



Newsletter

January-March
2021 years



"Mediators Association of Georgia" actively continues to develop and popularize mediation in the Country. Mediation, as an alternative mechanism for effective resolution of various types of legal disputes, is becoming more and more an area of interest and consumption in Georgia.

Undergoing is in progress to introduce a profession in line with European standards and to organize a mediation system, which is an alternative mechanism for resolving the conflict for the parties on the path of social peace.

 www.mediators.ge

 /MediatorsGeorgia

 /MAG

 /mediators.ge

 /MediatorsGeorgia

 (032) 2 905 900

 14b Nutsubidze Street





Memorandum of Understanding

Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs



Agency For State Care And Assistance For the (Statutory) Victims of Human trafficking



Red Cross Society



UNICEF Georgia





Memorandum of Understanding

The National Intellectual Property Center of Georgia Sakpatenti



The State Inspector's Service



Solidarity Fund





Irakli Kandashvili, Chairperson of the Mediators Association of Georgia held an introductory meeting on mediation, as a new dispute resolution mechanism in Georgia, with Diego Colas, the Ambassador of the French State to Georgia.

Irakli Kandashvili, Chairperson of the Mediators Association of Georgia held an introductory meeting on mediation, as a new dispute resolution mechanism in Georgia, with Faig Guliyev, Ambassador of the Republic of Azerbaijan to Georgia.



By the support of “Mediators Association of Georgia” and by hosting of University of Georgia, for the first time in Georgia, there will be held an international mediation competition organized by the International Academy for Dispute Resolution (INADR) - INADR International Law School Mediation Tournament.

The “Mediators Association of Georgia” has established a special award for a winner of the first place in the competition “Best Newcomer Mediator”.



The European Association of Lawyers (AEA-EAL), the Mediators Association of Georgia and the Georgian Bar Association organized an international online conference on Mediation - an Effective Tool for Commercial and Family Disputes, Singapore Convention.

Event was moderated by Irakli Kandashvili, Chairman of the Mediators Association of Georgia.

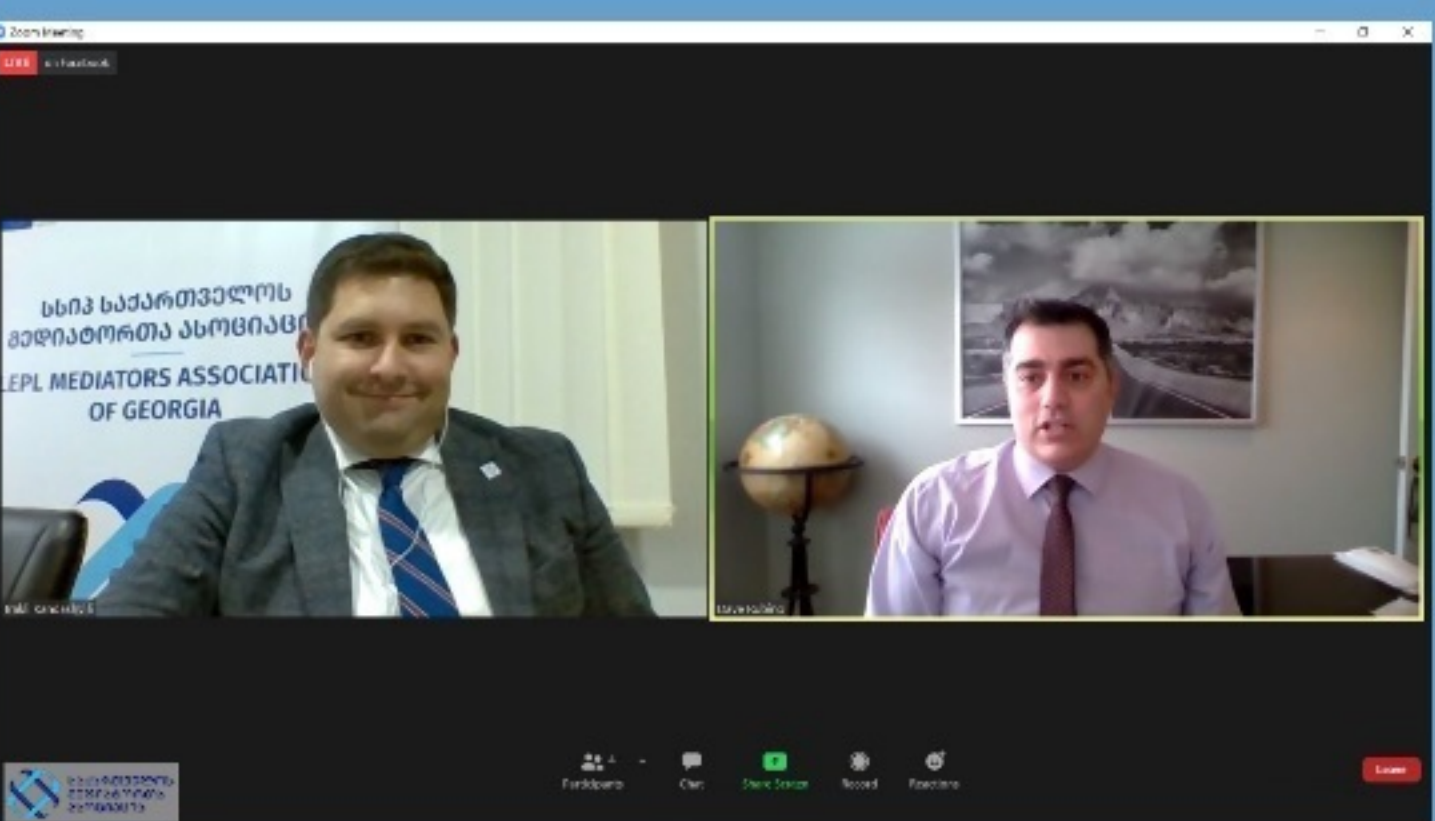
Chairman of the Mediators Association of Georgia Irakli Kandashvili, participated in the international conference "Adjusting the Clock to the Mediation Standard".

