

# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**Current position:** Deputy Dean, Associate professor, Faculty of Social and Political Sciences

## **EDUCATION**

Ph.D. in Sociology

Faculty of Social and Political Sciences, doctoral degree 2007-2010

Faculty of Philosophy and Psychology. Postgraduate education, 1987-1990

Tbilisi State University; Sociologists' two-years preparatory courses; September 1976 – June 1978

Tbilisi State University, Faculty of Western European Languages and Literature, French Language Department, Diploma with Honors 1973

## **WORK EXPERIENCE:**

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| 2015 - present | Deputy Dean, Associated Professor, Faculty of Social and Political Sciences, Tbilisi State University                             |
| 2012– Present  | Tbilisi State University, Faculty of Social and Political Sciences Department of Sociology, Ph.D.of sociology                     |
| 2008-2012      | Tbilisi State University, Faculty of Social and Political Sciences Department of Sociology, Assistant Professor, PhD of sociology |
| 2005-2008      | Tbilisi State University, Faculty of Social and Political sciences Department of Sociology, Assistant Professor of sociology      |
| 1996-1998      | Ilia Chavchavadze State University, Department of Foreign languages, French language teacher                                      |
| 1994-2005      | Tbilisi State University, Faculty of Psychology and Sociology   |

	Department of Sociology, Senior Professor of sociology
1984-1994	Tbilisi State University, Faculty of philosophy and psychology, Department of Sociology, teacher of sociology
1978-1984	Tbilisi State University, Faculty of philosophy and psychology, Department of Sociology, Senior Lab assistant
1975-1978	Tbilisi State University, Faculty of Philosophy and Psychology, Department of Sociology, Lab assistant

#### **RESEARCH CONDUCTED:**

15.03.2015.-15.12-2015 - Scientific Research Project N:TSU/FSPPS/TSRP/2015.03. *The Lifestyle of Modern Georgian Society and Prospects of Development*. Tbilisi State University.  
*Position: Researcher*

**2012, May-August** - Project - 'Ensuring Access to Education and Employment Opportunities for Prison Youth. Alumni engagement innovation fund. Non Profit Organization 'Public Awareness Raising Centre', One of the Sociological research "Establishing educational and vocational programs in corrections". Head of Research in Women prison #5 and Ksani establishment #15.

**NGO "New Vector" - Sociological survey – Narcopolitics and Defense of Rights of Drug Abus , I-III/2009.** Qualitative Research. *Position: Senior Researcher*

**Socio-Ecological survey – Attitude of rural sector towards bio energy heaters, II-III/2009.** Qualitative Research. *Position: Senior Researcher, Expert.*

**Sociological survey of Narcotism issues, XII/2008 – IV-2009.** Quantitative Research. *Position: Senior Researcher*

**NGO "Psychoproject" - Political attitudes of Georgian Society, 2008.** Quantitative Research. *Position: Senior Researcher*

**Sociological survey of Drug Addiction, IX-X/2007, CDCR.** Quantitative Research. *Position: Senior Researcher*

**Sociological survey of Drug Addiction problems, X-XI/2006, CDCR.** Qualitative Research . *Position: Senior Researcher*

**NGO - "Association for Defense of Rights of Caucasian Women", 2004.** *Position: Senior Consultant*

**Association "School-Family-Society", 2004.** *Position: Senior Consultant*

**Center for Conflict Research and Management, 2004.**

*Position: Trainer*

**Attitudes of the Target Groups towards Education system Reforms, 2003-2004, etc.**

*Position: Senior Consultant*

**British Petroleum – GIOC, 2002, February; Sociologist-Expert; Sociological work expertise of Baku-Tbilisi-Jeihan project**

