

15:00 – 16:15 Maka Khutsishvili, Doctoral School of Humanities University of Warsaw, Poland/PhD Student [Academic supervisor Prof. Henryk Litwin]  
*The Problem of Stalinist Terror in Soviet Georgia in 1927-1934*

Discussion

Coffee break: 16:15 -16:30

Session IV 16.30 – 17.30

Moderators: Kamila Stanek, Faculty of Oriental Studies, University of Warsaw / Poland and Kamelia Penkowska, Sociology, Doctoral School of Social Sciences, University of Warsaw, Poland/PhD Student

16:30 – 16:45 Dali Charekashvili, SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies University of Warsaw, Poland/Student

*Gender Inequality in Georgian Political Parties – a Brief Analysis of the 2020 Parliamentary Elections*

16:45 – 17:00 Tadeusz Stawujak, SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies, Faculty of Oriental Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland / Graduate

*“South Ossetia” in Georgia – based on analysis of Georgian and Ossetian Sources, Archival Materials and Documents*

17:00 – 17:15 Martin Carlo Boyer, John Cabot University Rome, Italy / Student

*Reconstruction of Ancient Cultures in the South Caucasus – an Attempt at Evaluation*

17:15 – 17:30 Asia Dziuba-Galda, Języki Kaukazu-Languages of the Caucasus, Warsaw/Poland

*Teaching the Georgian Language in the Context of the Influx of Foreigners to Georgia*

Discussion

17:30 Closing Ceremony

Issuing of certificates for conference participants

Jan Malicki, SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw; David Kolbaia – Caucasus Studies at the SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw

Thursday, May 23, 2024

Wreath laying ceremony in the Freedom Park on the premises of the Warsaw Rising Museum at the obélisque Georgian Contract Officers in the Polish Army who gave their Lives Fighting for Poland in 1939–1945 attended by Lt. Gen. David Tevzadze, former Minister of Defence of Georgia. Chief Advisor to the President of Georgia, Col. (res). Kliment Tevzadze, Chairmen of the Tevzadze Family Association, Tbilisi/Georgia and a delegation from the SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw.

(Venue: 10:00 The Warsaw Rising Museum. Address: Grzybowska 79, Warsaw)

Lunch break: 13:00 – 14:00

15:00 – 16:00 Wreath laying ceremony on the graves of Georgian Emigration in Powązki Military Cemetery, Warsaw (Venue: 15:00 – 16:00 Military Cemetery in Powązki, Warsaw, Powązkowska str. 43/45)

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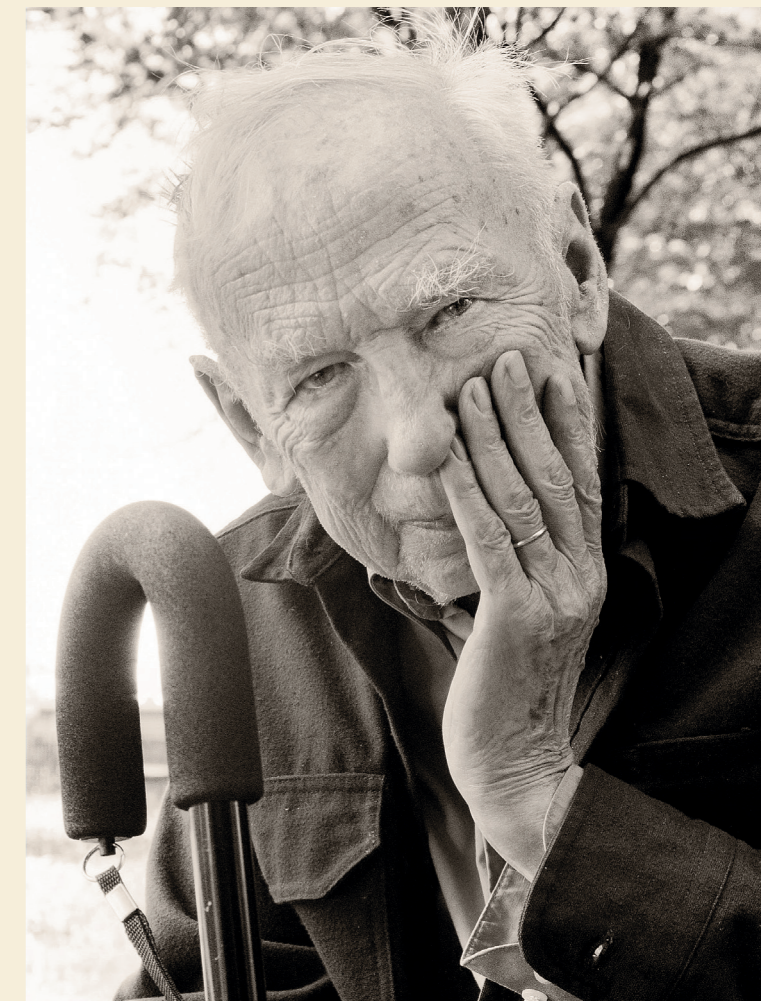


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## The South Caucasus at the Borderlands of Culture and Civilization

