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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Dates (from – to)	Since March <b>2021</b>
Name and address of employer	<b>Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (BAS)</b> , 1, „15 Noemvri“ Str., 1040 Sofia, Bulgaria

Occupation or position held	<b>Member of the Management Board of the BAS</b>
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Dates (from – to)	Since <b>1988</b>
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Name and address of employer	<b>Economic Research Institute at the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (ERI-BAS)</b> , 3, Aksakov str., 1040 Sofia, Bulgaria
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Type of business or sector	Department “Macroeconomics”
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Occupation or position held	<b>Full Professor</b>
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Since **October 2023** – Acting Head of Department "Macroeconomics"

Since **February 2021** – Deputy Director - ERI-BAS

**2018 - January 2021** - Deputy Chairman of the Scientific Council at the ERI-BAS

Since **December 2021** – Chairman of the Testimonial committee at the ERI-BAS

Since **2017** - Member of the Testimonial committee at the ERI-BAS

Since **2016** - Member of the Scientific council at the ERI-BAS

Main activities and responsibilities
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- Research, applied research, expert and review activities, participation in scientific forums and events in the following **research areas**: incomes, expenses, consumption and purchasing power of the population; social protection of the population and the consumers; social aspects of tax policy; social policy; family support policy; social aspects of the shadow economy; child and family welfare; equal treatment of women and gender equality; human capital; education and science; economic theories.

- Administrative, organisational and managerial activity.

Dates (from – to)
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Name and address of employer	<b>1998 – 2011</b> <b>University of National and World Economy (UNWE)</b> , “Hristo Botev” str., Students town, 1700 Sofia, Bulgaria
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Type of business or sector	Chair for General Economics, Department “Political Economy”, sector “Social and Economic Theories”
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Occupation or position held	Assoc. Prof. in discipline “History of Economic Theories”
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Main activities and responsibilities	Lectures for students
Dates (from – to)	<b><u>2006 - 2012</u></b>
Name and address of employer	<b>University of Agribusiness and Rural Development</b> , branch Pazardjik, 31, “Georgi Penev” str., 4400 Pazardjik, Bulgaria.
Occupation or position held	Assoc. Prof. in discipline “History of Economic Doctrines”
Main activities	Lectures for students
Dates (from – to)	<b><u>2002 – 2007</u></b>
Name and address of employer	<b>Master Programs in Finance and Management at the ERI-BAS in cooperation with Veliko Tarnovo University “St.St. Kirill and Methody”</b> , 3, Aksakov str., 1040 Sofia, Bulgaria
Type of business or sector	Program for non-economists
Occupation or position held	Assoc. Prof. in discipline “Economic Doctrines”
Main activities and responsibilities	Lectures for students
<b>EDUCATION AND TRAINING</b>	
Dates (from – to)	<b><u>1976-1981</u></b>
Name and type of organization providing education and training	<b>Moscow State University “M. V. Lomonosov”</b> , chair for General Economy
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Discipline “Political Economy”
Title of qualification awarded	Economist, Lecturer in discipline “Political economy”
Level in national classification	Master Degree
Dates (from – to)	<b><u>1982-1986</u></b>
Name and type of organization providing education and training	<b>Economic Research Institute at the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences</b> , 3 Aksakov str., 1040 Sofia, Bulgaria
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Postgraduate at the department “Living Standard and Social Problems”
Title of qualification awarded	Ph.D. in Economics for the thesis "Real incomes of population - formation and trend in changes" awarded by the Bulgarian Specialized Council for Economics ( <b>1988</b> ).
MOTHER TONGUE	Russian
OTHER LANGUAGES	English
• Understanding	Listening <b>B 1</b> Reading <b>C 1</b>
• Speaking	Spoken interaction <b>B 2</b> Spoken production <b>B 2</b>

• Writing

## C 1

SOCIAL SKILLS  
AND COMPETENCES  
ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS  
AND COMPETENCES  
COMPUTER SKILLS  
AND COMPETENCES

*Good social and communicative skills; competences in working in a team*

*Good organisational skills*

*Computer literacy – Windows, MS Office*

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

**1988** – Ph.D. in Economics

**1988** – 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Research Fellow

**1993** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Research Fellow

**1995** – 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Research Fellow

**2000** – Scientific Degree Senior Research Fellow

**2010** – Assoc. Professor

**2019** – Full Professor

**1988** - Medal, Certificate and Cash for Winning the **National Young Researcher's Publication Competition** in Social Sciences.

