

# WOMEN EMPOWERMENT

## FINLAND-CAUCASUS CREATIVE FORUM

21.10.2021 | BOLNISI MUSEUM, GEORGIA

Creative Caucasus hosts Finland-Caucasus Creative Forum in newly opened [Bolnisi Museum](#), representing Kvemo Kartli educational, touristic and scientific research center.

The project brings together emerging professionals, women entrepreneurs and artists from cultural and creative fields, and serves as a space for resource-sharing, development and collaboration between leading Finnish professionals and creative industry organizations from the Caucasus. Finland-Caucasus Creative Forum follows up on last year's Batumi [Regional Conference on Women Empowerment](#) with participation of 20 leading female entrepreneurs, cultural managers and artists from South Caucasus countries.

Women Empowerment in South Caucasus project aims to facilitate closer collaboration between South Caucasus region and Finland by focusing on women entrepreneurs from three Caucasus countries.

The project is supported by the office of the Roving Ambassador of Finland to South Caucasus.

*\*Only fully vaccinated individuals will be allowed to attend the Forum*

*\*\*Creative Caucasus is a Tbilisi based not-for-profit organization that develops creative entrepreneurship and startup culture in Georgia and the Caucasus.*

### Forum Agenda

- 10:00-11:00 | Transportation | Tbilisi-Bolnisi
- 11:00-11:45 | Special tour at the museum hosted by Salome Guruli | Bolnisi Museum's Project Coordinator
- 12:00-12:05 | Welcome | Gela Suli | Creative Caucasus, Director
- 12:05-12:10 | Introduction | Tamara Janashia | Moderator of the Forum
- 12:10-12:20 | H.E. Kirsti Narinen | Roving Ambassador of Finland to South Caucasus
- 12:20-12:40 | Tuija Seipell | The Cool Hunter, Editor in Chief | Online Keynote
- 12:40-13:45 | Lunch Break
- 13:45-14:00 | Anni Korkman | Helsinki Design Week, Program Director
- 14:00-14:15 | Marjo Oliva | Napa Arts & Licensing Agency, Founder, agent & CEO
- 14:15-14:30 | Ketevan Ebanoidze & Elene Jvania | Impact Hub Tbilisi, Founders
- 14:30-14:45 | Taina Myöhänen | WE in Games Finland, President
- 14:45-15:00 | Päivi Häikiö | Art Director, graphic designer
- 15:00-15:15 | Ana Shanshiashvili | Georgian Crafts Association, Director
- 15:15-15:30 | Vilja Achté | 3D-artist and motion designer
- 15:30-16:30 | Coffee Break
- 16:30-16:45 | Anano Bakuradze & Eka Kadagishvili | Movement TV, Founders
- 16:45-17:45 | Panel Discussion moderated by Tamara Janashia | Culture and Media Lab, Director
- 18:00-19:15 | Transportation | Bolnisi-Tbilisi

