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Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University

Coordinator of the International Organisations and Global Governance MA module. Teaching academic courses on World Politics, International organizations and Global governance, Challenges of Georgian Foreign Policy, Party politics: Theory and Practice, Political Ideology

W O R K E X P E R I E N C E

Research Interests

Georgian Domestic and Foreign Policy
Wider Black Sea Security issues and role of NATO and EU
Role of International Actors in conflict resolution in Georgia
Eurasian and South Caucasus Regional Security issues
Russo-Georgian and US-Georgian Relations
Party Systems and Georgian Party Politics

E D U C A T I O N A N D P R O F E S I O N A L E X P E R I E N C E

Gastwissenschaftler- Institut für Politikwissenschaft, Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena 2015

Visiting Scholar- Harriman Institute, Columbia University 2011

Visiting short term Scholar-Aleksanteri Institute, The Finish Center for Russian and Eastern European Studies, The University of Helsinki. September 2010

Visiting Fellow- John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University 2009-2010

Ph.D. dissertation Tbilisi State University Department of Political Science April 2002

Research scholar The Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies 2000

Post-graduate Student of Department of Political Science 1994-1997 Certificate

Visiting research student at Foreign Policy Institute, Johns Hopkins University, and SAIS Washington. DC 1994

Diploma, Law, Tbilisi State University 1990-1993

Honorary Diploma, History Tbilisi State University, 1989-1994

Certificate, Secondary school, 1978-1988

G R A N T S & S C H O L A R S H I P S

Norwegian Institute of International Affairs(NUPI)-Grants for university teams from the South Caucasus and Central Asia 2013-2014

Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF)-Religious Communities in the South Caucasus as Object of External Influences.2014-2017

EWMI's Policy, Advocacy, and Civil Society Development in Georgia (G-PAC)s *University Assistance Grant (UAG)* 2012

The *ACADEMIC SWISS CAUCASUS NET* (ASCN) program Research Grant in Social Sciences- coordinated by the Interfaculty Institute for Central and Eastern Europe (IICEE) of the University of Fribourg.

Wider Europe Initiative Program Fellowship. Funded by Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Finland, Aleksanteri Institute, University of Helsinki. 2010

Carnegie Fellowship, University of California, Berkeley, Institute of Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies. 2009

Faculty Development Program, Network Fellowship programs funded by the Open Society Institute (OSI) NY. 2008-2011 Research Scholar-Black Sea Security Program, J. F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University.

Selected for participation on the *Contemporary Issues Fellowship Program*, founded by the bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, US Department of State, administered by the International Research & Exchange Board (IREX). Research Scholar-The Johns Hopkins University. SAIS Washington DC Aug-Dec 2000

P R O F E S I O N A L A S S O C I A T I O N M E M B E R S H I P S

Member of *International Studies Association (ISA) Georgian Political Science Association, Board Member*

Member of the *Programme on New Approaches to Research and Security in Eurasia (PONARS Eurasia)*, - at George Washington University, Washington. DC

P U B L I C A T I O N S

Books

- 2018 *Geopolitics and Security: New Strategy for South Caucasus*. Kornely Kakachia, Stefan Meister, Benjamin Fricke.(Eds). Joint Publication by KAS, Georgian Institute of Politics and German Council on Foreign Relations (DGAP)
- 2017 *International System since Westphalia up to the End of Bipolar System*. (textbook in Georgian) "Universal" Publishing
- 2016 *Values and Identity as Sources of Foreign Policy in Armenia and Georgia*. Kornely Kakachia and Alexander Markarov (eds.) "Universal" Publishing House
- 2013 *Georgian Foreign Policy: Quest for Sustainable Security*. Kornely Kakachia, Michael Cecire.(Eds) Konrad Adenauer Stiftung Publication.
- 2013 *Role of Social Networks in Georgian Party Politics*. Co-authored with Tamar Pataraiia. Merdiani Publishing

