

# News and Numbers from CRRC

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## ODA - CRRC Data Analysis Online

CRRC is happy to announce its new Online Data Analysis (ODA) program! Crunching numbers from CRRC surveys is now easier than ever. The CRRC Georgia office has initiated and created this special program with the help of Irakli Naskidashvili. The ODA provides users with the opportunity to access survey data and analyze data online without having to use any special statistical program, such as SPSS or STATA. [Read more...](#)

## If You Were Asked What Everyone Else Thought of Your Country...

CRRC recently completed its 8th annual Caucasus Barometer survey, gathering data about perceptions of trust, livelihood and social realities during face-to-face interviews in Armenia, Azerbaijan and Georgia. Some of the results from these countries have been compared to results from 22 other countries that were surveyed as part of the 2010 Pew Global Attitudes Project Survey.

One question asked members of these 25 countries whether or not they believed their countries were generally liked or disliked. Results show that well over half of the population of the South Caucasus countries believed that their respective countries are generally liked: 76% of Armenians, 68% of Georgians and 52% of Azerbaijan agreed with the statement. [Read more...](#)

## CRRC Armenia and Azerbaijan Directors at the Civil Society Policy Forum

CRRC Armenia and Azerbaijan country directors, Heghine Manasyan and Gursel Aliyev, attended the IMF/WB Civil Society Policy (CSO) Forum in Washington, D.C., held on April 13-16, 2011. The objective of the forum was to bring together CSO representatives, bank staff, government officials, and other stakeholders to discuss a variety of topics ranging from global economic recovery and food price volatility to climate change. [Read more...](#)

## Follow-Up Media Landscape Survey

In September 2009, CRRC conducted a baseline survey on the Georgian media landscape within the scope of an EU-funded project entitled, "Strengthening the Media's Role as a Watchdog Institution in Georgia", implemented by the Eurasia Partnership Foundation. The results of the study have informed a far-reaching public debate on the state of media, attitudes of the Georgian population toward the media, and perceptions of its independence and professionalism. The survey continues to be a point of reference, as this recent article illustrates. The ongoing debate suggests that there is considerable demand for fact-based research about the Georgian media. [Read more...](#)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- Works-in-Progress Series: [Strategic Patience - A Way Forward?](#) May 11, 2011, Tbilisi, Georgia – Dr. Paul Crego (ENG).
- Article: [Internet Penetration in Armenia Tripled in Past 2 Years: Caucasus Barometer](#) by Katy Pearce.

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