**British Petroleum – GIOC, 2002, May; Sociologist-Expert; Sociological work expertise of Baku-Tbilisi-Jeihan project**

**The Abkhazia Problem Reflected by public Opinion”, Findings of the Sociological Surveys in Georgia (2001-2002).**

*Position: Senior Researcher*

**Demand for the Social Sciences Representatives on Georgian Labor Market, 2001.**

*Position: Senior Consultant*

**Pharmacological Company’s Market Share Research, 2001.**

*Position: Senior Researcher*

**The Reform of Higher Education System, 2000.**

*Position: Senior Researcher*

**The Victimization Problem in Georgia, 1998.**

*Position: Senior Researcher*

**Sociological survey of AIDS problems, 1998.**

*Position: Senior Researcher*

## **PUBLICATIONS:**

**Burdzenidze, M. & Mataradze, T. (2015).** Perception of Crime, Prisoners and their Social Status by Tbilisi Residents, Space, Society, Politics, Publishing house: Tbilisi State University

**Burdzenidze, M. & Kevkhishvili, M. (2013) -** The Importance of Education and Employment Factors in Offenders’ Rehabilitation and Reintegration Process; Space, Society, Politics, Publishing house: Tbilisi State University

History of European Democracy (**Burdzenidze, M.**- Translator from French) (To be published)  
**Dictionary of Social and Political Sciences (Co-author)**, 2004, Publishing house: Tbilisi, Diogene.

Chrestomathy of Social Theory, 2003, Tbilisi, OSGF (**Co-author**).

Kodua, E., Kachkachishvili, I., **Burdzenidze, M. (2000).** On the reform in Higher Education System and its Consequences at Tbilisi State University, Publishing house: Tbilisi State University

**Burdzenidze, M. (Co-author) (1998).** Methods of Gathering Sociological Information in Methods of Sociological Research. Publishing house: Tbilisi State University.

**Burdzenidze, M. (Co-author) (1998).** Verification and Preparation for Analysis of Empirical Data in Methods of Sociological Research. **Tbilisi State University, 1998...**

and other

#### **PARTICIPATION IN CONFERENCES:**

- 22 - 24 June, 2017 **The 5th International Scientific Conference** "Space, Society, Politics - The Regional Aspects of Sustainable Development"  
Report: *Marina Burdzenidze (Associate Professor)*, Marina Kevkhishvili, PhD Student – *"Practices of Social Media Usage and Georgian Civil Society Organizations"*;
- 23 - 25 June, 2016 **The 4th International Scientific Conference** "Space, Society, Politics - Georgia and the South Caucasus vis a vis Global Challenges".  
Report: Nino Durglishvili (Associate Professor), *Marina Burdzenidze (Associate Professor)* - *"The Relationships between the Higher Educational Institutions and the Demands of Labor Market"*;
- 25-27 June, 2015 **The 3rd International Scientific Conference** "Space, Society, Politics. The Social and Spatial Mobility".  
Report: Nino Durglishvili (*Associate Professor*), *Marina Burdzenidze (Associate Professor)* – *"Alienation of Labor and Educational Markets in Contemporary Georgia"*;
- 25-27 June, 2014 **Second International Scientific Conference** "Space, Society, Politics – The Sea in an Interdisciplinary Context".  
Report: *Marina Burdzenidze*, Teona Mataradze - *Perception of Crime, Prisoners and theirs Social Status by Tbilisi Residents*;
- 3 -5 June, 2013 **International Scientific Conference** "Space, Society, Politics" - dedicated to 70th birthday anniversary of Professor Revaz Gachechiladze.  
Report: *Marina Burdzenidze*, Marina Kevkhishvili - *The Importance of Education and Employment Factors in Offenders' Rehabilitation and Reintegration Process*;
- 2011, December **International Scientific Conference** – Dimitry Uznadze 125 anniversary  
Report: *Marina Burdzenidze*, *Drug users – Problems and attitudes*;
- April, 2002 **Center for Sociological Studies of Moscow State University**  
Report: Measuring in quantitative research.

**Courses taught at TSU:**

Introduction in Sociology

Quantitative Research Methods

Quantitative Research Practicum

Qualitative Research Practicum

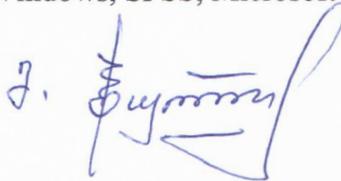
Sociolinguistics

**LANGUAGES:**

Georgian, Russian, French, English, Italian

**COMPUTER SKILLS:**

Internet Explorer, MS Windows, SPSS, Microsoft Excel, Microsoft PowerPoint

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