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ABOUT US

Caucasus University's Economics PhD program is designed for economists and researchers seeking to enhance their analytical skills and acquire an advanced academic degree. Consisting of 180 ECTS, the program takes students through key field courses in economics, as well as research design, pedagogy and scientific writing classes. Students should be able to complete the program in 3 years while maintaining full-time employment.

The program is taught in English by Western-trained PhD economists, providing an excellent pathway to gainful employment in academia as well as in research, macroeconomic regulation, and economic policy design positions with national and commercial banks, government ministries, think tanks and international organizations. Successful graduates will be awarded a PhD degree in Economics.

Admission requirements & process:

Applicants must have at least a Master's degree from an accredited educational program. Admission is granted based on:

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English language exam

(B2 level. Exemption possible check in advance)



Math exam

(Exemption possible - check in advance)



Interview with the CDS admission committee

DOCUMENTS

(Mailed or hand-delivered)

- Application form (Download from web-page)
- Master's diploma or equivalent (a notarized photocopy).
- Diploma transcript (a notarized photocopy)
- English language certificate (B2) or Bachelor or Master's diploma from an English language-taught program
- Statement of purpose (in English)

- Two letters of recommendation (in English)
- Resume (in English)
- ID card photocopy
- Military certificate (only for Georgian citizens)
- Two photos printed and burnt on a disc

PROGRAM DURATION:

Three years, including one year of classes and two years of dissertation research. Students may take up to four years to complete all program requirements and defend their thesis.



Deadline for application: 14 September, 2019



Program start date: October 7, 2019



TUITION & FINANCIAL AID POLICY



9 000 GEL - for Georgian citizens
15 000 USD - for non-Georgian citizens
Partial scholarships of 4 500 GEL are available.

BENEFITS:

- · A stimulating academic environment
- · International networks and contacts
- Can be completed in parallel with full-time employment
- Western-trained PhD faculty and research advisors
- Membership of International Organizations CEEMAN, AASCB, NIBES, AmCham, GUIDE, UNAI

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OUR PROGRAM

Specialization: Economics **Program ECTS**: 180 ECTS

Program accreditation

The program is accredited by the Ministry of Education and Science of Georgia

Program content

Mandatory field courses and methodological courses:

- Methods of Scientific Writing
- Teaching Methods
- Research Design
- Macroeconomic Theory
- Econometrics
- Topics in Macroeconomics
- Microeconomic Theory

Teaching and assistantships:

Assistantship Teaching and/or assistantship

Elective courses:

- Monetary theory and policy
- · Labor economics

Research component:

Dissertation





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