

TRAINING AND GRANT OPPORTUNITY FOR RESEARCHERS: Time Use Data Analysis for Advancing Gender Equality in Georgia

Are you a researcher residing in Georgia passionate about gender equality and social research? Do you want to enhance your skills in analyzing time-use data to address critical issues related to gender dynamics? Then this is your opportunity!

CRRC-Georgia and UN Women invite applications from researchers, professionals and students to participate in an intensive training programme on Time Use Survey (TUS) data analysis.

The main objective of this initiative is to strengthen the capacity in TUS analysis and support research and analytical initiatives on time use and gender equality in Georgia.

What is TUS?

TUS is a household-based survey that collects data on 24-hour activity for all eligible household members (aged 15 and above). The activity data records cover all daily behaviours, including unpaid work, caregiving, self-care, sleep, social and leisure activities.

In Georgia, the first-ever time use survey (GTUS) was conducted in 2020-2021 by the National

Statistics Office of Georgia with UN Women's support. The survey provided detailed data on how women and men in Georgia spend their time. It showed that women in Georgia spend five times more time on unpaid domestic and care work compared to men, while men spend more time on paid employment and leisure.

Full report on GTUS findings is available <u>here</u>. GTUS databases and descriptions can be found <u>here</u>.

Who Should Apply?

We encourage applications from:



Researchers, academics, and graduate students specializing in human rights, gender studies, sociology, economics, or related fields



Professionals working with NGOs, government agencies, or international organizations in gender equality and social policy



Analysts and data scientists with a strong interest in human rights and gender-focused research and analysis

Who can apply?

- Applicants must be based in Georgia
- Demonstrated interest or experience in gender-focused research or time use data
- Knowledge of statistics and quantitative data analysis
- Familiarity with STATA or SPSS
- Fluency in English training will be conducted in English

What will you gain?

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Understanding of what TUS is and its relevance to gender equality



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Ability to develop research ideas that can be tested using TUS

Ability to produce numerical and visual outputs using SPSS or STATA

Unique opportunity to network with other researchers

Opportunity to receive a research grant upon successful completion of the training

Opportunity to publish your thematic/ policy briefs at UN Women and CRRC-Georgia platforms, increasing the visibility and impact of your work



How to apply?

Fill out this <u>application form</u> and submit it no later than



Information on the storage and use of your personal data can be found <u>here</u>.

What is next?



If you are shortlisted, you will be invited for an online pre-orientation session by **the beginning of March**, 2025



Attend an in-person three full day training in Tbilisi on March 19-21, 2025

Commit to exploring GTUS data and produce analytical policy briefs/papers

More information:

For any inquiries or assistance, please contact Tamar Khoshtaria at <u>tamuna@crrccenters.org</u>.

An online information session will be held on February 5, 2025. If you are interested in attending, please send us an email to register.



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