



# YEARBOOK 2023

WITNESSES OF ALL BEFORE AND AFTER

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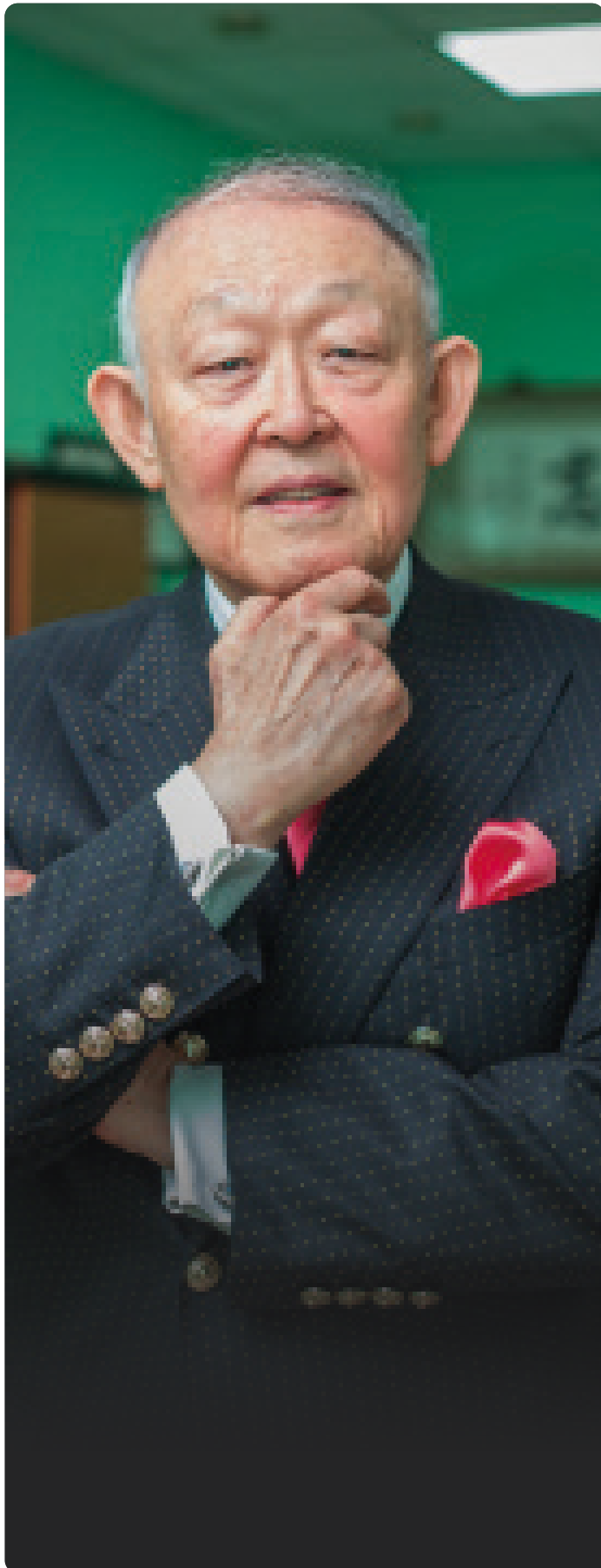
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## Dear Graduate,

*Please accept my heartfelt congratulations on your graduation! As you take this new step into your careers and lives, you become ambassadors of KIMEP University. Not only are you well-trained, knowledgeable, and qualified experts in your respective fields, but you also embody our core values of integrity, transparency and honesty. Remember that this university is yours! We will always be here to help you realize your dreams and to develop professionally. As President of KIMEP University and your humble servant, I would like to underline how happy I am to see you open this new chapter in your lives. You will be the backbone of your country for the years to come. I am proud of you, and you should be very proud of yourselves.*

**Sincerely,  
Dr. Chan Young Bang**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Chan Young Bang". The signature is written in a cursive style.



*Dear class of 2023,*

*First Congratulations! You have accomplished a goal, that has changed you as a person and helped set the direction of your life for the future. There were many challenges this graduating class faced during your time attending KIMEP. Though you were unable to attend classes in person when you first began your university experience, we hope that you found the classes, the past couple of years challenging, and you learned the materials you needed to learn, and feel well prepared for your career. I wish each of you the very best. Stay in touch through the KIMEP Alumni Association. You are part of the KIMEP family.*

**Sincerely,**

**Dr. Timothy Barnett, Ph.D**

Provost and General Deputy to the President

*Dear Graduating Class,*

*Graduation is an event of enormous celebration and achievement. You would not have been able to achieve your goal without help and assistance. Please, take the time to thank those who helped you along your journey: parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, brothers, sisters, professors, tutors, administrators and friends.*

*As you embark on the next chapter of your life, reflect upon your time at KIMEP University. Remember critically important moments of learning: meeting a new friend, studying for a difficult exam, working all night on a deadline, engaging with a team to accomplish a common task, playing a sport, participating in a club, socializing with your peers or meeting your life long partner.*

*You have been in an immersive learning experience, helping you build tools of future success. Use that experience to contribute, and make a meaningful impact in your communities. One that only you, in your unique way, can make.*

*Congratulations!*

**Sincerely,**

**Dr. Damian Riviez, PhD**

Vice President for Academic Affairs





## DR. NEJAT CAPAR

Dean, Bang College of Business

*Dear Students,*

*Congratulations on your graduation! On behalf of the Bang College of Business, I extend my sincere congratulations to all of you for successfully finishing your education. While we will miss you, we are also very proud and happy that you have successfully completed your education and are ready to move on.*

*You have worked hard during these four years and have overcome many challenges. The ability to work hard and deliver results, no matter what happens, is a recipe for success and will serve you well in the next stages of your lives. Remember, there are ups and downs in life. The important thing is to continue and not give up. I strongly believe that you will continue your success and serve as excellent representatives of KIMEP University with your professional and personal qualities. That is because as graduates of the Bang College of Business and KIMEP University, you are special as you have received an excellent education.*

*I also would like to thank your families for their support they've given to you during your education and congratulate them as well for their role in your success. As you begin with the next phase of your lives, continue to work hard and be committed to excellence as a KIMEP graduate. Be responsible and be good to make a positive difference for those around you.*

*Farewell and best wishes to you all!*

## DR. YULIYA FROLOVA

Associate Dean, Bang College of Business

*Dear graduate,*

*I sincerely congratulate you on completing your 4-year journey at KIMEP University. Now you can proudly say that you have received a bachelor's degree from one of the best universities. I believe that the knowledge that you have obtained at the Bang College of Business will open amazing professional opportunities for you. I wish you not to stop at your current achievements and move further. You should not be afraid of setting new challenging goals for yourself. I wish you to find your dream job. I wish you to come with pleasure every morning to your office and easily complete all tasks, no matter how difficult they are. I wish your excellent performance and job-related achievements are highly appreciated by your supervisors. I wish you a brilliant career. I wish you to become a future business leader of Kazakhstan. Good luck in all your endeavors! Be happy!*



## DR. JULDYZ SMAGULOVA

Dean, College of Humanities and Education

*Congratulations to all CHE graduating students! Well done!*

*Thank you for choosing our College of Humanities and Education to start your journey. Thank you for your hard work and willingness to change, for respecting what we offered you. I hope you will stay with us into the future.*

*Graduation is not only a time to celebrate your accomplishment but also a time to look forward to your future. You are well-prepared to succeed professionally, but we also expect you to be decent and kind people that the world needs today. As future educators and language professionals you have power to make our society more inclusive, creative, and compassionate. I am sure you will make us proud.*

*I would also like to use this opportunity to thank my colleagues for their contributions to our graduating class's successes.*

*Congratulations and best wishes! May all your tomorrows be happy and meaningful!*



## DR. KARINA NARYMBETOVA

Associate Dean, College of Humanities and Education

*My dear Students,*

*Let me congratulate you on this great achievement of yours and say how proud I am of you. I also want to thank you for all your effort you made, all interesting ideas you shared with me, all happy moments you made me feel being around you.*

*Your desire to grow and become better inspired me to keep going despite all life difficulties.*

*You empowered yourselves with good education, great friends, and best memories. Use that knowledge and skills to grow further and help others on the way.*

*Never stop on your way to perfection and focus on your progress. I will miss the moments we spent together, but I'm looking forward to hearing about your successful stories in all spheres of your life. What I'm more excited about is that those who start a teaching career will become my colleagues and I'm more than happy for your students.*

*Happy farewell to CHE amazing students!*



## DR. GERALD PECH

Dean, College of Social Sciences

*Dear Graduates, Congratulations on your graduation!*

*As you graduate, the tasks waiting have not become fewer as the world again refuses to become a much better place. But there is always light and a bright future waiting for your generation to shape!*

*The College puts its trust in you that you will apply your best skills to the benefit of all and that you will rise to the challenges and achieve the fulfillment of your dreams! We are proud of you! As you go out to shape your own future and the future of this country, remember that this will always be your academic home. And if any advice is still needed: be good and be kind, to yourself and others!*

## AIGUL ADIBAYEVA

Associate Dean, College of Social Sciences

*Dear CSS Graduate,*

*Congratulations on graduating from College of Social Sciences! You are incredibly strong and courageous, for only courageous ones chose to serve the society. Helping people, developing the city, governing the state, - all that requires a special commitment. May your strength, courage and determination help you to achieve everything you desire.*

*You are about to open a door to your new life, with no midterms and final examinations, or professors to check and advise you out there. From now on, life itself becomes the judge of your thoughts and deeds, and 'retake' or 'incomplete' are no longer there as an option.*

*You are our «CSS Limited Edition»!*



## DR. RICHARD C. LINSTROM

Dean, School of Law

*Dear Graduates:*

*On behalf of your faculty, the staff of the Law School and my predecessor as Dean, Dr. Isaacs, please accept our heartfelt Congratulations on completing your first step toward full membership in the noble profession of Law. Your undergraduate years were among the most unique and difficult in modern history. Nevertheless, you have persevered and earned your Law degrees. You are equipped to identify and help resolve the many legal issues confronting individuals, enterprises and society, and to contribute to the Rule of Law in Kazakhstan and the region. Congratulations and best wishes to you all for rewarding and meaningful careers and lives as KIMEP Law School alumni.*



## DR. RUSTAM ATADJANOV

Associate Dean, School of Law

*Dear 2023 Graduates,*

*My congratulations on your important accomplishment today!*

*Despite all the challenges and difficulties along the way, you made it. You can be proud of yourselves, you deserve it. We hope those challenges and the valuable experience you gained in overcoming them only made you stronger. Smarter. Prepared for what is coming next, that is, your future. I am confident that as Law School graduates you will make us, your professors, proud because of your future achievements in solving legal problems, helping your clients and promoting the level of legal culture and awareness wherever you go. Sky's the limit now and the future holds big things for you. I wish you all the best of luck and success. Per aspera ad astra!*



## OLGA UZHEGOVA

Department of Accounting & Finance

Dear graduates of BCB, it is my great privilege to extend my sincere congratulations on your momentous achievement! Your hard work, dedication, and perseverance have finally paid off, and it's time to celebrate all that you have accomplished. Your passion for learning and your unwavering resilience in the face of obstacles have been incredibly inspiring.

As you take a moment to reflect on your journey so far, I encourage you to take pride in your achievements, both big and small. Every experience, despite its outcome, has value and is a stepping-stone towards where you are heading.

As you step into the next phase of your journey, remember that you have gained valuable skills and knowledge that you can use to make a difference in the world. Believe in yourself, and know that success is within your reach as long as you are willing to work hard and stay focused on your goals.

On behalf of your professors and everyone who has supported you along the way, we extend our warmest wishes for your future success. We look forward to hearing about your continued achievements and accomplishments as you embark on new and exciting adventures. Congratulations on achieving your well-deserved success, and all the best in your future endeavors!



## ZHANAT SYZDYKOV

Department of Accounting & Finance

Dear BCB Graduate Students,

As you embark on the next phase of your career, I want to take a moment to share my heartfelt wishes for your success. You have worked incredibly hard to reach this point, and I am confident that your dedication and determination will serve you well in your future endeavors.

As a professor of accounting, I hope that you will carry the values of integrity and ethical behavior with you in all of your business dealings. It is important to remember that your reputation is one of the most valuable assets you possess, and it takes a lifetime to build but only a moment to destroy.

I also encourage you to continue learning and expanding your knowledge beyond what you have learned in the classroom. The business world is constantly evolving, and it is essential to stay up-to-date with the latest trends, technologies, and practices.

Finally, I wish you the courage to take risks and the resilience to overcome any setbacks or failures that you may encounter along the way. Remember that failure is not the opposite of success; it is simply a stepping stone on the path to success.

Congratulations on your graduation, and I wish you all the best in your future endeavors.



## RUSLAN SAFAROV

Department of Accounting & Finance

My dear graduates - all my students and those BCB students who never took my classes - I know very well what you are all feeling now. I had the same emotions back in 2008. You feel excitement by being released from such a demanding journey you had at our university. And your excitement is even more due to the expectation of something bigger, new and incredible that awaits you ahead. And this will come - I can confirm. You probably cannot even imagine how many doors are open for you at this moment. I wish you to enjoy this choice variety and walk through YOUR door whatever it means for you.

Meanwhile, I want to remind you that this life is not a fairy tale, especially for those who aim to get a rich and meaningful life experience rather than just a positive one. Dark times also come, and you will learn to take responsibility for tough decisions. But you know what? Even at your hardest moment, you should remember that this university gave you something intangible but lets you survive whatever happens around you. There will always be invisible support - your foundation, which you built as being KIMEP student.

What you think is your true wish at this moment is not. You will realize it later, and that moment will be a turning point for your personal growth. And once you realize it, be patient and persistent to achieve it, and the universe will respond accordingly.

## NURSEIT NIYAZBEKOV

Department of International Relations & Political Science

Soon, you will realize the value of your education and student life that came with it. But, that will come later. Now, enjoy the freedom from coursework, unexplored destinations, untasted dishes, unmet people, and unrealized dreams! The sheer joy of moving in the direction towards your yet-to-come goals and ambitions is a fantastic feeling. Go forward, but don't forget about the journey, which is not worse, if not better than the destination.



## NADEEM NAQVI

Department of Economics

You have worked diligently at KIMEP to expand your capabilities, and your substantive freedom to choose the kind of life that you have reason to value. Embodied in you is high-end human capital. Going forward, your ability to distill usable knowledge – an analytically connected set of definitive, coherent claims – from masses of data and information will be your greatest asset. In your new life as autonomous and free actors in society, you, not anyone else, will be held responsible for the consequences of your chosen actions. So, choose well – evaluate alternatives by subjecting them to sharp-edged reasoned scrutiny – especially because smart choices will advance your own well-being and that of others. And remember, the more you shine, the better KIMEP looks. Congratulations!

Finally, I wish you the courage to take risks and the resilience to overcome any setbacks or failures that you may encounter along the way. Remember that failure is not the opposite of success; it is simply a stepping stone on the path to success.