Mr. Irakli Kandashvili introduced Georgian experience in dealing with mediation challenges during the pandemic situation and briefed on the development of mediation as an alternative dispute resolution mechanism to his foreign colleagues.



Mediators Association of Georgia organized an international webinar "The Role of Advocates in Mediation / International Experience".

The webinar was moderated by Irakli Kandashvili, Chairman of the Mediators Association of Georgia and invited speaker was member of the American Bar Association, International Expert, Lawyer - David Rubino.





The Mediators Association of Georgia, Ukrainian Academy of Mediation, the Ukrainian Bar association, the Mediation Committee and Regional Council for Justice Reform of Odessa has organized an online conference on – Judicial Mediation and the Role of Judges.

The event was opened by the Chairman of Georgian Mediators Association –Irakli Kandashvili.

The Mediators Association of Georgia has joined the Global Compact Network Georgia.



Irakli Kandashvili Chairman of the “Mediators Association fo Georgia” held the first working meeting with the mediators of collective labor disputes of the Ministry of Internally displaced persons from the occupied territories, labour, health and social affairs of Georgia.





Within the framework of the Memorandum, the first joint training on mediation was held between the Georgian Mediators Association and the Justice Training Center.

The mediators of the “Mediators Association of Georgia”: Khatuna (Lia) Sanikidze, Lela Khundadze and Ekaterine Javelidze held a consultation meeting with Nina Kitoshvili, a phd student at the Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University.

