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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

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06/1997 - 04/1999

Martin Luther University of Halle-Wittenberg, Germany

Institute for Oriental Archaeology and Art

Postdoktorant

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1985 - 1989

Tbilisi State University - Tbilisi, Georgia

Department of History

Doctoral Candidate at the Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University

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1978-1983

Tbilisi State University - Tbilisi, Georgia

Department of History

Diploma Studies at the Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University

EMPLOYMENT

- Dates (from – to)
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since 10/2006

Ilia Chavchavadze State University

Professor, Dean, Faculty of Humanities and Cultural Studies

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- Rank/Position held

04/1983 - 06/2006

Archaeological Research Centre, Georgian Academy of Sciences

Senior Researcher

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10/1990 - 06/2006

Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University

Professor of Ethnology

SYMPOSIAS AND SEMINARS

5/1991 Conference on the Cultures of Caucasia,
The university of Chicago, USA
5/1993 Conference on the Cultures of Caucasia,
The university of Chicago, USA
5/1997 The Future of the Past in Eastern Europe,
The University of Lodz, Poland

OTHER ACTIVITIES AND MEMBERSHIP

05/2003 Member - University of Heidelberg - Alumni & Friends Association
09/2006 Member - Society of Assyriologists, Bibliologists and Caucasiologists
07/1997 Director - International Caucasological Research Institute

RESEARCH

June - Aug. 1980; June-Aug. 1981; June - Aug. 1984; June-Aug. 1986; June-Aug. 1988: Ethnographic Expedition to Svanetien (West Georgia). State Museum of Georgia. Research Associate.

1983 - 2006: Kakhetian Archaeological Expedition. Georgian Academy of Sciences. Senior Researcher.

April - May 1985-1986; 1995-1996: Ethnolinguistic Expedition in Daghestan and Chechnya.

July - August 1994: Ethnographic Expedition to Meschet-Djawacheti.

July 1995; July 1996; July-Oct. 1997; June-Aug. 1999, 2000, 2001, 2003 - 2006: Ethnolinguistic Expedition to Svaneti, Ratscha, Imereti, Kacheti, Djavakheti, Khevsureti, Pschavi, Mtiuleti. Canadian Academy of Sciences. Coordinator.

Nov. - Dec. 1995: German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Fellow at the Institute for Pre- and Early History at the University of Heidelberg (with Prof. Dr. Harald Haputmann). Research project: "The Housing Phenomenon in the System of Caucasian Cultures in the Paleometal Epoch."

Oct. - Nov. 2000: German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Fellow at the Institute for Oriental Archaeology and Art at the University of Halle-Wittenberg (Prof. Dr. Winfried Ortmann). Research Project: "Traditional Shrines in East Georgia."

Jun - Oct. 2003: German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Fellow at the Institute for Pre- and Early History at the University of Heidelberg (with Prof. Dr. Harald Haputmann). Research Project: "On Food Production Techniques of the Central Transcaucasian Population of the mid-3rd Millennium B.C."

National Council for Eurasian and East European Research (NCEEER) grant contract: The above project 'Constructing *kartveloba*: the semiotics of national imaginings' (Paul Manning and Paata Bukhrashvili, PIs) was co-funded by NCEEER for another prestigious multi-year grant contract, also involving collaboration in field and library research over the years 2002-2003.

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC): Paata Bukhrashvili was a consultant on an SSHRC internal grant (2004) entitled 'The Kisti of Pankisi Gorge'.

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC): Paata Bukhrashvili was a consultant on an SSHRC internal grant (2005) entitled 'from State Product to National Brand: Ethnographic Brands in Post-Socialist Georgia'.

Planned collaborative grant project (2006) to NEH, NCEEER, SSHRC: Paata Bukhrashvili will be one of the collaborators on a planned ethnographic study entitled 'Changing regimes in Contemporary Georgia: Value, Politics, Semiosis'. This grant will be submitted to these foundations in early 2006.

Oct. - Dec. 2007: German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Fellow at the Institute for Pre- and Early History at the University of Heidelberg.

