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**MASTER'S DEGREE
IN
SOCIAL SCIENCES**

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Armenia, Azerbaijan, Estonia,
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Program Overview:

The Regional, English-language program provides students with analytical skills, an interdisciplinary knowledge base, and practical understanding of the settings in which fast-evolving processes in our region take place.

The course is composed of the two modules:

Transformation in the South Caucasus

Designed for people who are interested in economic, social and political transformation in the South Caucasus, this course has a strong international focus.

Gender Studies

Designed for people who are interested in theoretical and methodological aspects of feminist research and gender policies, the only program in the region focusing on gender issues.

Students in both modules will complete four core courses and study other subjects that interest them from CSS curriculum and other parts of the University.

The reason I chose to study at CSS was for its good reputation. I came to know about this program while I was in Azerbaijan as one of my professors worked on research in Tbilisi and she recommended it to me.

Shahla Balakishiyeva

Student of MSocSc in Transformation in the South Caucasus 2007-2008

Why study at CSS?

- Obtain a Master's degree from one of the most progressive teaching centers in the region at Tbilisi State University.
- Highly qualified international professors with academic and practical experience who work in the University, Government, NGOs, and think-tanks.
- English-language master's degree program.
- State-of-the-art facilities available to students including excellent library with over five thousand volumes.
- Excellent IT resources and computer labs.
- A friendly, diverse mixture of students from across the region and Intercultural learning from your peers.
- Internship opportunities with leading government and education organizations.
- Assistance with careers/jobs.

Career Opportunities for CSS Graduates:

- Work as policy-practitioners at government ministries, international organizations, NGOs.
- Hold research and teaching positions at universities, think-tanks, and research centers.
- Prepare for study abroad for Master's degree or PhD.

Entry Requirements:

- An undergraduate degree or a recognized equivalent qualification.
- Current students expecting to graduate in June 2008 are eligible to apply.
- No working experience is required.

Dates and Duration:

- Submit applications by June 20th, 2008

How to Apply?

By obtaining an application form via our websites: www.ucss.ge and web.ucss.ge

or

By contacting the CSS Graduate Program, Tel: (+995 32) 252 781

The CSS, along with the Master's program Transformation in the South Caucasus, has not only got off to a splendid start, but has established itself as one of the best post-graduate programs in the country. The Center demands high quality from its multinational students, and provides a complex but logically linked series of courses by skilled and experienced teachers from both Georgia and the West.

Stephen F Jones; Professor of Russian and Eurasian Studies; Mount Holyoke College

Financial Assistance:

Students acquiring the highest marks at admission examinations will be offered financial assistance.

Students from Armenia and Azerbaijan will be offered housing assistance

Gain more information during our Open Door day at David Sarajishvili Auditorium of TSU 1st building on June 5th, 2008 @ 12:00 and through Consultations at CSS on June 3rd, 10th and 17th 2008 @ 12:00 10 Chovelidze St, Tbilisi.

Still have questions?

Contact the Student's Dean, Nani Bendeliani, at (+995 32) 252 781

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Studying at CSS was a unique experience of both academic and personal growth for me. Many thanks to all the organizers of the course, academic and administrative staff and all the wonderful people who made our stay in Tbilisi unforgettable!

Arpine Porsughyan

Graduate of MSocSc in Transformation in the South Caucasus 2007