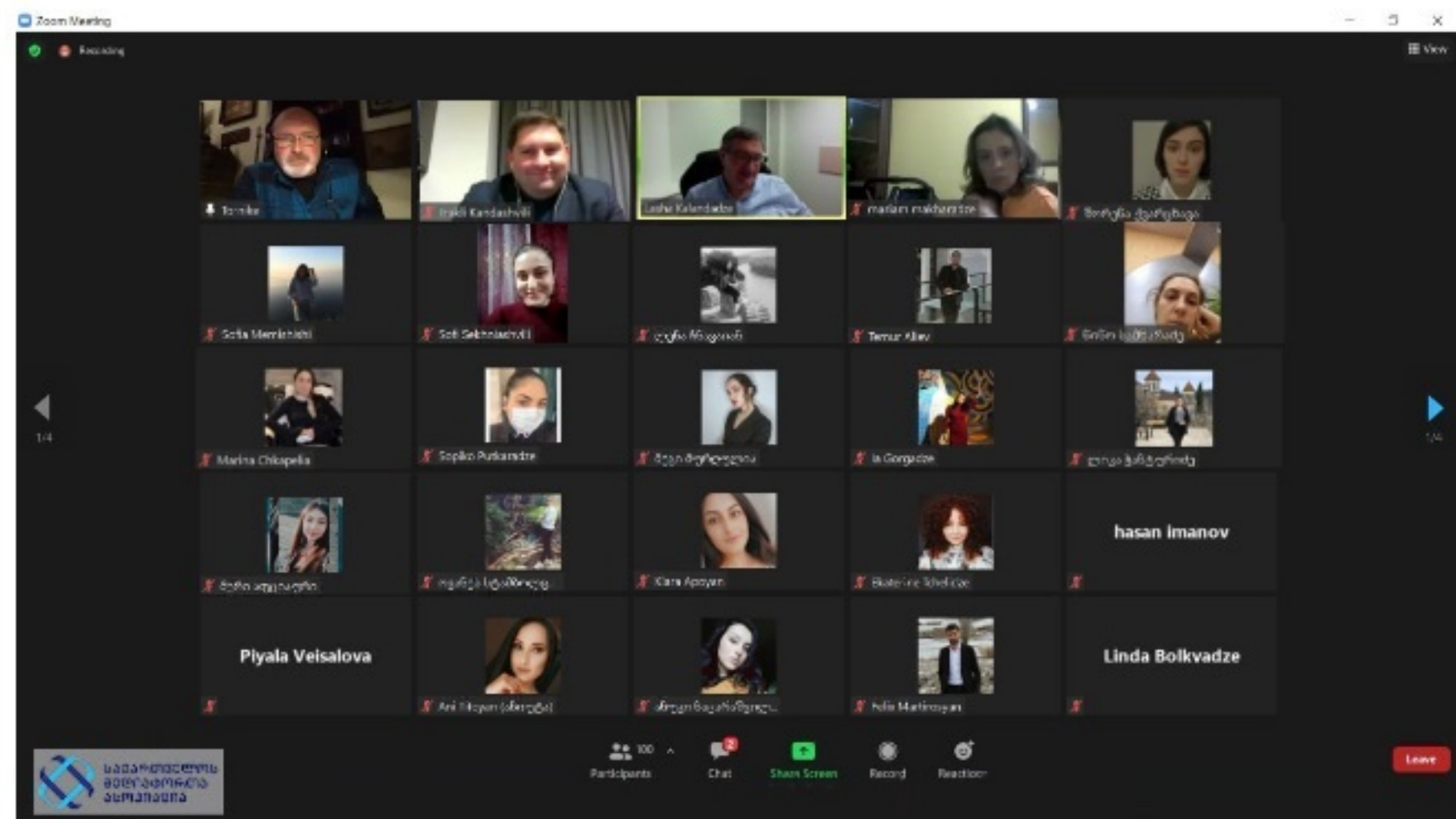


According to the 2020-2025 Strategic Development Plan of the Mediators Association of Georgia, a mandatory continuing education system for existing mediators will be introduced in 2022.