**2014** – Jubilee diploma and award in a **Competition for Excellent Scientific Achievements in the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences** on the occasion of the 145<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Academy in a research field “Man and Society” for collective monograph: **Kirova, A.**, Zareva, I., Matev, M. *Preservation and Development of Human Capital in Education and Science in Bulgaria*. Sofia: Publishing House of the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences “Prof. Marin Drinov”, 2012.

**2015** – Diploma in a **Competition for Excellent Scientific Achievements in the Union of Scientists in Bulgaria 2015**, for collective monographs: **Kirova, A.**, Zareva, I., Matev, M., (2012). *Preservation and Development of Human Capital in Education and Science in Bulgaria*. Sofia: Publishing House of the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences “Prof. Marin Drinov”, and Zareva, I., Matev, M., **Kirova, A.**, (2014). *Higher Education and Science in Bulgaria. Economic, Social and Gender Dimensions*. Sofia: Publishing House of the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences “Prof. Marin Drinov”.

**2018** - The professional biography of Assoc. Prof. A. Kirova is included in the directory of the Scientific Archive of BAS: *Zhenite v istoriyata na akademichnata nauka v Bŭlgariya „Khabilitiranite zheni v BAN“/ Women in the History of Academic Science in Bulgaria "The Habilitated Women in BAS"* ( p. 152). Sofia: ROPRINT, 2018.

Member of the **Union of Scientists in Bulgaria**

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**Web of Science Research ID:** B-6874-2014

**ResearchGate:** [https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Alla\\_Kirova](https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Alla_Kirova)

ANNEXES: 1. RESEARCH AND APPLIED ACTIVITIES  
2. SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

**Annex 1. PARTICIPATION IN RESEARCH AND APPLIED RESEARCH  
PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES** (the final dates are pointed)