Congratulations on your graduation, and I wish you all the best in your future endeavors.



## ADLET KUMAR

Department of International Relations & Political Science

Dear graduates!

It is a great honor and a pleasure to extend my most heartfelt congratulations!

I do applaud your unrivaled bravery and the great effort you have shown to conquer the highest peaks of knowledge as the beginning of the educational process was darkened by the COVID-19 pandemic. It was a challenge not every generation could face and you overcame it with fully deserved honors. Who dares - wins!

I do salute your passion and readiness to contribute to Society and our beloved Qazaqstan wishing you all the best as you are to do the first steps on the long and winding road of your adulthood. Please, never let Faculty, KIMEP sororities, and fraternities, down as we see you off with great trust and good hope.

Let the Force be with you!





## KARA FLEMING

Department of English

Dear CHE class of 2023:

On behalf of the CHE faculty, we are so proud of what you have accomplished and are truly looking forward to seeing what comes next for you. You have completed the challenges of university education in a difficult and volatile time with grace and perseverance. I hope your time at KIMEP has provided you with a foundation not only in the knowledge of your field, but with skills that will take you in many exciting and unpredictable new directions, and with friendships that will help you grow, reflect, be encouraged, and have fun. As you go out from KIMEP, I hope that throughout your lives, you are willing to ask questions, stay open-minded, and learn new things. And although you'll undoubtedly go far, don't hesitate to come back and say hi to us here sometimes :)

Many warm congratulations to you, CHE graduates of 2023!



## ASKAT TLEUOV

Department of English

Hey, Class of 2023!

Wow, can you believe it? You made it! Congratulations on graduating from KIMEP University! You've put in so much hard work and dedication to get here, and it's time to celebrate all of your accomplishments!

As you head out into the world, I want to wish you all the best in your future endeavors. May you find joy and success in everything you do, and may you never stop learning and growing.

Remember, the skills and knowledge you gained here at KIMEP will serve you well in whatever you choose to pursue in life. So, don't be afraid to take risks and try new things. Embrace your passions and follow your dreams!

Also, don't forget to stay in touch with your KIMEP family. We're always here for you, and we'd love to hear about all of your future successes and adventures.

In closing, I just want to say how proud I am of each and every one of you. You are all amazing, and you have bright futures ahead of you. Congratulations again, Class of 2023!



## FEDERICO DALPANE

School of Law

Dear Law Graduates,

It is a joy to see you here, glowing, all smiles, reunited on this great day. I imagine how happy and excited you are about completing your studies and opening a new phase of your life, and how proud of you your families and friends are. Please accept my warmest congratulations! Soon, you will be part of many different professional communities, and life will bring you many different places; but you'll be forever part of the KIMEP community. You know that you're not alone. You know that precision and perseverance and systematic work will get you far. You know that a true professional never stops learning. And I trust you won't forget that spark of enthusiasm that we endeavored to communicate to you; lukewarm temporizing is not for us!

Now celebrate! You deserved it!

## GEORGE R. RUECKERT

Department of Modern Languages and Translation

The Class of '23 has had a challenging time these past two years, but challenges build character -- or at least some good stories!

As graduates of modern languages and translation, you have a unique advantage in today's globalized world. Your ability to communicate effectively across cultures and languages is a valuable asset that will open up new opportunities for you. I urge you to use this skill to bridge divides and promote understanding and cooperation between people of different backgrounds.

Here's wishing you all the best for a bright and ever brighter future. We know you'll succeed!!



## JACOB REIDHEAD

Department of International Relations & Political Science

Yikes! Graduation is scary!

Ever since you were a young child, your life has been carefully mapped out. There was never any question what your next step would be. But now you have walked to the end of that map. You are entering uncharted territory. From now on, you will have to navigate your own path forward. Scary? 😬 Yes!!! But you have nothing to fear if you remember these THREE TIPS:

**1. You are more prepared than you realize!**

Your whole life you have been training for this moment. And you will be awesome!

**2. Be proactive, but also be flexible.**

Set a clear course for yourself, but also consider the wonderful and unexpected opportunities that pop up along the way.

**3. You are not alone.**

Your family and friends are excited to help you in your new journey. And don't forget your professors at KIMEP, who will always be there to listen and share advice. My door is always open to you!

Be fearless, Class of 2023! 😊 Step boldly into the unknown expanses that await you!



## SERGEY SAYAPIN

School of Law

Dear colleagues, as you are graduating from the School of Law, you may be proud of yourselves. After four years of courses, internships, mentorships, projects, and exams, you are about to enter a legal profession of your choice. You will be employed in the public and private sectors, or start a business of your own. I am confident you will be successful in whatever you will do. Always be respectful towards your colleagues and clients, pay attention to details, and be honest and fair. Some of you will continue your studies at some of the world's best universities, and then come back home with new knowledge and skills, to serve your communities. I wish you the best of luck and success. May you and your families be healthy and happy!





**MEMORIES FROM**

**STUDENT**

**HOOD**





# ORIENTATION & CONVOCAATION

## WHERE THE NEW CHAPTER BEGINS

One of the most important events at the beginning of student life is Orientation Day, which is organized to introduce the university to new students. The KIMEP Student Learning Support Center team successfully runs this event each year by conducting two days of Orientation. They show the campus to all the new students through various organization information sessions and fun activities. Moreover, a variety of student organizations take the opportunity to participate in the exhibition to get freshmen interested. Every freshman is assigned a team and team leader, who helps them with the introduction to student life and any academic questions that may arise. Thus, orientation day events are significant because the students start their academic year as smoothly and comfortably as possible

# ART REVOLUTION

## ART | PHOTO | MUSIC

Art Revolution is a student organization of Art, Music, and Photography. It is a creative space that brings together a wide variety of people. Here students share experience, knowledge and skills, ideas, and interests. It is not a simple organization but a big noisy family. Members of Art revolution support each other and are always there to help. Events of Art revolution leave students with the most vivid memories.

## ART EXHIBITION

The ART exhibition is a charity event that allows talented student artists and photographers to present their works on a specific theme. Creative students of our generation exhibit work from different perspectives. At the exhibition, event guests can get cultural pleasure and discuss the ideas of their works with the creators.

## FALL IN FEST

On a cool fall evening, there is a time for one of the coolest concerts presented by the Art Revolution student organization. Fall in Fest is an open-air concert with performances by talented students and invited artists like Darkhan Juzz, abdr., DJ Aki, and others. The dynamic performance of the musicians and the cozy atmosphere warm up the guests. The event is charitable, so the earnings raised by Fall in Fest are donated to a child with a severe illness. Thus, you can have a good time and contribute to a good deed.

## ACOUSTIC NIGHTS

During the pandemic, student events and activities were forbidden or rescheduled. However, with the easing of quarantine measures, some organizations held events following all sanitary rules. One of these events was the Acoustic Night at Art Revolution. It was held on March 10, 2021, in the "Transforma" theater. Despite the small scope of the event, it was warm and cozy, and everyone shared positive emotions and feelings. Art Revolution members and guests from the KADA band performed over 20 songs in different languages, creating memories for the audience and viewers of Instagram Live.









# KADA

## KIMEP ART & DANCE ASSOCIATION

KADA was founded on March 2nd, 2011 and many creative guys graduated from our organization, who released their albums and singles. KADA is also known for its annual recap concert called "KADA Open Air."

## KADA OPEN AIR

Every year, when spring already comes, KIMEP Art and Dance Association organizes a concert for our students with performances of their music band, dance group, and guest musicians. During this concert, members of the organization sing in different languages and dance in different styles to give energy and drive to the young audience. In addition, KADA invites talented stand-up comics to entertain the audience during breaks.

Since the entrance is free, this is a great opportunity for applicants to attend this event and learn about KIMEP from a different perspective. The main goal of the event is to allow the organization's members to show their talent, which they have revealed in themselves during the academic year. With this event, students keep their minds off their daily studying routine to gain more power and energy before final exams. KADA Open Air is one of the outstanding events that everyone must attend.



# KIMEP FASHION INDUSTRY

## FASHION | CULTURE

KIMEP FASHION INDUSTRY is an organization that enhances students' knowledge of fashion industry culture. KFI is developing students' skills in organizing events, developing communication skills, and conducting training for students.

## MISS KIMEP

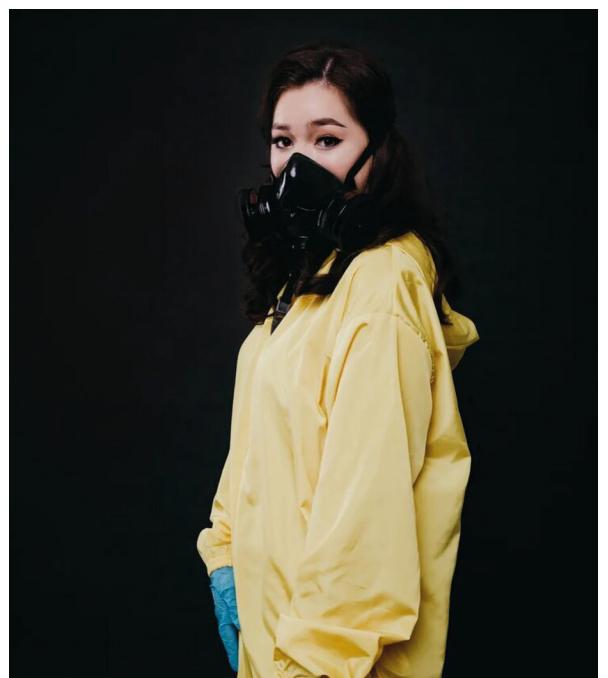
An annual Miss KIMEP event is not only a beauty contest – it is a competition more about talent, charisma, and intelligence. It is the event where 9 to 12 participants compete for the title of Miss KIMEP, by demonstrating outstanding performances. During preparations, they learn new things and find new friends. Usually, it takes place in November, assembling in the whole Great Hall and uniting all KIMEP Students. The show consists of a: general performance, a personal performance, and a fashion show. Each year this great show attracts many sponsors and an honorable jury.

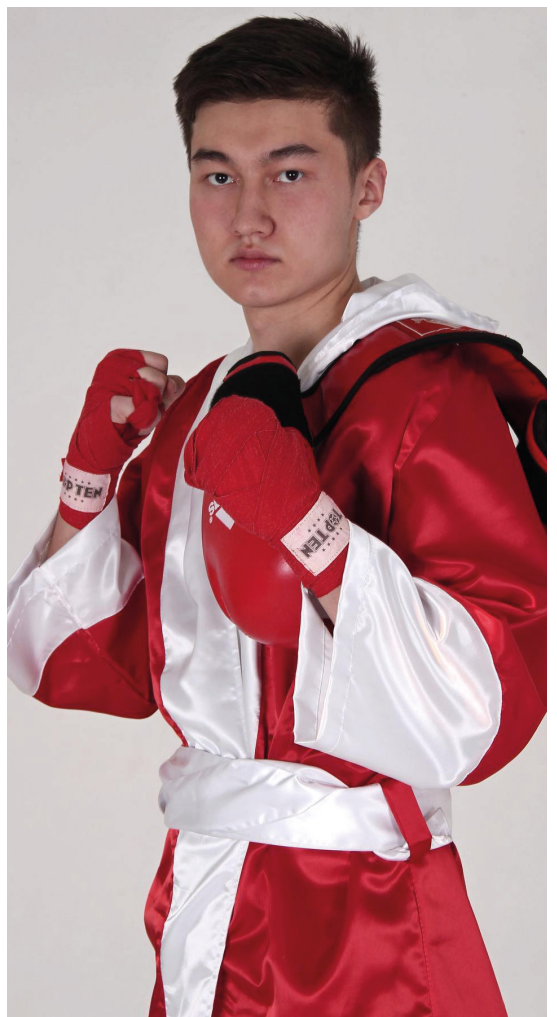
## KFI FASHION WEEK

It is a charity project aimed at raising students' awareness about Kazakhstan's fashion and local designers. In Fall 2021, three of Kazakhstan's fashion brands showed their new collections at KFI Fashion Week. Moreover, fashion influencers present their speeches to event guests. Participants of KFI Fashion Week have an opportunity to visit defile courses in Model Agency. At the end of the event, the sponsors of KFI Fashion Week choose one participant to be a part of their model agency. All earned money is usually donated to the charity foundation.

## TOP MODEL

It is a fashion event where participants showcase their modeling skills and compete for the Top Model title. A panel of fashion experts or celebrities evaluate the participants when they have tasks like ramp walks, photo shoots, and talent performances. It's a platform for aspiring models to gain exposure, build portfolios, and network with industry professionals. Additionally, the event often serves as a fundraiser for a charitable cause.







# KISA

## KIMEP INDEPENDENT STUDENT ASSOCIATION

KISA – KIMEP Independent Student Association, one of the very first charities at KIMEP University. This organization aims to donate money to those in need through charitable events. One of the largest events at KIMEP University is held by KISA, which is called Mister KIMEP.

## MISTER KIMEP

Mister KIMEP is a highly anticipated annual competition for male university students at KIMEP University. This event aims to showcase the talents and personalities of the participants and determine who will be crowned Mister KIMEP for the year.

The competition typically includes several rounds, such as talent performances, and question-and-answer sessions, with each round designed to highlight the contestants' unique skills and personalities. The participants are judged by a panel of industry experts. The winner of Mister KIMEP receives a cash prize, as well as the coveted title of Mister KIMEP. The competition is about more than just winning. It's an opportunity for participants to showcase their talents, and connect with their peers, and gain valuable experience and exposure. Mister KIMEP is also an opportunity for the university community to come together and celebrate the diversity and creativity of its students.

# KASD



## KIMEP ASSOCIATION OF SPORT DEVELOPMENT

KIMEP Association of Sport Development (KASD) is a sports organization founded by students of KIMEP University on October 8, 2012. The main mission is to promote a healthy lifestyle and develop cultural leisure among the youth of Kazakhstan by involving them in cultural and sports projects.

## STARS ON ICE

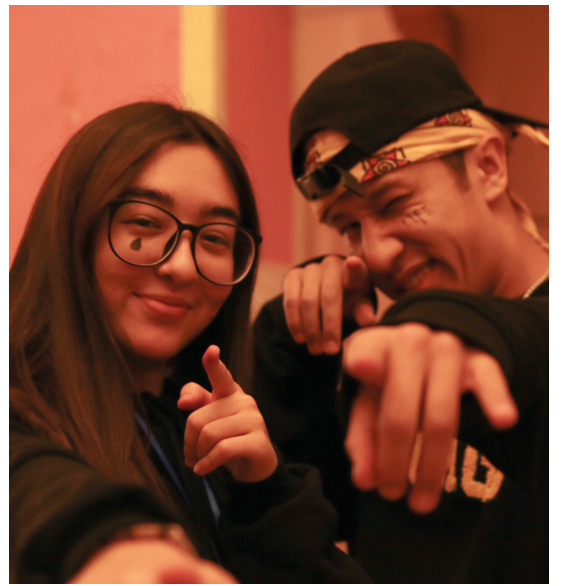
Being the prototype of the American ice show "Stars on Ice", the project is the only one of its kind in the CIS. For three months, 13 couples, led by professional trainers, have been preparing an unforgettable show, which they ultimately demonstrate at the final performance. A lot of hard training, unforgettable memories, and moments of overcoming physical and mental abilities result in a final moment of outstanding performances inside a large ice arena.