Journal Articles

- 2018 *Change and Continuity in the Foreign Policies of Small States: Elite Perceptions and Georgia's Foreign Policy Towards Russia*. With Salome Minesashvili and Levan Kakhishvili. *Europe Asia Studies* (Forthcoming)
- 2018 *The European Union as a Transformative Power, a Donor or a Security Provider? A View from the Eastern Partnership Countries*. With Vera Axynova, Sergiy Gerasymchuk, Alla Rosca. *European Affairs Review* (Forthcoming)
- 2017 *Informal Governance and electorate Perceptions In Hybrid regImes: the 2016 Parliamentary elections In Georgia*. *The Journal of Post-Soviet Democratization*, Volume 25, Number 4 / Fall 2017
- 2015 *Identity politics: Exploring Georgian foreign policy behavior*. With Salome Minesashvili. *Journal of Eurasian Studies* 6 (2015) 171e180.
- 2014 *Networked Apathy: Georgian Party Politics and the Role of Social Media*. *Demokratizatsiya: The Journal of Post-Soviet Democratization*, Volume 22, Number 2 / Spring 2014
- 2012 *Shifting Gears: Georgia's Persian Gambit and Logic of Regional Geopolitics*. *Caucasus International*. Spring. Vol.2. No 1
- 2012 *From Blind love to Strategic Alliance: Georgian Baltic relations Revisited*. Ponars Eurasia Memo
- 2012 *Georgia's Identity-Driven Foreign Policy and the Struggle for Its European Destiny*. CAUCASUS ANALYTICAL DIGEST No. 37, 29 March 2012.
- 2010 *Russo-Georgian Relationship: Personal Issues or National Interest?* *Turkish Policy Quarterly*, p.109-116
- 2010 *European Union Conflict Management Policy-Case of Georgia*. *Journal of East European and Asian Studies*.
- 2010 *Challenges to the South Caucasus regional Security aftermath of Russian-Georgian Conflict: Hegemonic Stability or New Partnership?* *The Journal of Eurasian Studies* 2 (2011) 15-20
- 2010 *Between Russian Assertiveness and Insecurity: Georgia's Political Challenges and prospect after the conflict*. *Turkish Journal of International Relations Uluslararası İlişkiler*, Volume 7, No 26 (Summer 2010), p. 87-104.
- 2010 *US-Georgia Charter on Strategic partnership: Does it protect Security interests of Georgia? (in Georgian)* *akhali da uaxlesi istoriis sakitkhebi*. P.306-320
- 2008 *A Guerra dos cinco dias*, *Revista de imprensa internacional - journal of Instituto Português de Relações Internacionais* (Portuguese Institute of International Relations), Dezembro
- 2008 *End of Russian Military Bases in Georgia: Social, Political and Security implications of Withdrawal*. *Central Asia and The Caucasus*, *Journal of Social and Political Studies*. CA& CC Press Sweden, 2(50)