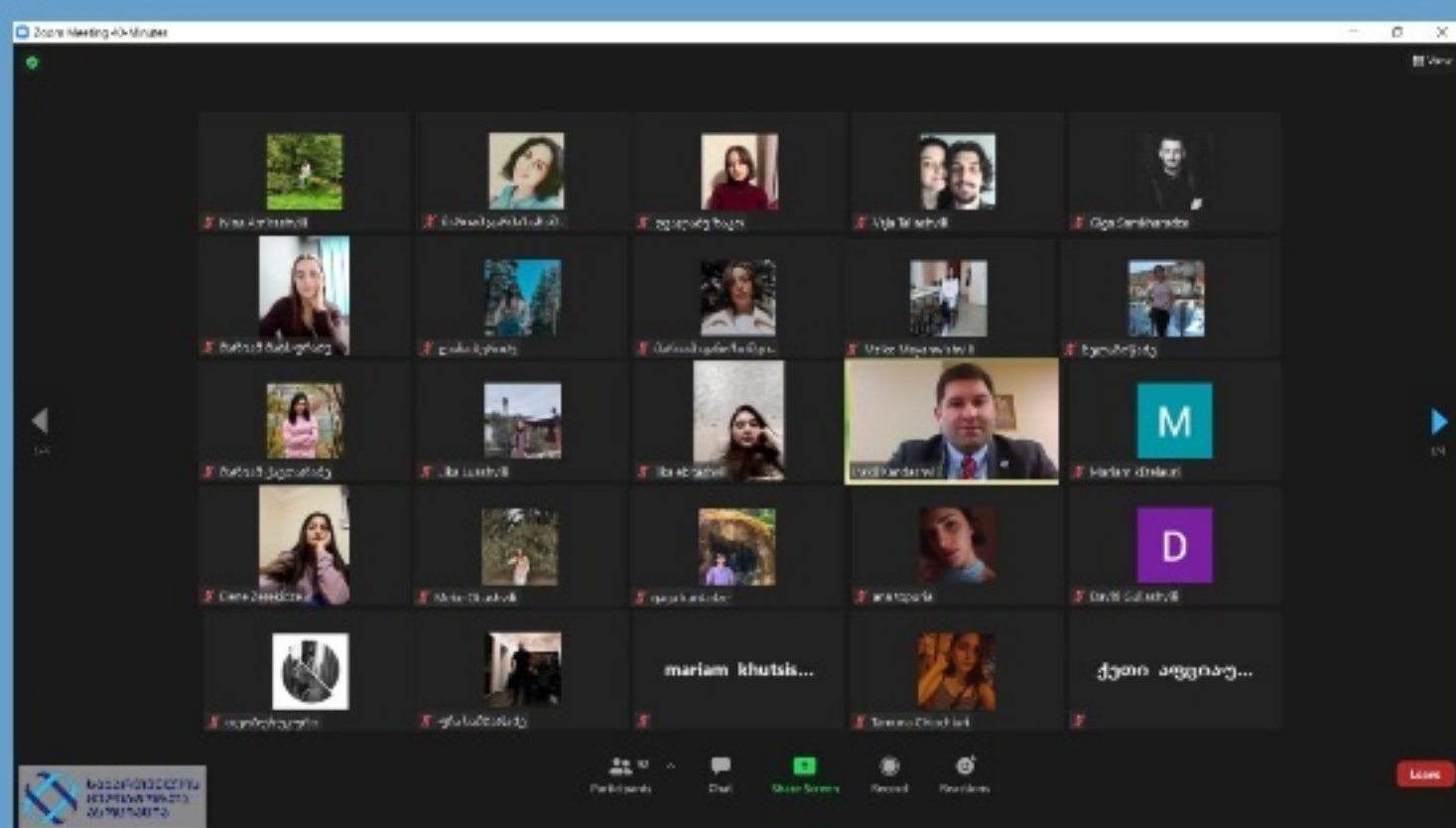


The Mediators Association of Georgia in cooperation with the Network of Centers for Civic Engagement (NCCE) and Promoting Rule of Law Support in Georgia (USAID / PROLoG) trained representatives of NCCE regional offices from Akhaltsikhe, Batumi, Gori, Kutaisi, Marneuli, Ozurgeti, Rustavi, Sagarejo, Telavi, and Zugdidi.

The Mediators Association of Georgia and the EF "Education for Freedom" organized a webinar on the topic: Mediation - "The purpose and result of a reasonable dialogue in legal proceedings".



Irakli Kandashvili, Chairman of the Mediators Association of Georgia, held an online meeting with the participants of the the Parliament of the Students of Georgia.





