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#### **Program Duration**

- 3 years of total program duration
- 1 year of teaching component
- 2 years of research component
- 4 years of maximum period allowed

#### **Admission Procedures of PhD Program**

- English language exam of B2 level
- Math test
- Interview with admission committee

#### Documents to be submitted

- Application Form (download here)
- Diploma certifying at least Master's
- degree or equivalent academic degree. Notarized copy of diploma supplement/
- mark sheet Proof of English language proficiency on B2 level or Bachelor or Master Degree Diploma of a program taught in English Language; In case an applicant does not possess above mentioned documents, she/he will have to pass Caucasus School of Business admission exam in English Language at B2 level; (In other cases, the candidate is required to pass the B2 level entrance exam in English for the business school;) A research thesis in English that matches
- the candidate's research interests
- Previous publications in the relevant field and participation in scientific research projects and events and at least 2 years of work experience in the relevant field
- Two letters of recommendation (prepared in English)
- Resume (CV) in Georgian and English.
- Passing score in Math admission exam of Caucasus School of Business
- Successful interview with Admission Committee of Caucasus School of Business
- Online registration

#### Important dates

- The deadline for submitting documents for the doctoral program is – 5 September 2025 Documents can be submitted electronically via
- email: mjinchveleishvili@cu.edu.ge
  Or hard copies at the following address: Caucasus University, Paata Saakadze 1
- English language test: 13 September 2025 Math Exam: 13 September 2025
- Applicant's interviews with CSB Admissions

Commission: 15 September 2025

#### Important dates for foreigners

- The deadline for submitting documents for the doctoral program is - May 31, 2025
- Documents can be submitted electronically via email: mjinchveleishvili@cu.edu.ge
- Or hard copies at the following address: Caucasus University, Paata Saakadze 1
- English language test: Jun 6 2025
- Math Exam: Jun 6 2025
- Applicant's interviews with CSB Admissions Commission: Jun 12 2025



# PHD IN MANAGEMENT

Caucasus University has wide experience of conducting PhD programs over the years. The University has been delivering PhD program in Business Administration in partnership with foreign counterparts for more than 10 years. In accordance with modern standards and demand, relevant PhD program in Management was established

In the conditions of the increasing impact of today's global environment, it is a vital task for any organization to conduct organizational processes in a highly qualified manner by making full use of the capabilities of modern organizational management, which, in turn, requires the detection and creation of these capabilities, including through the development of new conceptual visions or tools. The urgency of the doctoral educational program in management is determined by the growing demand from modern companies for such specialists who, along with the latest theoretical knowledge, can analyze current events and processes in global organizational management, can timely and correctly identify challenges, research problems and find original ways to solve them; In addition, they are informed about the ethical responsibility of the researcher and the ethical or social consequences of innovative/ original scientific research.

The management doctoral educational program reflects the mission, vision, and values of the Caucasus University, as well as the main goals and objectives of the business school. The program also takes into account the requirements of the local labor market, the successful experience of management doctoral programs implemented by local and foreign universities, as well as the development trends of modern organizational management as a field of research.

#### **Specialization**

Management

#### **Program ECTS**

60 ECTS

### **Program Accreditation**

Program is accredited by Ministry of Education and Science of Georgia

# **Program Content**

## **Mandatory Seminars and Methodological Courses:**

- Research Methods
- **Teaching Methods**
- Organizational Theory
- Quantitative Research Methods
- Research Design
- Qualitative Research Methods
- Multivariate Data Analysis

#### **Optional Seminars:**

- Organizational Behavior
- Leadership

# **Optional Seminars:**

- Teaching Assistantship: Syllabus and Content Development
- Teaching-Assistantship
- Research Assistantship

#### **Research Component:**

Dissertation

#### **Tuition fee**

- The cost of a three-year doctoral program is 13,500 GEL. (Information on tuition fees for foreign nationals can be found here)
- Students pay the amount on a semester basis, 2250 GEL per semester
- At the end of the first year, honors doctoral students will be able to obtain a grant from Caucasus School of Business, the amount of which is GEL 4,500, so this grant will fully fund the third year tuition fees

#### For non-Georgian Citizens

5 000 USD Per Year for non-Georgian Citizens (Total program Fee-15 000 USD)

#### **Benefits**

- Intensive, stimulating academic program
- International networks and contacts
- Can be completed in parallel with full-time employment
- World scale research orientation

# Membership of International **Organizations**

CEEMAN, AACSB, NIBES, AmCham, GUIDE, UNAI

- **Register for Information**
- More Information About the Program

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