

Radosław FIEDLER Eminence II academic staff scholarship

I am a scholar from the Faculty of Political Science and Journalism at Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznan. My academic staff mobility within the Eminence II at Grigol Robakidze University is divided into two parts. First visit was from September 3 until September 17 the second is arranged between 15 until 30 June.

My research topic is: *The Old and New Media and social unrest* during my mobility in September 2016 I conducted interviews with scholars, students and NGO's representatives and did query in libraries.

Grigol Robakidze University is located in a modern building with a rich educational offer also visible in research activity, scientific journals and articles which are published in English.

I have a great pleasure to maintain an intensive contact with **professor Nino Kemertelidze Vice-Rector of Grigol Robakidze University** during all my mobility. Thanks to her active role and help in arranging my mobility within the Eminence II program, my visit would not be so fruitful. Professor Nino Kemertelidze is responsive on each my request regarding arranging details of my visit and very helpful in organizing meetings with professors and NGOs, and many other activities as arranging my lectures for students.

I am deeply pleased of an active and collaborative attitude and also openness and eagerness for further projects. During my mobility we discussed on initiating a joint with Adam Mickiewicz University and Grigol Robakidze University an annual journal in English on the topic of political science, international politics, journalism and the language in politics. Also we planned to apply for Erasmus+ programs within Intensive Program (*Understanding digital society- challenges, opportunities and threats in the age of Global Networks*) and building the partnership for Erasmus+ mobility programs and signed bilateral agreement between AMU and GRU.

I pursued lectures for students on the following issues: *Polish Foreign Policy and Social Media and the Arab Spring in Egypt*. I am pleased that after my lectures discussion was animated and students raised many questions; I noticed their eagerness for investigating more detailed issues from my research area.

Grigol Robakidze University is a reliable partner within Erasmus motilities and a very collaborative role and also activities of professor Nino Kemertelidze would ease many procedures and requirements. I deeply recommend GRU as an open institution for developing motilities and other activities on research field.

Regards,
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