

Curriculum vitae

FAMILY NAME:	UGREKHELIDZE	
FIRST NAME:	Mindia	
MIDDLE NAME:	N/A	
GENDER:	Male	
DATE OF BIRTH:	19 May 1942	
NATIONALITY:	Georgian	
REGIONAL CRITERIA:	Eastern Europe	
SECONDARY NATIONALITY: (IF APPLICABLE)	N/A	
MARITAL STATUS:	Married	
LIST A/LIST B	List A	
LANGUAGES	Mother tongue: Georgian	
- ENGLISH	(written) Advanced	(oral) Advanced
- FRENCH	(written) Basic	(oral) Basic
- OTHERS	Russian: (written) Advanced	(oral) Advanced
	German: (written) Basic	(oral) Basic
EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:		
02/2005 – 06/2007		
- <i>Institution:</i>	Academy of European Law (ERA) in Trier, Germany, Section for European Public and Criminal Law	
- <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i>	Certificate of Participation in the Summer Course on European Justice	
07/2004 – 08/2004		
- <i>Institution:</i>	American Bar Association (ABA)	
- <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i>	Certificate of Participation in the Judicial Training	
01/2000 – 01/2003		
- <i>Institution:</i>	Berlitz School in Strasbourg, France	
- <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i>	Certificate of Participation in the Special Linguistic Training Course in French Language	
05/1995 – 10/1995		
- <i>Institution:</i>	Goethe Institute in Freiburg, Germany	
- <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i>	Certificate of Participation in the Special Linguistic Training Course in German Language	

04/1995 – 10/1995

- *Institution:* Max Planck Institute for Foreign and International Criminal Law, Freiburg, Germany
- *Qualification(s) obtained:* Expert in Atomic Law (Strafnormen im Atomenergierecht)

06/1991 – 07/1991

- *Institution:* International Institute of Higher Studies in Criminal Sciences (ISISC)
- *Qualification(s) obtained:* Certificate of Participation in the Conference on Protection of Human Rights in Criminal Justice

10/1980 – 10/1982

- *Institution:* Institute of State and Law, Russian Academy of Sciences, USSR
- *Qualification(s) obtained:* Criminal Law Studies (Dialectics of Objective and Subjective Elements in Criminal Law)

06/1974

- *Institution:* Moscow State University, USSR
- *Qualification(s) obtained:* PHD in Criminal Law, "Culpability in Negligent Offences", Certified Diploma

09/1958 – 06/1963

- *Institution:* Tbilisi State University, Georgia
- *Qualification(s) obtained:* L.L.M in Legal Studies, "Neutrality in Public International Law", Certified Diploma

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**06/2014 – present**

- *Employer:* European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR)
- *Post title:* Ad Hoc Judge (List A)

04/2013 – present

- *Employer:* Governmental Committee for drafting the amendments to the Penal Code of Georgia
- *Post title:* Member

03/2014 – present

- *Employer:* State Constitutional Commission of Georgia
- *Post title:* Member

09/2011 – present

- *Employer:* Caucasus International University
- *Post title:* Professor, Head of Department of Domestic Criminal Law, International Criminal Law, Comparative Criminal Law

12/2009 – 02/2011

- *Employer:* NGO - People's Court (People on the Bench)
- *Post title:* Co-founder and President
- *Other information:* Presided as a trial judge over numerous sensitive criminal cases in response to people's grievances. First experience of adjudicating with jury system in Georgia (List A)

06/2008 – 02/2009

- *Employer:* Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE)
- *Post title:* Expert
- *Other information:* Participated in "Training of Trainers" Program in Ukraine. Special mission with selective multiregional pilotage for training the most experienced judges in raising awareness of the less experienced judges by the organisation of "demotrials" and other "demo" - judicial activities. (List A)