The Mediators Association of Georgia continues to organize online discussions, related to mediation profession and deals with actual and important issues which is an interest for general public

Mediation- on loan Disputes with Microfinance Organizations



“Standard of Ethics and Mediation, as a new profession”



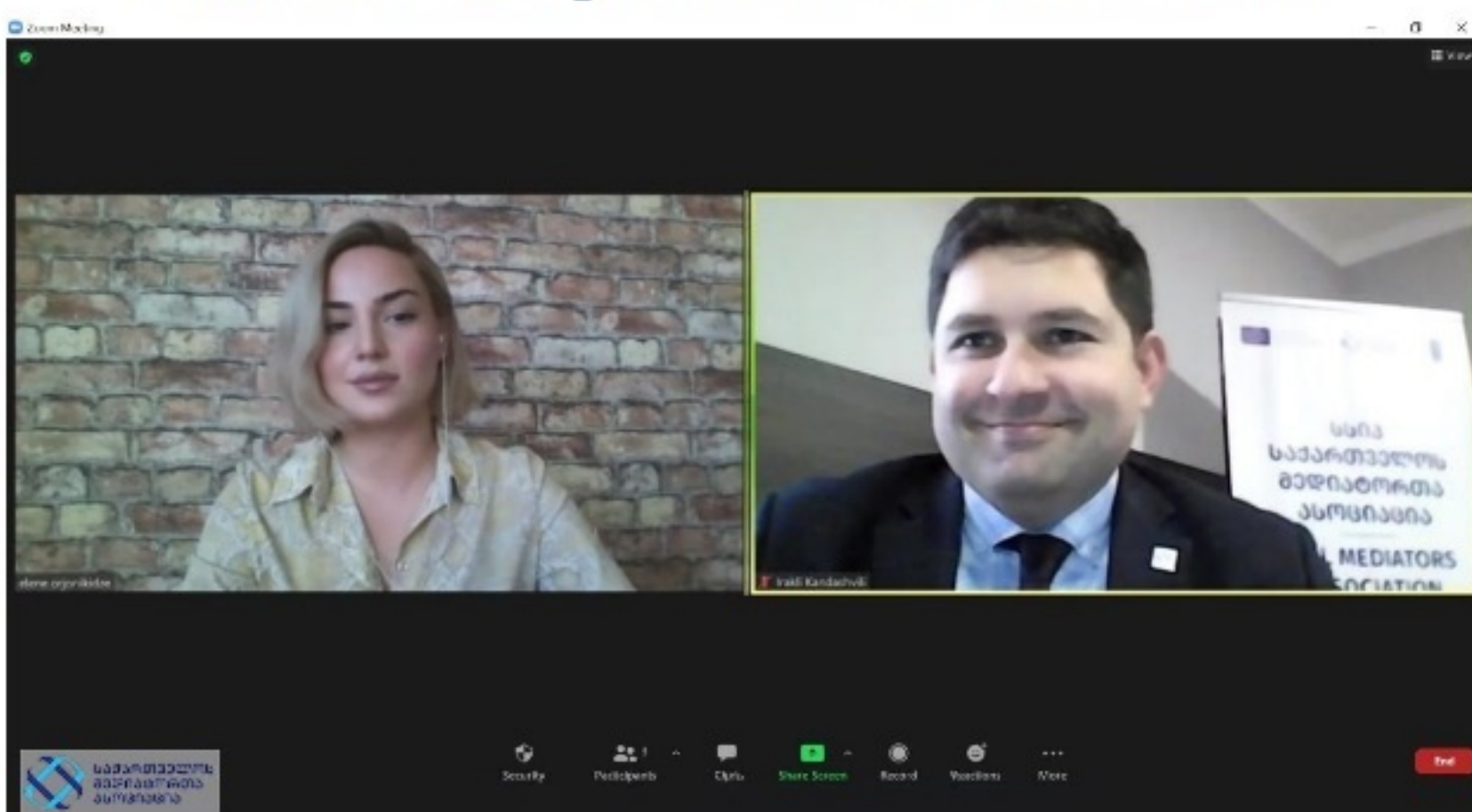
“The value of Mediation in Pandemic and Post-Pandemic Period”



