



**1<sup>st</sup> Caucasian Conference on Occupational Therapy**  
**“Occupational Therapy/ Science Contributing to**  
**Inclusive Society”**

CONFERENCE PROGRAM

23<sup>rd</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> July 2010

Tbilisi, Georgia

*Place: Iv. Javakishvili Tbilisi State University, building II, II floor, physics big auditorium  
Chavchavadze av. 3, Tbilisi, Georgia*

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Georgian Occupational Therapists Association

SUPPORTERS:



Armenian Ergo therapists' Association



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<b>THURSDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> of July</b>			
<b>Time</b>			
10.00-12.00	Fieldwork visit	Psychiatric clinic	CCNNR
	Lunch		
13.00			Workshop - Elizabeth Townsend
<b>FRIDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> of July</b>			
<b>10.00-10.30 registration and coffee</b>			
10.30-10:45	Opening	Ms. Tina Kavtaradze President of GEOTA	
10.45-11:00	Cultural Opening	Georgian folk	
11:00-11:12	Welcome by	Ms. Irina Darchia Vice Rector of Iv. Javakhishvili State University of Tbilisi	
11:12-11:24	Welcome by	Mr. Sandro Tsiskaridze Dean of Medical Faculty	
11:24-11:36	Welcome by	Mr. Zaza Kakushadze Director of CCNNR	
11:36-11:48	Developments in the Caucasus	Dr. Rusudan Klimiashvili Head of WHO Community Office	
11.48-12:00	Justice and Rights	Mr./Ms. .... Representative of Coalition for Independent Life	
12.00- 12.45	<b>Key note speech</b> Conducting Everyday Social Inclusion as Agents of Change	Ms. Elizabeth Townsend, Ph.D., O.T.(C), Reg.N.S., FCAOT Professor and Director, School of Occupational Therapy Professor, School of Nursing and Department of Community Health and Epidemiology, Dalhousie University Adjunct Professor, Faculty of Education, University of Prince Edward Island	
Questions and discussion			
13.00-14.00	<b>Lunch</b>		
Parallel sessions			
14.00-14.45	Community and Citizenship: formative biographies and ethical occupations of women and men with the history of immigration	Maria Kapanadze Isabel Carrillo Flores	
14.00-14.45	Autism – issues of inclusion	Nina Mikeladze	
14.45-15.30	Using Cognitive Behavioral Approaches to enhance Occupational Therapy Interventions	Rohana Dickson	
14.45-15.30	Challenges and Progresses in Armenian Child Developmental Centre	Inessa Harutyunyan	
16.00	Small trip	Old Tbilisi	

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**24 SATURDAY<sup>th</sup> OF OCTOBER**

<b>Time</b>		
10.00-10.30	Poster Presentations	
10.30-11.00	Occupational Therapy development in the Caucasus	Ms. Hanneke van Bruggen Executive director of ENOTHE
11.00-11.30	Occupational Therapy in transitioning countries – Azerbaijan	Gwendolyn Burchell MBE MSc Nurana Abdullayeva MD
11.30-12.00	To be and to become	Ayvazyan Anahit, Karapetyan Jora, Nazaryan Lilit, Hovhannisyan Gayane
11.30-12:00	Inclusive Education in Georgian Context	Maia Bagrationi Project manager Implementing inclusive education in 9 regions of Georgia
12.00-12.30	<b>Coffee</b>	
12.30- 13.00	Oral presentation: 1 + 1 □ 2 Occupational justice _ occupational ecology □ 2	Salvador Simo Algado
13.00-14:00	<b>Lunch</b>	
	<b>PARALLEL SESSIONS or roundtables</b>	
14:00-14:30	Poster presentations	
14.30-15.15	Round Table on a Participatory Occupational Justice Framework in the Caucasus	Liz Townsend Gail Whiteford
15.15-16.00	Development of OT Profession in the Caucasus – issue of culture	Nino Rukhadze
15.15-16.00	Occupational Therapy for Movement disorder	Helen Nail
16.00 -16.30	<b>Closing Ceremony</b>	
	<b>Banquet</b>	

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