The participants are the most creative and active students of prestigious universities in Almaty (KIMEP, KBTU, CDS, AlmaU, IT University, UIB, AUES, etc.).

## KASD Picnic

Playing a crucial role in welcoming freshmen students at KIMEP, Freshmen Picnic is annually organized by the KIMEP Association of Sport and Development. In September, the path to Butakovka waterfall is full of laughter and joy. On this day students enjoy getting to know each other better, being a team and community, singing songs, and warming up by the campfire. Picnic by KASD represents the beginning of a university life journey.







# GEEKS

## CULTURE | CINEMA | GAMES

KIMEP Geeks is a student organization at KU whose main mission is cultural enrichment among students. Our activities include board games, video displays, and thematic discussions. Our mission is to enrich the cultural environment among students.

## SKY CINEMA

Sky Cinema is the most memorable and most well-known event organized by KIMEP GEEKS. This event unites completely different people with its atmosphere, warmth, and coziness. Sky Cinema is held inside, in the Great Hall during the winter and outside, on the Football field during warm spring and summer evenings. Sky Cinema starts with entertainment, video games, friendly competitions, and exciting board games and ends with a cinema showing.

## GEEKOWEEN

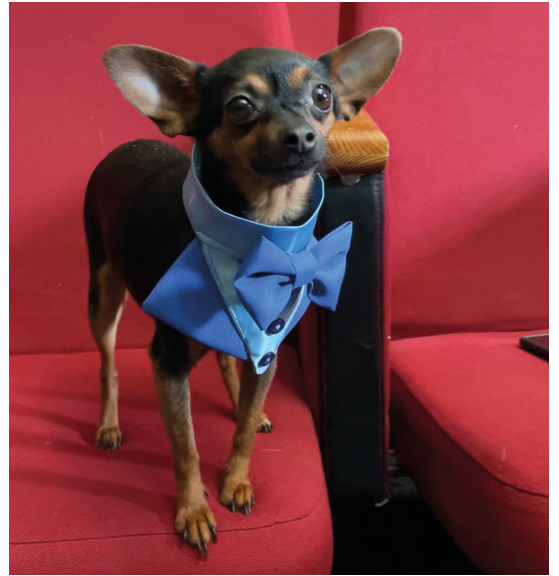
KIMEP Geeks understand that the best way to create a spooky atmosphere on Halloween eve is to watch horror films – so they successfully use this opportunity to hold the event. Geekoween is an event with Halloween movies and cool decorations. Moreover, most of the guests come in costumes, and the members play board games, so the atmosphere of the event helps to feel the spirit of the holiday in the best way.



# KELT

## KIMEP ENGLISH LANGUAGE THEATRE

KELT is one of the oldest KIMEP student organizations, founded in 2001 that produces high-quality theater in English. KELT is a student and community theater that usually performs two main productions per year, along with theater clubs for all students, summer tours around Kazakhstan, and other small projects around the city.







# KIMEP FRIENDS

## PARTIES | EVENTS

KIMEP Friends is the one of the largest student organizations at KIMEP. This student organization hosts the biggest and fanciest events throughout the academic year.

## CONVOCATION

Convocation by KIMEP Friends brought together all kimepians to greet freshmen students. KADA and Art Revolution organizations with all their performances make this day special. Moreover, later in the evening, popular singers perform on the same stage.

After the entertainment on campus, most of the freshmen enjoyed the Convocation after-party which took place in the nightclub. That is the first time freshmen could immerse themselves into KIMEP's culture of partying.

## COMMENCEMENT

The biggest and most significant event in each student's life is Commencement. During this event, freshmen participate in different challenges and games, and dance to the music of international famous singers, local stars, and student bands. Another major part of this event is the competition of Duke and Duchess among freshmen students. They choose the brightest and most talented pair of students, who will then win different prizes and significant status.

## SOPHOMORE

Each year KIMEP Friends organizes a special event for second-year students – Sophomore. Freshmen students organize this event to pay respect and praise for the achievements of the sophomore students. Before the event, second-year students participate in the Ladies & Gentlemen competition. The couples prepare a performance to show on the party itself, and participate in photo shooting. In the middle of the party, organizers of the event announce the results of the voting for Lady and Gentleman, the most unique and outstanding second-year students.

# KIMEP PIE



## PARTIES | EVENTS

KIMEP PIE – KIMEP University #1 Brand since 2008.

A simple story started when 4 friends decided to create a little family inside of our university, and now it is an empire of 1500 who have taken a part in building it. There are more than five events each year, and the first ever in Kazakhstan student Magazine.

KIMEP PIE is famous for its professionalism, discipline, and member support. The main focus is on quality. We have our formula: BRAND + FAMILY = EMPIRE.

KIMEP PIE provides a platform for students to discover and engage their strengths, talents, and passions.

## HALLOWEEN

Halloween is organized annually to immerse its' guests into the thrilling atmosphere of the most spooky celebration of the year. The celebration always goes great, not only because of the KIMEP Pie's team but also thanks to ingenious guests with the most creative costumes. The best DJs and KADA team makes this event even more special. Also, Halloween by pie is significant for the celebration of the PIE's birthday with huge cakes and best greetings from the presents of the organization.

## EUPHORIA

Each September KIMEP PIE organizes an opening party for all KIMEP students to meet and have fun together. The opening party usually has its unique theme each year. Let's remember the one that immersed us in Euphoria aesthetics with all its sparkle in 2019.

## KIMEP AWARDS

KIMEP Awards is an annual charity event organized by KIMEP PIE. 2022 year's Awards took place on 10th of March in Teatralka with more than 200 attendees predominantly from KIMEP University.

## GOLDEN MIDDLE

Golden Middle is an annual party that is specifically designed for third-year university students. Junior students are encouraged to participate in activities, games, and contests, allowing them to interact with other students. What makes the «Golden Middle» party even more enjoyable is the musical accompaniment provided by popular singers and bands from student organizations.







# KIMEP TIMES

## NEWSPAPER | POETRY

KIMEP Times is one of the most creative and vibrant student organizations at Kimep University. This student organization is engaged not only in the production of everyone's favorite newspaper but also in holding such events as Poetry Night and Open MIC.

## POETRY NIGHT

Poetry Night is the famous event that many students are waiting for, as it is a great opportunity to perform with any kind of creativity on certain topics, ranging from pioneers to The Little Prince. Students perform with their favorite poems, as well as sing and play various musical instruments. The themes for Poetry Night are chosen carefully, and the organizers are doing everything, so you can fully merge into this atmosphere. Also, KIMEP Times responsibly approaches the environment and decorates the venue with various posters with garlands.

## OPEN MIC

This event is distinguished by the fact that the topic for the presentation is free, and everyone can show their talents without relying on a specific topic. Open MIC does not become less atmospheric because of this, but on the contrary, it turns out very cozy. And thanks to delicious food, friends, and garlands, everyone will feel at home.



# BIS

## BUDDIES OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Buddies of International Students (BIS) hold various cultural activities during the year in collaboration with the International Office. In synergy, two teams plan and implement International Student Orientation Day, Welcome and Farewell parties, International EXPO, Birthdays, various trips in and around Almaty, and other programs.

## CULTURAL TRIPS

Every semester many international and exchange students from around the world countries come to our University for studying and learning about our beautiful and rich culture. To make their adaptation and semester itself more eventful, the “Buddies of International Students” student organization in collaboration with the International Office organizes several trips for international and exchange students to introduce them to the beautiful nature of our country. Moreover, these trips help them to dive into different cultures and traditions, building connections with each other and creating memories for their entire life.

The last trip before the coronavirus was held during the Fall 2019 semester, when students visited the Nomad ethnic center, one of the most unique and ethnographic complexes at the foothills of Ushkonyr, next to Almaty. All our international students witnessed all colors of rich Kazakh culture, watched the special concert, met the national cuisine, and played traditional Kazakh games. This event left many interesting and unforgettable memories for our exchange students, which they will spread in the future in their home countries.







# JARQYN

## SELF AWARENESS

JARQYN KIMEP is a student organization created within the social project JARQYN. The main purposes of the organization are raising awareness among students about mental health and maintaining better conditions for students' psychological state. Main activities of JARQYN are organization of informative events (workshops, lectures), art therapies and other activities to psychologically support students in KIMEP.

## SEXPLORATION

The main goals of SEXPLORATION are to raise the level of awareness of young people, in particular students, on the following topics:

- The importance of sexual education;
- Methods of contraception;
- Sexually transmitted infections (STIs), HIV and AIDS and the importance of testing;
- Prevention of violence and the importance of active consent
- Available resources, centres and contacts

This event will include workshops from partner organizations specializing in sex education, exhibition partners, various interassets, coffee breaks and prize draws.



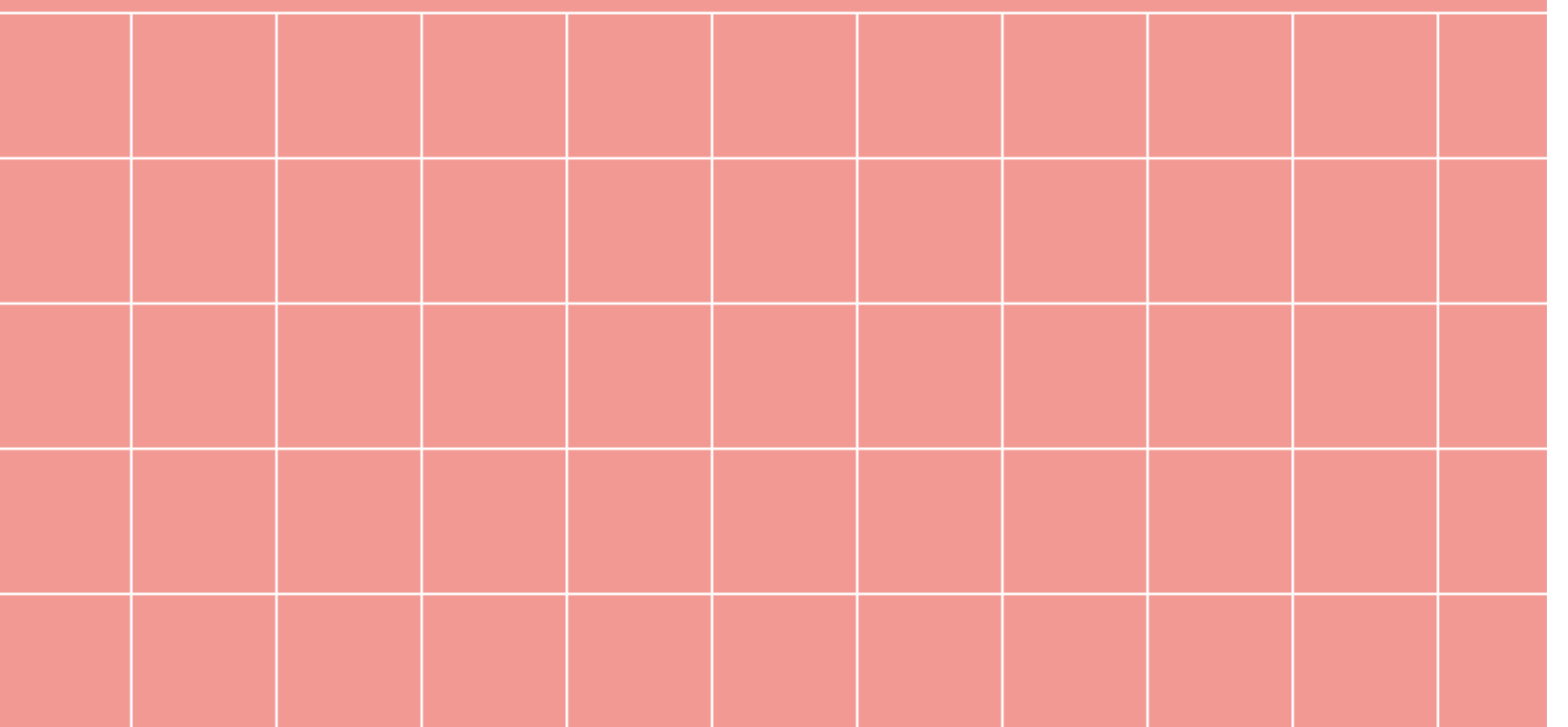
# CASE CLUB

## CASES | COMPETITIONS

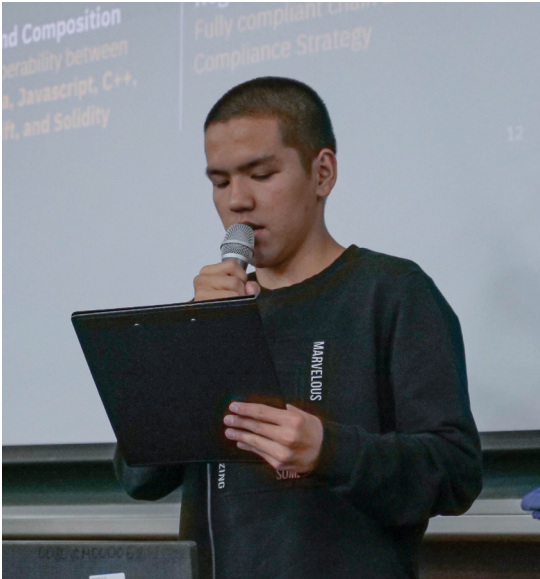
KIMEP Case Club is an intellectual club allowing young leaders to dive into the world of business and consulting before initiating their actual careers!

KIMEP CASE aims to allow students to apply their knowledge in practice using solving different business cases; to build a platform for students to develop teamwork, analytical, and organizational skills.

The KIMEP Case Club has organized two case competitions along with two companies from BIG 4 - EY and Deloitte. The purpose of these events is to create the opportunity for students to demonstrate their knowledge and skills, and get one step closer to their careers. As a result of these competitions, many talented students got offers for internships or became high-priority candidates. Moreover, students have acquired new experiences and valuable networks.









# KAFC

## KIMEP ACCOUNTING & FINANCE CLUB

The organization is a contemporary opportunity for the self-realization of students as professionals. KAFC is about enabling young people to gain the practical management skills and perspectives necessary to ensure their future success, along with contributing to the development of Kazakhstan and ultimately the global community.

# SPORT EVENTS

## BIGGER | FASTER | STRONGER

Apart from “Stars On Ice” and “Day Ice Skating”, KASD and Sports Center organize a lot of different sports events, including Presidential Ping-Pong Cup, Football, Basketball, and Chess Tournaments, and many other competitions. These events are organized to support physical conditions, spread sport values and create a competitive spirit among students. Some of the competitions, like the Presidential Ping-Pong Cup, reach the city level with huge prizes and status.

