



*Kazbegi, Georgia*

## Peace & Security in the South Caucasus Program (PSSC)

**Go Beyond Ordinary** and experience firsthand the ongoing efforts to foster peace in a critical geopolitical region. Learn about cultural identity, development, and more from local activists and experts. Spend your summer in the South Caucasus and apply for PSSC today!

### PROGRAM SNAPSHOT

Offered in **Tbilisi, Georgia** at Ilia State University

20 hours per week of **regional studies coursework** in local history, national identities, religions, and geopolitical events, **all taught in English**

Russian, Georgian, Azerbaijani, Armenian, or Chechen **language instruction** offered at all levels

### Cultural activities and excursions

Housing and two meals per day provided by local **host families**

**Pre-departure orientation** in Washington, DC and **in-country orientation**

**Comprehensive** health, accident, and evacuation **insurance**

### ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

No language experience required

Minimum 2.7 GPA

Age 18+ by application deadline

### TERMS & DEADLINES

**Summer (5 weeks):** February 15

### FINANCES & CREDITS

**Financial aid** from American Councils is available for PSSC.

Participants earn **U.S. academic credit** in political science and sociology.

### APPLY TODAY

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### QUESTIONS?

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