



**FRIEDRICH NAUMANN
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South Caucasus

International Summer School “Liberty, Law & Economics”

26–31 July 2021, Hotel Kolkhida, Ureki, Guria, Georgia

Organizers

New Economic School – Georgia (NES-G), Georgia

Friedrich Naumann Foundation for Freedom (FNF-F SC), Germany

Institute of Economic Studies – Europe (IES-E), France

Lecturers / Countries

Paata Sheshelidze, NES–G, Georgia; Gia Jandieri, NES–G, Georgia; George Chkhikvadze, NES–G, Georgia; George Chikovani, NES–G, Georgia; Nodar Chinchaladze, NES–G, Georgia; Khatia Tchapodze, FNF, Georgia; Daniel Mitchel, Freedom and Prosperity, USA; Pierre Garelo, IES–Europe, France; Christian Nasulea, IES–Europe, Romania.

Language

Georgian and English

26 July, Monday

13:00 – Accommodation

13:45 – Lunch and free time

I Session, Moderator Paata Sheshelidze

16:00 – Openings / Formation of working groups and formulation of tasks

17:00 – Break with coffee, tea & cakes

17:15 – A short history of liberalism – Pierre Garelo

18:15 – Break with coffee & cakes

18:30 – Q/A and discussion

19:30 – Welcoming Dinner and socializing

27 July, Tuesday

08:00 – Breakfast

II Session, Moderator George Chkhikvadze

09:00 – How the market works – Pierre Garelo

11:00 – Break

11:30 – Panel: Basic Economic Concepts – Paata Sheshelidze; Economics of Real People – Giorgi Chikovani

12:30 – Break

12:45 – Panel: Private Property and Tragedy of Commons – Gia Jandieri; Role of Trade – George Chkhikvadze

13:45 – Lunch & Free Time

III Session, Moderator Paata Sheshelidze

16:00 – Parallel group works with lecturers on Tasks

17:00 – Break with coffee, tea & cakes

17:15 – Panel: Economics of Sound Money – Paata Sheshelidze; Function of Prices – Nodar Chinchaladze

18:15 – Break

18:30 – Social Activism in Doing Freedom: World Wide Web of Friedrich Naumann Foundation – Khatia Tchapodze

19:30 – Dinner

28 July, Wednesday

08:00 – Breakfast

IV Session, Moderator George Chikovani

09:00 – Precautionary Principle & Social Rights – Pierre Garelo

11:00 – Break

11:30 – Panel: Functions of State – George Chkhikvadze; Theory of (Extended) Social Order – Paata Sheshelidze

12:30 – Break

12:45 – Panel: Man's Rights – George Chikovani; Rule of Law – Gia Jandieri

13:45 – Lunch & Free Time

V Session, Moderator Gia Jandieri

16:00 – Parallel group works with lecturers on Tasks

17:00 – Break with coffee, tea & cakes

17:15 – The Laffer Curve: A Discussion About Tax Rates, Taxable Income, and Tax Revenue followed by Q/A and discussion – Daniel Mitchel

18:15 – Break

18:30 – The Economic Burden of Government Spending followed by Q/A and discussion – Daniel Mitchel

19:30 – Dinner

29 July, Thursday

08:00 – Breakfast

VI Session, Moderator Gia Jandieri

09:00 – Collective choice: What have we learned from recent events? – Pierre Garelo

11:00 – Break

11:30 – Panel: Applications of Public Choice Theory – Gia Jandieri; Role of Bureaucracy and Danger of Corruption – Nodar Chinchaladze

12:30 – Break

12:45 – Panel: Road to Serfdom – Paata Sheshelidze; Economics in One Lesson – George Chikovani

13:45 – Lunch & Free Time

VII Session, Moderator Paata Sheshelidze

16:00 – Parallel group works with lecturers on Tasks

17:00 – Break with coffee, tea & cakes

17:15 – Intellectual Property and Vaccines followed by Q/A and discussion – Christian Nasulea

18:15 – Break

18:30 – Aid & Prosperity followed by Q/A and discussion – Christian Nasulea

19:30 – Dinner

30 July, Friday

08:00 – Breakfast

VIII Session, Moderator Gia Jandieri

09:00 – Which financial strategy is the most appropriate for a crisis such as Covid 19? – Pierre Garelo

11:00 – Break

11:30 – Panel: Regulations vs Economics – George Chkhikvadze; Entrepreneurship As Best Solutions for Corona19 Crises – Gia Jandieri

12:30 – Break

12:45 – Panel: Function of Profit – Nodar Chinchaladze; Power of Economic Arguments – Paata Sheshelidze

13:45 – Lunch & Free Time

IX Session, Moderator George Chkhikvadze

16:00 – Parallel group works with lecturers on Tasks

17:00 – Break with coffee, tea & cakes

17:15 – Panel: Challenges of Environmental Protection – George Chikovani; Choice, Responsibility, Motivation – Nodar Chinchaladze

18:15 – Break

18:30 – Panel: Pension Systems: Experience and Perspectives – George Chkhikvadze; Costs and Benefits Analysis – Gia Jandieri

19:30 – Dinner

31 July, Saturday

08:00 – Breakfast

X Session, Moderator Giorgi Chikovani

09:00 – Economic Security – George Chkhikvadze; Economic Freedom and Security followed by Q/A and discussion – Paata Sheshelidze

10:00 – Break

10:05 – How to Tune Competitiveness – George Chikovani; How to Attract Investors – Gia Jandieri

11:00 – Break

11:30 – Presentation of Working Groups on Tasks

12:30 – break

12:45 – Evaluation and Inauguration

13:45 – Lunch & departure to Tbilisi

21:00 – Dinner for lecturers and organizers