

PROSPECTUS  
2022

# MBBS

## ADMISSIONS

US-MD PROGRAM IN



**KWIU**  
KEN WALKER  
INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY  
Tbilisi, Georgia







**KEN WALKER**  
1936-2018

## HENRY KENNETH WALKER

Professor of medicine and neurology at Emory University School of Medicine, professor of global health at Rollins School of Public Health, Honorary Citizen of Tbilisi and Georgia.

His 60-year career included an unrivaled dedication to Grady Memorial Hospital. Walker was also committed to global health outreach. He worked in many countries and had a huge impact in the country of Georgia. The first time Professor Kennett Walker visited Georgia was within the framework of the USAID program "Georgia to Georgia" in 1992.

Executive Director of Partners for International Development (PFID), Walker led the Atlanta-Tbilisi Partnership, a collaboration between educational and health care institutions in the country of Georgia and the State of Georgia.

With his support and efforts, exchange programs were launched for students, clinical and academic staff, and young professionals between the medical schools of Tbilisi and Emory University. Ken Walker has been a career supporter for many young students in the United States.



## ABOUT THE KEN WALKER UNIVERSITY

provides highest level educational programs based on the evidence and experience of the leading western educational institutions.

State of the art private university based in the beautiful country of Georgia, collaborates with the Emory University School of Medicine (USA), to provide students with the highest quality education, research and experience.



# KWIU...

Ken Walker International University is named after late Ken Walker, MD, based on his plan to guarantee global and equal access to quality and affordable higher education.

Ken Walker was a professor of Medicine, Neurology and Global health at Emory University and an author and the initiator of the collaboration of the partnership programs between Emory University and Georgia. He also was the author of the original curriculum and the idea that is the foundation of current educational model of the KWIU.



Partners for International Development inc. – Georgia (PFID), Branch of the American Nonprot, Non governmental organization is founder of the University.

For over 30 years PFID has been responsible for successful implementation and operations of many of the global programs initiated by Emory University in Georgia in the fields of healthcare and education.

Ken Walker International University aspires to become the global leader in medical and dental education and to prepare healthcare professionals of the future worldwide. Professional team and strong collaboration with leading academic, clinical and scientific organizations is a guarantee for success.

The logo for Ken Walker International University (KWIU), featuring the letters 'KWIU' in a large, bold, grey font.



is based on a modern western educational model, which is in full compliance with the standards and requirements of the World Federation for Medical Education (WFME) and meets international and Georgian medical education demands. **KWIU's medical program is based on the Emory University Medical School curriculum, with considerations of European and local demands.**

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cooperates with the Georgian and international medical and education professionals in the United States of America; these professionals assist with the university development and operations as well as quality assurance, and provide training for the students and professional assistance for the faculty and staff.

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offers exchange programs. Students can attend educational process and observe clinical activities of different hospitals and clinics in the USA. The university has collaborative agreements with over 30 local and international healthcare providers in Georgia and worldwide. To ensure the highest standard of teaching, invited professors are permanently involved in the exchange programs at Emory University and other partner organizations in the United States of America.

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educational process is fully in English. Students, with the aspiration to continue post graduate medical education in the USA, have opportunity to prepare for and pass two steps of the United States Medical License Examination (USMLE) before graduation, with no additional time and expenses.



students enjoy free and immediate access to the rich, high technological clinic, laboratory, library, as well as local and international human resources of the University.

students work together with the physicians in the clinic situated in the same building as the University.

offers its students an American model of strong and structural support: students in the program have an academic adviser - a mentor who provides students with assistance from social adaptation to the new environment, to academic advising, and to career coaching throughout the educational process.

provides career advancement of its students. Through the sharing of information and career coaching, the university ensures students' postgraduate success. This career planning and development component is planned and provided with active involvement from our American colleagues from Emory University and other partner organizations of USA.

students are able to participate in elective clinical programs/clerkships (clinical electives) at the Emory University School of Medicine and other partner organizations. The goal of the electives is to provide students with the opportunity to enhance their clinical knowledge and learn unique features of different health settings and countries.

Students, who choose KWIU, choose an English language education from an internationally accredited institution, which - along with the high quality and competitive medical education offers opportunities to spend student years in a comfortable and affordable living environment in a country known for its exclusive hospitality, unique history, and tourist destinations, as a 'bonus'.

# MEDICINE

## Duration and Volume of Studies

- Duration - 6 years, 12 semesters
- ECTS credits - 360
- Educational level - One-step educational program
- Qualification - Medical Doctor (MD)
- Language of Instruction - English

### Field of employment and opportunity to continue education

According to the current legislation of Georgia, in case of obtaining a state certificate giving the right to independent medical activity, a graduate of a one-cycle educational program of a Medical Doctor has the right to carry out the independent medical activity (Law of Georgia on Medical Activity, Article 7.)

According to the Law on Medical Activities (Article 17), a graduate with higher medical education has the right to carry out the following activities.

- Pass a postgraduate professional training course and obtain the right to independent medical practice after passing the state certification exam.
- Carry out research and pedagogical activities in theoretical fields of medicine or other fields of health care, which do not involve independent medical activities.
- Work as a junior doctor.

