

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:**

Full name: Nikoloz Nikoladze

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**EDUCATION:**

Tbilisi State University. Bachelor's course and Master Degree in History of International Relations and Diplomacy (thesis: "**Georgian-United States Relations in the Political-Military field**"). Ioane Petritsi University: Specialty – Lawyer.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

27/04/2022-up to date Reserve of Georgian diplomatic service

10/2013-05/2022 Counselor at the Analysis and Planning division (Consular department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Georgia);

➤ Main Duties: Analysis of consular activity (annual reports), Review of drafts of international agreements in the consular field, preparation and/or review of drafts of normative acts of Georgia, Participation in the review of strategic documents, Preparation of proposals for the improvement of consular activity, Carrying out other functions under the authority of the Analysis and Planning Division as needed.

2010-2013

Diplomatic Rotation in the Hellenic Republic. General Consulate of Georgia in Thessaloniki/ Vice-consul (2012-2013), Embassy of Georgia in Athens/ Vice-consul (2010-2012)<sup>1</sup>.

➤ Main Duties: Consular help Advise and assist of Georgian citizens - including in arrest and detention, deportation, hospitalization, repatriation and death cases, especially, if necessary, visit citizens of Georgia in prisons and hospitals. Attending court hearings against Georgian citizens. Mediate between natural persons of Georgia and administrative bodies of the host state when a violation of rights is discovered. Accept requests to register acts of civil status. Perform notarial acts and consular legalization of the documents. Issue Travel Documents. Provide information and assist to transport human remains to Georgia. Exercise other consular functions that are specified in the 1963 Vienna Convention and Georgia's other agreements with the receiving State.

2002-2010

Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Georgia, Consular Department: 1) 2002-2005 intern and a contract employee at Consular Law Division; 2) 2005-2006 Contract employee at Consular Relations Division; 3) 2006-2007 (May) Contract employee at Division for Consular Protection; 4) 2007 (Jun.) – 2008 (Feb.) III secretary at Division for Consular Protection; 5) 2008(Mar.-May) III secretary at Division of Issues of Passports and Citizenship; 6) 2008 May – 2009 Feb. III secretary at Consular Relations Division; 7) 2009 Feb.-Sep. II secretary at Consular-Analytical Division. 8) 2009 Sep.-2010 Aug. II secretary at Analyze and Planning Division.

2002

Ministry of Defense of Georgia, intern at the Protocol Service (Certificate on Characterization from the Protocol Service of MD of Georgia – PR-512. 09/12/2003).

**PUBLIC ACTIVITIES:**

2016-2017

Researcher chosen from the contest conducted by the Georgian Young Lawyers' Association – on the topic of: **The political and legal protection mechanism of emigrants abroad** (Certificate: 12/12/2016Y. Ng-06/277-16);

2016-2018

Researcher of the Historical Central Archive of the National Archives in the Ministry of Justice of Georgia. Topic – **The foreign policy of the government of the Democratic Republic of Georgia in the field of protection of Georgian citizens' rights.**

2009

Member of Editorial board of scientific journal - **Migration** (book 3), Tbilisi State University.

<sup>1</sup> Including Head of the institution in Thessaloniki for a period of several months and Head of the Consular Service in Athens for several months

