

# David Tvildiani Medical University

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Davit Tvildiani Medical University visions related to internationalization, liabilities is represented in its mission, university activities, strategies and action plans. The Internationalization Policy in DTMU implies its involvement ("internationalization") at all levels of university activity; Its reflection is conventionally possible as a collaboration (Strategic Purpose N5) and Experience internationalization (Strategic Object N9) and can be considered at the institutional, program and individual support levels.

### Institutional level of Internationalization

University involvement / participation in international professional associations and international university networks: European University Association (EUA, <a href="www.eua.be">www.eua.be</a>), Association for Medical Education in Europe (AMEE, <a href="www.amee.org">www.amee.org</a>), The Association of Medical Schools in Europe (AMSE, <a href="www.amse-med.eu">www.amse-med.eu</a>), European Board of Medical Assessors (<a href="www.ebma.eu">www.ebma.eu</a>), Organization for PhD Education in Biomedicine and Health Sciences in the European System (<a href="www.orpheus-med.org">www.orpheus-med.org</a>), Our academic personnel and students occupy active positions in the Georgian representations of organizations such as: European Union of Medical Specialists (UEMS, <a href="www.uems.eu">www.uems.eu</a>), International Federation of Medical Students Associations (IFMSA, <a href="www.uems.eu">www.uems.eu</a>), International Federation of Medical Students Associations (IFMSA, <a href="www.uems.eu">www.uems.eu</a>), International Federation of Medical Students Associations (IFMSA, <a href="www.uems.eu">www.uems.eu</a>).

University involvement in international development and research oriented projects:

#### Financed:

- Tempus: PACT "Project Actors Capacity Building in Caucasus"
- ePBLnet "Establishment of the Supra-Regional Network of the National Centres in Medical Education, focused on PBL and Virtual Patients"
- INTEGRITY "Academic Integrity for Quality Teaching and Learning in Higher Education Institutions in Georgia"

# Grant applications submitted for financing

- Erasmus+: TASk Capacity Building in Teaching and Assessment of Clinical Reasoning Skills in MD Curricula
- Erasmus+: BIOTUNE BIOsafety Training and University Education: developing a common framework in the Eastern Partnership Region
- Erasmus+: CDMed Curriculum Development in Medical study programmes
- Erasmus+: DREAM Capacity building in healthcare innovation and entrepreneurship

## Internationalization program (educational programs) level

- ✓ Elaboration and development of university programs based on international best experience; Including program content, training literature, new educational methods, formats and resources.
- ✓ Measures to facilitate harmonization with European standards in Doctoral Studies.
- ✓ Collaboration in Doctoral Teaching (Expert Cooperation, Joint Leadership)

### Internationalization at the level of individual support

- ✓ Supporting students involvement in international cultural dialogue: Joint participation of Georgian and foreign students in DTMU student organizations, in groups of interest, in preparation and involvement of student conferences, workshops and other activities organized by them.
- ✓ Facilitate students to participate in training courses and conferences in certain courses within the chosen course abroad.
- ✓ Compulsory course of Georgian language for foreigners
- ✓ Educational and research collaboration with DTMU alumni working abroad

- ✓ Providing Maastricht Progress Tests for Students, including delivering feedback to University Students
- $\checkmark$  Facilitate university teachers and students to participate in scientific conferences and report
- ✓ University teachers, student collaboration with organizations with similar European goals (education, research).