

"On approval of the selection rules for participation in the international exchange and mobility programs of Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University"

of the Rector of the University and the Head of Administration, dated May 31, 2021 N15/04, jointly

on making changes to the order

In accordance with the legal framework outlined in the Law of Georgia "On Higher Education" , as well as the pertinent sections of the General Administrative Code of Georgia, Ministerial Decree No. 135/N of September 11, 2013, and the Charter of Ivane Javakhishvili State University, we confirm our commitment to upholding the stipulations outlined therein. This includes adherence to various articles and provisions, namely Art. 2 (L) and (H), Art. 22(1), Art. 23(1), Art. 51(1) of the General Administrative Code of Georgia, Art. 52(1) and (3), Art. 53(3), Art. 54(1), Art. 55, Art. 56(2) and (3), Art. 57, and Art. 63, as well as the Ministerial Decree No. 135/N dated September 11, 2013, and the regulations set forth in the Charter of Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University, such as Art. 14(1), Art. 8(a) (b) and (p), Art. 9, Art. 15(1) , Art. 16 subsections (a), (n), (o), (p). This commitment is further reinforced by the letters dated February 6 and March 6 referenced as N4941/10 and N5752/10 respectively, issued by the Head of the Department of Foreign Relations.

In accordance with the legal provisions outlined above, I hereby order:

1. The following changes are to be made to the selection rules for participation in the international exchange and mobility programs for state university students of Ivane Javakhishvili State University, as authorized by the University Rector and Head of Administration on May 31, 2021. The changes are endorsed in accordance with joint order N15/04.
 - a) Art.4 (19) shall be formulated with a new edition:

19. The assessment outlined in paragraph 18 of this article is conducted according to the following criteria:

	<i>SELECTION CRITERIA</i>	Minimum score	Maximum score
<i>Academic Merit (40 points)</i>	<i>GPA (2.5-4.0) The GPA multiplied into 10</i>	25	40
<i>Performance (45 points)</i>	<i>Relevance of the mobility for studies (1st and 2nd cycles) or research (3rd cycle) purposes for home university study program</i>	0	15
	<i>Motivation</i>	0	15
	<i>Oral presentation</i>	0	15
<i>New comer to the study abroad opportunities administered by TSU (0-10 points)</i>	<i>No study abroad opportunity (offered and/or administered by TSU) used before</i>	0 – TSU administered study abroad opportunities used <u>two times</u> in the current study cycle	5 – TSU administered study abroad opportunities used <u>once</u> in the current study cycle 10 – No study abroad opportunity used in the last 6 active semesters
<i>Fewer opportunities (5 points)</i>	<i>Person with medical disabilities</i>	0	1
	<i>Person belonging to the socially vulnerable group (dully registered and status allocated by the Social Service Agency of Georgia)</i>	0	1
	<i>Internally displaced person from the occupied territories of Georgia or a person residing in the occupied territory (dully registered and status allocated by The Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from Occupied Territories, Labor, Health and Social Affairs of Georgia)</i>	0	1
	<i>Parent of an under-aged child (to be confirmed by the copy of the birth certificate of the under-aged child)</i>	0	1
	<i>National minority</i>	0	1
TOTAL			100

- b) Clause 20 of Article 4 of the Rule shall be updated as follows:
“20. A registered student (who has reached the interview stage) will not be approved for participation in the mobility program if they have received a score of 5 or less in each component of the “competences” section outlined in Article 4, Paragraph 19.
- c) Paragraph "e" of Article 4, Paragraph 13 of the Rule removed.
 - 2. The order should be published on the official TSU website by the university department of Information Technologies.
 - 3. The order must be placed in a place accessible to everyone by the University Chancellery.
 - 4. The order shall enter into force upon its issuance.
 - 5. The interested party may appeal this order in accordance with the law within 1 month of its enactment at the Tbilisi City Court (address: 64, Davit Aghmashenebeli Avenue, Tbilisi).