

Walk With Us!



***GUIDE FOR INCOMING
EXCHANGE STUDENTS***

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Why TSU?

- As the first higher education institution in the South Caucasus, TSU is the only university from the region ranked regularly within the Times Higher Education World University Rankings;
- TSU has over 200 partner institutions in 56 countries, more than 240 Erasmus+ International Credit Mobility programs with 86 universities in 26 countries in Europe;
- TSU is one of the best academic destinations for youth all over the world with rich academic offers and vibrant student life. The number of incoming exchange students has tripled during the past 5 years;
- TSU offers 24 academic programs with international component;
- More than 40 foreign languages are taught regularly through the Faculty of Humanities and the Center for Languages;
- TSU provides free Georgian language course for all incoming exchange students.



English taught programs

Bachelor's

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| 1 | Economics | 2 | Computer Science | 3 | General Medicine |
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Master's

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| 4 | Applied Biosciences | 5 | Economics | 6 | Public Health |
| 7 | Eurasian and Caucasus Studies | 8 | European Studies | 9 | Public Administration |
| 10 | Media Psychology and Communications | 11 | Post-Soviet Transformation: Politics, Economy, Society | | |
| | | 12 | PhD program in European Studies | | |

PhD

Double degree programs (taught in English)



Bachelor's

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| 1 | Chemistry/Biochemistry (in cooperation with San Diego State University, USA) |
| 2 | Engineering (in cooperation with San Diego State University, USA) |
| 3 | Computer Science (in cooperation with San Diego State University, USA) |
| 4 | Electrical Engineering (in cooperation with San Diego State University, USA) |

PhD

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| 5 | Mathematics (in cooperation with the University of Göttingen, Germany) |
| 6 | European Literature (in cooperation with the University of Bologna, Italy) |

In addition to the above-listed programs, TSU offers specially designed English taught courses to incoming international exchange students, including:

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|  History of Ethnology |  Personality Culture and Social Boundaries |
|  Georgian Folklore |  Diversity and Tolerance |
|  Ethnographic Practice |  Positive Psychology |
|  Georgian Mythology |  Georgian as a foreign Language |
|  Introduction to Psychology |  Russian as a foreign Language |
|  Cross-Cultural Psychology | |

Application Package:

-  A copy of the passport
-  A copy of international health and accident insurance
-  Certificate of registration at home university
-  Curriculum Vitae
-  Learning agreement (duly signed and stamped)
-  Nomination letter from home university
-  Proof of English language proficiency (B2)
-  Transcript of records of previous studies

Application Deadline

Fall semester - May 30th

Spring semester - November 30th



Academic Calendar:

Fall semester: from mid-September to early February

Spring semester: from early March to mid-July



Holidays:

Christmas holidays: from the end of December to early January

Semester break: from early February to early March

Summer holidays: from late July to mid-September

Accommodation at Lisi Student Dormitory



Type of occupancy: double

Price: 150 GEL per person/per month
(subject to change)



Capacity: 320 beds



Facilities include: a sports hall and space
for socializing



Airport pickup: yes

Incoming international exchange students
may stay either at Lisi Student Dormitory
or find accommodation in the city by
themselves.



Student Life

A great way to make friends in a new academic community is to get involved in social and cultural activities organized by the Department of Sports and Culture, Student Self-Governance and the Erasmus Student Network in Georgia.

Students can join the university sports teams and take part in national competitions.



“I really like the environment at TSU. The staff was always helpful and eager to support me. I got to know a new culture and met many friends with different mindsets”.

Hannah
*European University of Viadrina,
Frankfurt (Oder), Germany*

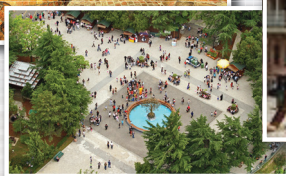
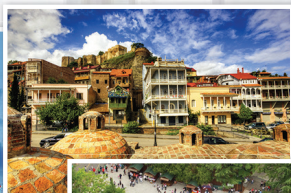
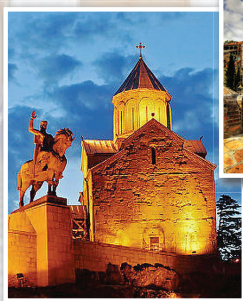
Tbilisi – City of Art, Culture and Ancient History at the Crossroads of West and East

Tbilisi is the capital and the largest city of Georgia. Because of its location at the crossroads of Europe and Asia, throughout history Tbilisi was a point of contention among various global powers. The architecture in the city is a mixture of local (Georgian) and Byzantine, Neoclassical, Art Nouveau, Beaux-Arts, Middle Eastern, and Soviet modern styles.

Main Sightseeing

The city history is reflected in its architecture, which is a mix of medieval, classical, Soviet and modern structures. Tbilisi has been home to people of diverse cultural, ethnic, and religious backgrounds.

Tbilisi has important landmarks and sightseeing locations such as: Parliament of Georgia, National Museum of Georgia, Tbilisi Opera and Ballet Theatre, Shota Rustaveli State Academic Theatre, the Sameba Cathedral, The Bridge of Peace and other important institutions and landmarks.



“The studying environment is very stimulating; the quality of courses is good and the accommodation is new and comfortable.

Georgia is a very warm and hospitable country, rich of attractions and opportunities for students who want to make new experience. I really suggest Georgia and TSU for the exchange program.”

Mario, *University of Salerno, Italy*



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