

International Academic Conference

Cybersecurity: Georgia and the Black Sea Region

Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University

(1, Chavchavadze Ave. building I, room #101)

April 2, 2018.

Program

10:00 - 10:30

Registration

10:30 - 10:45

Introduction and Short Welcome

George Sharvashidze, Rector, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University

Jean-Yves Lavoit, director of French Institute in Georgia

Tamar Dolbaia, Dean, Faculty of Social and Political Sciences, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University.

10:45 - 12:00

Session I.

Moderator: **Korneli Kakachia**, Prof., Department of Political Science, Faculty of Social and Political Sciences, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University.

Theoretical and Methodological Aspects of Cybersecurity

Alexandre Kukhianidze, Prof., Department of Political Science, Faculty of Social and Political Sciences, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University.

New threats in the changing security theory.

Kavé Salamatian, Prof., Castex Chair of Cyberstrategy, University of Savoy.

Multidisciplinary approaches to cybersecurity: how to mix computer science, mathematics, geopolitics and economics in order to understand the cyberspace.

Kevin Limonier, Associate Prof., Castex Chair of Cyberstrategy, University Paris 8.

Mapping digital information warfare: some methodological aspects.

Louis Pétiniaud, PhD Candidate, Castex Chair of Cyberstrategy, University Paris 8.

Mapping geopolitical borders in cyberspace: case study of the "frozen conflicts" in the Black Sea Region.

12:00 - 13:00 **Lunch**

13:00 - 14:45

Session II.

Moderator: **Zviad Abashidze**, Associate Prof., Department of Political Science, Faculty of Social and Political Sciences, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University.

Cybersecurity: The Case of Georgia

Omar Abshilava, Head of the Office of Information Security Policy and Risk Assessment. Cybersecurity Bureau. Ministry of Defence of Georgia

Cybersecurity in Georgia.

Ucha Zaqashvili, Dr., Faculty of Law, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University

Cybercrime in Georgia: problems of legal regulation and court practice.

Vladimer Svanadze, Chairman of the Board, Internet Development Initiative - IDI

New cybersecurity challenges in Georgia.

Vladimer Napetvaridze, PhD Candidate, Department of Political Science, Faculty of Social and Political Sciences, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University.

Georgia in cybersecurity global rankings.

14:45 - 15:00

Concluding remarks

Kevin Limonier, Associate Prof., Castex Chair of cyberstrategy, University Paris 8.

Alexandre Kukhianidze, Prof., Department of Political Science, Faculty of Social and Political Sciences, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University.