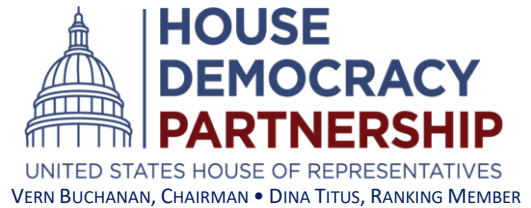


GEORGIA



History of Partnership

The House Democracy Partnership (HDP) approved a legislative strengthening partnership with the Parliament of Georgia in 2006.¹ The partnership with Georgia has focused on committee operations, parliamentary research, strengthening parliamentary oversight, and analysis and IT capabilities. HDP has encouraged development on these fronts through visits to Tbilisi, seminars for Georgian members of parliament in Washington, and seminars for Georgian legislative staff. HDP also supported a \$70,000 IT project to upgrade the parliament's internal IT capabilities.



Recent HDP Engagement with the Parliament of Georgia

MP and Regional Seminars:

- February 2023 – A regional MP seminar at the George C. Marshall Center on **Strategic Communications and Crisis Management with Ukraine Focus**.
- December 2021 – A regional MP seminar on **Engaging with the Media, Citizen Engagement, and Countering Disinformation**.
- August 2021 – An MP exchange on **Democratic Resilience in the Face of COVID-19**.
- July 2021 – An MP exchange on **Ethics and Integrity in Parliament**.
- February 2021 – A virtual women MP exchange on **Empowering, Enhancing, and Mainstreaming Women's Inclusion in Parliament**.
- May 2020 – A virtual MP workshop on **Citizen Engagement, Solutions and Recovery**.

Staff Delegations and Technical Assistance Consultancies (TACs):

- October 2021 – A virtual staff exchange on **Staff Training - Supporting Enhanced Research and Budget Analysis Techniques for PBO and PI Analysts**.
- November 2020 – A virtual staff exchange with Colombia, Georgia, Indonesia, Kenya, Kosovo, Kyrgyzstan, Liberia, North Macedonia, Peru, and Tunisia, on **Providing Quality Research Services for Member and Committee Offices**.
- January 2020 – A TAC with the Parliament of Georgia on **Legislative Ethics**.

HDP Congressional Delegations (CODELs)

HDP has organized several CODEL visits to Georgia.

- August 2021
- April 2019
- February 2017
- July 2015
- June 2011
- April 2010
- December 2008
- April 2007

¹At the time the partnership was initiated, the House Democracy Partnership was known as the House Democracy Assistance Commission (HDAC). The name was subsequently changed to reflect the nature of HDP as a partnership with partner countries.