“Processual Importance of Ethical Principles in Mediation”



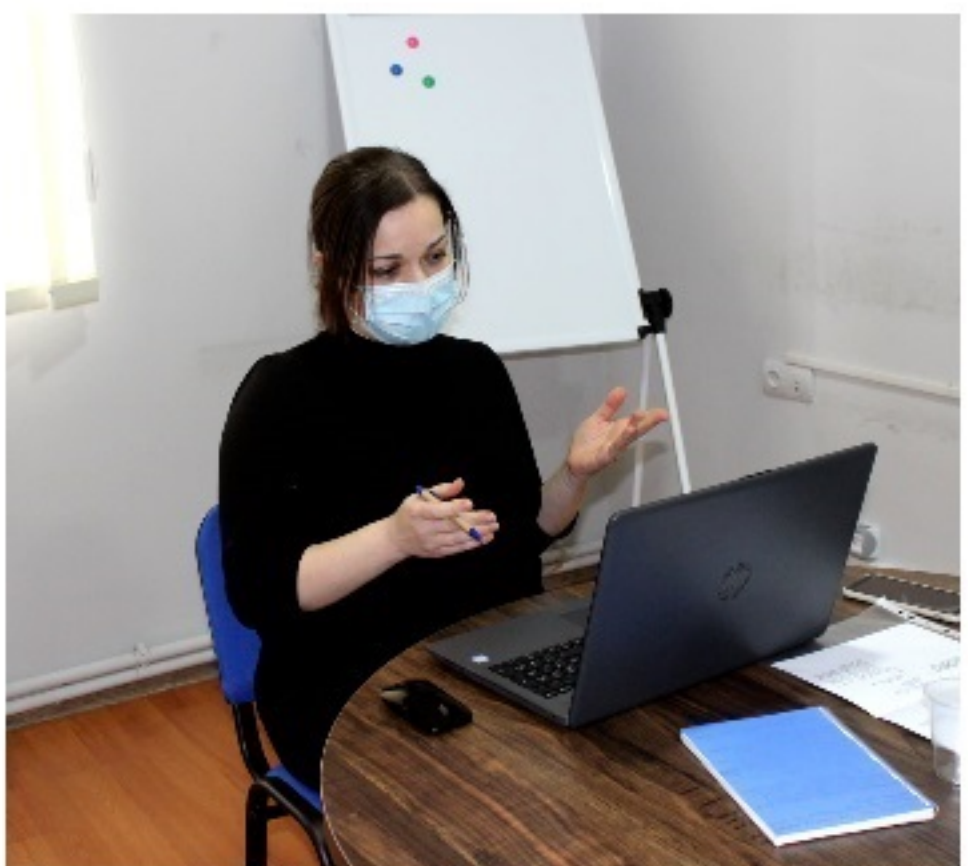