06/1999 – 02/2008

- *Employer:* European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR)
- *Post title:* Judge in Respect of Georgia
- *Other information:* Participated in examining over 2000 cases and was assigned as a Principal Rapporteur in about 500 cases, including the cases related to the criminal matters (Pinochet case, Nachova and Others case, etc. (List A)

09/1997 – 09/1998

- *Employer:* Council of Justice of Georgia
- *Post title:* Ex officio member
- *Other information:* Took part and made decisions in cases with criminal content (corruption, contempt of court, discrimination etc.) (List A)

11/1990 – 09/1999

- *Employer:* Supreme Court of Georgia
- *Post title:* President
- *Other information:* Leading the criminal cases in all procedural stages, particularly in the cassation, presidium and plenary sessions of the Supreme Court (List A)

02/1987 – 11/1990;**01/1973 – 10/1980**

- *Employer:* Supreme Court of Georgia
- *Post title:* Secretary of Scientific Advisory Board
- *Other information:* Elaboration of guidelines for effective administration of justice and resolving, within the reasonable time, several categories of Criminal Cases, lacking the precedential practice.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

05/2014 – present

- *Activity:* Chief Manager of the quality control system of scientific investigations in the field of Georgian legal studies; Georgian Academy of Sciences

11/2013 – present

- *Activity:* Professor of Saint Andrew the First-Called Georgian University
Head of Legal Department

2009 – 2012

- *Activity:* Member of Public Constitutional Commission of Georgia (Judiciary, Human Rights)

03/1999

- *Activity:* Translation of Recommendation N°R(94)12 of the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe to member States on the independence, efficiency and role of judges

05/1999

- *Activity:* Translation and publication of the "European Charter on the Statute for Judges" (1998)

07/1997

- *Activity:* Establishment and organization of Human Rights Center at the Supreme Court of Georgia for the study, analysis, generalization and dissemination of jurisprudence of the European Court of Human Rights and other international courts

01/1991

- *Activity:* Adoption and publication of Resolutions and Recommendations of the Plenum of the Supreme Court of Georgia "On Basic Principles and Trends in the Activities of Republican Courts in the Period of Restoration of State Independence of Georgia" (1991); "On the Presumption of Innocence and the Right to Defence" (1992); "On Victims Rights in Criminal Proceedings" (1992); "On Judicial Sentencing" (1994)

11/1990

- *Activity:* Elected as a member of multiparty parliament, contributed the development of democratic legislation of Georgia on the pluralistic basis.

1985 – 1987

- *Activity:* Participation in elaboration of the Model Penal Code of Russia

MOST RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS

- "Basic Principles of International Criminal Law", *Herald of Caucasus International University*. N°8 (in print), Tbilisi, 2014
- "At the Dawn of the System of International Criminal Justice", *Justice*. N°1, Tbilisi, 2008
- "Causation: Reflection in the Mirror of the European Convention on Human Rights", *Liber Amicorum Luzius Wildhaber*. Strasbourg, 2007
- "International Criminal Court", *Martlmsajulebis Matsne (Herald of Justice)*. N°2, Tbilisi, 1997
- "Penal Code: Attempt of Theoretical Modeling" (Monograph in Russian), Co-authors: Anashkin G.Z., Borodin B.A. ... *Nauka (Science)*, Moscow, 1987
- "Criminal omission". Georgian Encyclopedia. vol.10., 1986
- "Die Bedeutung des Schuldgehalts der Tat im Strafrecht. Zweites Deutsch - Sovjetisches Kolloquium uber Strafrecht und Kriminologie", *Nomos Verlags - Gesellschaft*, N°2, Baden – Baden, 1984
- "Dialectics of the Objective and Subjective in Victimogenic Situation", *Collected papers*, Tbilisi-Jena, 1984
- "El abandono criminal en pelagro y la culpa en los delitos sin resultado", XI congres internacional de derecho. Comparada, Caracas, 1982
- "Criminal Liability for the Abusing the Official's Powers", *Sabchota samartali (Soviet Law)*, N°2, Tbilisi, 1982
- "Criminal Liability for the Destruction of Historical and Cultural Monuments", *Sabchota samartali (Soviet Law)*, N°4, Tbilisi, 1981
- "Culpability in Hazard Offences" (monograph in Georgian), *Metsniereba (Science)*, Tbilisi, 1980
- "Basic Study by Eminent American Criminologist Cherif Bassiouni", *Matsne (Herald ...)*, N°3, Tbilisi, 1980
- "Penal Policy and Criminal Law", *Sabchota Samartali (Soviet Law)*, N°2, Tbilisi, 1979
- "Rationale of Criminal Negligence" (monograph in Russian), *Metsniereba*, Tbilisi, 1976
- "Atomic Law", *Encyclopedia of Georgia*, vol.1., 1975
- "Mixed or Dual Guilt in Criminal Law", *Matsne (Herald of Georgian Academy of Sciences)*, N°1, Tbilisi, 1967