- Joint research project within the ERI-BAS research programme **“Social Protection of the Poor, Unemployed and Consumers” – 1993**
- Joint research project within the ERI-BAS research programme **“Inflation and Incomes of the Population” – 1994**
- Joint research project within the ERI-BAS research programme **“Incomes and Expenses of the Population – changes, problems and perspectives” – 1995**
- Joint research project within the ERI-BAS research programme **“Reform in the social field during the transition to a market economy”**, with financial support from the foundation “Open Society” – **1996**
- Joint applied research of the ERI-BAS **“Unregulated economic activity (the shadow economy)”**, ordered by the National Assembly of Republic Bulgaria – **1997**
- Joint research project within the ERI-BAS research programme **“Family Social Policies – problems, priorities and implementation”**, with financial support from the foundation “Open Society” – **1997**
- Member of interinstitutional working group at the Ministry of Labor and Social Policy of Bulgaria, Dep. “Social Assistance”, working out **Draft of the Law for Family benefits and child allowances – 1998**
- Joint research project within the ERI-BAS research programme **“Social Challenges of the Shadow Economy”**, with financial support from the foundation “Konrad Adenauer” – **1999**
- National expert in the development of two **National Surveys for Bulgaria: Sector “Social assistance” and Sector “Family benefits for Children”** for the Consensus research program “Monitoring the Development of Social Protection Reform in the CEECs – Part 2” under the **PHARE program – 1999**
- Expert at the Bulgarian Gender Research Foundation in working out the **Survey for Bulgaria “Social Environment and Standards at the Working Place in Garment Industry”** within the international project under the Clean Clothes Campaign (with financial support from “The Human Rights at Work Foundation” - Switzerland) – **2001**
- Research project within the ERI-BAS research programme: Stoyanova, K., Kirova, A. **“Priorities and Policies for Child Welfare”**, with financial support from the foundations “The Christian Children’s Fund of Great Britain” and “The European Children’s Trust” – **2002**
- Research project within the ERI-BAS research programme: Stoyanova, K., Kirova, A. **“Socioeconomic Infrastructure and Guarantees for Equal Treatment of Women in Bulgaria”**, with financial support from the Centre for Women Searches and Policy – **2004**
- Participation in developing and delivering lectures at project seminars, and in analysis and estimation of the empirical data from the implemented during the seminars inquiry surveys within **“Raising Gender Sensitiveness Project within the Program relating to the Community Framework Strategy on Gender Equality (2001-2005)”**, financed by the European Commission and implemented by the Ministry of Labor and Social Policy – **2004**
- Researcher, expert and lecturer within the project **“Creating a system of gender mainstreaming indicators for evaluating the quality and effectiveness of the measures in the Labor Market. Seating capacity for applying the gender mainstreaming approach in the Labor Market”**, ordered by the Ministry of Labor and Social Policy, implemented by the Centre for Women Searches and Policy (participation in the following activities: 1. Elaboration of the report **“Concept and Indicators for gender equal treatment”**; 2. Working out the syllabus and Power Point Presentation for the training course in the disciplines **“Gender equal treatment in the Labor Market, Employment, Social Security and Income Taxation”** and **“Gender Mainstreaming Indicators”**; 3. Lectures for state officers at 6-day training seminars, organised by the Ministry of Labor and Social Policy) – **2005**
- Research project within the ERI-BAS research programme: K. Stoyanova, A. Kirova **“Gender differences in male and female participation in paid and unpaid work” – 2006**
- Applied research: Stoyanova, K., Kirova, A. **“Key indicators for equal treatment of women and men in Bulgaria in the spheres of labor, education, health and family”**, ordered by the Ministry of Labor and Social Policy – **2007**

- Research project within the ERI-BAS research programme: Kirova, A. **“New Keynesian Doctrine – microeconomic foundations and connection with the macroeconomic policy”** – 2009
- Joint research project within the ERI-BAS research programme **“Preservation and Development of Human capital in Education and Science in Bulgaria”** – 2011
- Joint research project within the ERI-BAS research programme **“Higher Education and Science in Bulgaria at the beginning of the XXI century”** – 2013
- Joint research project within the ERI-BAS research programme **“Bulgaria in the South-eastern European Higher Education and Research Area”** – 2016
- Common international research project between BAS and Macedonian Academy of Sciences and Arts **“Bulgarian-Macedonian scientific and innovation cooperation: Balkan and European perspectives”** – 2017
- Research project within the ERI-BAS research programme: Zareva, I., Kirova, A. **“Academic sphere and business in Bulgaria – possibilities for extension of the cooperation”** – 2020
- Current research project within the ERI-BAS research programme: Zareva, I., Kirova, A. **“Impact of COVID-19 on human capital in Bulgaria: demographic and educational dimensions”**
- Current applied research project **LIFE „FLAG FICET – Financial instrument for clean energy transition”** financed by the European Climate, Infrastructure and Environment Executive Agency (CINEA), № 101076662 - LIFE21-CET-PDA-FLAG FICET - LIFE-2021-CET. Project coordinator - Fund FLAG, project beneficiaries - Club “Economika 2000” and Economic Research Institute at Bulgarian Academy of Sciences. – **01.10.2022-31.09.2025**
- Current joint research project **“Adapting the labour market to socio-economic dynamics, technological modernisation, demographic change, and educational restructuring in the context of euro area membership”**, financed by the Bulgarian National Science Fund. Participating organizations: Sofia University "St. Kliment Ohridski", Faculty of Economics and Business Administration (project coordinator) and Economic Research Institute at Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (partner) – **12.2023-12.2026**

## **Annex 2. SELECTED PUBLICATIONS** (*in Bulgarian unless another language is specified*)

Total number of publications is over 90. As of January 2024, 296 citations of A. Kirova's publications or with her participation are registered.