Moreover, many of our students achieve great results on local, national, and international levels, proving the high level of sporting conditions of students. Sports events are not only the competitions of students to recognize, who is faster, higher, and stronger, but also the celebrations of life and sport, when many people get together with one purpose: praise the beauty of sport.






# Exchange Program

## OPPORTUNITIES

KIMEP University provides exchange opportunities for all degree students to study abroad, while also hosting incoming exchange students from partner universities across the globe. These programs offer numerous benefits for students, including the opportunity to learn new languages, improve their skills, and combine education with travel. Additionally, participating in such programs can help students acquire new knowledge and skills, form new friendships, develop financial management and life skills, and gain intercultural communication abilities.

## OUTGOING

In 2019, 305 KIMEP students participated in academic mobility programs, such as exchange programs, e-mobility (online exchange), and summer schools. Between 2019 and 2023, a total of 84 students from ID19 participated in exchange program.

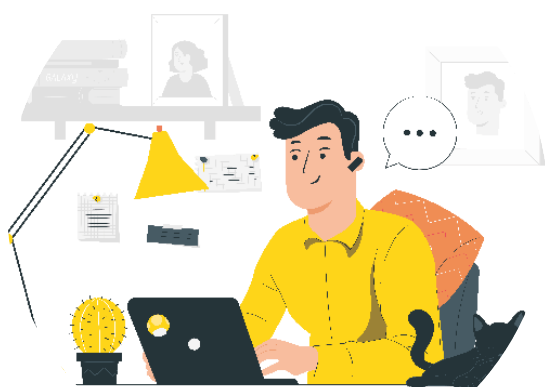
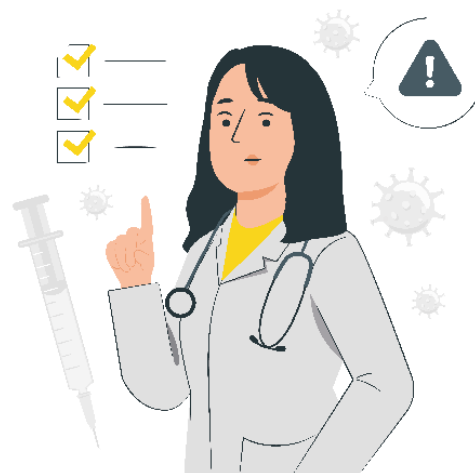
## INCOMING

KIMEP University warmly welcomed 149 international exchange students from a diverse array of countries including Austria, China, the Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Korea, Kyrgyzstan, Norway, Romania, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the Netherlands, Turkey, and the USA. These students had the opportunity to experience KIMEP's world-class education and immerse themselves in Kazakhstan's unique culture.

# Coronavirus Pandemic

## Timeline of Events

On March 16, 2020, the Ministry of Health declared the spread of Coronavirus in Kazakhstan. Despite the quarantine restrictions, KIMEP has provided high-quality education to students. Online education at KIMEP University lasted for 2 years or 5 semesters (Spring 2020, Summer 2020, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Summer 2021).



Reacting to the Virus, professors and students quickly adapted to an entirely new way of life. Faculty members have completed training courses to teach courses through online platforms. The updated version of Moodle was used by students while the whole period of distance learning. Zoom has become a venue for all classes and online meetings.

The first Two weeks of the Spring 2022 semester were online due to «Black January» in Almaty. The remaining semester continued in offline mode. The Class of 2022 is the first in KIMEP who graduated offline after the two years pandemic.



Finally, in Fall 2022, KIMEP returned to traditional offline education. Only vaccinated students and faculty members were allowed to come to campus. At KIMEP, all conditions were created to prevent the spread of infection: the rule of wearing masks, the distance between students during lessons, sanitizers all over the campus. Dormitory students lived separately, not in pairs as it was before the Pandemic.



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**GRADU-  
ATED**



# Gauhar Kassymkan

Bachelor of Marketing

Reflecting on my student life, I sat down on campus and reminisced about the warm moments of my student life. The first thing that came to my mind was, how can I sum up my amazing time at KIMEP in such a short space?

Firstly, I would like to thank KIMEP, for the exceptional friendships that I have formed, which have become my second family. I appreciate the dedication of the professors who have imparted knowledge and provided spiritual and pastoral support throughout my academic journey, for the best student life, providing pleasant and busy days, opportunities to grow and prosper, an unforgettable exchange semester, and for an invaluable experience.

It was only 4 years ago that we came to KIMEP. As a freshman, I found myself lost in the campus, trying to understand the location of buildings such as «VB,» «DB,» and «NB.» However, with time, I have grown accustomed to the campus and the unique experiences it offers. We danced to Dima Bilan's "Я твой номер один". We are those special ones who ate in "Татақ", chilled in a "Fun club", and are still missing the "K-store" on the second floor. We have raised 100500

tenges on Vending Machines and sat until night in the library and study rooms. Despite facing challenges in the form of studying half online and half offline, we persevered and had a great time.

KIMEP teaches me that, It's okay not to be okay, not to know or understand, and that we are all unique individuals with different ways of learning. Every year, I have grown as a person and developed my skills. I am now a confident person with a twinkle in my eye, thanks to the faith and hope that KIMEP has instilled in me that anything is achievable.

I will miss the time spent hanging out with friends at Coffee Top and Starbucks, the unforgettable events and parties, the informative and interesting lectures, and the sleepless nights in the library and study rooms during midterms and final exams. Being part of the KIMEP community has been a source of pride and joy for me.

To the graduates, I wish you all the best as you embark on the next stage of your life. May you make small and large changes in the world. I am proud to be Kimepian.

# Tamila Bapayeva

Bachelor of Finance



In search of a good education, after graduating from high school, I went to study in Prague at the VŠE. Due to the circumstances related to the pandemic, after completing the 1st year, I left the Czech Republic and soon the whole family decided to continue my studies in Kazakhstan. Without hesitation, we chose KIMEP University, which is one of the best universities in Kazakhstan.

Life at the university immersed me in an atmosphere of warmth, comfort, and friendliness. The teaching staff is very professional and always tries to support us in difficult situations. I especially remember the concert evening with the band Ninety One, where we plunged into the atmosphere of positivity, joy, and incredible emotions and became closer to each other. An indelible impression was made on me by a trip to Lake Issyk organized by the students from KASD KIMEP, where I had the opportunity to participate in various competitions, meet new friends, taste marshmallows finished at the campfire for the

first time, watch the beauty of our nature, which gave an incredible feeling of harmony in the soul and a wonderful mood!

I was pleasantly surprised by the presence of various organizations where you can join and develop your skills. It is very gratifying that a job fair is held every year, which allows you to find a job in your specialty throughout Kazakhstan at the stage of the final course. I will remember the day when I was accepted into the KADA Family dance organization on the second attempt in which we went to rehearsals almost every day, despite the holidays. The performances took place at various events at the university. Words cannot convey the excitement and emotions before each performance, which in the end, we coped with perfectly.

I am very proud to study at this university, teaching students according to international standards, where we acquire valuable skills and experience that will be useful to us in the future.



# Arina Podymskaya

Bachelor of Journalism

One day my friends asked me, «What is the one thing you are grateful to KIMEP for?» Suddenly, all 4 years of studying flashed in front of me in a few seconds. I remembered the excitement and trepidation of the first time I entered the university walls. At that time, I could not even imagine how many unforgettable emotions, meetings, and fun this place would give me. I remember how I first met my classmates on orientation day and we still keep in touch with each other, remembering with a smile how our eyes were burning and our palms were sweating with excitement. I remembered my first professor and my first class. Back then I arrived at the university an hour earlier, something I never did again. I remembered the endless sleepless nights because of deadlines and how when the deadline was 11:59 p.m., I still sent my work to my professor at 11:58 p.m. I remember every cup of coffee for my 8:30 a.m. class and still closing my eyes from not being able to fight sleep. Eating lunch together with friends between our classes was my favorite part of the day.

The walls of KIMEP remember my every rise and fall, every tear and laugh, and remember who I was and who I became.

In my 3rd year, I went to Spain as an exchange student and it was one of the best times of my life. During that period, I achieved several of my dreams, made friends with people from different countries, and returned home to a different person. Thanks to the university, I became a PR specialist.

And looking back, I realize that all these memories, emotions, and knowledge would not have been achieved without my friends who supported me and believed in me, without professors who taught me and guided me, and without university staff who helped to solve any problems. All the people surrounding me during my 4 university years made them the most special. So coming back from pleasant memories and reflections I didn't hesitate to say, «I am grateful to KIMEP for the people. Yes, definitely for them”.

# Azhar Makzhanova

Bachelor of Finance



Honestly, it took me a long time to write graduation memories, the hardest part was getting started because I had no idea where to start.

I should probably tell that I came to KIMEP as a transfer student from one of the Moscow universities and I had only one and a half years of offline study. The first year was quite difficult for me because the most difficult for me was getting acquainted with people. In quarantine, no one talked to anyone, so I haven't made any friends.

But I hasten to please you, as soon as we switched to the traditional form of education, I found them. The people we are graduating with this year and with whom I have spent most of this year. I'm really glad I met you guys, and I hope you are too. Thank you for diluting the humdrum days of study and work with your presence and our CoffeeTop hangouts.

Speaking of memories within the university, there were a lot of them, but one I will remember for a loooong time. Probably many of you know about «lucky papers» of professor Syzdykov. So, this story

is about how luck slipped through my fingers. When all the assignments were handed out, the professor decided to move the guy who was sitting to my right and it turned out that I and the girl who was sitting next to the guy had the same version and I had to switch assignments with the girl who was sitting to my left. And so the exam began and the professor started to check who was the lucky one. I think you have already guessed who it was. Yes, that's right, it was the girl to my left. In what shock did I sit the exam you can not even imagine, I experienced a million emotions during that hour. The exam I eventually wrote even better than I expected and got a bonus from the professor as compensation. Anyway, it was a pretty fun experience to remember.

I would like to thank KIMEP professors and administration, without you we wouldn't be standing here writing about our memories. Your efforts and knowledge were not in vain.

A thousand and one thanks to everyone who was with us all the way ❤️



# Dana Nurgazinova

Bachelor of International Relations



Every person has his or her own story. And all stories make history.

My story is inevitably intertwined with the stories of my peers, friends, professors, and other members of the KIMEP community. Peers, with whom I studied and learned how to listen and respect others' ideas; friends, who taught me resistance to the cold winds of life and unconditional love for those around me; professors, who transferred their academic knowledge and wisdom of life.

Student life opened a new gate of opportunities. Passing through this gate, I participated in numerous social events and international conferences, was a member of a student organization, Tender and Elections Committees, studied abroad in Spain and showed the world who a KIMEP student is, and organized a KIMEP MUN International Conference. And, indeed, it all was supplemented by hard studying of university courses.

My colleagues, friends, and professors occupy the greatest place in my soul and memory. All these people affected me with their wisdom, life stories, and

virtues, and they contributed to my character. They all taught me how to be a human with capacities to admire others, love life, be thankful and stay strong. Every person comes into your life to give you a lesson.

I will never forget all our happy moments. Brightest smiles and laughs in Tamaq and CoffeeTOP, indefinite talks in Study rooms despite last-minute deadlines, words of support and love when most needed, sofas in Valikhanov building as places of meeting and news sharing (almost like in talk shows!). These all cannot be read in books but only experienced in your life path.

My gratitude is endless for those who have been in my life. Thank you KIMEP University for allowing me to be part of the community of high achievers with beautiful souls! Thank you professors for developing my intellectual skills and transmitting knowledge for millennia! Thank you my peers for allowing me to learn from you! Thank you my dearly loved friends and family for sharing the path, teaching me the best virtues of human character, supporting me, and showing the value of life!

# Dana Abdikhaliyeva

Bachelor of Foreign Languages



Once I was entering our university, my father told me: "Go make yourself some friends and you'll be happy".

So I did. Back in the beginning I remember lying on my bed in the dormitory and crying because I still have no friends. It was my second day of the orientation program by the way.

I heard that the best ways to make friends are to join student organizations, live in the dormitory, and something else. Oh, to take the foundation course. Never mind, I've done it all.

I am so grateful for my friends from the dormitory who taught me the best life hacks so I can steal them now and pass them on to my fellow freshmen now that I am a Senior.

I am so thankful for my lovely Art Revolution for sculpting and transforming me from the shy and wallflower girl to the confident and loving person that I am now. Having so many creative, talented, and artistic people around me changed my mindset more than I ever expected. I also owe a debt of thanks to my closest and best friends, who won't let me forget (the way I stressed thinking I didn't pass the casting) about it.

Thanks to KIMEP for helping me build my networking skills, so my friends from other

universities can pretend to shake the dust off my shoulders when I proudly say that I am a KIMEP student.

I have the warmest feelings for my faculty, thanks to my experience in Student Government. Once again, I joined with the help of my dearest friends as well (shoutout to ex-president Sana, Aktin & Arman). I had an opportunity to represent students and raise their voices among the faculty members.

Thanks to Professors Karina, Kara, and Askhat for making the Academic council more friendly to attend. Thanks to Professors Diana, Sujin, and Ariya for unforgettable courses and assistance when needed.

I felt safe only when "CHE fam" and professors were around.

So, listen up, Dana from 2019 -- you did your best, and you deserve all of the love and trust you receive now. Good for you to recognize and catch the chances your Alma Mater gifted you.

The only advice for freshmen is to make friends wherever they go. Once you're heading to KIMEP, be ready to accept jokes about being a "limited edition" because you truly are one.



# Bahytzhan Maidanuly

Bachelor of Laws

As I reflect on my journey from an awkward freshman with blue dreadlocks to a mature man with a clear plan for the future, I realize how much I have grown over the past four years.

In this letter, I'd like to share some of the unforgettable experiences and thoughts I've gained along the way. One of my most unforgettable experiences was an exchange program in Italy in early 2020. Despite the pandemic, I had a great time with friends, tasted delicious wine, and learned about a new culture. This trip taught me the importance of choosing good friends who can teach you valuable lessons and provide support when you need it.

Another important part of my trip was participating in a law school mentoring program that introduced me to my mentor. For a year and

a half, my mentor helped me become a better version of myself by giving invaluable advice and sharing inspirational quotes such as «Be afraid when you have no responsibility. Your area of responsibility is the happiness of your friends and family» and «success is a quantity of happiness».

I am grateful for the opportunities our university has given me, and I consider myself fortunate to have met some of the most incredible and inspiring people during my time here.

To those of you reading this letter, I want to say, I believe you are amazing and capable of achieving great things. Good luck to you and take care!