#### TRAINING COURSES/ SEMINARS (Certified):

- 2022 Countering Disinformation That Undermines Nonproliferation Norms (08/2022), the course was organized by CRDF Global.
- 2022 Public Policy Course (21/01/2022-15/03/2022), for Journalists. The course was funded by the US Embassy Alumni Grant Program.
- 2021 **Digital Communication Network** – Digital Literacy Trainings for Journalism Students and Journalists in Armenia and Georgia (October 16 - November 6, 2021), in partnership with World Learning and Friedrich Naumann Foundation for Freedom South Caucasus;
- 2020 **Riga Graduate School of Law**. Autumn 2020 session of the [Certificate] Online Intensive Programme in European Law and Economics. (*Moduls: International Relations and Economic Diplomacy; European Integration; International Law; International Sales Law; National Policy Development*);
- 2020-2021 **National Defense University (Washington)** and **Near East South Asia Center for Strategic Studies**: NESAs Senior Executive Seminar 01-22 on Global and Regional Power Competition (15-19 November 2021); NESAs Executive Seminar 01-22 on “New and Emerging Security Challenges” (6-17 December 2021). Executive seminar 01-21 “Unseen Opponents: Security Challenges of Pandemics” (15-19 November 2020);
- 2020 **Singapore Cooperation Programme (SCP)**: Training course: “Digital Economy - Big data and Analytics”. sponsored by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore (26-30 October, 2020);
- 2020 **Democracy Research Institute (DRI)**: on Juvenile Justice Standards (16-18 October, 2020);
- 2020 **Civil platform 2020**: training on Election School 20/20 (11-13 September, 2020);
- 2019-2020 **Georgian Strategic Analysis Center (GSAC)**: study Projects: A strong society against disinformation and hybrid threats” (2020). National Security and Media Communications Program (2019-2020);
- 2018-2022, 2008-2009 **Georgian Foundation of Strategic and International Studies (Rondeli Foundation)**. Study programmes: training for Georgia’s future civil service leaders (June 2022 – Sep 2022) “*Media and Violent Extremism in Georgia*” (2020-2021)<sup>2</sup> “Capacity-building of the Georgian Leadership Community for Improved Decision-making and Negotiation Skills” (*Policy Paper thesis - Increasing access to the active suffrage rights of Georgian citizens abroad*) February 2020 – October, 2020), National Security and Public policy (May 2018 – April 2019), On Foreign and Domestic Policy of the Republic of Turkey (March - April 2018), “European Integration” (under the aegis of a project “Raising Awareness about European Union in Georgia” – December 2008 – February 2009);
- 2014-2021 **Diplomatic Training and Research Institute of the MFA of Georgia**: “South Caucasus Tourism Industry - Opportunities and Prospects” (02/2022); „Energy and Climate Diplomacy, Energy Efficiency and Energy Management“ (11/2021), A seminar organized together with the Bulgarian Diplomatic Institute; International Law about Aggression, Armed Conflict and Annexation“ (18, 20 May 2021); Cybersecurity and Geopolitics” (3, 5 November 2020); CSDP versus NATO, how realistic is the vision of an European army? Similarities and differences between the EU and NATO. Strengthening EU-NATO relations. The role of nations and organizations” (20, 22 October, 2020); Seminar - “Future of European security – US military involvement in Europe, NATO, EU defense initiatives. What does that entail to the CEE?” (29 September 2020). “The Basics of Cyber Security and the Minimum Rules for Computer Security for Public Sector Users”, “Effective Mentoring - Planning, Managing and Evaluating” (within support UK Embassy in Georgia), “Successful Public Speech/ Report Writing Technique” (2019); Digital Diplomacy (within Ministry of Foreign affairs of Israel, 24-25 June); ‘Policy Development and Analysis in the Field of International Relations’- (within NATO-Georgia Professional Development Programme - 2018), Strategic Communications in the Era of Propaganda and Cyber Wars; “Tackling radicalization and violent extremism” (with cooperation to Georgian Center for Security and Development and Heinrich Boll Foundation); Effective communication: Instrument for adapting to the new environment (2017), „Commercial Diplomacy and world trade“ (with the embassy of USA in Georgia and by the program for developing the commercial law 9-11 July, 2014); „Diplomatic Protocol and Etiquette of Business relationship” (17-24 June, 2014); „Modern Afghanistan – Cultural Diplomacy“ (28-30 May, 2014); „Technic of formal writing – Practical advices“ (22-23 April, 2014) and „Security of Personal Data“ (15-16 April, 2014); „Global Security“ (3-12 February, 2014); „Service Quality“ (within KABB Business Laboratory 2014); For succeeding on the certification of consular officer(2014).

<sup>2</sup> <https://www.gfsis.org/projects/view/media-and-violent-extremism-in-georgia>