A graduate of a one-cycle educational program of a Medical Doctor is eligible to continue his / her studies at a postgraduate level (doctoral)



## FEES STRUCTURE

Academic Year 2022-2023

1st Year	1st Sem.	\$ 2500
	2nd Sem.	\$ 2500
2nd Year	1st Sem.	\$ 2500
	2nd Sem.	\$ 2500
3rd Year	1st Sem.	\$ 2500
	2nd Sem.	\$ 2500
4th Year	1st Sem.	\$ 2500
	2nd Sem.	\$ 2500
5th Year	1st Sem.	\$ 2500
	2nd Sem.	\$ 2500
6th Year	1st Sem.	\$ 2500
	2nd Sem.	\$ 2500

Recognized by

MCI, WHO, ECFMG, AMEE, AMSE, ISOP, EUPHA



## The Ken Walker International University is Recognised and Internationally Accredited By

- Medical Council of India
- National Center for Educational Quality Enhancement
- World Health Organization
- FAIMER (Foundation for Advancement of International Medical Education and Research)
- ECFMG (Medical Council of USA)
- Ministry of Education Science, Culture and Sport of Georgia
- National Center for Disease Control and Public Health
- National Center for Evaluation and Examinations
- Ameer
- Council of Higher Education
- AME (The Association of Medical Schools in Europe)

## The Ken Walker International University Partners

- EMORY UNIVERSITY
- An International Association For Medical Education - AMEE
- Vladimir Bakhutashvili Institute of Medical Biotechnology
- Eliava International Phagotherapy Center, Ltd
- Georgian-American Nursing College
- Association For Science
- Kamara, Ltd
- Georgian Biosafety Association
- Noble House Consultants Education Support Services

## The Ken Walker International University Clinics

- Acad. N.Kipshidze Central University Clinic, Ltd
- National Institute of Endocrinology, Ltd
- Institute of Clinical Oncology, Ltd
- Acad. O.Ghudushauri National Medical Center, Ltd
- Insitute for Personalized Medicine, Ltd
- Khechinashvili University Hospital , Ltd
- Healthy Baby Med, Ltd
- Tbilisi State Medical Univeristy and Ingorokva High Technology Medical Clinic, Ltd
- UniDent, LTD
- Acad. G.Chapidze Emergency Cardiology Center, Ltd
- Ken Walker Medical Rehabilitation Univeristy Clinic, Ltd
- National Center of Otorinolaryngology, Janapridze-Kevanishvili Clinic, Ltd
- Center for Pediatric Surgery, Ltd
- Pineo Medical Ecosystem, Ltd
- TIM - Tbilisi Institute of Medicine, Ltd
- Jerarsi, Ltd
- Inova, Ltd
- Jordania Clinic, Ltd
- Tbilisi Central Clinic, Ltd
- Kani, Ltd
- Rustavi Mental Health Center, Ltd
- Bokhua Memorial Cardiovascular Center, Ltd
- Jordania-Chikovani Clinic, Ltd
- Sachkhere Medical Center, Ltd
- Eliava Insitute Phage therapy center, Ltd
- Medex, Ltd    • Cedex, Ltd    • Bio-denti, Ltd    • A1, Ltd    • IC Dent

We Prioritize Safety of our students,  
we understand the concerns of parents

**HOSTELS ARE NOT OUR  
BUSINESS  
IT'S  
OUR RESPONSIBILITY**



## Indian Cuisines

Catering Pure, Healthy, Nutritious & Delicious



## Accommodation and Food

- Indian Cooks are in the Hostels to Prepare Authentic Indian Food.
- Hyderabadi Dum Biryani is the best dish served on Sunday Lunch in our Mess
- We offer a wide variety of delicious foods to satisfy craving of our students to let them enjoy the cuisine.
- We make sure students are always satisfied with food. "We very well understand that students cannot study well when food is compromised, especially Indians" Forget your complete worries about indian food. we serve the best food.
- Relax and peaceful stay that is conducive to learn is assured. More than 10 staff members taking care of the students including 8 Indian Staff.
- It is of great importance that every students feels at home.
- There are also nearby numerous Indian restaurants where they can enjoy Indian food and mingle with fellow Indians.
- There are separate hostels for Boys and Girls.
- Students are very well take-care-of during the entire stay in the country.
- Vegetables and meat are purchased fresh everyday
- Non veg served 5 times a week
- Everyday Menu includes Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner
- Food is served unlimited to students

**Fees: 1800 USD for 1<sup>st</sup> Semester  
1500 USD form 2<sup>nd</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> Semester  
(Both Food and Accommodation)**

**Note:**

- Both Vegetarian and Non Vegetarian food served
- Vegetarian and Non Vegetarian food cooked separately

## GEORGIA

is a country situated on the crossroad of Europe and Asia. From the south-east it has a border with Azerbaijan, from the south – with Armenia and Turkey, from the north - with Russia. The western part of Georgia is washed by the Black Sea.

Amazing nature and the diversity of this country was the source of inspiration for a lot of writers and poets. Here we have everything that the traveler can only dream about: mountains of eternal snow, mountain lakes, alpine meadows, canyon rivers full of flowers and fruit, palm coasts, natural canyons, ancient caves, mineral waters and sulfur water pools – thus this place is indeed a heaven on Earth!

**GEORGIANS** believe that a guest is a gift from **GOD**



Nothing tells you more about the spirit and culture of a country than its cuisine. Georgian national dishes are amongst the best in the world for their diversity and taste. Each historical province of the country has its own distinct culinary tradition that was rening for centuries. Especially distinguished and unique are Imeretian, Megrelian and Kakhetian cuisines.

Tbilisi is the capital of Georgia. It was founded in the 5th century. It is a multi-ethnic and multi-religious city with a mix of European and Asian cultures. Tbilisi is full of cultural events, international exhibitions, concerts, and festivals and educational and job fairs.





*on campus*  
**USMLE**  
*Coaching*

Fees: 2500 USD per Semester

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