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Education

- 1983 – University Diploma in Geology (Geological survey and prospecting and exploration of minerals), Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University, Georgia
- 2003 – Ph.D (Candidate of Science) in Geology and Mineralogy, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University, Georgia

Employment

- 2014 – present – Associate Professor of the Department of exact and natural sciences, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University, Georgia.

Teaching Courses:

- Sea and Ocean Geology
- Methods of Paleontological Investigation
- Structural Geology and Geological Survey
- Regional Geology
- Field Geology and Geological Mapping
- New Global Tectonics and Regional Geodynamics

Research Interest

- Paleontology
- Regional Geology

Running Project

- Study of Cretaceous-Paleogene trace fossils and sediments of Georgia

Selected Publications

1. N. Lursmanashvili, **Z. Lebanidze** – „Borjomi-Kazbegi” Active Strike-slip Fault: Reality or Fiction. Proceedings of the Georgian University, Vol. III, Tbilisi:181-187. 2017
2. **Z. Lebanidze**, K. Koiava, S. Khutsishili, R. Chagelishvili, N. Khundadze, T. Beridze. - Trace Fossils in the Paleogene Deposits of Borjomi Area (the Central Segment of the Achara-Trialeti Fold and Thrust Belt, Georgia: Preliminary Data of Ichnological Studies. In: Baucon, A., Neto de Carvalho, C., Rodrigues, J. (2016). Ichnia 2016: abstract book. UNESCO Geopark Naturtejo/International Ichnological Association, Castelo Branco: 42-43. 2016
3. T. Beridze, K. Koiava, S. Khutsishili, R. Chagelishvili, N. Khundadze, **Z. Lebanidze** - Upper Eocene Ichnofauna of the Tbilisi Suite in the Eastern Segment of the Achara-Trialeti Fold and Thrust Belt, Georgia: Revised Data. In: Baucon, A., Neto de Carvalho, C., Rodrigues J. (2016). Ichnia 2016: abstract book. UNESCO Geopark Naturtejo/International Ichnological Association, Castelo Branco: 28-29. 2016
4. Sh. Adamia, T.Chkhotua, T.Gavtadze, **Z.Lebanidze**, N.Lursmanashvili, N.Sadradze, D.Zakaraia, G. Zakariadze. - Tectonic Setting of Georgia-Eastern Black Sea: a review. In: Tectonic Evolution of the Eastern Black Sea and Caucasus. Geological Society, London, Special Publications, v. 428: 46 p. 2015

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6. Alpaidze, V., Beridze, T., Koiava, K., **Lebanidze, Z.** and Lursmanashvili, N.- Quaternary development of the Vere River valley and meander formation: Geomorphologic paradox. Proceedings of the Second Plenary Conference of IGCP 610, Baku: 14-17. 2014
7. **Z. Lebanidze**, K. Koiava, Ts. Svanidze, Sh. Adamia, B. Asanidze.- Position of the territory of Georgia during Late Paleozoic-Mesozoic. Abstract book of ISGB, Ankara: 121-122. 2009
8. Sh. Adamia, **Z. Lebanidze**, Ts. Svanidze, I. Shavishvili - Late Paleozoic-Triassic Geodynamic development of Georgia (Caucasus). Boll. Soc. Geol. Italiana, Vol. speciale 2: 213-218. 2003
9. Sh. Adamia, V. Gugushvili, G. Zakariadze, Z. Lebanidze, B. Tutberidze, I. Shavishvili - Geodynamic conditions of the late Paleozoic, Mesozoic and Cenozoic volcanism of Georgia and adjacent territories. Materials of the II All-Russian Symposium on Vulcanology and Paleovolcanology, Ekaterinburg: 225-231. 2003 (on Russian)
10. Ts. Svanidze, **Z. Lebanidze**, K. Koiava - Dzirula Massif in Early Mesozoic. Bulletin of TICMi, Vol. 7, Tbilisi: 25-29. 2003
11. Sh. Adamia, Z. Lebanidze, Ts. Svanidze - New Data about Triassic History of Georgia. Proceedings of Iv. Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University, 355, Geography, Geology, Tbilisi: 29-39. 2003 (on Georgian)
12. Ts. Svanidze, **Z. Lebanidze**, E. Jakobidze - Upper Triassic-Bajocian Vegetation of Western Georgia and Stratigraphical Significance of the Flora. Geologica Balcanica, 30, 1-2, Sofia 19-24. 2000
13. G. Barale, E. Iacobidze, **Z. Lebanidze**, M. Philippe - *Podocarpoxyton svanidzei* n. sp. (Coniferae) du Bathonien de Tkibouli en Georgie occidentale. N. Jb Geol. Palaont. Mh. 1991, H. 8, Stuttgart: 443-457. 1991
14. G. Barale, **Z. Lebanidze**, E. Loladze, Ts. Svanidze, - Nouvelles donees sur la flore jurassique de Bziphy (Abkhazie, Georgie). Revue de Paleobiologie, Vol. 10, #1, Geneve: 29-36. 1991
15. Z. Lebanidze - The New Location of the Bathonian Flora in Georgia. Bulletin of the Academy of Sciences of the Georgian SSR, vol. 130, # 2 May: 361-364. 1988 (on Russian).