Book Chapters and Edited Volumes

- 2018 *Georgia: Identity, Foreign Policy, and the Politics of "Euro-Atlantic Integration"* in: *The South Caucasus – Security, Energy and Europeanization*. Eds: Meliha B. Altunışık, Oktay F. Tanrısever. London. Routledge
- 2017 *Georgia's Euro-Atlantic Aspirations: Between Protracted Integration and Managing Expectations* in: *Eastern Voices: Europe's East Faces an Unsettled West*. Daniel S. Hamilton and Stefan Meister, Editors. Johns Hopkins University & Deutsche Gesellschaft für Auswärtige Politik
- 2017 *Religion and Soft Power in the South Caucasus*. Compendium of Policy memos. Georgian Institute of Politics. Edited with A. Jödicke
- 2017 Edited issue of *Caucasus Analytical Digest* §97: *Religious Institutions and Democratization*
- 2016 *The Return of Geopolitics: Georgia in the shadow of Russian-Ukrainian conflict*. In: *Neighbourhood Perceptions of the Ukraine Crisis*. Editors Katarzyna Stokłosa and Gerhard Besier. Routledge
- 2015 *Europeanisation and Georgian foreign policy*. In: *The South Caucasus - Between integration and fragmentation*. European Policy Center. Brussels
- 2015 Edited issue of *Caucasus Analytical Digest* §77: *Identity, Norms and Beliefs in Foreign Policy*.
- 2014 *Georgia's Political transition: Halfway Towards Electoral Democracy?* Co-authored with L. Kakhishvili. In: "Governance and Sustainability: the black Sea" Ed. Melanie Sully, Vienna. P.23-33
- 2014 *Georgia's Foreign Policy Directions And Its Approaches To Conflict Resolution In Abkhazia And South Ossetia: Implications For Armenia*. Co-authored with L. Kakhishvili. In: *INSS Working papers*, N2, 2014
- 2013 *Politics of insecurity: Cross border conflict dynamics and security challenges in Georgia* In: *Security and Cross-Border Cooperation in the EU, the Black Sea Region and Southern Caucasus* (Nato Science for Peace and Security) IOS Press editors: A. Ergun, H. Isaxanli p.152-167
- 2012 *Democratic Governance in Georgia: a Mixed Record*. In "The Culture of Governance: the Black Sea". editid by Melanie Sully published by the Institute for Parliamentarism and Democracy Questions, Vienna
- 2011 *The Post-conflict South Caucasus within new Geopolitical framework-view from Georgia*. Edited by Mustafa Aydın. NATO Science for Peace and Security Series - E: Human and Societal Dynamics. IOS Press. Vol. 77
- 2011 *Democratic Governance in Georgia: Progress and Chalanges*. In: "Ancors of Democracy: The Black Sea" Edited by Melanie Sully, published by the Institute for Parliamentarism and Democracy Questions, Vienna
- 2010 *Russia-Georgia Today: An Illusory Stability*. PONARS Eurasia Policy Memo. Briefing book. George Washington University. Washington DC.

WORKING PAPERS, POLICY MEMOS, AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- 2017 *Oligarchs in Ukraine, Moldova and Georgia as key obstacles to reforms*. Research article. With Denis Cenusa, Wojciech Konończuk. CEPS Brussels
- 2017 *A Reluctant Partner: Georgian-German Relations Revisited*. PONARS Eurasia Policy memo.
- 2017 *Mitigating Russia's Borderization of Georgia: A Strategy to Contain and Engage*. *Georgian Institute of Politics. Policy Paper*. (Co-authored with L. Kakhishvili, J. Larsen, M. Grigalashvili)
- 2017 *Why Russia's War Against Ukraine May Never End?* (Co-authored with J. Larsen) Newsweek

- 2017 *Georgia: Can Democracy Thrive Without Opposition?* (Co-authored with J. Larsen) (EurasiaNet)
- 2017 *The First 100 Days of the Georgian Dream Government: A Reality Check*. Report. (Co-authored with B. Lebanidze, J. Larsen, M. Grigalashvili)
- 2014 *Is Georgia's Orthodox Church an Obstacle to European Values?* PONARS Eurasia Policy memo
- 2013 *NATO-Georgia Relations: Will 2014 Bring Anything New?* PONARS Eurasia Policy memo
- 2013 *Azerbaijan-Georgian relations: The Foundations and Challenges of the Strategic Alliance*. Report . SAM Review.
Special Double Issue | Volume 7-8, July 2013 co-authored with Zaur Shiriyv
2013. *Georgia and Russia: From Uneasy Rapprochement to Divorce?* Ponars Eurasia Memo
- 2013 *Georgia After The Election: Foreign And Domestic Dilemmas*. CACI Analyst
- 2012 *Georgia's Parliamentary Elections THE START OF A PEACEFUL TRANSFER OF POWER?* Ponars Eurasia Policy memo
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L A N G U A G E S K I L L S

Fluent English, Russian, Georgian and tolerable French: UN language proficiency exam in English