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## Conference Programme

Wednesday, May 22, 2024

The Columned Hall (Sala Kolumnowa) at the University of Warsaw

Session I 9:00 – 9:10

Welcome Addresses to the Conference Participants:

Jan Malicki, Director of the SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw

Keynote Speeches: 9:10 – 9:30

David Kolbaia, Head of Caucasus Studies at the SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw

*Najważniejsze momenty z dziejów kultury gruzińskiej* [Highlights of the history of Georgian Culture]

Session I 9:30 – 11:45

Round Table: The future of the Caucasian states: between the “Eurasian” and the “European” model

Moderator: Konrad Zasztowt, Faculty of Oriental Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland

Adam Eberhardt, Deputy Director at the SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw; Jerzy Marek Nowakowski, SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw; Krzysztof Strachota, Head Department for Turkey, Caucasus and Central Asia at the Centre for Eastern Studies; Wojciech Wojtasiewicz, PISM – Polish Institute of International Affairs; Tamar Gamkrelidze, Postdoctoral Fellow / Operations Coordinator European Neighborhood Policy Chair, College of Europe / Warsaw; Aneta Strzemżalska, Institute of Ethnology and Cultural Anthropology, University of Warsaw

Coffee break: 11:45 – 12:00

Opening ceremony of the exhibition on the occasion of the 100 years since the Anti-Soviet National Uprising of 1924 in Georgia. “... *My real name is Valerian Tevzadze*” by David Kolbaia, Caucasus Studies at the SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw

Speeches: 12:00 – 12:30

Jan Malicki, Director of the SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw,

Lt Gen David Tevzadze, former Minister of Defence of Georgia. Chief Advisor to the President of Georgia,

Col (res) Kliment Tevzadze, Chairmen of the Tevzadze Family Association, Tbilisi/Georgia,

Giorgi Tevzadze, Lawyer, member of the Tevzadze Family Association, Tbilisi / Georgia; Kachaber Tevzadze, Member of the Tevzadze Family Association, Tbilisi / Georgia,

Lasha Tevzadze, Medical Doctor and Master of Theology; Nodar Tevzadze, Member of the Tevzadze Family Association, Tbilisi / Georgia,

David Kolbaia, Head of Caucasus Studies at the SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw

Session II 12.30 – 14:00

Moderators: Shahla Kazimova, University of Warsaw, SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies and Wojciech Wojtasiewicz, PISM – Polish Institute of International Affairs, Warsaw/Poland

12.30 – 12:45 Vakhtang Maisaia, Aliko Guchua, Caucasus International University, Tbilisi/Georgia; University of Business and Entrepreneurship in Ostrowiec Świętokrzyski, Poland  
*The Caucasus Geopolitics – Path toward Stability and Peaceful Coexistence*

12.45 – 13:00 Nargiz Akhundova, Centre for Azerbaijani Studies, Faculty of Oriental Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland  
*Some conceptual scientific views on History of Azerbaijan during the period of cosmopolitanism*

13:00 – 13:15 Giorgi Tsotsonava, Faculty of Political Science and International Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland/Student  
*Georgia's European Integration Perspective. Analysis of the Current Situation and Forecasts for its Future*

13:15 – 13:30 Tatia Khuntua, Ani Gagnidze, Caucasus International University, Tbilisi, Georgia/PhD students. [Academic Supervisor Dr. Vakhtang Maisaia]  
*The Political Challenges after October Parliamentary Elections of Georgia in 2024 and Their affect on the Regional Security Modality*

13:30 – 13:45 Bakur Khubulava, Caucasus International University, Tbilisi, Georgia/PhD student [Academic Supervisor Dr. Aliko Guchua]  
*The Role of Youth in the South Caucasus Region in Policy Planning and Implementation*

13:45 – 14:00 Mariam Kolbaia, Faculty of History University of Warsaw/Student  
*Ilia Chavchavadze (1837-1907) – the Georgian Thinker*

Discussion

Lunch break: 14:00 – 15:00

Session III 15:00 – 16:00

Moderators: Aneta Strzemżalska, Institute of Ethnology and Cultural Anthropology, University of Warsaw and Vakhtang Maisaia, Caucasus International University, Tbilisi/Georgia

15:00 – 15:15 Konrad Zasztowt, Faculty of Oriental Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland  
*The policy of the Turkish Republic towards the South Caucasus during the Justice and Development Party Government*

15:15 – 15:30 Kamila Stanek, Faculty of Oriental Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland  
*Kultura azerbejdżańska w badaniach Hadży Seraji Szapszala*

15:30 – 15:45 Kamelia Penkowska, Sociology, Doctoral School of Social Sciences, University of Warsaw, Poland / PhD student  
*Aglomeracje Żydów Górskich w Azerbejdżanie. Życie społeczności żydowskiej w muzułmańskim państwie* [Agglomerations of Mountain Jews in Azerbaijan. Life of Jewish Communities in a Muslim State]

15:45 – 16:00 Shahla Kazimova, SEW UW – Centre for East European Studies / Faculty of Oriental Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland  
*The Image of Azerbaijan through the Eyes of Polish Writers and Publicists of the early 20th century. Narrative Analysis of the Image of the Country and Nation*