

Goals, Objectives, Action Plan, Deadlines and Expected Results

Objective 1	<p>Preparation of highly qualified personnel with specialties of theological profile for scientific-research and pedagogical activities;</p> <p>Training of qualified personnel for the restoration of monuments of cultural heritage owned by the Autocephalous Apostolic Orthodox Church of Georgia – iconographers, restorers and architects.</p>						
goal	<p>Development of the quality of teaching and research to achieve the goal;</p> <p>Development of infrastructure and material resources to achieve the goal;</p> <p>Targeted updating of the library resources.</p>						
Ways for achieving goals	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027
Assessment, upgrading and development of the educational programs	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Improvement/Development of an Individual curriculum	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Study and development of practice for evaluating learning outcomes	✓	✓					
Increase of the share of academic staff compared to the invited staff					✓	✓	
Effective use of e-learning system	✓	✓	✓				
Strengthening and supporting of Scientific-research activities		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Introduction of the practice of evaluation of Scientific-research activities	✓	✓	✓				
Introduction and development of the management of a system for detecting plagiarism and academic misconduct	✓	✓	✓				
Upgrading and equipping of classrooms	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Development of infrastructure			✓				

tailored to the needs of people with disabilities (partially and fully regulated)							
Upgrading of the student dormitory and inventory	✓	✓					
Arranging the interior space for the library and for the students' independent work, and equipping them with appropriate technologies.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Provide access to international library networks and scientific databases.		✓	✓	✓			

<p>Expected Results</p>	<p>Promoting high spirituality and Christian values by strengthening Ecclesiastical consciousness in society.</p> <p>Improving Educational environment, including methodology of program design, its planning, evaluation and development.</p> <p>When managing the development process of educational programs, studying and taking into account the best local and international experience.</p> <p>Development of educational programs to match the purpose of this educational institution.</p> <p>Achievement of the framework/the classifier of the areas of study, and its connection with modern standards of achieving high quality education.</p> <p>Improving of methodology of individual program planning, its elaboration and development; Improving of the evaluation of results of learning; Availability of teaching and research resources.</p> <p>To achieve a high quality of teaching, alignment of suitability of the electronic teaching system to the requirements of the students and academic personnel.</p> <p>Strengthening of research potential and defining of the priority of research directions. Implementation of the results of the latest studies in the process of teaching. Co-participation of international and local partners of the relevant profile in research activities. Unwavering protection of good faith, as a necessary condition for reliability in raising the level of knowledge and academic activities in the field of theology. Improving of the ratio of Academic and invited personnel for further enhancement of the sustainability of educational programs. Improving of infrastructure; upgrading of the infrastructure of information technology (Computer hardware, software security); Adaptation of learning and environmental conditions, according to the needs of people with disabilities.</p>
<p>Objective II</p>	<p>Developing international relationships in order to improve the quality of teaching and research activities.</p>

Goal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Acquisition of scientific knowledge in the field of theology; ✓ Implementation of European standards and recommendations for securing the quality of higher education; ✓ Promoting of student international mobility; ✓ Leading of the scientific research according to the international scale.
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Ways for achieving goals	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027
Promoting the mobility of academic/administrative staff/students within the scope of Erasmus + program	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Finding of new partner organizations within the scope of Erasmus + program			✓	✓	✓		
Expanding of cooperation with foreign theological higher educational institutions for joint research	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Personnel (academic/administrative) Training – retraining for higher Quality of education Issues of European standards and recommendations (institutional and programmatic).	✓	✓	✓				

Expected results	<p>Sharing of international experience and promoting of best practices is considered further refinement of the existing system as well as introduction of modern methods of teaching and development of effective evaluation systems.</p> <p>Administrative support of Students/Academic/Administrative personnel: In accordance with the requirements of Erasmus +, students' enhanced training in European languages and suggestion of necessary knowledge for the development of project applications.</p> <p>Support of the personnel - Training them for securing higher quality in their education, in terms of international standards and recommendations, which will contribute to the establishment of high educational quality of teaching and research level improvements; by raising staff competencies, the use of human resources for international mobility and joint studies; introduction of international programs on consulting services. Finding new partners and increasing collaboration with them in the field of teaching and research as an opportunity to raise the international authority of the institution, development of the educational programs, and planning of joint research collaboration for the future. Promoting of international mobility, supporting of training of the students in foreign languages, within the framework of extracurricular studies</p>
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	(beyond the program) and appropriate provision of the students with information services.
Objective III	Permanent strengthening of ecclesiastical consciousness in society and protection of Christian values.
Goal	Dissemination of accumulated knowledge in order to raise Christian awareness in spirituality, culture, education in the community.

Ways for achieving goals	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027
Preparation of Theological collections and periodicals	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Implementation of social, cultural programs and events	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Organizing events, symposia, conferences in the public space	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Organizing presentations and public lectures for teachers and students at general educational institutions	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Arranging of exhibitions	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Expected results	Increasing of the contribution of TTAS in the dissemination and strengthening of theological knowledge and Christian values. Publication of scientific literature and Theological texts and supporting of their availability for the public; Promotion of a better cognition of Christian teaching; Cognition of aesthetic principles/visions of Christian art by the public; Introduction of the system of continuous development.
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