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WEBINAR
on Holding elections during a pandemic
20 October 2020

15:30-18:30, Tbilisi time
13:30-16:30, Strasbourg/Paris time

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DRAFT PROGRAMME

- 15:30 – 16:00** **Under which conditions can elections be held under emergency situations? Reflections issued from 2020 Venice Commission’s reports on the matter (CDL-PI(2020)005rev & CDL-AD(2020)018)**
Mr Oliver Kask, Judge, President of the [Council for Democratic Elections](#), Member of the [Venice Commission](#), Estonia
- 16:00 – 16:30** **Session of questions/answers**
- 16:30 – 17:30** **Practical implications of holding elections during a pandemic in the context of the parliamentary elections planned on 31 October 2020 in Georgia**
Mr Giorgi Sharabidze, Deputy Chairperson of the [Central Election Commission](#) of Georgia
- Example of the municipal elections held in France on 15 March (first round) and 28 June 2020 (second round) and the experience retained from other electoral processes held during the pandemic**
Mrs Florence Ganoux, Election Expert, France
- Example of the regional elections and the referendum held in Italy on 20-21 September 2020 and the parliamentary elections held in Poland on 28 June and 12 July 2020**
Mrs Renata Tardioli, Election Expert, Italy
- Practical implications of holding elections during a pandemic in the context of the presidential election planned on 1 November 2020 in the Republic of Moldova**
Mr Corneliu Pasat, [Central Electoral Commission](#) of the Republic of Moldova
- 17:30 – 18:00** **Session of questions/answers – The special sanitary and security measures planned before and in view of the election day**

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