### **BOOKS AND CHAPTERS**

1. **Kirova, A.** (1994). 2 sections at the chapter IV “Social protection of the consumers” (pp. 100-107, 112-124). – In: *Social protection for the poor, unemployed and consumers during the transition to market economy*. Sofia: Prof. Marin Drinov Publishing House of Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, 149 p. ISBN 954-430-248-4
2. **Kirova, A.** (1995). Chapter 5 “Inflation and pensions” (pp. 73-85) and chapter 7 “Inflationary actualization of the incomes in the public sector” (pp. 91-100). – In: *Inflation and incomes of the population* (Atanasov, B., Velez, B., **Kirova, A.**). Sofia: Prof. Marin Drinov Publishing House of Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, 110 p. ISBN 954-430-367-7
3. **Kirova, A.** (1996). Chapter 7 “Social aspects of tax policy” (pp. 95-110). – In: *Social Reform*. Sofia: Ciela, 192 p. ISBN 954-649-066-0
4. **Kirova, A.** (1997). Chapter 2 “Social-economic support to families in risk” (pp. 57-100). – In: *Family social policy*. Sofia: GorexPress, 215 p. ISBN 954-616-028-8
5. **Kirova, A.** (1999). Chapter 2 “Financial and credit activities in the zone of obscurity” (pp. 37-60) and chapter 5 “The Shadow economy and consumer’s protection” (pp. 121-145). – In: Stoyanova, K., Kirova, K., **Kirova, A.** *Social challenges of the shadow economy*. Sofia: GorexPress, 147 p. ISBN 954-616-052-0  
[http://www.iki.bas.bg/RePEc/BAS/ecbook/B\\_ShadowEconomy.pdf](http://www.iki.bas.bg/RePEc/BAS/ecbook/B_ShadowEconomy.pdf)
6. Stoyanova, K., **Kirova, A.** (2002). *Priorities and Policies for Child Welfare*. Sofia: GorexPress, 150 p. ISBN 954-616-099-7 [http://www.iki.bas.bg/RePEc/BAS/ecbook/B\\_children.pdf](http://www.iki.bas.bg/RePEc/BAS/ecbook/B_children.pdf)
7. Stoyanova, K., **Kirova, A.** (2004). *Social and economic Infrastructure and Guarantees for Equal Treatment of Women in Bulgaria*. Sofia: CWSP, 158 p. ISBN 954-9361-07-1
8. **Kirova, A.** (2008). Chapter 1 “The modern Bulgarian family – gender distribution of the paid and unpaid work” (pp. 9-54) and chapter 4 “Gender divisions by types of unpaid activities in the