**TASNIM  
ABILMAZHINOVA**

bacta - 19

*Это я на фотосессии,  
но щас я дома уже*



**DANA  
AKHMETOVA**

bacta - 19

*It was one of my  
favourite chapters.  
Excited of the new one*



**SABINA  
AKHMETOVA**

bacta - 19

*I really wanted to go  
upstairs and came up  
with a ladder*



**AZAT  
AKSHIN**

bacta - 18

*Надо было поступать  
в Хогвартс*



**SHEVO  
ALIZODA**

bacta - 19

*«I have learned more  
from the streets than in  
any classroom»  
-The Godfather*



**AIDANA  
ALZHANOVA**

bacta - 19

*thank you. it was very  
entertaining*



**MALIKA  
AMANGELDY**

bacta - 18

*Happy End*



**ASSEM  
AMIRKHAN**

bacta - 19

*Ain't no budget  
when I'm on the set,  
If I like it, then that's  
what I get*



**SANIYA  
ANUARBEKOVA**

bacta - 15



**SHAKIRA  
ARYZBEK**

bacta - 19

*Now, I am hotter  
by one degree*



**AZHAR  
DAVLETKALIYEVA**

bacta - 19

*Life is like accounting,  
everything must be  
balanced*



**MAIRA  
GALYM**

bacta - 19

*With great power comes  
great responsibility*



**DILYARA  
IMANBAYEVA**

bacta - 19

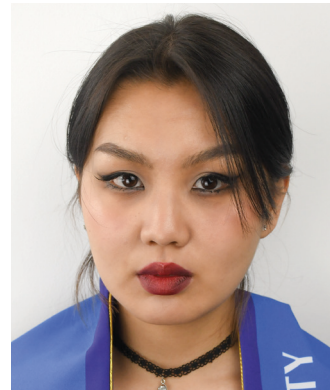
*If you want an  
accounting of your worth,  
count your friends. I am  
rich.*



**KARLYGASH  
KARIMBEKOVA**

bacta - 19

*Why not?*



**SALIKHA  
KHASSE**

bacta - 19

*I am not mad,  
it's my face*



**ISMAR  
KOSSAYEV**

bacta - 18

*They called me Isma*



**YELANA  
MEIRAN**

bacta - 19

*I am not afraid of storms,  
for I'm learning how to  
sail my ship.*



**DINMUKHAMED  
MUKHAMEDZHANOV**

bacta - 18

*I bet this is the longest  
name you've ever seen.*



**MALIKA  
MURATOVA**

bacta - 18

*For sale: auditor's  
diploma, never used.*



**ZHANEL  
MUSTAFINA**

bacta - 19

*The sky is the limit.*



**AIYA  
SAGDYGALIYEVA**

bacta - 14

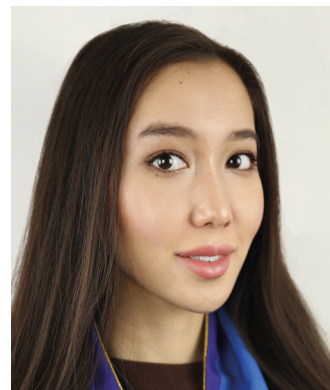
*Never give up on your  
dreams, stuff happens,  
but in the end make it  
real*



**FATIMA  
SAURANBEKOVA**

bacta - 19

*Dr My bachelor 12.5  
Cr Cash 12.5*



**ZHANIYA  
SHADMAN**

bacta - 18

*Ad meliorem*



**ALDIYAR  
SHAKHMARDANOV**

bacta - 18

*Every journey begins  
with a single step.  
We just have to have  
patience.*



**ADEL  
TANEKENOVA**

bacta - 19

*Your degree will never  
wake up one day and  
decide to leave you*



**YERSEIT  
TAZHIBAYEV**

bacta - 19

*«Аудит для души,  
А так бизнес есть»  
- АТВ*



**AYAULYM  
TOLEUKHANOVA**

bacta - 19

*Когда-то я расскажу  
вам об этом выпускном  
и о жизни, которую  
проживу...*



**AMIR  
UALIKHANOV**

bacta - 18

*Success comes  
from Allah*



**CHYNGYZ  
USUBALIEV**

bacta - 19

*Я не был успешным  
студентом, но и  
облажаться не успел*



**AIGERIM  
YEGIZTAYEVA**

bacta - 17

*The Future is Female.*



**ALIMZHAN  
YESSENZHANOV**

bacta - 18

*Pass all the parts of Dark  
Souls was easier than  
graduating from this  
university*



**ARTUR  
YUGAY**

bacta - 17

*«Жизнь - это не проблема, ко-  
торую нужно решить, это ре-  
альность, которую нужно испы-  
тать.»  
- Серён Обье Кьеркегор*



**ZARINA  
ZABKENKYZY**

bacta - 19

*God never makes errors*



**ZEIN  
ZHAMBALBEK**

bacta - 18

*Извините, что мое  
фото делает осталь-  
ные фото менее краси-  
выми*



**ARUZHAN  
ZHANGALIYEVA**

bacta - 19

*I've got 99 problems but  
Accounting ain't one*



**ADIYA  
ABISHEVA**

bfin - 19

*Dear finance, please grow  
up and solve your own  
problems. I'm tired of  
solving them for you.*



**AYAZHAN  
AIDAROVA**

bfin - 19

*Go. Live your dream.*



**RINAT  
AKHATOV**

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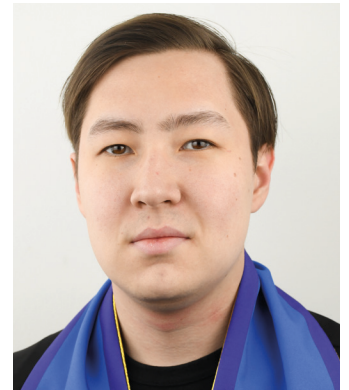
*"If you think you are too small to make difference, try sleeping with a mosquito."  
- Dalai Lama*



**KARINA  
AKHMET**

bfin - 13

*Being COO in Germany is much easier than getting this diploma*



**ADIL  
AKHMETOV**

bfin - 18

*It's a blue world, and I'm color-blind*



**ALISA  
ARTSYBASHEVA**

bfin - 19

*Happiness is not a destination. It is a method of life.*



**ISKANDER  
BAKHTIAROV**

bfin - 19

*An investment in knowledge always pays the best interest*



**AMIR  
BAKHTIYAROV**

bfin - 17

*I look better in person*



**TAMILA  
BAPAYEVA**

bfin - 20

*I'd rather regret the things I've done than regret the things I haven't done*



**AISHA  
BATYRKHANOVA**

bfin - 19

*Biggest investement with the best interest*



**INGKAR  
BEKBOLAT**

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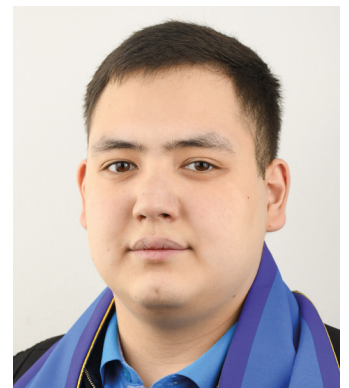
*Sometimes it's important to disappoint others to avoid disappointing yourself*



**AIGERIM  
BEKETAYEVA**

bfin - 18

*mama, papa, this is for you*



**SAMAT  
BIMURZAYEV**

bfin - 19

*Pros: got a degree in finance  
Cons: still not really sure what finance means*



**NURAY BOLAT**

bfin - 19

*I was naive to think that math and finance were the same thing*



**XENIYA DMITRIYEVA**

bfin - 19

*Pretty, educated, and graduated*



**DANIIL GORELKIN**

bfin - 17

*I've already forgotten EVERYTHING*



**AISLU IBRASH**

bfin - 19

*Never too much, Always enough*



**ADIYA IMAN**

bfin - 18

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**AZIZA IMINDZHANOVA**

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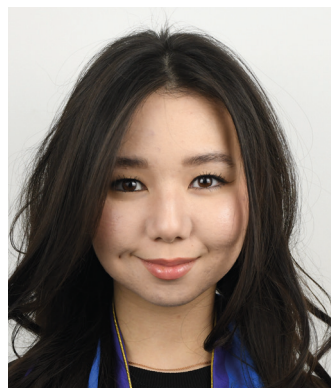
*"Allah does not burden a soul beyond that it can bear" (2:286)*



**NURSULTAN ISSABEKOV**

bfin - 19

*Never let your dreams die «Sic parvis magna»*



**AMINA KADRABAYEVA**

bfin - 19

*I'm not an option, I'm a futures contract*



**TEMIRLAN KAIRBEK**

bfin - 18

*You should be ready to sacrifice yourself for the target*



**MIRAS KARAZHIGITOV**

bfin - 17

*don't follow your dreams, follow me on TikTok: ya.miras*



**DIAS KHASENOV**

bfin - 18

*One way to finish*



**LEILA KUBASHEVA**

bfin - 18

*ggwp ez*



**MAXAT  
KUSSAINOV**

bfin - 19

*«That's it, Maxat! Run... run towards the setting sun! But don't mess up your hair!»  
- Might Guy*



**AIGUL  
MAKHMUTOVA**

bfin - 19

*Мечтать не вредно :)*



**AZHAR  
MAKZHANOVA**

bfin - 21

*University is like a box of chocolates. You never know if you're gonna graduate*



**BELLA  
MAMYTALIYEVA**

bfin - 18

*«Дорога возникает под шагами идущего»*



**NURYM  
MASKHUD**

bfin - 19

*«Сөз жок, тек эмоция»*



**SAYA  
MATAIBAY**

bfin - 19

*My dad's biggest investment*



**MALIKA  
MATYSHEVA**

bfin - 19

*Straight Outta Balkhash*



**NAZERKE  
NURKHALYK**

bfin - 18

*The best preparation for tomorrow is doing your best today.*



**ABYLAY  
NURLANULY**

bfin - 18

*If I'm to choose between one evil and another, I'd rather not choose at all*



**BIMEN  
RAYEV**

bfin - 19

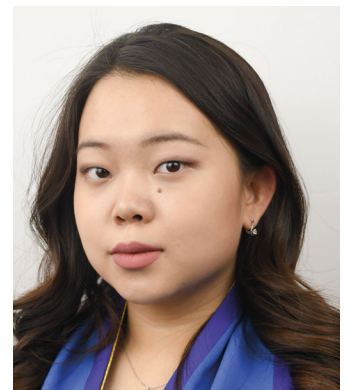
*Live fast for the moment*



**DANAYEL  
SAGIDOLDA**

bfin - 19

*My senior project was to make a clone  
p.73 row 2 column 2*



**ANNA  
SHIN**

bfin - 19

*The best way to predict future is to create it*



**ADIYA SHOKENOVA**

bfin - 18

*If you don't take risks, you can't create a future!*



**MARIYAM SUPIYANOVA**

bfin - 19

*2/10, don't recommend at all, I will not do this ever again*



**DAUREN TENELBAYEV**

bfin - 19

*Ерекше бол! КИМЭПке сен диплом бер, А+ сени армандасын, Жанат ағаның өзіне русалка деп айт*



**ADELIYA TENIZBAYEVA**

bfin - 20

*«Nothing lasts forever but at least we got these memories»*

- J.Cole



**ADIL TOGUZOV**

bfin - 19

*Пока кто-то пытался удержатъ GPA, я стремился удержатъ GDP*



**ASSEL TUZELBEKOVA**

bfin - 19

*Do your best and enjoy the show!*



**ALIBEK TYUREBAYEV**

bfin - 19



**DANIYAL ULYKPANOV**

bfin - 18

*Dear future self, always remember who got you where you today*



**MALIKA YELTAYEVA**

bfin - 19

*A Camry 70 can't take you as far as a diploma*



**DILARA ZHANATAY**

bfin - 19

*It is not what we think or feel that makes us who we are. It is what we do. Or fail to do.*



**FARIZA ZHANTURAYEVA**

bfin - 18



**ADELAR ZHASHIBEKOV**

bfin - 20

*We all got the same 24 hours*



**MIKHRIAY  
ZIYAVDINOVA**  
bfin - 18



**DANA  
BALAMANOVA**  
bisb - 19  
*The best is yet to come*



**MAXIM  
BONDARENKO**  
bisb - 19  
*Is this supposed  
to make me not want  
to kill myself?*



**ADILET  
ILYAS**  
bisb - 19  
*Nothing happened*



**AZAMAT  
KALAM**  
bisb - 19  
*Everything happens  
for the best*



**MOLDIR  
KANATBEKOVA**  
bisb - 19  
*The only dates I had were  
submission dates*



**ALTYNAI  
MADALIEVA**  
bisb - 19  
*Загибай палец,  
если ты окончила  
КИМЭП*



**BEKSULTAN  
MELIS UULU**  
bisb - 19  
*Request: knowledge  
Response: 404  
Request: friends  
Response: 200*



**AZIZBEK  
RAMIZOV**  
bisb - 19  
*Wow! I am glad that is  
over. Welcome new step  
of life!*



**HAEOE  
SER**  
bisb - 18  
*I think I'm quite ready  
for another adventure.*



**TURSUNAI  
TURUMBKOVA**  
bisb - 19  
*Если очень захочеть,  
можно в космос поле-  
теть!*



**AZIMA  
AITPEMBETOVA**  
bmgmt - 19  
*Beauty and brains*



**GULSTAN AMANBAY**

bmgt - 19

*University passes by a blink, so enjoy it!*



**SALTANAT AMERKHANOVA**

bmgt - 18

*Don't waste your time on unnecessary things!*



**ARMANA ARALTAYEVA**

bmgt - 19

*never stop dreaming*



**MALIKA ARUPOVA**

bmgt - 19

*Ladies and gents, this is the moment we've waited for*



**SONGKAER AZHATI**

bmgt - 19

*I learn from everything I do, I have so many things going on in my life, this is Sunkar*



**ALIYA ILYANOVA**

bmgt - 18

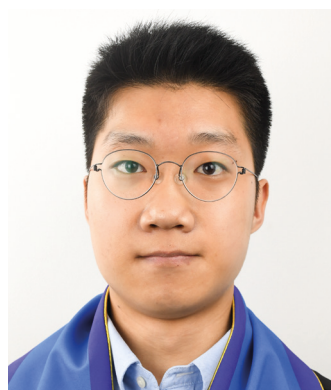
*Some endings become better beginnings*



**ZHASMIN ISSAKHAN**

bmgt - 19

*Grateful, blessed, and excited!*



**INHO JEONG**

bmgt - 16

*We are not special, we are just limited edition. Seriously, who the hell wrote this?*



**ALINA KHU TSZYUN**

bmgt - 19

*Four years, countless shots, and a lifetime of memories.*



**ALINA KONDRASHINA**

bmgt - 18

*Темное прошлое, Светлое будущее и Нефильтрованное настоящее.*



**JAE YOUNG LEE**

bmgt - 18

*Do what I can do*



**ARUZHAN MAULESHOVA**

bmgt - 19

*Make your goal to be a beautiful soul*



**MARIYAM  
NAZKHANOVA**

bmgt - 19  
*Choose life*



**ARUZHAN  
OSPANOVA**

bmgt - 19  
*If vip kazakhs could fly,  
this place would be an  
airport*



**RUSTAM  
RAKHIMOV**

bmgt - 20  
*The Knight  
Of Your Heart*



**AIDANA  
SARSENBAYEVA**

bmgt - 18  
*Said I wanted to fly, so I  
went and got some wings*



**ZHANNA  
SERIKOVA**

bmgt - 19  
😭😭😭



**DARIGA  
SHAMETOVA**

bmgt - 19  
*I need a room full of  
mirrors so I can be  
surrounded by winners.*



