



AMANZHOLOV
UNIVERSITY

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Brief History



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- East Kazakhstan University named after S. Amanzholov is one of the leading multi-disciplinary universities in the East Kazakhstan region.
- The university was founded in 1952 as the "Ust-Kamenogorsk Pedagogical Institute" and for several decades was one of the leading higher education institutions not only among pedagogical universities but also among all higher education institutions in the Soviet Union.
- With the gaining of independence of our homeland, our university was transformed into the East Kazakhstan State University and became a peer of the Republic of Kazakhstan.
- On October 3, 2003, East Kazakhstan University was named after Professor Sarsen Amanzholov – a Soviet and Kazakh linguist-Turkologist, one of the founders of Kazakh linguistics.

General Information



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- Currently, S. Amanzholov East Kazakhstan University offers the opportunity to obtain higher and postgraduate education in 62 bachelor's degree programs, 38 master's degree programs, and 12 PhD doctoral programs.
- The university consists of 4 faculties, research structures, and a scientific library.
- The university's infrastructure includes 6 academic buildings, 4 student dormitories, the "Chaika" swimming pool, and 6 dining facilities.
- The university has lecture halls, specialized classrooms, computer labs, language labs, and workshops.

Faculty and Student Body

Teaching staff – 339

- Doctor of Science – 15
- Candidates of science – 119
- PhD – 18

Students - 7420

- from Mongolia – 96
- from the People`s Republic of China - 20
- from the Russian Federation – 14
- from Azerbaijan - 3
- from Uzbekistan – 1

- from Tajikistan – 1

Composition of international students in higher schools

- Graduate School of Business and Law – 5
- Graduate School of Humanities – 40
- Graduate School of IT and Natural Sciences – 15
- Graduate School of Pedagogy – 45

international associations of which our university is currently a member:

- Eurasian Association of Universities;
- international academy of graduate school;
- Magna Carta of Universities, International Coordination Council "Our Common Home - Altai";
- Association of Asian Universities;
- Regional network star-net. "education and training of specialists in the field of nuclear technologies"

International and National Rankings

- Ranked within the top 300 universities in Eastern Europe and Central Asia by QS EECA
- 56th place among all universities in Kazakhstan according to webometrics.
- 38th place among all universities in Kazakhstan according to AD Scientific Index 2022.
- 6th place among multidisciplinary universities in Kazakhstan according to IQAA.
- 9th place in the general ranking of universities in Kazakhstan according to NAAR/IAAR.
- 3rd place in the ranking of universities for groups of educational programs according to levels and directions of specialist training (pedagogy and methodology of primary education) - NAAR/IAAR.
- 4th place in the ranking of universities for groups of educational programs according to levels and directions of master's degree training - NAAR/IAAR.



International Collaboration and Educational Programs"

Double Degree Programs

- The university offers double degree programs in collaboration with partner universities in Russia, Poland, Lithuania, and South Korea.

Our partners in double degree programs.

- Vytautas Magnus University, Republic of Lithuania
- Linguistic-Technical University in wicie, Republic of Poland
- Altai State University, Russian Federation
- National Research Tomsk State University, Russian Federation
- Chonbuk National University, South Korea

Educational programs in English

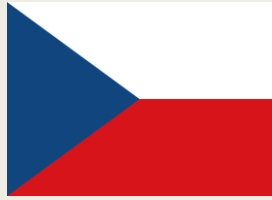
Educational programs in English include pedagogical directions:

- 5 011200 - Chemistry
- 5 011300 - Biology
- 5 011100 - Informatics
- 5 011000 – Physics

Non-pedagogical directions include

- 6B01504** – Chemistry
- 6B01501** – Informatics
- 6B01505** – Biology

The university has signed 90 agreements on international cooperation with universities from various countries.