- 2020-2021, 2018 **LEPL Defense Institutional Building School: Stabilization and Reconstruction Orientation course (2021, 29 November - 3 December); Raising Awareness of the Basic Norms and Principles of International Humanitarian Law (2021, 25-26 October); National security in the context of regional security (2020, 15-19 June) "Introduction to Strategic Communication" and Information War and Propaganda online courses (2020). Within the frames of "Security Sector Orientation Program": "Improvement of Good Faith and Corruption Risks" (29-31 October, 2018)", "NATO orientation course" (12-22 October, 2018), „Basic course on cyber security" (24 September – 1 October, 2018); Effective Communication" (19-21 September, 2018) and Legal Basis for National Security Architecture" (18 September, 2018);**
- 2018 **Government of Georgia: Public Policy Analysis study course (09/2018-12/2018), within the support of UNDP and British consulting organization Public Administration International;**
- 2019 **Taxpayers' Union of Georgia: "Effective Public Management" (11-27 June, 2019);**
- 2019 **Georgian Young Economists Association: "Negotiation ability" (within the Economic Education Center).**
- 2019 **Innovative-Practical Educational Center: "Litigation in the European Court of Human Rights";**
- 2019 **Innovative-Practical Education Center: Case processing before European court of Human right (23 March, 2019);**
- 2019 **Caucasian House. Study project "Caucasian House People's University";**
- 2018, 2021 **Center for Peace and Civic Development (CPCD): Conflict and peace in the South Caucasus: Historical context, theoretical aspects and practical examples (2021); Media and Conflicts (within the Framework of the project Youth for Peace South Caucasus, based on the Institute of Public Affairs of Georgia and Sokhumi State University, HEKS / EPER - 2018).**
- 2018 **Youth Association "Droni" training course: "Human rights in the Internet space/ digital art;**
- 2015 **Division of special management of Denmark: „Readiness and Reaction to the and Technological disasters " (29 August – 4 September, 2015);**
- 2014 **Government of Japan: „For young diplomats from Central Asia, Caucasus and East European countries (Topic of the course - Environmental Protection);**
- 2013 **USAID in Georgia: „Legislation Frame in Georgia" (19 December, 2013), „Strategic Planning“, „Project Management, Monitoring and Evolution" (project "Democratic Governance in Georgia");**
- 2008-2009 **Georgian Young Lawyers Association's (GYLA) Rustavi Branch. training-course on "Ability of Debate";**
- 2008 **Training-Course in "Globalization and National Competitiveness", "National and Regional Innovation Systems" and "Modern Trends in Public Policy" Knowledge Management" and "Leadership and Organizational Change", Organized by The International Centre for Social Research and Policy Analysis (ICSRPA), in collaboration with German Technical Cooperation Agency (GTZ);**
- 2008 **Training-course on "Child Abuse and Trafficking", organized by The Public Health and Medicine Development Fund of Georgia (PHMDF) within its project - "Young People in Changing Society" funded by Canadian Embassy.**
- 2008 **Training Centre of Justice and Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Georgia: training courses on "Notary Law" and "Registration of Civil Acts";**
- 2008 **Caucasus Institute for Peace, Democracy and Development: training course on "Basics of Policy Analysis";**
- 2008 **Workshop on "The abolition of the demand for legalization of foreign documents on the Convention of 5 October 1961 and Electronic Apostille." Organized by the Training Center of Justice and the German Foundation for International Legal Employees.**
- 2007 **Council of Europe Information Office in Georgia: training course on "European Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms" (14-17 July, 2007);**
- 2007 **OSCE mission to Georgia: training-course on "International and European Human Rights Standards" supported by the T. Tsereteli Institute of State and Law (20-22 June, 2007);**
- 2006 **Certificate "For active and contributive participation in the Model UN Session Cycle, organized by United Nations Association of Georgia and UNDP, issue - UN Millennium Development Goals;**
- 2006 **Georgian Electoral Administration Competition. "Georgian Electoral Administration staff certificate"**
- 2005 **Training course on "Human Rights and Police", organized by UNDP (Project - #00012720 "Amplification of Public Defender Staff"), Raul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law, and Financial supported by the Sweden International Development Agency (Tbilisi, Public Defender Staff 13-15 February, 2005);**

2005

Successful performance in competition of "Public Defender Staff"; (certificate 17/03/2006 N02/10 - On successful pass of the competition).

**2018-2019 AWARDS:**

- > On November 28-29, 2017, to promote the high level of the International Forum "Tbilisi Silk Road Forum" held in Tbilisi; Order of the MFA of Georgia 08/01/2018 01/2-42
- > Grounds for Engagement in Organizational Issues on the 100th Anniversary of Georgia's Independence and Georgia's Independence;
- > On December 16, 2018 the inauguration of the President of Georgia took place in Telavi. As a basis for involvement in organizational matters, Order of the MFA of Georgia 01/ 2-72; 28/01/2019.

**Diplomatic Rank:** Senior counsellor

**Military Rank:** *Serzhant (Reserve Officer)*