## Student Exchange Program Info Sheet

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<th>Institution Name</th>
<th>Kazakh Ablai Khan University of International Relations and World Languages</th>
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<td>Location</td>
<td>Almaty, Kazakhstan</td>
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<td>Institution Website</td>
<td>Official Website: <a href="http://www.ablaikhan.kz">www.ablaikhan.kz</a></td>
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### Program Eligibility
Exchange students must have **completed at least one semester** at their home university at the time of participation in this program.

### Deadline for Application
- 2020 Spring Entry: November 30, 2019
- 2020 Fall Entry: June 30, 2019

### Semester Dates
- 2020 Spring Semester begins: February 10, 2020
- 2020 Spring Semester ends: May 25-31, 2020
- 2020 Fall Semester dates: to be defined (could be different, depends on the major)

### Orientation Dates
- 2020 Spring: February 3-7, 2020

### Required Application Documents
1. One Exchange Student Application Form (+Photo)
2. One Statement of Purpose (motivation letter)
3. One an official transcript from Home university
4. Three recent passport-size photographs (3*4cm) (please, bring with you to our office upon arrival)
5. One Copy of Passport (colored, if possible) + Electronic Face Photo
6. Certificate of Enrollment from Home University
7. A Letter of Recommendation
8. Signed notification “Rules of Stay of Foreign Students in the Republic of Kazakhstan”

Application documents should be sent **via e-mail only** to the related coordinator (online).

### Visa Admission Package to Partner University
1. Letter of Acceptance by Ablai Khan University
2. Visa Support Number

*Above will be sent by International Relations Office as a proof of admission approval via email and by postal mail, if necessary.*
Medical Check-up

All exchange students should obtain upon arrival only in case of necessity or request:
- HIV test certificate in Kazakhstan (a certificate from a home country is invalid).
- Fluorography (chest X-ray) certificate (in Kazakh or Russian language/translation).

The students can be tested at the AIDS Centre:
2 Basenov Str. (Zharokov Str. Intersection).
Helpline: +7727 2465277

Grade Scale

Regular Semester Course performance is graded according to the Traditional Kazakhstani and ECTS 100-point scale. The comparable grade scale table is shown below:

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Housing

University dormitory could be provided on a free basis to international exchange students upon inter-institutional agreement. The cost of living in dormitory is varied due to agreement between two universities and should be agreed upon/before arrival.

Dormitory address: 104 Zharokova str., Almaty

Dormitory is 10 min. away from university by walking, and also you can take local subway or bus

Tuition Fee

Tuition fee will be fully waived for exchange students based on inter-institutional agreement
**Pick-up Service**

Pick-up Service is available for airport transfers. The students should submit Pick-up Service request two weeks prior to their arrival/departure to the below-mentioned coordinators.

In case pick-up service would not be available or any other of force-majeure (late arrival, traffic jam, etc.), students are recommended to use local transport to get to university dormitory.

**Dormitory address: #104, Zharokova street, Almaty city, Republic of Kazakhstan**

**From the airport you can take:**

1. Bus Line number 92 (until stopover “Zarokova”), price is 150 tenge for one way
2. Local taxi (price is around 2000 tenge)

**University Address**

200 Muratbayev Street, 050022, Almaty, Kazakhstan

**Important:**

1. Passport registration - International Relations Office – room 219, 2nd floor, main building (*passport registrations should be completed in THREE DAYS upon arrival)*
2. **Exchange Mobility Coordinator Office**
   Room 112, 1st floor, First building

**Inbound and Outbound Exchange**

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