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Visiting Assistant Professor of Business Administration.  
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### Education

- Ph.D., Corporate Strategy, University of Michigan, 2004
- MBA, University of Northern Iowa, 1998
- MS, Low Temperature Physics & Technology, Moscow Power Engineering Institute and Dresden Technical University, 1989.

### Publications

#### Articles in Journals

- Sleptsov, A., Anand, J., Vasudeva, G. 2013. Relational Configurations with Information Intermediaries: The Effect of Firm-Investment Bank Ties on Expected Acquisition Performance. *Strategic Management Journal*, 34: 957-977
- Sleptsov, A., Anand, J. 2008. Exercising entrepreneurial opportunities: The role of information-gathering and information-processing capabilities of the firm. *Strategic Entrepreneurship Journal*, 2: 15

### Presentations

- Sleptsov, A., Weigelt, C. 2012. Why Mergers and Acquisitions advice rarely pays off: ineffective advisors or



experience incompatibility, Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Boston.

- Sleptsov, A., Cardinal, L. 2010. Short-circuiting information flows: Effects of the firm's structure and internal networks on its innovation output, Strategic Management Society, Rome.
- Sleptsov, A., Weigelt, C. 2009. The complexity of learning in acquisitions: Advisor effects, Strategic Management Society, Washington, D.C.
- Sleptsov, A. 2008. The double-edged sword of proximal relationships: An analysis of firm-investment bank ties, Academy of Management Annual Meeting.
- Sleptsov, A., Dastidar, P. 2007. Cross-border acquisition waves: Country and industry effects, Academy of Management Annual Meeting.

## Chapters in books

Sleptsov, A. 2010. Allure and danger of the boutiques: The influence of the specialization of investment bank on the acquirer's performance. In S. Finkelstein and C. Cooper (Ed.), *Advances in Mergers and Acquisitions*, 13

## Honors and Awards

Spring 2011 Teachers Ranked as Excellent List, University of Illinois in Urbana-Champaign, 2011.

## Service activities

Presenter - Invited, Strategic Management Research Seminar Series, State University - Higher School of Economics, 2013.