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The MSc program in "Economics"

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# Profile of the study program

The SARUD Master's Program "Sustainable Agriculture and Rural Development" focuses on practical education in the field of sustainable agriculture and rural development. It is an interdisciplinary specialty at the interface between economics and agriculture.

The Master's program SARUD considers the basic international concepts of sustainable development, covering all three components of sustainability.



Specialists in the field of sustainable agriculture and rural development will be able to independently apply the concepts of rural development to local conditions.

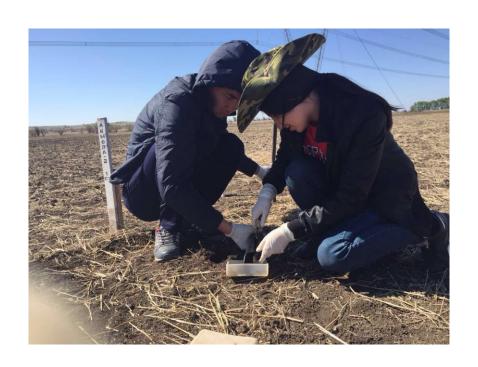




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In the process of training on the new educational program "Sustainable Agriculture and Rural Development", the master student will acquire comprehensive interdisciplinary knowledge at the intersection of the following sciences: Economics, Management, Social Sciences, Agronomy, Ecology and learn to apply modern methods of land use planning and agroecosystem assessment, and Social, cultural and natural resources.







# **Key data**

Degree:	Master of Economic sciences		
Regular study period:	4 semesters		
ECTS:	129 in total		
	15 from compulsory modules		
	53 from elective modules		
	17 practise		
	28 Reserch work of master student		
	12 thesis (dissertation)		
	4 (state exam)		
Start/ application until:	Autumn semester / date		
Field:	Full-time economics		





#### **Contents and structures**

Please try to give and overview picture about the study programme, Example (can be different layout):

	1st semester	2nd semester	3rd semester	4th semester
6 credits	Inter- and Transdisciplinary Approaches in Bioeconomics	Sustainable Industrial Processes	Elective modules (30 credits)	Master's thesis (30 credits)
6 credits	Properties of Biobased Resources and Products	Internal and External Costs and Benefits of Biobased Products		
6 credits	Agricultural Production of Biobased Resources	Markets, Innovation and Social Acceptance of Biobased Products		
6 credits	Economics and Management			
6 credits	Natural Science Concepts	Projects in Bioeconomic Research		



#### **Partners**

- Deputy head of the department of agriculture in Akmola region – D.A. Talasbayev
- 2. JSC "Zhuravlevka 1", Bulandy area, Akmola region;
- 3. Director of Ecological center "Eco-Kokshe" A.T. Khussainov;
- 4. Deputy akim of the North-Kazakhstan region on social issues A.K.Duysenova;
- 5. Director of JSC "Zerenda zher" N.T.Khasenov;
- 6. Akim of Zerenda area, Akmola region A. Muratuly;





### Working fields

After completing study on SARUD curriculum, specialists in sustainable agriculture and rural development will be able to independently apply the concepts of rural development in local conditions.

Graduates of the program can be employees of organizations of various organizational and legal forms of ownership, be scientific and pedagogical workers.





#### Contact

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