**AIDA  
SYRYMOVA**

bmgt - 19  
*Alhamdulillah*



**KAMILLA  
YESSEKINA**

bmgt - 19  
*The rough stone is inside  
of you. You have to find it  
and then polish it  
- Whisper of the Heart*



**ALTYNAY  
ZHALGASSOVA**

bmgt - 19  
*Decision making course  
did not help me to choose  
the best quote*



**AISHA  
AITKALI**

bmkt - 19  
*Sometimes you win.  
Sometimes you learn.*



**KAMILA  
ALIBI**

bmkt - 19  
*Good girls are bad girls  
that aren't caught*



**ALINA  
ASHIMZHAN**

bmkt - 18  
*When someone says you  
can't do it - do it twice  
and take pictures.*



**RALINA  
BAKIROVA**

bmkt - 18

*You have your own  
timeline. Don't rush,  
you're never late*



**DIANA  
BAKYTOVA**

bmkt - 19

*Pain is temporary,  
GPA is forever*



**AMINA  
BAKYTZHAN**

bmkt - 18

*You play with fire and if u  
get burn, Baby, don't u be  
surprise*



**NURAY  
BEKTURGANOVA**

bmkt - 18

*Happiness is...carrying  
whole world inside you*



**ARUZHAN  
BELGIBAYEVA**

bmkt - 19

*Өзіңе сен,  
өзіңді алып шығар,  
Еңбегің мен ақылың  
екі жақтап.*



**SAULE  
IRMENOVA**

bmkt - 19

*The future belongs to  
those, who believe in  
beauty of their dreams*



**GAUHAR  
KASSYMKAN**

bmkt - 18

*«I don't know where I'm  
going, but I promise it  
won't be boring.»*

- David Bowie



**NURILYA  
KHAKIMOVA**

bmkt - 18

*Whatever you do in this  
life, it is not legendary  
unless your friends are  
there to see it*



**ZHIBEK  
KOZHAKHMETOVA**

bmkt - 17

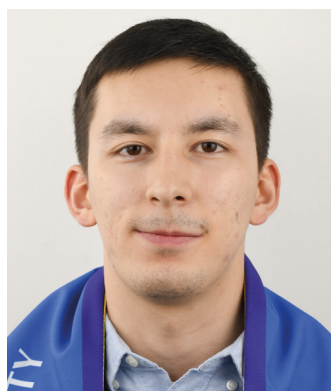
*Мне не понравилось*



**ALEXANDR  
LI**

bmkt - 19

*Do not afraid to make  
mistakes. Mistakes are  
the best teachers of our  
lives.*



**YERNUR  
MEIRAMALIULY**

bmkt - 17

*Самое большое  
счастье – дарить его.*



**ARUZHAN  
MOLDAKHYNOVA**

bmkt - 19

*They call it deadline but  
no one actually dies, so  
just chill*



**ZHANNA  
MOLOKANOVA**

bmkt - 18

*«Дорогу осилит идущий»,  
та фраза, которая избав-  
ляет меня от прокра-  
стинации. Пользуйтесь.*



**DINARA  
MURATOVA**

bmkt - 19

*When this due?*



**MARIYA  
NASRIAJIYEVA**

bmkt - 19

*«Mariya is pretty much  
the nicest person you will  
ever meet...»  
- Everyone*



**AMINA  
ORAZALIYEVA**

bmkt - 19

*My 4P's during KIMEP  
life were postponing,  
procrastinating, panicking  
and yet profiting*



**AIGERIM  
SABRALIEVA**

bmkt - 19

*Dear Limited Edition, when  
you are famous and rich, I'll  
say: «I know that person!»*



**ANAYEL  
SAGIDOLDA**

bmkt - 19

*you made it  
p.67 row 3 column 3*



**ADEL  
SAKENOVA**

bmkt - 19

*1000 реакций на  
этот сторис и я  
рассказываю, как я  
это сделала*



**AMINA  
SEITOVA**

bmkt - 19

*I don't always  
procrastinate,  
but when I do,  
I do it well*



**ARINA  
SLASTYON**

bmkt - 18

*Remember guys,  
if you don't sin a lil but  
Jesus died for nothing*



**DIANA  
TASMAGANBETOVA**

bmkt - 19

*Show must go on*



**ARZU  
TATAROVA**

bmkt - 19

*If nothing goes right,  
go left*



**KAMILA  
TOLBAY**

bmkt - 19

*Be the change you want  
to see in the world.*



**ASSEM  
USSERBAYEVA**

bmkt - 19

*Take life in a simple  
and positive way*



**DANELYA  
UZYKHANOVA**

bmkt - 18

*Self-confidence is  
a super power*



**DINMUKHAMED  
YKSAN**

bmkt - 18

*Just be happy*



**BEN  
YUAN**

bmkt - 18

*When the plan cannot  
keep up with the changes,  
try to master the new  
changes*



**NAZYM  
ZHAMPEISSOVA**

bmkt - 19

*и все что ли?*



**SYMBAT  
KUDABAYEVA**

bacs - 19

*And He found you lost  
and guided you [93:7]*



**DANA  
ABDIKHALIYEVA**

bafI - 19

*Was a member of  
yearbook for 2 years and  
saw thousands of quotes  
- guys, c'mon, r u serious*



**ZARINA  
BEISENBAYEVA**

bafI - 19

*Another beautiful day  
without phonetics and  
phonology classes*



**DZHAMILYA  
KASYMANOVA**

bafI - 19

*It was a very long and  
expensive lesson of:  
«Idontwanttodothis»*



**VALENTINA  
KIM**

bafI - 18

*It's no trick for talented  
people to be interesting,  
but it's a gift to be  
interested*



**BANU  
MUSLIMOVA**

bafI - 19

*Find your fire*



**YANA  
SHARIPOVA**

bafI - 19

*Now I'm waiting for someone  
to approach me and say:  
«do a detailed analysis of  
this poem or you'll die»*



**ARUZHAN  
ZHARYLGAP**

bafI - 19

*Managed to balance  
work and study, but  
forgot to add sleep there*



**ALBINA  
ZHUMATAY**

bafI - 18

*Human proposes,  
God disposes*



**TAMILLA  
DOSKEN**

bats - 19

*I Found Really Important,  
Essential, Nifty, Dazzling,  
and Shiny treasures at KIMEP  
University. Thank you for  
making me happier.*



**JENNET  
HALLYGLYLOVA**

bats - 19

*If you want to learn, do  
not be afraid of making  
mistakes*



**YEKATERINA  
KRAVTSOVA**

bats - 19

*Well... am I a translator  
already?*



**RUSTAM  
MASHANLO**

bats - 18

*Будь свободен как  
волна, но помни,  
что у всего есть  
свои границы*



**IRINA  
VOLKOVA**

bats - 18

*Все наши мечты могут  
исполниться – только  
если у нас есть муже-  
ство следовать им.*



**AIDANA  
ALDABERGENOVA**

bae - 19

*Education for life,  
not life for education*



**MAGZHAN  
ATIRKHAN**

bae - 19

*Future isn't scary anymore,  
it could be whatever I  
wanted it to be.*



**RUSTEM  
BAKIYEV**

bae - 19

*Set your heart ablaze*

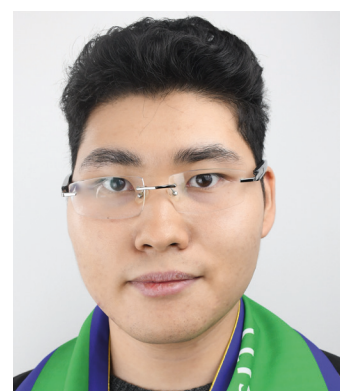


**AIBEK  
DUSUPOV**

bae - 19

*The temporary satisfaction  
of quitting is outweighed  
by the eternal suffering  
of being a nobody.*

*-Andrew Tate*



**JIALIN  
JIANGDUSI**

bae - 18

*Just relax and let things  
take their course*



**AMIR  
KADYRBAEV**

bae - 18

*Раз уж начал,  
то выигрывай*



**AIDOS  
KARASSAYEV**

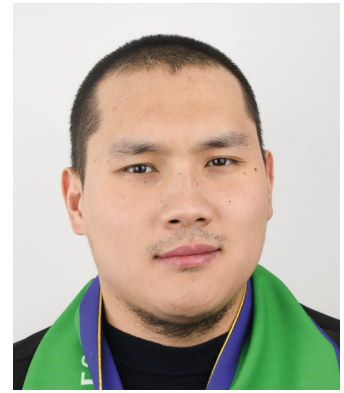
bae - 19

*Все проблемы  
проверяют наш  
характер и делают  
нас сильнее*



**MADIYAR  
MATASHEV**

bae - 18



**YERNAR  
MUSABAY**

bae - 18



**RAMAZAN  
MYRZABAYEV**

bae - 19

*Why would I think about  
missing a shot that I  
haven't taken yet?*



**DAULET  
RAFKHATOV**

bae - 18

*My screen is brighter  
than my future.  
Thats why Employment  
Cost is my song.*



**NURAY  
SALINA**

bae - 20

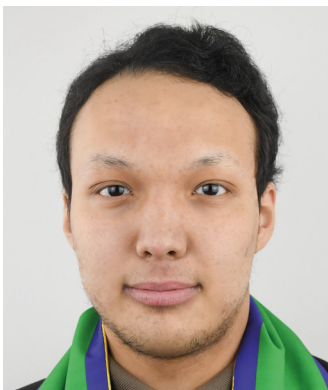
*Shoot for the moon and if  
you miss you will still be  
among the stars*



**KARINA  
TULEPBERGENOVA**

bae - 19

*Any attempt at action is  
better than inaction.*



**YERKANAT  
YERMEK**

bae - 19

*Fear kills more dreams  
than failure ever will*



**ARUZHAN  
AKNAZAR**

baj - 19

*Счастливая жена и  
выпускница КИМЭП :)*



**TAMIRIS  
ASKAROVA**

baj - 19

*Шанс не бывает  
единственным в жизни,  
единственной бывает  
только жизнь*



**DIANA  
BIZHANOVA**

baj - 18

*As Queen Daenerys  
Targaryen once said «I  
am no ordinary woman.  
My dreams come true.»*



**AMINA  
GABITOVA**

baj - 18

*Aims to be  
a professor at KIMEP,  
so my students will say:  
"She is freaking crazy"*



**AYAULYM  
KENGESBEK**

baj - 19

*Спасибо Гуглу, Яндекс  
переводчику и на-  
рафрайзерам.  
Я выпускаюсь!*



**BEKNAR  
KOZHAMZHAROV**

baj - 19

*Always choose the  
hardest way, on it you  
will not find opponents*



**AIGERIM  
KULMUKHAMEDOVA**

baj - 19

*«No»  
- Rosa Parks*



**ARINA  
PODYMSKAYA**

baj - 18

*See kids, I told you your  
mom was hot back in  
KIMEP*



**ZHALGAS  
SATEKOV**

baj - 20

*I didn't pay for my  
studies, but KIMEP has  
cost me my mental  
health*



**FATIMA  
TARGAMBAY**

baj - 19

*«Говорят, что тот,  
кто учился ...»  
-Скриптонит*



**AIYA  
YESMAKHANBET**

baj - 19

*From the smallest  
beginnings come the  
greatest legends*



**AIGERIM  
ABZADIL**

bir - 19

*Elementary,  
my dear Watson*



**ARUZHAN  
AMANKELDI**

bir - 19

*Each photo is a story*



**MENLI  
ATAYEVA**

bir - 18

*Life is soup,  
I'm a fork*



**AKBOTA  
BALGYMBEKOVA**

bir - 19

*I solemnly swear that I  
am up to no good*



**TOMIRIS  
BATEYEVA**

bir - 19

*S. 20, Ep. 23*

*"The one where she graduates"*



**AINUR  
BAUYRZHAN**

bir - 19

*I am smiling  
because this is over*



**BABYR  
DOMBAY**

bir - 20

*It's done,  
it's over*



**AISHA  
DUSUPOVA**

bir - 19

*I guess now, I am  
something of a political  
scientist myself*



**DIAS  
ISLAMBAYEV**

bir - 18

*Amor fati,  
memento mori*



**AYNUR  
MEREDOVA**

bir - 18

*Don't marry rich,  
Be Rich*



**DANA  
NURGAZINOVA**

bir - 19

*We might not always be  
able to change the situation,  
but we are always capable  
of choosing to be happy*



**YERBOL  
OMIRZAK**

bir - 18

*Life is hard*



**ISKANDER  
RAMAZANOV**

bir - 17

*Только наши  
дела показывают,  
кто мы такие.*



**YERKENAZ  
SABYRZHAN**

bir - 19

**ALIYA  
SAMUDIN**

bir - 18

*I did it my way*



**DAYANA  
TOYANOVA**

bir - 19

*I play to win, and I  
always do. That's just  
who I am.*



**AIYA  
SIYAZ**

bir - 19

*IR taught me everything  
except expressing my  
thoughts with a single  
sentence...*



**ZARINA  
TURYSBEKOVA**

bir - 19

*Allow yourself to grow.  
It's better to try and fail  
than not to try at all*



**ASSEL  
YERMEKYZY**

bir - 19

*«When I get sad, I stop  
being sad and be awesome  
instead.» Exactly how I went  
through uni.*



**AYAZHAN  
YERZHOMARTOVA**

bir - 19

*We got champagne for  
the celebration. As a  
result, hard work pays off.*



**ALINA  
ZAFAR**

bir - 18

*Some things are more  
precious because they  
don't last long*



**AMINA  
ZAURENBEK**

bir - 18

*You're just you,  
when you shine the most*



**DAMIR  
ZHUMABAYEV**

bir - 19

*«We all make mistakes in  
the heat of passion»  
- Jim-Jam*



**ADILET  
ASSANOV**

bpma - 20

*One smile a day, will  
keep hard times away*



**ARUZHAN  
NUSSUPZHANOVA**

bpma - 19

*Don't let your ambitions  
weaken your foundations*



**ELEONORA  
ORYNBASSAR**

bpma - 19

*Возможно все.  
Невозможное просто  
требует больше  
времени.*



**VAKHID  
VALIZHANOV**

bpma - 19

*- ВДВ!  
- Воздушно-десантные  
войска?  
- Нет, возможно двести  
вариантов*



**ALNUR  
ALIBAYEV**

bil - 18

*Самый мощный инстру-  
мент, для формирования  
вашего будущего, - это сила  
ваших собственных мыслей  
и знаний*



**ARUZHAN  
AZRETOVA**

bil - 18

*Same game,  
Different level*



**JASMINE  
KALIYEVA**

bil - 19

*Legally brunette 🧑*



**YERKEZHAN  
KALIYEVA**

bil - 19

*Say yes to  
la vita nuova!*



**AIDANA  
KAPYSH**

bil - 19

*«Enjoy your life today.  
Yesterday is gone, and  
tomorrow might never come.»  
– Takeshi Yamamoto*



