



**Wednesday 09 and Thursday 10 November 2011
Visit of the North Atlantic Council (NAC) to Georgia**

MEDIA PROGRAMME

******* 08 NOVEMBER 2011 *******

10:00–20:00 Opening hours of the Media Centre at the Radisson Blu Iveria Hotel, Tbilisi
Delivery of the media badges. Media has access to the media center.

******* 09 NOVEMBER 2011 *******

09:00-20:00 Opening hours of the media center at the Radisson Blu Iveria Hotel, Tbilisi.

10:00-20.00 Opening hours of the media center at the Sheraton Hotel, Batumi.
Delivery of the media badges. Media has access to the media center.

From 12:00 Distribution of the pool cards in Radisson Blue Iveria Hotel Sheraton Hotel

ARRIVAL OF THE NATO DELEGATION TO TBILISI AIRPORT

- 12:30** *Departure of the media covering the airport arrival from Hotel Radisson Blue Iveria
Transport available for foreign media; Georgian media will make their own
transport arrangements*
- 15:00** **Arrival of NATO delegation in Tbilisi International Airport**
- 15:15** Return of the media from Tbilisi International Airport to Hotel “Radisson Blu Iveria”

NATO-GEORGIA COMMISSION MEETING (NGC)

- 16:20** Radisson Blu Iveria Hotel. Departure of the Pool 1 to cover the beginning of the NATO-Georgia Commission meeting.
- 16:45** **NATO-Georgia Commission meeting in Hotel Radisson Blu Iveria.**
Opening remarks by the NATO Secretary General and the Georgian Prime minister open to the media.
Broadcast live on CCTV network and streamed on NATO website.
- 18:15** **End of NATO-Georgia Commission meeting.**

NATO SECRETARY GENERAL'S PRESS CONFERENCE

18:30 Radisson Blu Iveria Hotel. **Press Conference by the NATO Secretary General, Chairman of the NATO Georgia Commission**
Open to all accredited media
Available live on satellite (world feed) and streamed live on NATO website
Broadcast live on CCTV network

During the evening: Cultural event at the Rustaveli Theatre

From 18:30 Photo opportunity for the arrivals

***** 10 NOVEMBER 2011 *****

07:45 Opening hours of the Media Centre at the Radisson Blue Iveria Hotel, Tbilisi.
- end of operations

10:00 Opening hours of the Media Centre at the Sheraton Hotel, Batumi. During the morning: distribution of the pool passes for events in Batumi
- end of operations

**JOINT PRESS POINT BY THE NATO SECRETARY GENERAL
AND THE CHAIRMAN OF THE PARLIAMENT**

08:00 Radisson Blu Iveria Hotel. **Departure of the media covering the media events taking place at the Parliament of Georgia (Pool A included).**
Transport available for foreign media and Pool A; Georgian media will make their own transport arrangements. The media will use the Tchitchinadze Street entrance.

09:00 Parliament of Georgia. **Joint press point by the NATO Secretary General and the Chairman of the Parliament.**
Broadcast live on CCTV network and streamed on NATO website.

NATO AMBASSADORS MEETING WITH MEMBERS OF THE GEORGIAN PARLIAMENT

9:15 **NATO Ambassadors meeting with the Chairman of the Georgian Parliament, with the participation of the heads of the parliamentary factions**
Opening remarks by the Secretary General and the Chairman of the Parliament open to media
Coverage by the Pool A; photos and video footage available after the event

10:15 **End of the meeting**

NATO SECRETARY GENERAL'S SPEECH AT STATE UNIVERSITY OF TBILISSI

09:45 Radisson Blu Iveria Hotel. Departure of the Pool C to cover the NATO Secretary General's Speech at State University of Tbilisi.

10:30 **NATO Secretary General's Speech at State University of Tbilisi.**
Broadcast live on CCTV network and streamed on NATO website.

11:30 End of the speech

OUTREACH ACTIVITIES WITH THE NATO AMBASSADORS

10:30 Departure of the pool B.

10:45 Radisson Blue Iveria Hotel. **NATO ambassadors will meet members of the opposition parties and civil society**
No opening remarks, short photo sweep by the visual media

12:15 End of the meetings

**GREETING CEREMONY TO GEORGIAN TROOPS
SERVING IN AFGHANISTAN**

11:50 **NATO Secretary General will attend a greeting ceremony of the Georgian troops serving in Afghanistan**
No access for the media. Photos and video footage available on NATO website after the event.

NATO AMBASSADORS MEETING WITH THE GEORGIAN PRESIDENT

15:50 Sheraton Hotel, Batumi. Departure of the Pool D to cover the beginning of the meeting

16:20 **NATO Ambassadors meeting with the Georgian President**
Opening remarks by the NATO Secretary General and the Georgian President open to the media.
Streamed live on NATO website, broadcast live on CCTV network

17:50 End of NATO-Georgia Commission meeting.

OFFICIAL PORTRAIT

17:30 Sheraton Hotel. Departure of the Pool E for covering the official photo

17:55 **Official Portrait.**

**JOINT PRESS CONFERENCE BY THE NATO SECRETARY GENERAL
AND THE GEORGIAN PRESIDENT**

18:10 Sheraton Hotel Batumi. **Joint press conference by the NATO Secretary General and the Georgian President.**
*Available live on satellite (world feed) and streamed live on NATO website
Broadcast live on CCTV network*