- family and measures for their reduction” (pp. 134-186). – In: Stoyanova, K., **Kirova, A.** *Gender inequalities in the paid and unpaid work in Bulgaria*. Sofia: Prof. Marin Drinov Publishing House of Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, 194 p. ISBN 978-954-322-213-1  
[http://www.iki.bas.bg/RePEc/BAS/ecbook/B\\_paid-unpaid-work\\_book.pdf](http://www.iki.bas.bg/RePEc/BAS/ecbook/B_paid-unpaid-work_book.pdf)
9. **Kirova, A.** (2010). *New Keynesian Doctrine – Microeconomic Foundations and Connection with the Macroeconomic Policy*. Sofia: University Publishing House “Stopanstvo” - UNWE, 182 p. ISBN 978-954-644-159
  10. **Kirova, A.** (2012). *Historical method in the political economy of Werner Sombart and Max Weber*. Sofia: Publishing complex – UNWE, 105 p. ISBN 978-954-644-277-2
  11. **Kirova, A.** (2012). Chapter 1 “Theoretical aspects of the nature, peculiarities and social functions of the human capital in education and science” (pp. 11-77). – In: **Kirova, A.**, Zareva, I., Matev, M. *Preservation and Development of Human Capital in Education and Science in Bulgaria*. Sofia: Prof. Marin Drinov Publishing House of Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, 255 p. ISBN 978-954-322-505-7 <http://www.iki.bas.bg/RePEc/BAS/ecbook/Saxranenie-i-razvitie.pdf>
  12. **Kirova, A.** (2014). Chapter 3 “Men and Women in the Higher Education and Science in Bulgaria” (pp. 197-277). – In: Zareva, I., Matev, M., **Kirova, A.** *Higher Education and Science in Bulgaria. Economic, Social and Gender Dimensions*. Sofia: Prof. Marin Drinov Publishing House of Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, 328 p. ISBN 978-954-322-748-8  
[http://www.iki.bas.bg/RePEc/BAS/ecbook/higher\\_education.pdf](http://www.iki.bas.bg/RePEc/BAS/ecbook/higher_education.pdf)
  13. **Kirova, A.** (2017). Chapter 1 “South-East Europe – innovation potential and regional cooperation” (pp. 13-74). – In: **Kirova, A.**, Zareva, I., Matev, M. *Bulgaria in the South-East European Higher Education and Research Area*. Sofia: E-Books of the ERI-BAS, 188 p. ISBN 978-954-9313-06-2 Sofia: Economic Research Institute at BAS, 188 p. ISBN 978-954-9313-06-2  
<https://www.iki.bas.bg/balgariia-v-obrazovatelnoto-i-izsledovatelskoto-prostranstvo-na-ugoiztochna-evropa-1>
  14. **Kirova, A.** (2021). Chapter 1. Strategic and regulatory basis for optimising the relationship “science – higher education – business” (pp. 15-75), Chapter 3, 3.1. Types and forms of cooperation and practices for their implementation in the country (pp. 151-189), 3.2.1. Expert assessments – an outside view (pp. 189-206), Conclusions. Problem areas and opportunities for improving cooperation (pp. 225-244, in co-authorship). – In: **Kirova, A.**, Zareva, I. *Academic sphere and business in Bulgaria: status and possibilities for expansion of cooperation*. Sofia: Prof. Marin Drinov Publishing House of Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, 258 p. ISBN 978-619-245-150-9 <https://www.iki.bas.bg/files/books/ACADEMICHNA-SFERA-I-BIZNES-2021.pdf>

#### **BROCHURES AND STUDIES**

15. **Kirova, A.** (1994). *Incomes macro-protective regulation during inflation*. Sofia: Foundation “Free Initiative”, 34 p. ISBN 954-639-011-9
16. Stoyanova, K. and **A. Kirova.** (1999). *Bulgaria. National Survey. Sector: Social Assistance*. July 1999. Final Version. EC PHARE Consensus Programme “Monitoring the Development of Social Protection Reform in the CEECs, Part 2”. Paris: ADECRI/PARTEX, 38 p. (in English).
17. Stoyanova, K. and **A. Kirova.** (1999). *Bulgaria. National Survey. Sector: Family Benefits for Children*. July 1999. Final Version. EC PHARE Consensus Programme “Monitoring the Development of Social Protection Reform in the CEECs, Part 2”. Paris: ADECRI/PARTEX, 39 p. (in English).
18. Vassileva, V., Tishev, I., Stoyanova, K., **Kirova, A.** (2001). *Social Environment and Standards at the Work Place in the Garment Industry in Bulgaria*. Results from a Preliminary Research carried out within a Clean Clothes Campaign International Project. Sofia: Bulgarian Gender Research Foundation, 40 p. (in Bulgarian and in English).  
<https://archive.cleanclothes.org/newslist/1092.html>
19. Stoyanova, K., **Kirova, A.** (2001). Estimation of the Legislation and Politics for Equality of the Woman as a Mother in the Family and in the Occupation. *Economic Thought Journal*, Issue 6, pp. 56-75. ISSN 0013-2993
20. Stoyanova, K., **Kirova, A.** (2004). *Conceptual frame for equal treatment of women in Bulgaria*. Sofia: CWSP, 48 p. ISBN 954-9361-02-0  
<http://www.iki.bas.bg/RePEc/BAS/ecbook/concept.ramka.pdf>
21. Stoyanova, K., **Kirova, A.** (2005). Gender dimensions of Labor market, Employment and Social Security. *Economic Thought Journal*, Issue 3, pp. 24-42. ISSN 0013-2993  
<https://www.iki.bas.bg/Journals/EconomicThought/2005/2005-3/2.pdf>