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

A. Monographs

1. For a delimitation of the place of the phenomenon of dwellings in the daily life and culture of the Georgian people in the past (An attempt at Paleoethnological study). Amirani IXj (Montreal-Tbilissi 2003) -256 S. [In Georgian, resume in English].
2. Dwelling in the life and culture of the ancient Georgians, (Tbilisi University Press, 2005), - 3002 S. [In Georgian, resume in English].

B. Articles and Other Essays

1. "The Housing Phenomenon in the System of Caucasian Cultures in the Paleo-Metal Epoch," Amirani, vol. 1 (Tbilisi: Amirani Press, 1999), 18-32. [In German].
2. Bukhrashvili P. Tuite K.J., Binarism and Complimentarity in Northeast Georgia: The Conception of Boys and Girls at the Jagsari Shrine, Georgika, vol. 22 (Konstanz: UVK-University Press, 1999), 59-73. [In German]
3. Bukhrashvili P. (2000₁): "The Festival of St. Giorgi in Svaneti," Kutaisuri saubrebi, vol. 7 (Kutaisi 2000), 3 6-3 9. [In Georgian] .
4. Bukhrashvili P. (2002): "On Food Production Techniques of the Central Transcaucasian Population of the mid-3rd Millennium B.C.," Amirani, vol. 2 (Tbilisi 2000), 19-33. [In Georgian, resume in English].
5. Bukhrashvili P. (2003): "The Russian Conception of Colonialism and Transcaucasian Ethnopolitical Reality," Amirani, vol. 2 (Tbilisi 2000), 72-84. [In Georgian, resume in English] .
6. Bukhrashvili P. (200₁): Towards an understanding of Georgian-Armenian Relations. Amirani IV - V(Tbilissi 2001), 113-138. [In Georgian, resume in English].
7. Bukhrashvili P. (2001₂): Kartli and Kakheti in the last quarter of the 18th and beginning of the 19th centuries. Amirani IV -V (Montreal - Tbilissi 2001), 139-164. [In Georgian, resume in English] .
8. Bukhrashvili P. (2001₃): Preliminary report on archaeological discovery: "Drosha" (proceSSIONAL cross) from Lasharis Jvari (Khmelgori, Pshavi). Amirani IV – V (Montreal - Tbilissi 2001), 266-270. [In Georgian, resume in English].
9. Bukhrashvili P. (2002₁): Lichenishi - a holiday for sons in the Upper Svan community of Hadishi. Amirani VI. (Montreal -Tbilissi 2002) 7-19. [In Georgian, resume in English].
10. Bukhrashvili P., Tuite. K. (2002₂): Central Caucasian religious systems and social ideology in the post-Soviet period. Amirani VII (Montreal-Tbilissi 2002) 7-24. [In English, resume in Georgian] .
11. Bukhrashvili P. (2003₁): On the of investigation of ethnic Culture. Kartvelian Heritage IX. (Kutaisi 2003) 73- 89. [In Georgian, resume in English].
12. Buchraschwili P., Dolidze R., Tuite K.J, (2003): Interview mit Chevisberi Pilipe Bagiauri, Georgika, vol. 26 (Aachen. Shaker Verlag), 44-64 [In German].
13. Buchraschwili P. (2004): Die Flagge und die Insignien des Stammführers aus der Bronzezeit. Amirani X. (Tbilissi 2004: Amiraniverlag), 7-21 [In Georgian, resume in German].
14. Buchraschwili P. (2006₁): Traditional cultic sites and associated religious practices in the highland province of Pshavi (northeastern Georgia): Mapping and documentation. Amirani. XIV-XV. Tb. 73- 89. [In Georgian, resume in English].
15. Buchraschwili P. (2006₂): Bautradition, Gen- und theokratisches, soziales System der Bevölkerung vom Kaukasus und des Hindukusch-Hochlandes (Gemeinsamkeiten und Unterschiede). Amirani. XIV-XV. Tb.. [In German]St. 22-28
16. Buchraschwili P. (2006₃): House and Shrine in ancient Georgia; Buleten of the AGIBAS (American-Georgian Institute of Biblical and Archaeological Studies) # 2-3, Tbilisi State University, Cornell University 9-14 st.