MOST RELEVANT SEMINARS

- Israel: Conference on the Contemporary Problems of Criminal Law Organized by the Supreme Court of Israel, 2010
- Germany: Seminar on European Anti-Terrorism Strategy, held in Academy of European Law (ERA), Trier, 2004
- United Kingdom: Seminar on Legal Problems in Combating Terrorism, organized by International Criminal Law Society (ICLS), London, 2002
- Canada: Third International Conference of Refugee Law Judges, Ottawa, 1998
- Switzerland: Seminar "Reflection of Humanitarian Law Regulations in the National Legislation", Geneva, 1997
- Netherlands: Conference on the Expertise of the Draft Penal Code and Code of Penal Procedure of Georgia, Leiden, 1997
- Italy: Conference on Contemporary Problems of Elite Corruption, Rome, 1996
- Brazil: XV Congress of International Association of Criminal Law (AIDP), Rio de Janeiro, 1994
- France: Regular International Conferences of the Chairmen of Constitutional and Supreme Courts, Strasbourg, 1993 – 2003
- USA: ABA Judicial Education Programs, Washington D.C., 1996, 1994, 1991

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND SOCIETIES

2010 – present	Member of the Independent Experts Club of Georgia
1996 – present	Member of the International Association of Lawyers
1996 – 1997	Head of the Georgian Group of International Association of Penal Law

AWARDS AND HONOURS

Order of Merits of Georgia (1999)
Honorary Citizen of Pasadena, California, USA (1996)
Grant of Max - Planck International Society, Freiburg, FRG (1995)
Highest Title of Judge of Georgia (1991)
Honorary Citizen of Houston, Texas, USA (1991)
Honorary Citizen of Austin, Texas, USA (1991)
Honorary Citizen of "Ancient City Kutaisi", Georgia (1990)
Prize of the Georgian Academy of Sciences awarded for the study "Towards the Psychological Nature of Criminal Behaviour", Georgia (1974)

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Poetry, travelling

OTHER RELEVANT FACTS

Developed and introduced a special training program "Law and Justice" over the "Ertulovneba" Channel on Georgian Television (2014)

In capacity of an expert invited by the Council of Europe moderated a workshop in Azerbaijan on the topic: "Right to Freedom of Expression" (2012)

Developed two studies on the judiciary of Georgia within the framework of reforming Georgian Constitution:

1. On the jury system (2011)
2. On the lifetime appointment of judges (2010)

As a judge of the European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR), participated in debates on Constitutional Control Issues organised by Constitutional Court of Armenia (2008)

Cooperates with International Non-governmental organisations : International Association of Criminal Law (AIDP); International Criminal Law Society (ICLS); International Association of Refugee Law judges (IARLJ); European Group of Public Law (EGPL); American Bar Association (ABA); Europaische Rechtsakademie (ERA); German Society of Technical Cooperation (GTZ); Helsinki Foundation for Human Rights (HR); International Union of Lawyers (IUL); World Bank.