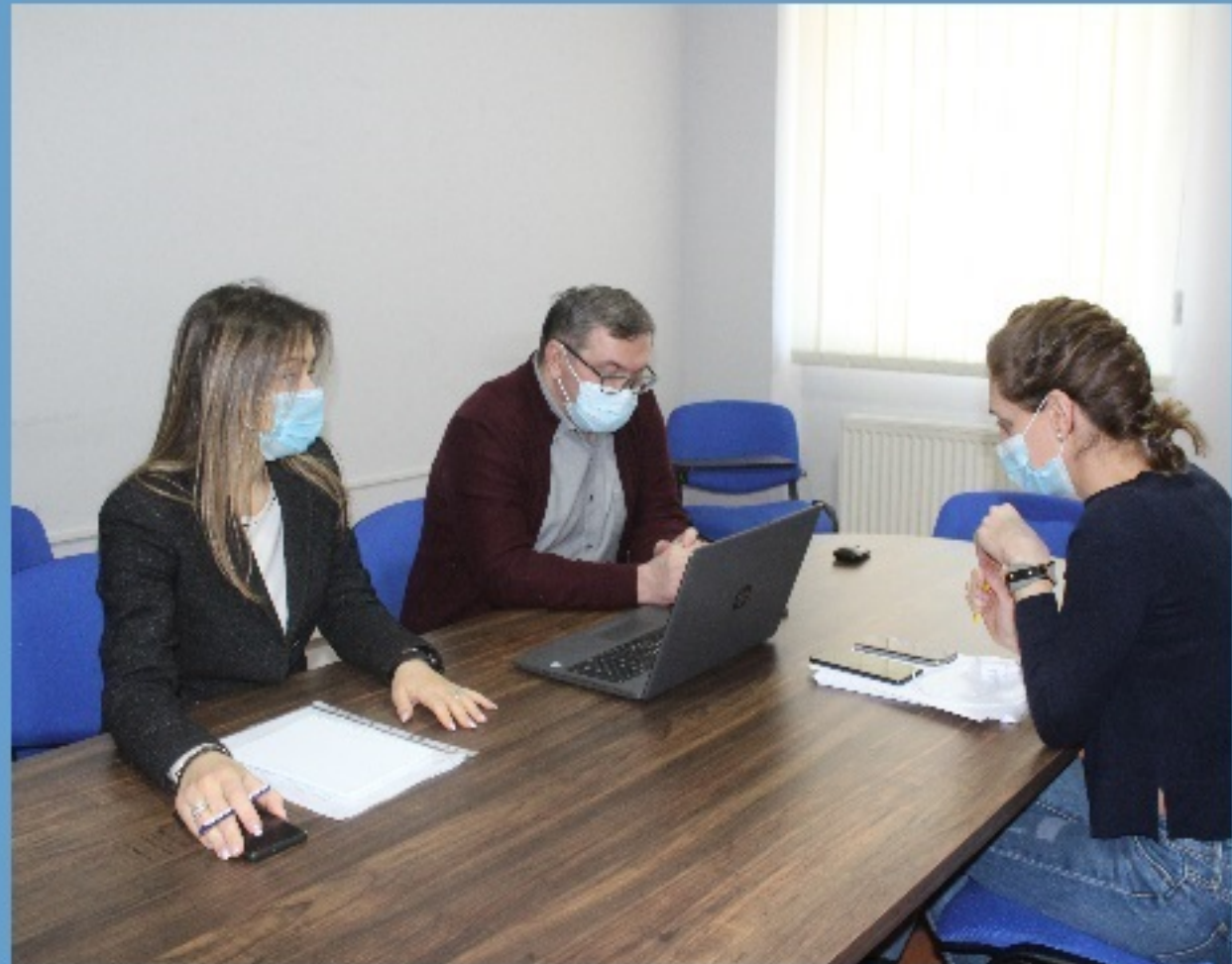
“The essence and process of Court Mediation”