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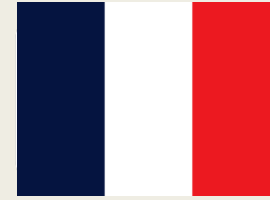
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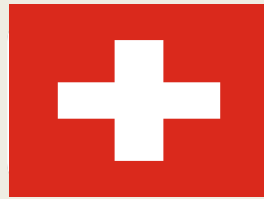
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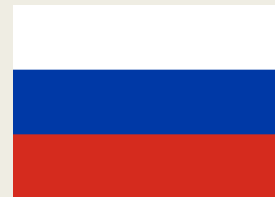
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LITHUANIA



HUNGARY



RUSSIA



UKRAINE



KYRGYZSTAN



CAMEROON



TAJIKISTAN

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

- Participation in International Exchange Programs
 - *Erasmus+*
 - *DAAD*
 - *Mevlana*
 - *ITEC*
- Over the past three years, 120 students have received training at universities in countries such as:
 - Poland
 - Russia
 - Malaysia
 - United States
 - Lithuania
 - South Korea
- Over the past 3 years, VKU has hosted around 100 highly qualified researchers and professors from leading universities in the following countries:
 - Poland
 - Turkey
 - United States
 - Russia
 - Cameroon
 - Ukraine
 - Italy
 - other countries.



Internationalization Strategy

MISSION:

- Ensuring the University's leading role in the international scientific and educational space in the formation of competitive specialists for the innovative development of Kazakhstan.
 - The implementation of this mission involves the preparation of competent, socially responsible, and competitive specialists who possess modern technologies, skills in scientific-pedagogical and research activities, in line with global labor market requirements.
 - In addition, the implementation of the mission involves the formation of a unified cultural, educational, intellectual, and innovative space of the university, ensuring the quality of continuous education in accordance with global trends and the principles of the Bologna Process, active international cooperation, and providing academic mobility for students and university staff.
- 1. Formation of a competent, multilingual, socially active individual capable of critical axiological analysis of modern globalization processes and trends in global development.
 - 2. Facilitating the integration of national culture and language into the global civilizational space.
 - 3. Providing quality educational services and preparing competitive specialists.
 - 4. Scientific and scientific-technical support for the development of priority sectors of the economy and the social sphere of the region and the country.
 - 5. Participation in the formation of the scientific innovation system of the region and Kazakhstan.
 - 6. Development of internationalization trends in the university according to the modern trends of the Ministry of Education and Science of the Republic of Kazakhstan.
 - 7. Improving the quality of education, training highly qualified specialists for the international labor market, improving understanding between different peoples and cultures, enhancing the international prestige of S. Amanzholov East Kazakhstan University.

Objectives:

Regulation for the Admission of Foreign Citizens to EKV named after S. Amanzholov

For foreign citizens who are not ethnic Kazakhs

- Online registration on the website
- Filling out the application and submitting the required documents online
- Online interview for admission to S. Amanzholov East Kazakhstan University
- Announcement of information about the results within an hour after the interview
- Arrival at the university and submission of original documents (document submission from June to August 25)
- Processing of a study visa and registration in case of admission to the university (conducted in the Department of Strategy, International Cooperation, and Accreditation)

For foreign citizens of ethnic Kazakh descent:

- Ethnic Kazakhs have the right to participate in the competition for educational grants. To do this, they must, along with citizens of the Republic of Kazakhstan, pass the Unified National Testing (UNT). UNT includes 5 subjects, 2 of which are profile subjects, and three are mandatory: History of Kazakhstan, Mathematical Literacy, and Reading Literacy. The quota for foreign citizens of Kazakh nationality to receive a grant is 4% of the total number of educational grants.
- Taking the UNT
- Submission of applications for the paid department
- Submission of applications for creative exams is carried out separately
- Passing a special exam for those applying for pedagogical programs
- Submission of applications to participate in the competition for an educational grant
- Announcement of information about student enrollment
- Processing of a student visa and registration in case of admission to the university (conducted by the Department of Strategy, International Cooperation, and Accreditation)

Center for Adaptation and Support of Foreign Students

- At S. Amanzholov East Kazakhstan University, foreign students undergo a stage of socialization and personal adaptation to new macro- and micro-social conditions.
- To ensure the successful adaptation of students in undergraduate and graduate programs, a Adaptation Program for Foreign Students at S. Amanzholov East Kazakhstan University has been developed.
- The goal of the program is to create conditions for the successful adaptation of foreign students to the educational environment of the university.

