikhin

In preparation for submission to *Journal of Marketing Research*

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Consumer Reactions to Positive and Negative Events in the Metaverse— with T. Kim and R. Raveendhran

- Recipient of UVA Batten Institute Research Grant 2020 (\$8,682)

Approaching Data Sustainability: How to Nudge Consumers (and Firms) to Adopt Sustainable Data Management Practices

- Award winner in the 2021 EMAC-Sheth Foundation Sustainability Research Competition (€5,000)

How Political Polarization Affects Persuasiveness of Consumer Reviews— with N. Lurie, A. Stamatogiannakis, and S. Calderon

The Impact of Digital Avatars on Persuasion – with A. Stamatogiannakis

PROCEEDINGS & OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Landgraf, P., N. Lurie, A. Stamatogiannakis, and S. Calderon (2020), [Emotionality and Language Norms in Consumer Reviews: the Curious Case of Emoji](#), in *NA - Advances in Consumer Research*, Volume 48, pp: 1226-1226.

Landgraf, P., A. Stamatogiannakis, and H. Yang (2019), [How Political Elections Impact Brand Equity](#), in *NA - Advances in Consumer Research*, Volume 47, pp: 980-980.

Landgraf, P., A. Stamatogiannakis, and H. Yang (2018), [How Mortality Salience Shapes Consumers' Responses to Brands](#), in *NA - Advances in Consumer Research*, Volume 46, pp: 668-669.

Landgraf, P., A. Stamatogiannakis, and H. Yang (2018), [How Mortality Salience Shapes Consumer Evaluations of Brands](#), in *E – European Advances in Consumer Research*, Volume 11, pp: 174-175.

Landgraf, P., and A. Stamatogiannakis (2018), [Don't Trust the Humans: The Impact of Avatars on Persuasion](#), in *E – European Advances in Consumer Research*, Volume 11, pp: 92-93.

Landgraf, P., A. Stamatogiannakis, and H. Yang (2017), [2-P: How Mortality Salience Impacts Consumers' Preference for Brands](#), in *NA - Advances in Consumer Research Volume*, 45, pp: 1042-1042.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

The Psychology of Consumer-Driven Media Censorship— with T. Kim

2022 ACR (Denver, CO)

Movement means life: Mortality salience influences preference for dynamic brand logos— with A. Jacubanecs, A. Stamatogiannakis and S. Fedorikhin

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Approaching Data Sustainability: How to Nudge Consumers (and Firms) to Adopt Sustainable Data Management Practices

2021 EMAC (online)

Emotionality and Language Norms in Consumer Reviews: The Curious Case of Emoji—with N. Lurie, A. Stamatogiannakis, and S. Calderon

2020 ACR (online)

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PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS (CONTD.)

The Impact of Mortality Saliency on Brand Preference—with A. Stamatogiannakis and H. Yang

- 2021 Invited talk at McIntire School of Commerce, UVA (online); Invited talk at ESCP Business School (online)
- 2020 Invited talk at ALBA Graduate School of Business (online)
- 2019 41st ISMS Marketing Science (Rome, Italy)
- 2018 ACR (Dallas, TX, USA); European ACR (Ghent, Belgium); 47th EMAC (Glasgow, UK)
- 2017 ACR (San Diego, CA, USA)

How Political Elections Impact Brand Equity—with A. Stamatogiannakis and H. Yang

- 2019 ACR (Atlanta, GA, USA)

The Impact of Digital Avatars on Persuasion—with A. Stamatogiannakis

- 2018 European ACR (Ghent, Belgium); 47th EMAC (Glasgow, UK)

TEACHING INTERESTS

Core Courses— Quantitative Methods & Data Analytics, Marketing Research, Brand Management, Principles of Marketing, Consumer Behavior

Electives—Experiments for Business, Digital Sustainability (sample syllabi available on request)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

McIntire School of Commerce**Charlottesville, VA, 2021—Present***Master in Global Commerce – Global Market Research & Analytics, Analysis for Decision-Making in a Global Context**Undergraduate – COMM3330: Marketing Research Techniques, Independent study*

Lecturer.

UConn School of Business**Storrs, CT. 2019***Undergraduate – 3101 Intro to Marketing Management*

Guest instructor (delivered a case study on pricing)

IE Business School**Madrid, Spain. 2016 – 2017***Doctorate in Business Administration (DBA) – Quantitative Methods*

Teaching assistant. Evaluations: 4.75 / 5 (2017); 4.39 / 5 (2016).

Master in Management – Marketing

Member of examination committee. Evaluations: N/A.

**Graduate School of Management,
St. Petersburg State University****St. Petersburg, Russia. 2013 – 2014***Master in International Business / International Technology and Innovation Management – Consulting projects*

Scientific adviser. Evaluations: N/A.

Bachelor in Management – Service Marketing

Guest lecturer. Evaluations: N/A.

Bachelor in Management – Marketing Management

Teaching assistant (including lecturing). Evaluations: 7.91 / 10.

Bachelor in Management – Brand Management

Teaching assistant (including lecturing). Evaluations: N/A.

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GRANTS, AWARDS, & SERVICE

Grants

- UVA Batten Institute Research Grant - \$8,682.

Awards

- Award winner in the 2021 EMAC-Sheth Foundation Sustainability Research Competition (€5,000).

Service

- 2021 Ad hoc Reviewer: Psychology & Marketing, European Journal of Management and Business Economics.
- 2017 – 2020 EMAC Conference: Reviewer.
- 2017 – 2018 European ACR: Reviewer.
- 2016 Academy of Marketing Science Conference: Reviewer.
- 2016 IE Business School Doctoral Consortium: Co-organizer.

SKILLS, EXPERIENCE & INTERESTS

Skills

- *Experimental*. Lab (IRB CITI Certification for Social/Behavioral Research with Human Subjects, exp. 01/23/2022); Online (Amazon Mechanical Turk, Prolific, Qualtrics); Natural (Difference-in-Differences on Secondary data).
- *Econometric analysis*. SPSS, Stata, R.
- *Qualitative & Text analysis*. Atlas.ti (Collection and analysis of narrative interviews); Fuzzy-set Qualitative Comparative Analysis (COMPASSS); LIWC (Linguistic Inquiry and Word Count), The Evaluative Lexicon 2.0.

Industry experience

- 2012 – 2014 *Manager at the Center for Strategic Marketing and Innovations*; Research Center, Graduate School of Management, St. Petersburg State University. Support of ongoing research projects; organization of seminars, guest lectures, and visits; collaboration with data providers (e.g., national patent data Rospatent).
- 2011 *Administrative Assistant to Head of Production*; Philip Morris International.

Case competitions

- *Organized by industry*. L'Oréal Brandstorm (*National finalist*, 2011); HENKEL Innovation Challenge (*National finalist*, 2011); DANONE Trust Competition (*National finalist*, 2011); KPMG International Case Competition (*Local finalist*, 2011); Viva Portugal Marketing Competition (*National finalist*, 2011).
- *Organized by academic institutions*. Times by ESTIEM (European Students of Industrial Engineering and Management Organization; *Semifinalist*, Norway, 2011); Times by ESTIEM (European Students of Industrial Engineering and Management Organization; *Semifinalist*, Sweden, 2010); Annual University Case Competition (St. Petersburg State University for Engineering and Economics; *Winner*, St. Petersburg, Russia, 2010); Annual Inter-University Case Competition "Case-SPb" (*Winner*, St. Petersburg, Russia, 2010).

Languages

- Russian (native), English (fluent), Spanish (basic).

Other interests

- Contemporary politics & propaganda, ethics of futurism, cooking (Greek & Russian dishes).