The office of the Mediators Association of Georgia has been technically equipped with the support of USAID / PROLoG, the European Union and the United Nations Development Program (UNDP), comfortable spaces were arranged in the association for mediation sessions and individual meetings, the office is ready to host court and private mediation.

Among them, Ilia Chavchavadze Mediation Hall was opened, where many mediation processes were conducted. The Association hosts court and private mediation.



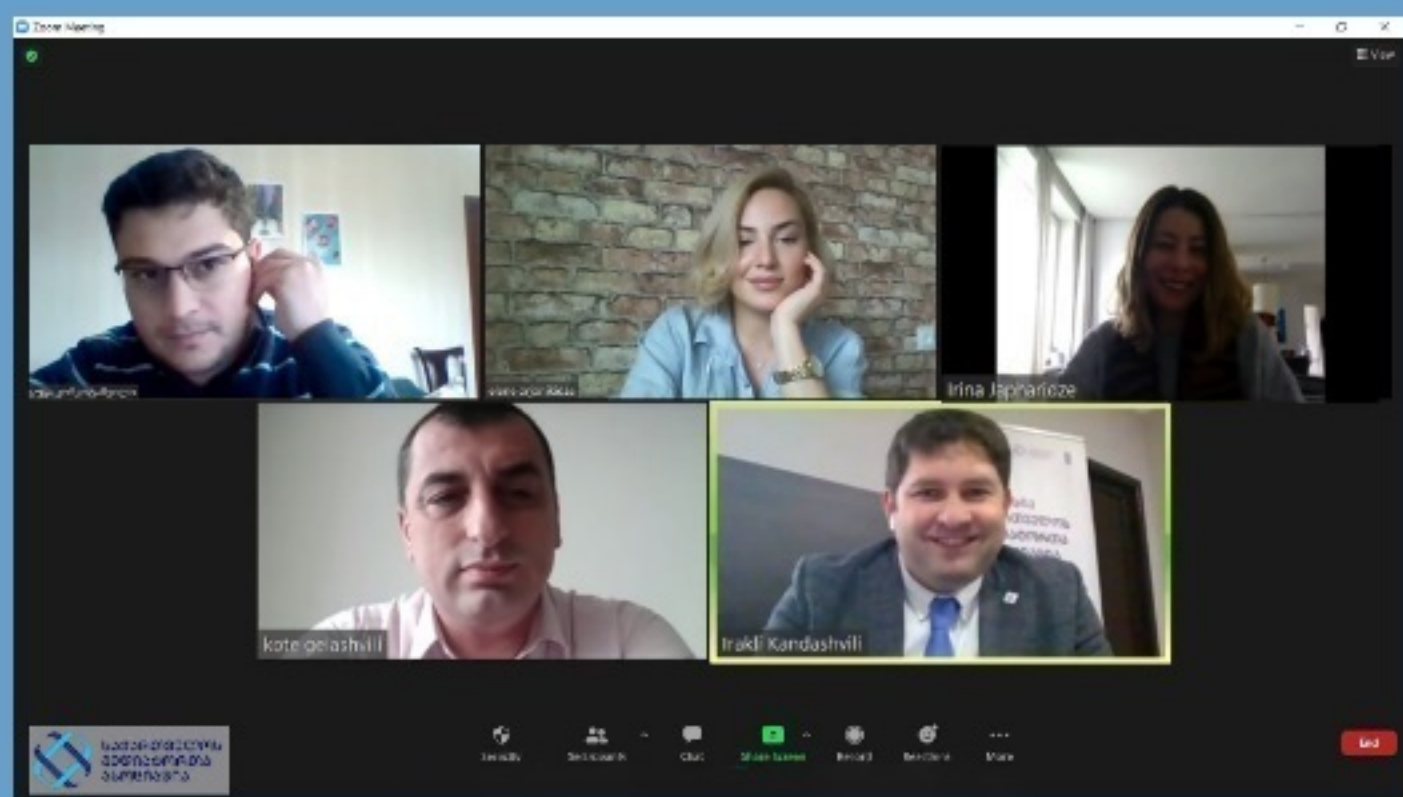
With support of USAID Prolog a distance training was held on “Mechanism for prevention and regulation on Sexual Harassment” for mediators and staff members registered in the unified register of Georgian Mediators Association.

On March 1st, 2021 year Georgian Mediators Association has launched a pro bono project, aimed to resolve disputes under family mediation category through mediation.

Statistical research shows that because of the pandemic situation in the world, number of legal disputes in different fields has been increased, including in family law field. It should be noted that, the project will help the parties, with help of mediators to resolve their disputes peacefully and quickly.



By organizing of the “Mediators Association of Georgia” and with support of the United Nations Women, a joint webinar on the International Women's Day was held on topic – “Realization of women's rights through mediation”.





Within the framework of the memorandum signed between the Mediators Association of Georgia and Ilia State University, Ilia State University School of Law will provide 5-day mediation training for students on the topic - Mediator Skills.

Within the framework of the Memorandum of Understanding between the Mediators Association of Georgia and Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University, organized by the National Center for Alternative Dispute Resolution (TSU NCADR), in support of the East-West Management Institute and Rule of Law Support Project (EWMI / PROLoG) Online mediation training is underway.



On March 29, With the support of the “Mediators Association of Georgia” and the European Law Students Association of Georgia (ELSA Georgia), an event is being held: School of Law and Competition in Mediation.