The tasks of the adaptation center

- Creating conditions for the successful integration of students into a new educational and developmental system (university), a new system of requirements and control, and a new community or (for non-local students) into new living conditions.
- Creating conditions to ensure the personal and professional development of students.
- Shaping students' understanding of the organization of the educational process at the university.
- Introducing foreign students to professional values, rules, and norms of behavior at the university.
- Facilitating the creation of a community in the student environment, enabling students to quickly integrate into the system of relationships within the group and the university community.
- Developing self-organization skills in foreign students in their academic activities, and more.

First stage

The first stage involves active work to acquaint students with:

- Features of the organization of the educational process, main structural units of the university, educational and laboratory facilities, and technical infrastructure of the faculties.
- History and traditions of the university.
- Internal regulations, "Code of Honor of the Student," "Rules for Residence in Student Dormitories," "Academic Integrity Rules of EKV named after S. Amanzholov," etc.

• Concrete assistance to students is provided by advisors and curators of academic groups who conduct group and individual consultations, including guidance on forming the learning trajectory and choosing disciplines and instructors.

In order to implement a student-oriented approach, work is organized to support first-year students by mentors from senior courses, encouraging students' involvement in student self-governance, participation in sports sections, clubs, creative groups, and engagement in research activities.

Second stage

During the second stage, the work on socio-pedagogical adaptation of students to the learning conditions at the University continues. This involves creating an atmosphere of psychological comfort, providing conditions for self-realization, and organizing activities for the social protection of students' interests and rights, among other things. Correctional work and psychological support for groups and individual students are actively carried out.

• To achieve the highest effectiveness of adaptation measures, an adaptation (orientation) week is held before the start of the academic year. The main goal of this week is to introduce students, alleviate the stress of the initial contact, and provide students with the necessary information for them to orient themselves freely at the beginning of the educational process.

Additional Education

Preparatory Courses:

- Preparatory courses for language enhancement are designed to improve spelling skills and proficiency in the chosen language;
- Preparatory courses for preparatory department students are intended for group additional preparation in profile disciplines before the Unified National Testing.

Duration of study – 1 year.

Subjects covered in preparatory courses:

- History of Kazakhstan;
- Mathematical Literacy;
- Reading Literacy;
- **2 elective subjects of choice.**

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The Multilingual Education Center " " at S. Amanzholov East Kazakhstan University offers:

- English language courses of all levels in accordance with global standards (CEFR) using an effective communicative approach;
- Preparation for international certificate exams (IELTS, TOEFL, Test DaF, HSK, DSD I and DSD II, etc.);
- Modern educational materials;
- Debate club "Knowledge of Three Languages – Path to Success" (Kazakh, English, Russian languages);
- Consultations on foreign educational and scholarship programs;
- Highly qualified teachers, native speakers.

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Sports and fitness complex

- Gyms and sports grounds availability:
 - University building 1 – Gym
 - University building 1 – Multidisciplinary sports ground
 - Ice skating rink on the multidisciplinary sports ground
 - University building 2 – Athletic gym 1
 - University building 2 – Boxing gym 2
 - University building 2 – Wrestling gym 3
 - University building 2 – Open sports ground
 - University building 7 – Gymnastics gym
 - University building 7 – Sports shooting range
 - University building 7 – Open sports ground
 - University building 9 – Athletic gymnastics gym 1
 - University building 9 – Gymnastics gym 2
 - Swimming pool "Seagull"
 - Chess club



Clubs

- *Debate club*
- Youth wing "ZhasOtan" under the "NurOtan" party of the Republic of Kazakhstan
- Student Police Assistance Unit "Kyran"
- Volunteer movement "Meyirim" of Amanzholov University
- Girls club "Zerde" of Amanzholov University
- Youth studio theatre "Avant-garde"
- Dance anseble "Azharai"
- Zhaidarman
- Creative youth group "Shamshyrak"
- Student theatre "Shabyt"
- Dombra club ZHADIGER



Social projects and student initiatives

- "Zhasylel" student labour squads
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- Жылы жүрек, жомарт қол жақсылыққа бастар жол
- Шынықсаң шымыр боласың
- EKU is offence-free zone



Ust-Kamenogorsk is the pearl of the East



It's great in the East!



Katon-Karagai



Lake Alakol



Lake Markakol



Bukhtarma reservoir