



## ABAI KAZAKH NATIONAL PEDAGOGICAL UNIVERSITY

### Quick Facts

**Location (city, state):** Almaty, Kazakhstan

**Website:** [www.kaznpu.kz](http://www.kaznpu.kz)

**Undergraduate student enrollment:** 14 600+

**Public/Private:** Public

**Graduate student enrollment:** 1200+

**Type of Institution:** National University

### **Institutional Description (limit 250 words):**

Today the Abai Kazakh National Pedagogical University is the first higher educational institution in the country with 95-year history. This place of education is unique in the history of the Kazakh people. Since its formation, the university has been a leader in the development of higher education in the Republic of Kazakhstan in the field of training qualified specialists for all spheres of society.

Today Abai KazNPU is a large scientific and educational center in the field of higher and postgraduate education in the areas of personnel training «Education», «Humanities», «Natural Sciences», «Social Sciences and Business», etc.

The University has seven institutes: Pedagogy and Psychology; Mathematics, Physics and Computer Science; Philology; Arts, Culture and Sports; Natural Sciences and Geography; History and Law; Sorbonne-Kazakhstan.

An important event in the life of the university was the opening of the Institute Sorbonne-Kazakhstan a branch of the Sorbonne-Paris University, which has more than 800-year history.

Today, the University has 34 chairs, including 3 university departments (Military Department, UNESCO Pedagogical Department, Department of the Assembly of the People of Kazakhstan).

### Partnership Information

#### **Possible Academic Areas of Collaboration:**

Teacher training, Education technology, Digital Education, Sustainable Education, Inclusive Education

#### **Institutional Strengths:**

Teacher training, Philology, Sustainable Development Goals

#### **Partnership Interests:** (e.g., faculty exchanges, student exchange, dual degrees, joint research, distance learning, etc.)

Dual or double degrees, faculty exchanges, student exchanges, joint research, summer/winter school for students and/or faculty

**Interest in Partnership:** Why are you interested in partnering with a U.S./Kazakh institution? What do you hope to gain from such a partnership?

Our main goal is to expand our knowledge and experience in higher education sphere, be competitive, and make a safe and friendly place for studying. Additionally, we would like to learn making our university more attractive for students and faculty all around the world.

#### **Main Partnership Contact: (name, title, email):**

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