**NURLYBEK  
KHAIDAROV**

bil - 18

*Ну, вот, только  
собрался взяться за ум,  
а уже выпускной...*



**SOFIYA  
KHALIKOVA**

bil - 19

*Кораблям безопаснее в  
гавани, но не для этого  
они были созданы*



**AIDA  
MANATKANOVA**

bil - 19

*Что вершит судьбу  
человечества в этом  
мире?*



**MALIKA  
SARSENBAYEVA**

bil - 19

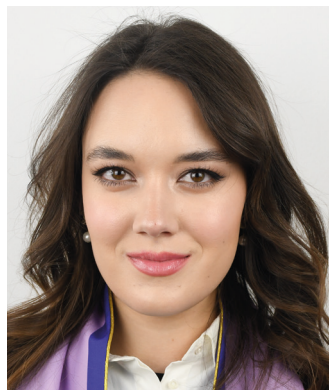
*This was not like  
Legally blonde at all*



**VALERIYA  
TSOY**

bil - 18

*Keep on rising,  
till the sky knows  
your name*



**DIANA  
VAFINA**

bil - 19

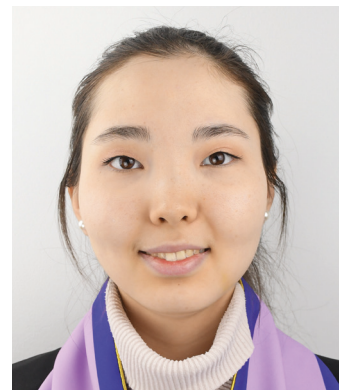
*Dream big, no fear.  
Work hard, be sincere.*



**ALMAS  
ABDUKADYROV**

bilb - 19

*I learned law so well, the  
day I graduated I sued the  
university, won the case and  
got my tuition back.*



**MADINA  
AKKIN**

bilb - 18

*Keep up Speaking!  
Keep up Doing!*



**YELNURA  
BAKHTIYAROVA**

bllb - 19

*Hannah Montana said  
nobody's perfect,  
but here I am*



**ABYLAY  
ISKAKBAYEV**

bllb - 19

*See, Kids, I Told You  
I Was S\*xy In University*



**SAKZHAN  
KANAFIN**

bllb - 20

*I did my waiting!  
12 years of it!  
In Azkaban.*



**BAHYTZHAN  
MAIDANULY**

bllb - 18

*Мужчина это  
Атлет телом,  
Философ душой и  
Гражданин поступками*



**KARINA  
MAZHIDANOVA**

bllb - 17

*Per aspera ad astra*



**KURALAY  
SATBALDY**

bllb - 19

*Veni.  
Vidi.  
Vici.*



**IRINA  
TEN**

bllb - 18

*I have read the  
constitution and it does  
not protect stupid people*



**ALIBEK  
YELDESSOV**

bllb - 18

*Чем умнее человек,  
тем легче он признает  
себя дураком*



**DARIYA  
ZHAKIBAYEVA**

bllb - 19

*Thank you all for these  
best 4 normal semesters  
of study*



**NURAKHMET  
ABDYKALYKOV**

macta - 22

*- Алло, комбэчная?*



**YEERNAER  
HAYILATI**

macta - 20

*Life is a journey, so try to  
be happy till the end*



**MURODJON  
JURAEV**

macta - 21

*What doesn't kill us  
makes us stronger.*



**SAMAL  
SAGITZHAN**  
macta - 21



**ASLAN  
TLEUGALIYEV**  
macta - 22  
*Tibi Serviat Ultima Thule*



**MAIRA  
USSEANOVA**  
macta - 19



**AKBOTA  
AKKIN**  
mba - 21  
*Follow your dreams,  
they know the way*



**AINEL  
APSALYAMOVA**  
mba - 19  
*Never give up!*



**AIYANA  
KLIM**  
mba - 21



**ASSIYA  
MAMANOVA**  
mba - 20  
*Nothing is impossible  
the word itself says I'm  
possible*



**CHINGIZ  
SAPARGALIYEV**  
mba - 21  
*Remember to always  
be yourself, unless you  
suck. Then pretend to be  
someone else.*



**ABYLAIKHAN  
TAUBALDI**  
mba - 21  
*Fortes fortuna juvat*



**DANIYAR  
DYUSKALIYEV**  
mfin - 21  
*Work until your idols  
become your rivals.*



**DMITRY  
VYATKIN**  
mba - 20  
*If you ask me: What is  
the power in?  
My answer is: Power is in  
horizontal connections.*



**SABINA  
KOKETAYEVA**  
mfin - 20  
*If you want success in life,  
get ready to learn*



**DANA  
MURSALIYEVA**

mfin - 21

*Work until your idols  
become your rivals.*



**JAHONGIR  
RAHIMOV**

mfin - 21

*I'm not just a graduate,  
I'm a future financial Jedi.  
May the cash flow be  
with me.*



**ARUZHAN  
SAKENOVA**

mfin - 20

*Dear future self,  
«Always remember  
who got you where  
you are today.»*



**ALIYA  
TOEKANOVA**

mfin - 22

*Whole our life like google  
translate*



**GULDANA  
UTAROVA**

mfin - 22

*Я умная,  
хоть и не похожа*



**SYMBAT  
BEKMURATOVA**

mmgt - 22

*Follow your passion,  
stay true to yourself*



**AIGERIM  
DOSTIYAROVA**

mmkt - 21

*Mastering yourself is true  
power. Discipline beats  
talent.*



**DIANA  
DYUSSENOVA**

mmkt - 21

*Wherever you go,  
go with all your heart*



**DINARA  
KOZHAKHMETOVA**

mmkt - 22

*KIMEP has changed  
my life completely.*



**YEKATERINA  
TKHAY**

mmkt - 22

*Gloriously alive today*



**ZHAMILYA  
ZAKARINA**

mmkt - 22

*I'm not great  
at yearbook quotes.  
Can I interest you in a  
sarcastic comment?*



**ANEL  
ZHETYBAYEVA**

mmkt - 22

*Если эта проблема  
досталась мне, значит  
мне она и по плечу*



**SHUAKH  
AUYTZHAN**

mafl - 20

*May the good times  
never be forgotten, and  
may good times continue  
to roll*



**ZARINA  
BEKTEMIROVA**

mepm - 21

*Learn, grow and achieve!*



**YULIYA  
LDOKOVA**

mepm - 20

*You are so much more  
capable than you give  
yourself credit for*



**NARGIZ  
NURDILDA**

mepm - 22



**KAMILLA  
AKHMETOVA**

mae - 22

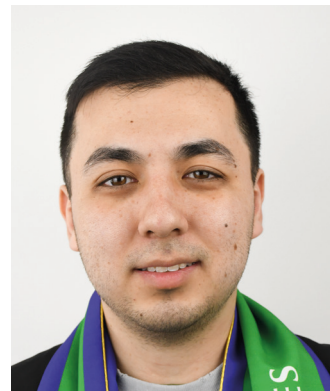
*Be the pilot of your life*



**SANAT  
KOSHEN**

mae - 22

*I'll see you at Circle*



**YERZHAN  
SADYK**

mae - 20

*Bachelor's in Engineering  
done, Master's in Economics  
done, I guess next should be  
Cinematography*



**SALTANAT  
NURGALIYEVA**

maij - 22

*Верь в мечту.  
У неё есть приятная  
особенность – сбываться*



**ZHUMATAY  
ASKARULY**

mir - 20

*If money were not the  
only value we cherish,  
world would have been a  
much better place*



**SABINA  
KOSSYMBAYEVA**

mir - 20

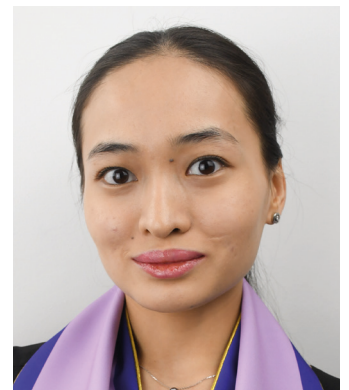
*Everything what is done  
is done for the goodness.  
Whatever doesn't break  
us makes us stronger.*



**GULSHAT  
ROZYEVA**

mir - 22

*Why am I still here?*



**YELMIRA  
KABI**

mllm - 21

*Is there any reward  
for good other than good?*



**ANEL  
RYSPAYEVA**

mllm - 21

*You become what you  
believe in.*



**SVETLANA  
TSOY**

mllm - 21

*Choose a job you love, and  
you will never have to work  
a day in your life*



**MARZHAN  
YES**

mllm - 21

*No*



**SHAKMARAN  
ZHOLDASKALI**

mllm - 21

*If something doesn't grow,  
it rots*

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**TEMIRLAN  
BIMAN**

bacta - 17

**EDUARD  
KHVAN**

bacta - 18

**ABAY  
TABYNAY**

bfin - 20

**ABZAL  
YELEU**

bfin - 18

**ARUZHAN  
NURTAIKYZY**

bisb - 18

**ADELIYA  
PASTUKHOVA**

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**ABZAL  
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UTEGULOV**

bmgt - 18

**JUAN  
WOO**

bmgt - 16

**ASSET  
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bmkt - 17

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mba - 19

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mfin - 22

**TOLEGEN  
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**AYIDIDAER  
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mae - 11

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AMARAL MAKIO**  
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**DAVID  
ELAM**  
mir - 21

**CLAIRE IRENE  
FRANCO**  
mir - 20

**TARA IONA  
MATTHEWS**  
mir - 20

**ABIGAIL FRANCES  
SCRIPKA**  
mir - 21

**FARANGIS  
SHARIPOVA**  
mir - 21

**DANIEL COLM  
SIMPSON**  
mir - 21

**OLGA  
DIDENKO**  
mlIm - 21

**ABDUKADYR  
MARATOV**  
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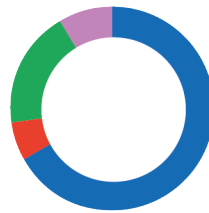
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BMGT	27
BMKT	45
MACTA	15
MBA	24
MFIN	16
MMGT	11
MMKT	11
ExMBA	42

Program	Total
DACTA	2
DFIN	1
DMGT	3
DMKT	2
BACS	1
BAFL	7
BATS	4
MAFL	8
MEPM	6
BIL	19
BLLB	17

Program	Total
BAE	18
BAJ	18
BIR	25
BPMA	5
MAE	9
MAIJ	3
MIR	22
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DAE	1
DPMA	1
MLLM	14



**Total** **510**  
*Bachelors* 311  
*Masters* 189  
*Doctors* 10



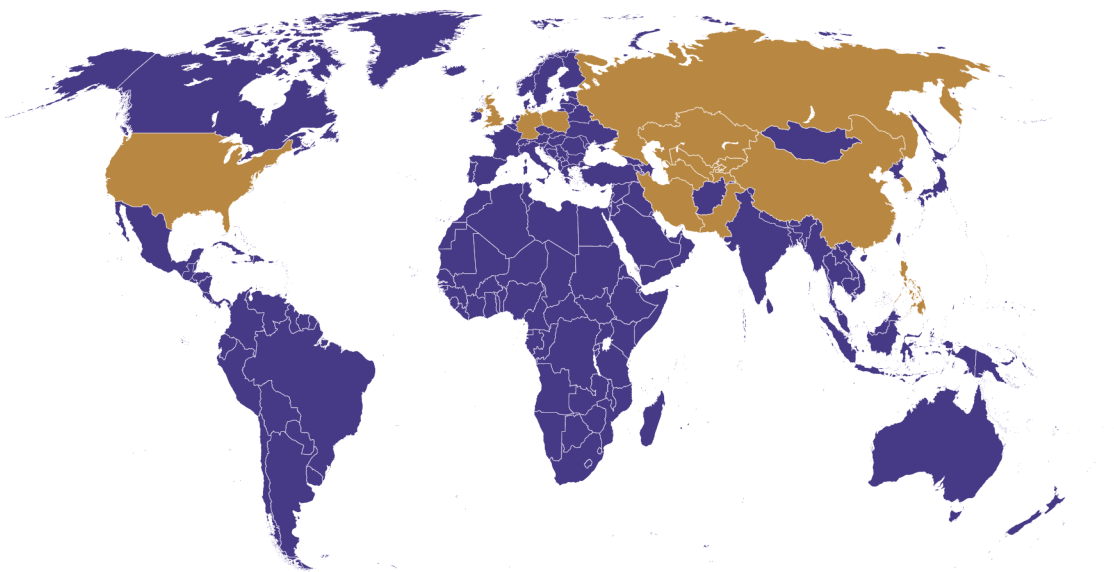
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*CHE* 26  
*CSS* 110  
*SL* 50

