



NARXOZ UNIVERSITY

Quick Facts

Location (city, state): Almaty	Website: https://en.narxoz.kz/
Undergraduate student enrollment: 6700	Public/Private: private
Graduate student enrollment: 300	Type of Institution: non-profit

Institutional Description (limit 250 words):

Narxoz University is one of the leading universities in Kazakhstan and Central Asia. It is a non-profit private university that offers education in three languages (English, Kazakh and Russian) at bachelor, master and doctoral level. Narxoz University is a regional leader in environmentally-focused and sustainable development education and research, with bachelor and master programs in sustainable development and ecology, and the region's highest profile sustainable development applied research institutes, the Sustainable Kazakhstan Research Institute (SKRI). The University holds FIBAA (European) institutional and multiple program accreditations, as well as ACCA, CIM and CIMA professional accreditations.

In 2023, Narxoz was awarded 4 stars overall by QS and 5 stars from QS for teaching quality, employability, and inclusiveness of education. Also, in 2023 entered top-25% of world universities in Governance (QS Sustainability rankings).

The University is a member of EFMD, PRME, ENAI, CEEMAN and the American Chamber of Commerce in Kazakhstan. Narxoz University is guided by a Business Advisory Council comprised of top national and international employers in Kazakhstan.

Narxoz University offers double-degree programs with Queen's University Belfast (UK), La Rochelle School of Business (France) and Mykolas Romeris University (Lithuania). The university prides itself on its practically-oriented education, research-based education and numerous minors realized together with industry leaders (i.e. Ritz-Carlton Astana, Rixos-Borovoe, EY and Beeline).

Partnership Information

Possible Academic Areas of Collaboration:

- Business specialties, including accounting, finance, economics and management
- Law, International Law, International Relations
- Liberal Arts module
- Social sciences, hospitality, tourism
- Digital technologies
- Sustainability

Institutional Strengths:

Narxoz University is one of the most internationally oriented universities in Central Asia, with:

- 70+ global partnerships in 31 countries
- 600+ students who have participated in exchange
- 20+ global impact projects

Narxoz University is comprised of five schools: School of Economics and Management, School of Digital Technologies, School of Law and Public Policy, School of Arts and Social Sciences and the Graduate School of Business.

School of Economics and Management - is the largest school of Narxoz University with a deep-rooted legacy in key business disciplines – accounting and audit, finance and financial risk management, marketing, management and economics.

School of Digital Technologies the newest and fastest growing school in Narxoz University offering mathematics, statistics and digital engineering, cybersecurity programs.

School of Arts and Social Sciences – is the multi-disciplinary School of Narxoz University offering social sciences, environmental, tourism and hospitality, psychology and social work programs in addition to first-year liberal arts and language education.

School of Law and Public Policy – is the School of Narxoz University that works closely with the public and civil sector to provide unique opportunities for its students in law, public administration and international relations.

Graduate School of Business – offers both classic graduate programs (MBA, DBA, EMBA) and short-term executive

programs including applied finance, business transformation, negotiations and education management.

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

- a) Professional training programs;
- b) Joint educational programs (all levels);
- c) Scholar visiting programs;
- d) Faculty and student exchange;
- e) Joint publication and research activities;
- f) Applied research commercialization projects;
- g) Scholarly activities such as courses, seminars, trainings, conferences, and symposiums;
- h) Training and supervision of doctoral students.

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?

Internationalization is embedded in the strategic development of the university. We are a fast growing and developing University with the aim to become an internationally accredited university that provides multidisciplinary and globally-oriented education with strong ties to industry for future real-life leaders. One of the University goals is to launch double degree and dual degree programs in cooperation with internationally recognized partner universities. Active academic mobility (including U.S.) represents a crucial contribution to the education of our students, language skills, critical thinking and decision-making, development of cross-disciplinary competencies. Academic mobility ensures better career prospects for alumni. Narxoz University issues for its alumni Diploma Supplement of European standard where academic mobility is recognized as an achievement. Likewise, staff exchanges would support research activities and help both sides to gain important insights. Academic partnerships (majors, minors, schools and modules) are imperative to build on internationalization efforts and promote quality assurance benchmarking.

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