



- 1. **Family name:** Gatsserelia
- 2. **First names:** Akaki
- 3. **Date of birth:** 03 February 1980
- 4. **Nationality:** Georgian
- 5. **Civil status:** Married

**6. Education:**

<i>Institution</i>	Illinois Institute of Technology, IIT Chicago-Kent College of Law, (USA/GEORGIA).
<i>Date: from (month / year): to (month / year)</i>	2016-2017
<i>Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:</i>	Certificate of Completion of the Two-semester Program in Business Law
<i>Institution</i>	Tbilisi State University (Tbilisi, Georgia)
<i>Date: from (month / year): to (month / year)</i>	2009- to date
<i>Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:</i>	PhD – doctoral candidate (Topic in Energy Law).  Internship under the IRZ scholarship at BBH, the leading German Law Firm in the Energy Sector. Y-2019
<i>Institution</i>	Bournemouth Business School International (Bournemouth, UK)
<i>Date: from (month / year): to (month / year)</i>	2011
<i>Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:</i>	Certified Training in in Legal Studies
<i>Institution</i>	University of Cologne (Cologne, Germany)
<i>Date: from (month / year): to (month / year)</i>	2007-2009
<i>Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:</i>	Master of Laws (LL.M.)
<i>Institution</i>	Georgian Technical University (Tbilisi, Georgia)
<i>Date: from (month / year): to (month / year)</i>	2002-2004
<i>Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:</i>	Master of Laws in Civil and Private Law
<i>Institution</i>	Georgian Technical University (Tbilisi, Georgia)
<i>Date: from (month / year): to (month / year)</i>	1997-2002
<i>Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:</i>	Specialist's degree in law (5-years diploma)

**7. Language skills: (Mark 1 to 5 for competence, 5 being the highest)**

<i>Language</i>	<i>Reading</i>	<i>Speaking</i>	<i>Writing</i>
Georgian	native	native	native
English	5	5	5
Russian	5	5	5
German	5	5	5

**8. Membership of professional bodies:**

- Georgian Bar Association (GBA) since 2003;
- Mediators Association of Georgia (MAG);
- Acting Mediator of Tbilisi City Court (TCC);

**9. Other skills (e.g. computer literacy, etc.):** Microsoft Office

**10. Present position:** : Head of Legal Department/ Adviser of the Board of Directors on Commercial Matters of ENGURI HPP, Tbilisi, Georgia. Managing Partner, Attorney at Law at Jorbenadze & Gatsserelia Counselors, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**11. Key qualifications:** Georgian qualified lawyer specialising in Corporate, Commercial, Contract, Labour, Administrative and Energy Law. Licensed Mediator of Georgia.

**12. Professional Experience Record:**

<i>Date: from (month / year) to (month / year)</i>	07/2018 – to date
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<i>Location:</i>	Tbilisi, Georgia
<i>Company:</i>	Jorbenadze & Gatserelia Counselors LLC
<i>Position:</i>	Managing Partner, Attorney at Law
<i>Description:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drafting Commercial Contracts</li> <li>• Drafting Legal Memoranda</li> <li>• Commercial Law/Corporate Law</li> <li>• Corporate Reorganization</li> <li>• Tax Law/ Real Estate Law</li> <li>• Competition Law/Employment Law</li> <li>• Litigation/Arbitration/Mediation</li> <li>• Legal Due Diligence</li> </ul>
<i>Date: from (month / year) to (month / year)</i>	03/2014 – to date
<i>Location:</i>	Tbilisi, Georgia
<i>Company:</i>	ENGURI HPP
<i>Position:</i>	Head of Legal Department/ Adviser of the Board of Directors on Commercial Matters
<i>Description:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Provision of corporate and regulatory legal works as well as &amp; commercial works for day-to-day operations of the largest hydro power plant in Georgia (ENGURI HPP),</i></li> <li>• <i>Negotiation and Drafting Power Purchase Agreements including Agreements related to the Export and/or Import of Electricity</i></li> <li>• <i>Drafting Legal Memoranda</i></li> <li>• <i>Commercial Law/Corporate Law</i></li> <li>• <i>Tax Law/ Real Estate Law</i></li> <li>• <i>Competition Law/Employment Law</i></li> <li>• <i>Litigation/Arbitration/Mediation</i></li> </ul>
<i>Date: from (month / year) to (month / year)</i>	06.2015 – 09.2015
<i>Location:</i>	Tbilisi, Georgia
<i>Company:</i>	IBF Internation Consulting SA
<i>Position:</i>	Senior Non-Key Expert for LMIS legal analysis with Local Expertise (In the framework of the project - EuropeAid/135544/DH/SER/GE)
<i>Description:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Project: VET and Employment Reforms in Georgia. Legal compliance review of the new legislation for Labor Market Information Systems, issued a legal opinion.</li> </ul>
<i>Date: from (month / year) to (month / year)</i>	02.2014 – 08.2014
<i>Location:</i>	Tbilisi, Georgia
<i>Company:</i>	JSC Georgian State Electrosystem
<i>Position:</i>	Head of Agreements Registration Section
<i>Description:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Organizing and execution of Auctions related to cross-border trade of Electricity (Export/Import).</li> <li>• Registration of the Power Purchase Agreements.</li> <li>• Supervision of the electricity market participants regarding fulfilment of their contractual obligations under the registered contracts.</li> </ul>
<i>Date: from (month / year) to (month / year)</i>	05.2013 – 02.2014
<i>Location:</i>	Tbilisi, Georgia
<i>Company:</i>	Rödl & Partner
<i>Position:</i>	Senior Associate Lawyer
<i>Description:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Drafting International Commercial Contracts</i></li> <li>• <i>Drafting Legal Memoranda</i></li> <li>• <i>Commercial Law/Corporate Law</i></li> <li>• <i>Corporate Reorganization/ M&amp;A /Investments</i></li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tax Law/ Real Estate Law</li> <li>• Competition Law/Employment Law</li> <li>• Litigation/Arbitration/Mediation</li> <li>• Legal Due Diligence</li> </ul>
<b>Date: from (month / year) to (month / year)</b>	03/2005 - 01/2006
<b>Location:</b>	Tbilisi, Georgia
<b>Company:</b>	State Sanitary Inspection
<b>Position:</b>	Senior Lawyer
<b>Description:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Administrative Law/Employment Law</li> <li>• Litigation/Arbitration/Mediation</li> </ul>

