



# Updated Policy Development and Coordination System in Georgia: *Achievements and Way Forward*

**28 February 2020**

*Sheraton Grand Tbilisi Metechi Palace  
20, Telavi Street, Tbilisi, Georgia*

09:30 - 10:00 **Welcome Coffee/Registration**

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## **Opening Remarks**

- 10:00 – 10:20
- **Natia Mezvrishvili** – Head of Administration of the Government
  - **Carl Hartzell** - Ambassador of the European Union to Georgia
  - **Justin McKenzie Smith** – Ambassador of the UK to Georgia
  - **Louisa Vinton** - UNDP Resident Representative in Georgia
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## **Presentation of updated Policy Development and Coordination System – Giorgi Bobghiashvili, Head of Policy Planning Unit, AoG**

- 10:20 – 10:50
- Experience of the GEOSTAT on elaboration of **“The Strategy of Development of the Official National Statistical System of Georgia 2020-2023”**

Q&A

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## **Panel Discussion 1: *The European Principles of Public Administration and Georgia’s Steps towards evidence-based and result-oriented policy making***

**Moderator: Gigi Bregadze** – Democratic Governance Team Leader, UNDP

- 10:50 – 11:45
- **Marc van den Muijzenberg** - International Expert on Policy Planning, EU Project “Support to Public Administration Reform in Georgia”
  - **Nani Macharashvili** – Head of Public Administration MA program, GIPA
  - **David Johnson** – Independent International Expert on Public Policy
  - **Irakli Mizandari** – Senior Consultant, GEC

**Discussion/Q&A**

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11:45 – 12:00    **Coffee Break**

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**Panel Discussion 2:** *Implementation in Practice – How Development Partners and CSOs could support and benefit*

Moderator: **Ana Kvernadze** - Head of Policy Planning and Coordination Department, AoG

- 12:00 – 13:15
- 2020 Government Plan of Policy Documents
  - Future support from the Development Partners and areas/sectors for intervention
    - **Colombe de Mercey** - Governance and Human Capital Team Leader, EU Delegation to Georgia
    - **Naniko Tsiklauri** – PAR Project Manager, UNDP
    - **Marika Gorgadze** – Deputy Chief of Party, GGI/USAID
  - CSOs' engagement and plan for monitoring and evaluation
    - **Vakhushti Menabde** – Programme Director for Support of Democratic Institutions, GYLA
    - **Ketie Gomelauri** – Board member, Innovations and Reforms Center

**Discussion/Q&A**

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13:15 – 14:00    **Lunch**