International Information Technologies University (IITU), Almaty





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International Information Technologies University is the first IT University in Central Asian region. Its aim – to train specialists for Kazakhstan's industry of information and communication technologies. IITU was launched in April 2009 under the initiative of the President of the Republic of Kazakhstan (Regulation of RK Government № 881 September 2008), supported by the Government (300 educational grants per year), by several National Companies. Educational programs of IITU contain the programs of Carnegie Mellon University (USA), has double-degree programs with universities of Malaysia, Korea. IITU students receive the fundamental IT education. It has 11 Bachelor, 5 Master, 4 PhD programs, 10 scientific centers, several methodical units and laboratories (Laboratory of Telecommunication Systems, Scientific Research Laboratory of Information Technologies, Robotics research laboratory, Laboratory of Physics, Laboratory of Radioelectronics etc.), students organizations.

IITU's wide-ranging international policy:

Rector Damir Shynybekov signs agreements with prestigious partners:



Carnegie Mellon University



Kuala Lumpur University

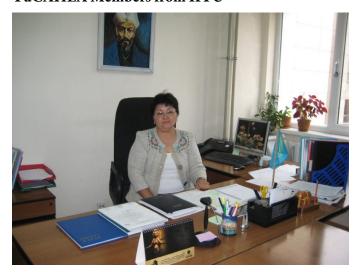


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The current number of students – 2300. IITU is a member of National and International organizations. IITU students receive the fundamental IT education, which is approved by national government diplomas and internationally recognized Carnegie Melon University certificates. The university trains new generation of specialists with knowledge of not only the information technologies but also advanced management, economics, journalism, mathematic and computer modeling, communication skills, etc as well as a deep knowledge of English language. Though the university is young it became famous in the country, has gained the reputation of progressive university, giving deep and modern education in the sphere of IT technologies and other areas.

The students of the university are winners of many national and international competitions, participate in international and national exhibitions with their creative works, present on national and international levels their projects and programs.

TuCAHEA Members from IITU



Gulnara Zakirova is the Head of the Languages Department and Director of International Programs of International Information Technologies University, Almaty, Kazakhstan. (June 2011-present). For many years she worked as a vice-rector for International relations of Kazakh Ablai Khan University of International Relations and World Languages. She also dedicated 18 years to state service, taking up different positions in city authorities, coordinating ideological work in the city, worked in the social sphere, educational institutions.

She is a member of 4 international and 3 national Associations, a Fulbright scholar, participated in several international projects, was a Coordinator of two Tempus projects. G.Zakirova is also a member of National team of Higher Education Reform Experts, participated and was a chair of several seminars for Bologna Experts (Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency - Madrid, Rome, Lisbon, Oslo), conducted sessions at Regional seminars (Almaty, Tashkent).

Spheres for research – International programs, Internationalization of Education, Quality Assurance, Accreditation, Curricula and Module Development based on Learning Outcomes.

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