

Name of Educational Institution	Legal Entity of Public Law - Batumi Shota Rustaveli State University
Name of Educational Program	German Philology
Qualification to be Awarded	Bachelor of Arts in German Philology
Program Leader(s)	Teona Beridze, Associate Professor - teona.beridze@gmail.com
Program Structure / ECTS Volume, Curriculum (see Annex No. 1)	180 ECTS
Language of Instruction	Georgian language
Prerequisites for Admission to the Educational Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Unified National Examinations; ✓ Enrollment through mobility; ✓ Without Unified National Examinations, in accordance with the procedure established by legislation.
Aim of the Educational Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ To provide the student with broad knowledge of the field and teach the main aspects of German Philology: linguistic and literary theories, basic concepts and terminology of German Studies, stages of development of the German language and German-language literature, and principles of communication in the German-language space; ✓ To teach the structure of the German language and its characteristics; to develop practical skills in listening, reading comprehension, written and oral communication envisaged by the B2 level of language competence; and to introduce German-language literature and the main issues of culture; ✓ To develop general competencies such as understanding complex issues, collecting data, selecting research methods, synthesis and analysis skills, argumentative reasoning and the formulation of substantiated conclusions, critical and creative thinking; ✓ Through the study of a foreign language and culture, to support the refinement and development of the student's intercultural and interdisciplinary competencies and the improvement of social skills; to help the student understand the importance of academic and professional integrity and the necessity of observing ethical norms; ✓ To develop the student's skills in independently planning learning, organizing time and tasks, self-assessment and self-actualization. To help the student understand the importance of further lifelong learning and professional development, openness to innovation and adaptation to change; ✓ To provide the student with broad employment opportunities and make the graduate competitive in the modern, changing labour market, where the acquired knowledge, qualification and competencies can be fully realized for the benefit of society.
Learning Outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The graduate describes concepts and meanings related to general philological, linguistic, translation studies and literary theories and defines the basic terminology of German Studies; ✓ Describes the stages of development of the German language and German-language literature, the main principles of communication in the German-language space, and the key issues of German culture; ✓ Recognizes and defines the structural, phonetic, grammatical, lexical-semantic and stylistic features of the German language; ✓ The graduate applies the acquired knowledge for communication in a foreign-language, mainly German-language, environment: understands and interprets German-language texts, expresses personal opinions in German in written and oral form, performs oral and written translation, and participates in discussions; ✓ The graduate applies the acquired knowledge in the scientific, research and applied fields of philology, understands complex issues, collects data, selects research methods, carries out analysis and draws substantiated conclusions. The graduate is able to reason argumentatively and defines and evaluates the importance of critical and creative thinking; ✓ The graduate is able to independently plan learning, organize time and tasks in accordance with the set goal, make decisions, carry out self-assessment and plan ways of self-actualization; ✓ The graduate recognizes the importance of lifelong learning and professional development and the need to adapt to innovations and changes. The graduate evaluates personal needs and determines priorities, which enables continuation of studies at the next level of education or employment in the labour market; ✓ The graduate respects universal human values and the high ideals of humanism and democracy, recognizes the importance of healthy social relationships, teamwork, tolerance and cultural diversity, and understands personal responsibility, academic and professional integrity and the necessity of observing ethical norms.