### 13. Other Qualifications

Akaki has over 10 years of experience in delivering, participation and conduct of lectures, trainings and seminars in different fields of laws:

1. Academic Assistant, Tbilisi State University, Faculty of Law, since 2012;
2. Inviter lecturer in Caucasus University and Georgian National University, since 2016;
3. Expert/Trainer National Centre for Alternative Dispute Resolution (the "NCADR"), since 2017;
4. Member of the update working group for the new Electricity (Capacity) Market Rules (under the Order of the Ministry of Energy of Georgia, No 41, 23/04/2009);
5. Participant at roundtable discussion on the theme - Strengthening capacities of the Georgian National Energy and Water Supply Regulatory Commission (GNERC) in Regulatory Cost Audit and Market Monitoring – Further Development of the Electricity Market. Tbilisi, 31/03/2016 (Supported by the EU);
6. Participant on workshop on Master Trading Agreements and Contractual Standards for Energy Trading in the EU. Tbilisi, 19 June 2017(Supported by EFET);
7. Participant on training Course on Bilateral Over-the-Counter Energy Trading organised by USAID Energy Program and MTX Commodities (26th – 28th March, 2019). Certificate of Successfully Completion of the Training;
8. Participant on training Course on Energy Markets Trading and Risk Management organised by USAID Energy Program and MTX Commodities (4th – 6th February, 2020). Certificate of Successfully Completion of the Training;
9. Participant on training Online Course on the Physical and Financial Power Market organised by Nord Pool Academy (March, 2021).

### 14. Publications

1. Trading with Electricity at the Organized Markets in Georgia (Comparison with European Experience) [http://lawjournal.ge/wp-content/uploads/2020/12/DGZR-11-2020-3\\_8\\_13.pdf](http://lawjournal.ge/wp-content/uploads/2020/12/DGZR-11-2020-3_8_13.pdf).
2. Legislative tendencies of Europeanisation of the Georgian Electricity Market. <https://tsu.ge/assets/media/files/8/Publications/LAW-jurnal2020-1.pdf>.
3. Entstehung und Beendigung von Arbeitsverhältnissen in Georgien, Wirtschaft und Recht in Osteuropa (WiRO ), Verlag C.H. Beck, München, Heft 3, 2019, S. 69-71 (Teil I) / Heft 4, 2019, S. 107-112 (Teil II), 2019.
4. Author/Co-Author of the Commentaries on the Civil Code of Georgia (Art.: 111-114; 416; 421 – 426; 711 715). [www.civilcode.ge](http://www.civilcode.ge).
5. The meaning of fidelity and the scope of damages while representation, 2018. <https://www.sabauni.edu.ge/library/lado-Wanturia-55.-saiubileo-gamocema.--5f67c738c9aec.pdf>
6. Co-Author of the Handbook of the Legal Bases of Public Administration, Handbook (Chapter X. **Energy Law**) Tbilisi, 2016. <http://lawlibrary.info/ge/books/giz2016-ge-handbook-legal-bases-public-administration.pdf>.
7. Changes to the Labor Code of Georgia (in English) – Mandanten Gus Plus, 2013.
8. The Analyze of the Georgian legislation governing the precontractual relationships, with regard to the practice determined by the Courts decisions. - Students Law Journal (Elsa. GIZ), 2012. <http://lawlibrary.info/ge/books/giz2012-ge-studentische-Rechtszeitschrift.pdf>

Certification:I, the undersigned, certify that to the best of my knowledge, these data correctly describe me, my qualifications and my experience.

Akaki Gatsrelia, 20 May 2021