## **CAUCASUS STUDIES I – Spring 2018**

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Note that all lectures are *published at 10.00* at the It's learning site on the dates indicated below.

Published lectures are available to course participants until the end of the semester.

All scheduled assignments are mandatory.

	INTRODUCTION TO CAUCASUS STUDIES			A LANGUAGE OF THE CAUCASUS (Choice: Georgian or Russian)	
Publ.		Sub m.	Publ.		Subm.
16/1	Lecture 1: Introduction - geography, nature, borders		15/1	Russian, Lecture 1 Georgian, Lect 1, part 1	
			18/1	Russian, Lecture 2 Georgian, Lect 1, part 2	
23/1	Lecture 2: Administrative and political division		22/1	Russian, Lecture 3 Georgian, Lect 2, p 1, Ass 1	29/1 (G1)
			25/1	Russian, Lect 4. Ass 1 Georgian, Lect 2, part 2	1/2 (R1)
30/1	Lecture 3: Language, ethnicity and national identities in the		29/1	Russian, Lecture 5 Georgian, Lect 3, part 1	
	Caucasus Assignment 1	6/2	1/2	Russian, Lecture 6 Georgian, Lect 3, part 2	
6/2	Lecture 4: Culture and traditions in the Caucasus		5/2	Russian, Lect 7 Georgian, Lect 4, p 1, Ass 2	12/2 (G2)
			8/2	Russian, Lect 8, Ass 2 Georgian, Lect 4, part 2	15/2 (R2)
	Lecture 5: Early and pre-Soviet history		12/2	Russian, Lecture 9 Georgian, Lect 5, part 1	

13/2	Assignment 2	20/2	15/2	Russian, Lecture 10 Georgian, Lect 5, part 2	
20/2	Lecture 6: Soviet Russia and the USSR		19/2 22/2	Russian, Lecture 11 Georgian, Lecture 6, p 1, Ass 3 Russian, Lecture 12, Ass 3 Georgian, Lecture 6, part 2	26/2 (G3) 1/3 (R3)
27/2	Lecture 7: Post-Soviet Caucasus. New geopolitical competition Assignment 3	6/3	26/2 1/3	Russian, Lecture 13 Georgian, Lecture, part 1 Russian, Lecture 14 Georgian, Lecture 7, p 2, Ass 4	8/3 (G4)
6/3	Lecture 8: Conflict cases in the Caucasus		5/3 8/3	Russian, Lecture 15 Georgian, Lecture 8, part 1 Russian, Lecture 16, Ass 4 Georgian, Lect 8, part 2	15/3 (R4)
13/3	Exam	20/3	12/3	Russian, Lecture 17 Georgian, Lecture 9	
1/5	Reexam	8/5	19/3	Exam	26/3
			1/5	Reexam	7/5

POST-SOVIET DEVELOPMENTS IN THE CAUCASUS		HISTORY OF THE CAUCASUS			
Publ.		Sub m.	Publ.		Subm.
27/3	Lecture 1		3/4	Lecture 1	
3/4	Lecture 2		5/4	Lecture 2	
10/4	Lecture 3 Assignment 1	17/4	12/4	Lecture 3	

17/4	Lecture 4		19/4	Lecture 4 Assignment 1	26/4
24/4	Lecture 5 Assignment 2	1/5	26/4	Lecture 5	
1/5	Lecture 6 Assignment 3	7/5	3/5	Lecture 6 Assignment 2	10/5
7/5	Lecture 7		10/5	Lecture 7	
15/5	Lecture 8		17/5	Lecture 8	
22/5	Exam	29/5	24/5	Exam	31/5
14/8	Reexam	21/8	16/8	Reexam	23/8