22. **Kirova, A.** (2007). Gender dimensions of the division of labor in the family. *Economic alternatives*, Issue 1, pp. 29-44 (*in English*). ISSN 1312-7462  
[https://www.unwe.bg/uploads/Alternatives/A04\\_01.2007.pdf](https://www.unwe.bg/uploads/Alternatives/A04_01.2007.pdf)
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24. **Kirova, A.** (2008). Werner Sombart – Originality of Methodology. *Economic Thought Journal*, Issue 1, pp. 62-75. ISSN 0013-2993  
<https://www.iki.bas.bg/Journals/EconomicThought/2008/2008-1/5.pdf>
25. **Kirova, A.** (2008). Peculiarities of the Methodological Approaches in the Economic Concept of Max Weber. *Economic alternatives*, Issue 3, pp. 139-152. ISSN 1312-7462
26. **Kirova, A.** (2009). The Spirit of the Capitalism Doctrine – Max Weber versus Werner Sombart. *Economic alternatives*, Issue 3, pp. 70-84. ISSN 1312-7462
27. **Kirova, A.** (2010). Estimation of the specific features of the New Keynesian doctrine compared to other schools in modern macroeconomics. *Economic Thought Journal*, Issue 1, pp. 28-45. ISSN 0013-2993 <https://www.iki.bas.bg/Journals/EconomicThought/2010/2010-1/2.pdf>
28. **Kirova, A.** (2011). Evolution of the Human Capital Theory. *Economic Studies (Ikonomicheski Izsledvania)*, Issue 4, pp. 94-131. ISSN 0205-3292  
[https://www.iki.bas.bg/Journals/EconomicStudies/2011/2011\\_4/7\\_Alla\\_f.pdf](https://www.iki.bas.bg/Journals/EconomicStudies/2011/2011_4/7_Alla_f.pdf)
29. **Kirova, A.** (2012). Quality Specifics of the Human Capital in the Higher Education and Science in the Conditions of Knowledge Economy - theoretical aspects. *Economic Studies (Ikonomicheski Izsledvania)*, Issue 2, pp. 90-102. ISSN 0205-3292  
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30. **Kirova, A.** (2013). Bulgaria in the European ratings for gender equality in the academic circles. *Economic Thought Journal*, Issue 5, pp. 26-45 (*in English*). ISSN 0013-2993  
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31. **Kirova, A.** (2015). Gender segregation in the Higher Education and Science in Bulgaria in comparison with the EU tendencies. *Perspectives of Innovations, Economics and Business (PIEB)*, Vol. 15, Issue 3, pp. 117-125 (*in English*). ISSN 1804-0527 (online), ISSN 1804-0519 (print)  
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32. **Kirova, A.** (2017). Balkan Research and Higher Education Area as a Factor for Increase of the Regional Competitiveness and Innovative Potential. *Economic Studies (Ikonomicheski Izsledvania)*, Issue 1, pp. 61-89. ISSN 0205-3292  
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