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The Ministry of
Education and
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Georgia has registered the University's new name and listed the International University of Georgia on its official website.



*New Academic
Partnerships
with
Indonesian
Universities*
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University's Senator, Prof Pathmanatan, and his team of the University's office in Jakarta have established new academic collaborations with Universitas Mercu Buana and the Institut Bisnis dan Multimedia ASMI. Student and lecturer mobility, research, but also Double Degrees are the purpose of these new collaborations further demonstrating the University's global view.



Dr André de Waal's
research on High
Performance Organisations
owns international

reputation. The International University of Georgia is proud of welcoming Dr de Waal as its new Professor in High Performance Organisations.

News from the University Campus in Kerkrade

The Research Centre on National Competitiveness and International Trade at the University's Campus in the Netherlands



*In collaboration
with the
University's close
partner, the
StatMind Institute
of Management
and Development,
the University has*

*constituted its Research Centre in
Kerkrade and officially registered its
UNIES|StatMind Foundation (USF) in
the Netherlands*

In times of globalisation, national competitiveness often is less in the public focus, despite that international trade opportunities of individual nations decisively depend on the level of national competitiveness. Recent political developments, too often guided by nationalism and populism, have demonstrated that a dilemma emerges, which increasingly drives the political agenda and shows adverse trends. Studying forces and drivers of national competitiveness and their impact on international trade is the

core mission of the University's new Research Centre. This is equally enriched by research on High Performance Organisations. Exactly those, whether small or big, which can shape a nation's options for sustainable economic and societal development having influence on the world's progress at the same time.

Internationally acknowledged researchers are studying factors and developments as they exist and emerge. Publications will contribute to the extension of existing knowledge, and the Centre's researchers will participate at international projects like the Africa Roundtable Project. There is much to discover and the Research Centre invites the international research community to exchange and participation

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German corporation Aixtron. Aixtron is a spin-off of Germany's famous RWTH University manufacturing high-tech industry equipment for over 30 years. The second company visit at Wuppermann Bildungswerk introduced to strategic staff solutions by outsourcing apprenticeships to a specialised and best equipped professional teaching and learning centre. The third company visit took place at BMW. A one day trip to distant Munich with an especially guided tour for the group.



New University Office in Pakistan

The University's new office in Faisalabad takes care of the recruitment on the Indian subcontinent. The University welcomes Mr Saqib Siddique and his team in the midst of its growing global community and looks forward to the first students.



The New Master of Dental

Surgery was successfully accredited by the Ministry of Education and Science. The 10-semester programme of studies includes both a Bachelor and Master Degree to become a Dental Surgeon. The University's own Dental Clinic, which has gained the reputation as being one of Georgia's best dental surgeries, is proud of having enriched its medical studies by offering this new and sophisticated programme. Recruitment has started and welcomes not only Georgian, but equally applicants from all around the world.

The 5-day MBA Seminar University Campus in the Netherlands

Over 20 students from Malaysia and Indonesia attended the MBA-seminar as first part of their MBA studies in Kerkrade. Enriched with company visits and invited guest speakers, the seminar delivered a week of experiences to be remembered.

Lifelong Learning at its best

What demonstrates Lifelong Learning and Continuous Professional Development better than a cohort of students consisting of high-ranking officials, professors, holders of doctoral degrees or Dato and Datuk honoraries? In addition, students making the effort to travel 6,000 miles to gain new insights and experiences. The University's University Institute for International and European Studies (UNIES) hosted the seminar as initial part of student's completion towards their MBA Degree.

After students' arrival at Dusseldorf Airport in Germany a bus brought them to the Dutch Campus of the University. Just arrived, all embarked to visit the

But not all was about visits. Many lectures by UNIES Professors and carefully selected Dutch Visiting Professors delivered much knowledge on strategy, leadership, and what makes a high performing organisation. These lectures were complemented by invited guest speakers from the EU Commission and the StatMind Institute of Management and Development.

This was an exhausting week, but one which brought Asia and Europe closer together, helped cross-cultural understanding, and was also delivering new and different knowledge for contrasting and comparing, how problems are solved, leadership is created and implemented, and how strategy is constituted and driven.

The 5-day MBA Seminar concluded with a festive ceremony in the famous Rococo Library of the University, which was followed by a dinner.

The University is very proud of its students, who attended with great interest and contributed knowledge, own experiences, and one more way, what the globalised world stands for.

The next same seminar will start on April 24th, 2017. 40 students have already confirmed their attendance.

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