



ISE Research Activities Report

2022-2023





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Facts and figures

Three Graduate Degree Programs:

- Economics
- Finance
- Business and Management

Four PhD students:

• Economics

More than 20 professors with Candidate of Science, Doctor of Science and PhD Degrees in:

- Economics
- Finance
- Psychology
- Political Science and International Relations
- International Law
- Public Policy
- Business Administration

Faculty

Dr. Artur Utebayev, Dr. Kamshat Saginbekova, Dr. Arman Rakhimov defended their PhD theses















Faculty (publications)

- 1.I. Qoraboyev. *Courts and international legal order: International rule of law and transnational judicial dialogue*, Law and State, M.Narikbayev KAZGUU University
- 2.I. Qoraboyev. Strategic responses of regional economic organizations to the Chinese Belt and Road Initiative: the cases of ASEAN, EAEU, and EU, Asia Pacific Business Review
- 3. A. Aituar. *Analysis of Diversification Policy of Kazakhstan,* National Bank
- 4.A.Aituar. Sectoral total factor productivity and its determinants: firm level evidence from Kazakhstan, Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy
- 5.S. Kemelbayeva, Zh. Ayazbekov. *Gender Wage Gap in the Former Soviet Union: Evidence from EBRD Data,* ECONOMIC Series of the Bulletin of L.N. Gumilyov ENU
- 6.S. Kemelbayeva, K. Nurumov, A. Aituar, Y. Dyussenbekova. *Economic returns to skills in Kazakhstan in the context of international comparisons,* Journal of Public Administration and Civil Service
- 7.S. Kemelbayeva, A. Yelesh, A. Aituar. *The Effect of Online Education on the Academic Performance of Students During COVID-19 Pan-demic: Evidence from Kazakhstan,* Central Asian Economic Review
- 8.S. Kemelbayeva, A. Aituar. *Gender Norms and Labour Supply in Kazakhstan: Evidence from the World Value Survey*, Journal of Public Administration and Civil Service
- 9.Y. Kadyr, A. Aituar, S. Kemelbayeva. *Predicting High-Growth Firms in Kazakhstan with Machine Learning Methods*, Journal of Public Administration and Civil Service
- 10.S. Kemelbayeva, A. Aituar. *The Effects of Changes in Tariff Rates on Imports: Evidence from Kazakhstan. Economics: the Strategy and the Practice.* Journal of the Institute of Economics





Faculty (Fellowships)

- 1. Dr. Azat Aituar Research grant from the Ministry of Science and Higher Education
- 2. Dr. Daliya Kaskirbayeva CERGE-El Teaching Fellows Program
- 3. Dr. Elmira Mynbayeva CERGE-El Teaching Fellows Program
- 4. Zhan-Tore Ayazbekov Bolashak "500 internships for researchers" Programme Fellow





Students

- KAZGUU Case Club Creative One Case Competition, 1st place
- KAZGUU Case Club Case Key 2.0, 1st place
- KAZGUU Case Club PwC Case Competition, 1st place
- Participation of ISE IR students in Summer School on Comparative Regionalism, Indonesia
- «ISE KAZGUU Student Research Conference 2023» annual research-to-practice conference nominees





Seminars and conferences

13.09.2022. Dean's Lecture Series: *Open Government and Citizen Empowerment in Hybrid Regimes: Evidence from Central Asia* by Bakhytzhan Kurmanov

- 13.10.2022 Let's Talk Research: Scopus and ScienceDirect: basic principles and new opportunities by Botakoz Suleimenova
- 14.10.2022 Let's Talk Research: *How to get published in the international peer-reviewed journals* by Botakoz Suleimenova
- 19.10.2022 Let's Talk Research: Educated into Sinophilia? How Kazakh Graduates/Students of Chinese Universities Perceive China by Dr. Zhanibek
- Arynov 07.11.2022 Let's Talk Research: Impact of Provider Payment Reforms on Hospital Productivity in Kazakhstan: An Interrupted Times Series Analysis
- by Dr. Daliya Kaskirbayeva
- 23.11.2022 Dean's Lecture Series: Economic Returns to Skills in Kazakhstan in the Context of International Comparisons by Dr. Saule Kemelbayeva
- 27.02.2023 Dean's Lecture Series: Digital Citizen Activism in Central Asia: beyond contestation and cooperation by Dr. Bakytzhan Kurmanov
- 01.03.2023 Dean's Lecture Series: Politico-Economic Aspects of Strategic Trade Control in Central Asian Countries by Dr. Kamshat Saginbekova
- 07.03.2023 Let's Talk Research: *How do we do case study research?* By Dr. Zhanibek Arynov
- 07.04.2023 ISE Research Showcase 2023
- 02.05.2023 Dean's Lecture Series: Analysis of Effectiveness of Economic Diversification of the Republic of Kazakhstan by Dr. Azat Aituar
- 06.06.2023 «ISE KAZGUU Student Research Conference 2023» annual research-to-practice conference