

## Kh.Dosmukhamedov Atyrau University (AU)

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Location (city, state): Atyrau	Website: www.asu.edu.kz	
Undergraduate student enrollment: 7431	Public/Private: Public	
Graduate student enrollment: 286	Type of Institution: State university	

# Institutional Description (limit 250 words):

The AU was founded in 1950 as the first ever pedagogical institution in the west of Kazakhstan. AU is home to over 8000 students spread across 6 faculties and considered as one of the successful universities in Kazakhstan. The University trains highly qualified specialists who meet the international standards of the innovative education system.

# Partnership Information

#### Possible Academic Areas of Collaboration:

Our university is open to any suggestions and collaborations

### **Institutional Strengths:**

AU teaches over 55 specialties and magistracies in 27 specialties. More than 110 candidates of sciences, 11 doctors, 8 PhD and more than 195 masters teach at our university

And in 2023, they were ranked 69th in the Kazakh National H-index Ranking

The University is a member of the Association of state universities of the Caspian countries, the Great Charter of World classical universities (Bologna 2010), and The Association of universities of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

**Partnership Interests:** (e.g., faculty exchanges, student exchange, dual degrees, joint research, distance learning, etc.)
In establishing partnership, business and mutually beneficial relations with foreign partners including everything described above

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?

Integration into the international educational space in order to improve the educational process and improve the quality of teachers and students using experience of international and local colleagues.

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

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