

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Tamta Gelashvili

📍 Nedre gate 8, Leil.410, 0551 Oslo (Norway)

📞 +4748685237

✉ tamta.gelashvili@gmail.com

📅 Date of birth: 15 Nov 1990

EDUCATION

- Aug 2017–Aug 2019 **Master of Philosophy**
University of Oslo, Oslo (Norway)
Peace and Conflict Studies
- Sep 2013–Aug 2014 **Master of Science**
University of Amsterdam - Graduate School of Social Sciences, Amsterdam (Netherlands)
Political Science - International Relations
- Aug 2009–May 2013 **Bachelor of Arts (Summa Cum Laude)**
American University in Bulgaria, Blagoevgrad (Bulgaria)
Double-major in Political Science and International Relations and Business Administration
- Jan 2012–May 2012 **International Student Exchange Program Participant**
Columbus State University, Columbus (United States)
Political Science and International Relations; Business Administration

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 1 Aug 2019–Present **Junior Research Fellow**
Norwegian Institute of International Affairs (NUPI) (Norway)
- 12 Nov 2016–1 Aug 2019 **Referent | Assistant**
Embassy of Georgia to the Kingdom of Norway (Norway)
Correspondence, event planning, news analysis, social media and webpage management
- 1 Jan 2018–4 Apr 2018 **Seminar Leader**
University of Oslo (Norway)
Planning seminars, giving tips on academic writing/presentation and feedback on term papers for the "Politics and Development" undergraduate course
- 4 Apr 2017–30 Sep 2017 **Research Intern (online)**
United Nations University - Merit and Maastricht University (Netherlands)
Coordinating with the team, creating literature reviews, transcription/coding of interviews, analysing data
- 14 Jul 2016–9 Nov 2016 **Editor | Proofreader**
International Center for Migration Policy Development (ICPMD) (Georgia)
Editing and proofreading Georgian translations of EU Directives
- 1 Nov 2015–30 Sep 2016 **Organizational Development Manager**
Human Rights Education and Monitoring center (EMC) (Georgia)
Preparing long-term action plans, fundraising, communicating with donors, organizing events
- 1 Feb 2016–1 Sep 2016 **Lecturer**
University of Georgia (Georgia)
Teaching courses on the Modern Middle East and English Language
- 10 Aug 2015–1 Nov 2015 **Fundraiser**
Human Rights Education and Monitoring Center (EMC) (Georgia)
Fundraising and communicating with donors, assisting in project coordination
- 9 Feb 2015–8 Aug 2015 **Lecturer**
Georgian-American University (Georgia)
Teaching a course on Middle Eastern Countries to fourth-year undergraduate students

- 14 Jan 2015–Present **Paper Reviewer**
Politikon - Journal of the International Association of Political Science Students (Netherlands)
Review of academic papers/essays to be published in Politikon (online)
- 4 Aug 2014–14 Sep 2015 **Project Assistant**
PM Group International (Georgia)
Coordinating with the project team, preparing official documents and reports, translating/interpreting, keeping track of cash flows, coordinating seminars, meetings, and conferences
- 1 Mar 2014–10 Jul 2014 **Thesis Supervisor**
Hogeschool van Amsterdam (Netherlands)
Supervising Bachelor thesis research process, supervising, organizing workshops, and grading
- 25 Jul 2013–25 Aug 2013 **Translator**
Technology Management Company (Germany)
Translation work during military exercises and training sessions for the Georgian army
- Sep 2012–May 2013 **Student Tutor**
American University in Bulgaria Writing Center (Bulgaria)
Reviewing and correcting students' papers, giving advice, organizing writing workshops
- Jul 2012–Aug 2012 **Intern**
Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Georgia (Georgia)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

LANGUAGES

- Georgian: native
- English: excellent, both oral and written
- Russian: excellent, both oral and written
- Spanish: good understanding, both oral and written
- Norwegian: good understanding, both oral and written (currently taking classes at UiO)

IT SKILLS

Microsoft Office, NVivo, STATA, Social Media

PUBLICATIONS

- Gelashvili, T. (2019). Political Opportunities for the Extreme Right in Georgia. Policy Brief, 20. Georgian Institute of Politics.
- Fajth, V., M. Siegel, V. Bruni, T. Gelashvili. (2018). Monitoring Migration within the EU with Existing Data: Mapping Paper, REMINDER.
- Gelashvili, T. (2016). From Direct Financing to Secularization: Rethinking State Policy towards Religious Institutions in Georgia". Free University of Tbilisi/University of North Texas.
- Gelashvili, T. (2015). Occupy Rustaveli: Overreliance on Space and the "Protest Fatigue" during the 2009 Cell Protests in Tbilisi. Politikon, IAPSS Political Science Journal, 26.
- Gelashvili, T. (2014). Neo-Orientalist Framing of the 2011 and 2013 Egyptian Uprisings: A Case Study of The New York Times and The Washington Post. MSc Thesis, University of Amsterdam.

TRAININGS / SUMMER SCHOOLS

- Migration and Integration: Refugees, Rights and Realities, University of Amsterdam, 2017
- Public Policy Analysis Program, University of North Texas/Free University of Tbilisi, 2016
- International Summer School on Migration Research, International Centre for Migration Policy Development, 2016.