

# CURRICULUM VITAE

## 1. Name: Olga Sadovskaya, 40 y.o.

Institution (Date from - Date to)	Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:
Nizhniy Novgorod State University, Law faculty 01.01.1998 – 01.06.2003	Degree with distinction. Specialization: International and European Law
University of Amsterdam 01.01.2004 – 21.12.2004	Diploma
University of Amsterdam 01.01.2005 – 20.10.2006	Master in Law
The Centre of International Protection, Strasbourg 01.09.2007 – 15.09.2007	Diploma
Nizhniy Novgorod State University	PhD in Law

## 2. Membership of professional bodies:

Member of Interregional Non-Governmental Organization “Committee Against Torture”

Honorary Member of Russian Association of lawyers

Advisor, Presidential Council on Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms, Russia

International consultant, United Nations Development Programme

Advisory Board member, Human Rights Documentation Center in commemoration of Natalia Estemirova (

Board member, EU-Russia Civil Society Forum (<https://eu-russia-csf.org/>)

Advisor, Urgent Actions Fund ([www.urgentactionfund.org](http://www.urgentactionfund.org))

## 3. Present position:

National NGO “Committee Against Torture” ([www.pytkam.net](http://www.pytkam.net)), vice-chairperson

INGO World organization Against Torture ([www.omct.org](http://www.omct.org)), member of Executive Committee

## 4. Key qualifications for the position:

10 years of experience in legal drafting (amendments to the Law on Office of Public Prosecutor, Criminal Code (criminalization of torture), Law on Police, regional law on governmental support of local NGOs).

15 years of experience in cooperation with international and regional HR bodies (UN CAT, OSCE, CPT, UPR, UN Special Reporters): urgent actions, analytical activity, reporting.

13 years of experience in analytical researches (including 4 alternative reports to UN CAT, 5 annual reports to Office of Prosecutor General).

Supervision of sociological researches (2007 – prevalence of torture in Russia (in 17 regions), 2008 – level of confidence for local courts (1 region), 2009 - level of confidence for local police (1 region), 2018 – national research of torture prevention in Russia).

Consulting partners in CIS countries on litigation before UN bodies and ECHR. Trainings to HR defenders from CIS countries and Eastern Europe.

Successful representation of the applicants at European Court of Human Rights (more than 200 cases pending, 70 judgements in favour of the applicants).