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Ekaterina Zolotova is an analyst for Geopolitical Futures covering Eurasia. She has a particular focus on the geopolitics of Russia, its economy and its impact on regional and global strategy. She writes about the trends in the region including political implications in Ukraine and other former Soviet Union states.

Prior to Geopolitical Futures, Ms. Zolotova participated in several research projects devoted to problems and prospects of Russia's integration into the world economy. Ms. Zolotova has a specialist degree in international economic relations from Plekhanov Russian University of Economics.

In addition, Ms. Zolotova studied international trade and international integration processes. Her thesis was on features of economic development of Venezuela. She speaks native Russian and is fluent in English. She lives and works in Moscow.

A sample of topics in Ekaterina's area of expertise:

- Resource dependency of the Russian economy
- Weaknesses of Russian social sector
- Relations between Russia and Ukraine
- Union State of Belarus and Russia.
- Multilateral cooperation with Central Asian states