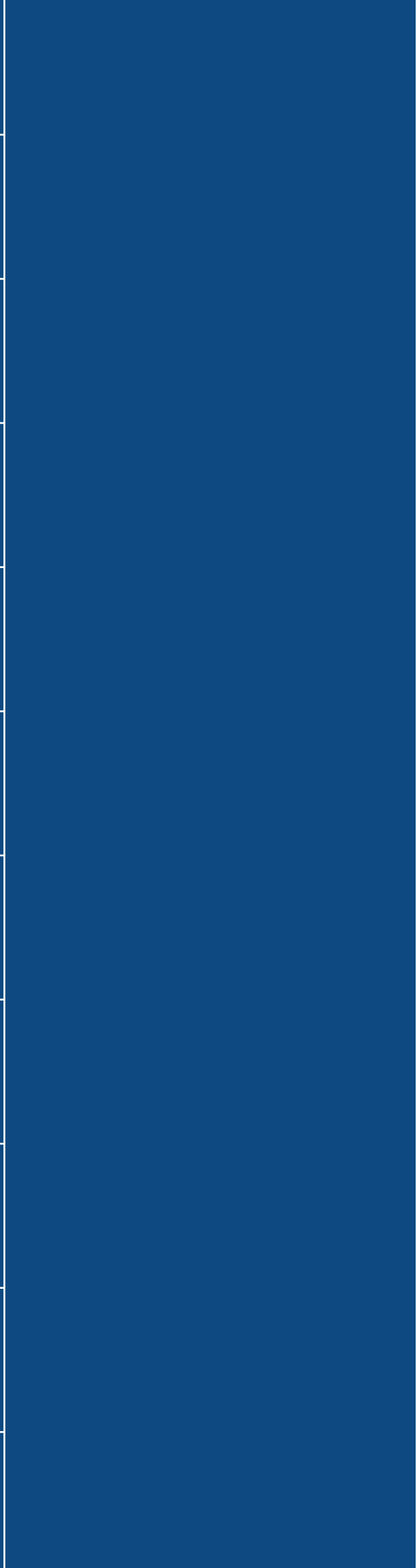
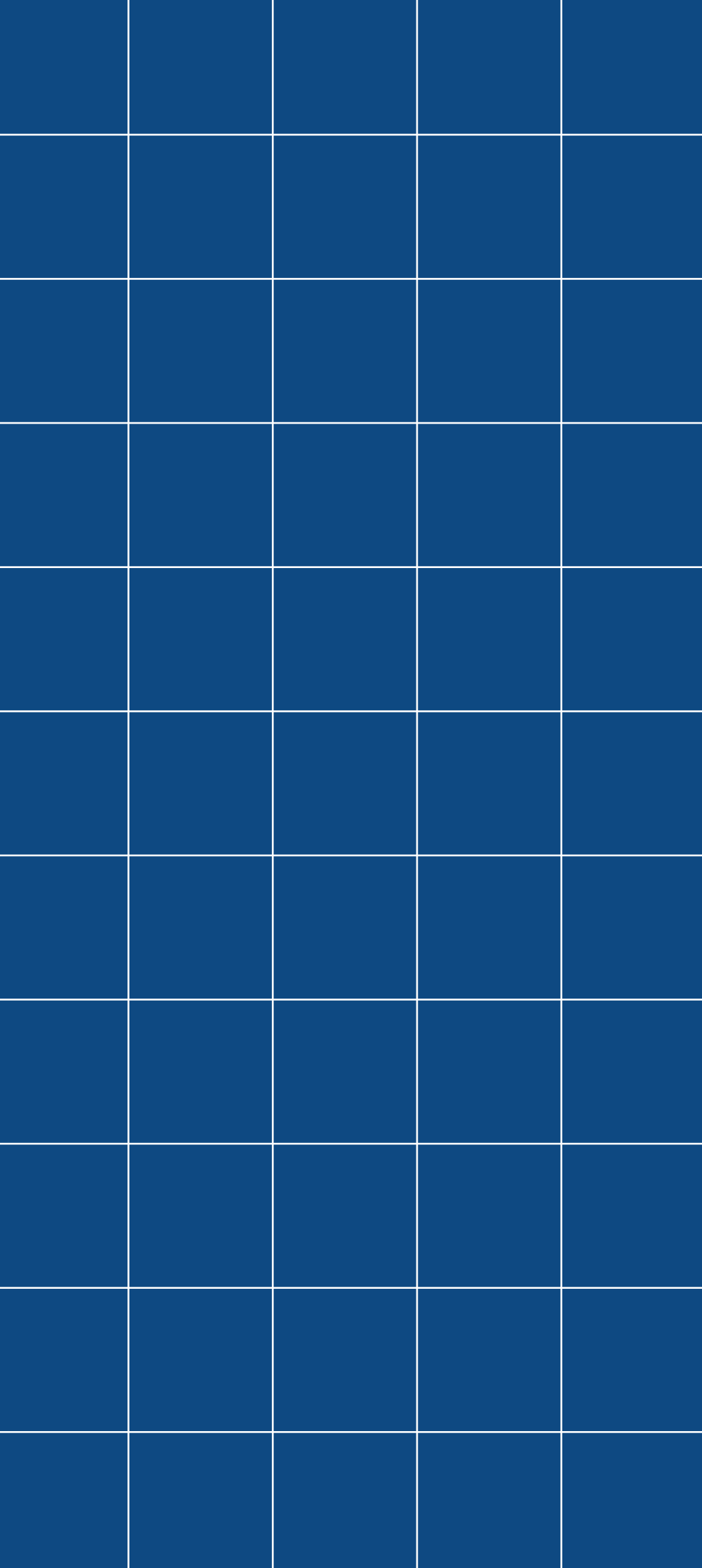


*The oldest graduate age* 67  
*The youngest graduate age* 20



*Cum Laude* 67  
*Magna Cum Laude* 61  
*Summa Cum Laude* 57





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**GRADU-  
ATION**

# ALUMNI COMMUNITY



## CONNECTED | ENGAGED | SUPPORTIVE

Dear Alumni,

When you graduate, you automatically become a member of our network of over 14,000 alumni. We are here to keep you connected with your fellow alumni and the University community. Each KIMEP alumnus is an ambassador of the University in the broader world and a culmination of our great efforts.

KIMEP University is committed to high-quality education – education that changes society, and education that transforms lives. You embody the spirit and diversity of the University. The education and training that you receive at KIMEP serves as the foundation for your future successful careers.

KIMEP University is proud of its alumni network! It includes top executives of both local and international companies, high-level government officials, leaders in the nonprofit sector, and University professors. KIMEP University values its relationship with each alumnus and seeks out meaningful ways to stay engaged with graduates.

There are many benefits that we as an institution are ready to offer, and we are excited about collaborative opportunities to ensure KIMEP’s and Kazakhstan’s continued prosperity and excellence.

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We greatly appreciate your support and feedback. We are always connected and ready to address your questions.

Follow us on Instagram (@Kimep\_alumni\_association) and Facebook to receive updates on possible reunions, meetings and job fairs.

You are welcome to contact our Career&Employment Center to receive information on the vacancies from our partner companies.

We wish you all the best!

***KIMEP encourages you to take advantage of the following services:***

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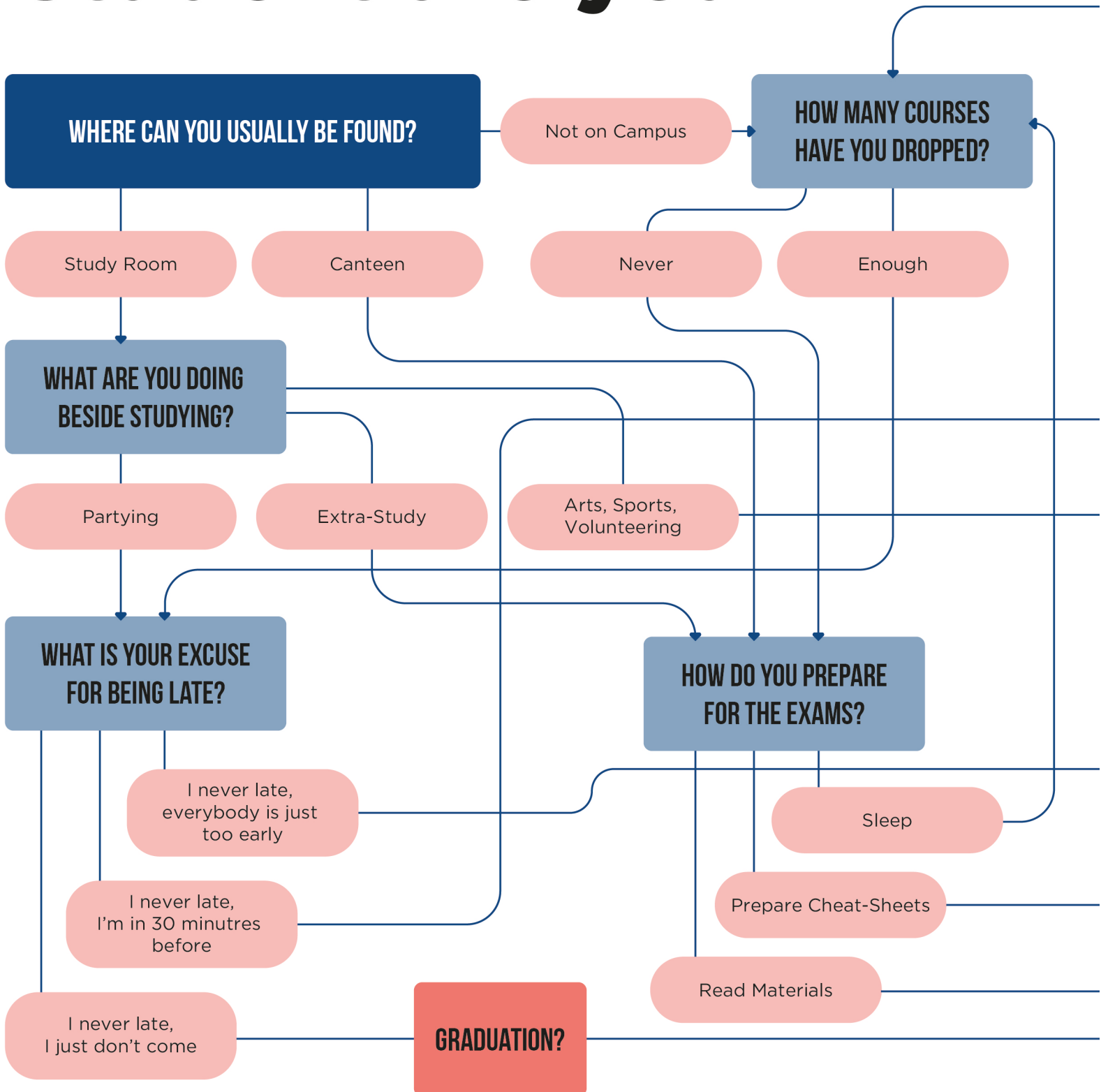
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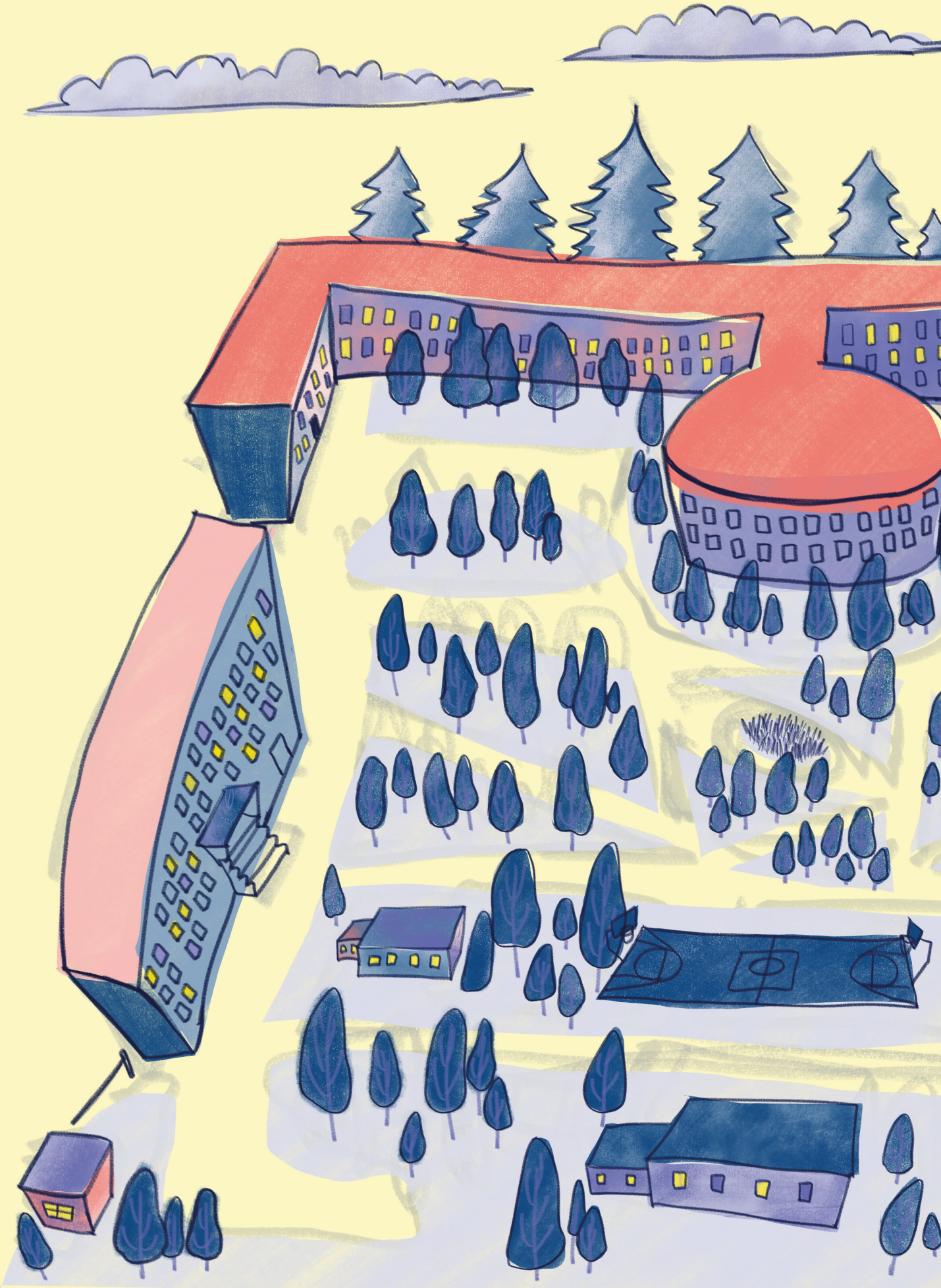
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# What kind of KIMEP Student are you?









FAVORITE COURSE

FAVORITE PROFESSOR

FAVORITE  
PLACE ON CAMPUS

FAVORITE  
STUDENT ORGANIZATION

FAVORITE EVENT

DAILY  
STARBUCKS ORDER

FAVORITE  
TAMAQ DISH

BEST SPOT FOR SLEEP

MY FIRST KIMEP CRUSH



PLACE FOR YOUR  
9x13 PHOTO

**Us in 2023**

**Us in 2033**



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### Ed Wiser

Gave Advice for Freshmen



### Rejected

Asked professor to accept you from the waiting list



### Hunger Games

Attended an event for free food



### Press F

Took an overload



### Moral Support

Was a free-rider in a group project



### Nine & Three Quarters

Was late for Michael Conrad's class



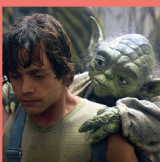
### Volunteer

Worked as an office/teacher assistant



### Latte Grande

Had a morning cup of coffee at Starbucks or CoffeeTop



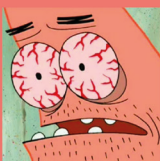
### #SELFIE

Took a picture with Dr. Bang



### I'm a Journalism

Had been published in KIMEP Times



### Catch the worm

Woke up early to register first



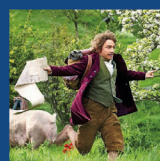
### Hedgehog in the Fog

Got lost on campus



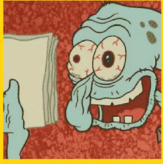
### Svobodnaya kassa!

Graduated from KIMEP University



### Around The World

Went for Exchange



### Gone in 60 seconds

Submitted an assignment less than 1 minute before the deadline



### MayoChup

Lived in Dormitory



### So Close, but So Far

Missed exam because studied all night long



### Survey Monkey

Asked everyone you ever met to participate in your research



### Party Animal

Went to the party right before the exam



### Persuasive Speech

Came to appeal and asked the professor to round your 49.5 points to 90



### The Chosen One

Got a parking lot



### Runglish

Mixed languages in speech



### Babylon Tower

Made friends with international students



### You Shall Not Pass

Lost your Student ID card



### Paparazzi

Was photographed for KIMEP promo materials



### Thank You, next

Dropped the class



### Limited Edition

Brought a friend from another university to demonstrate the greatness of KIMEP



### Community

Joined student organization







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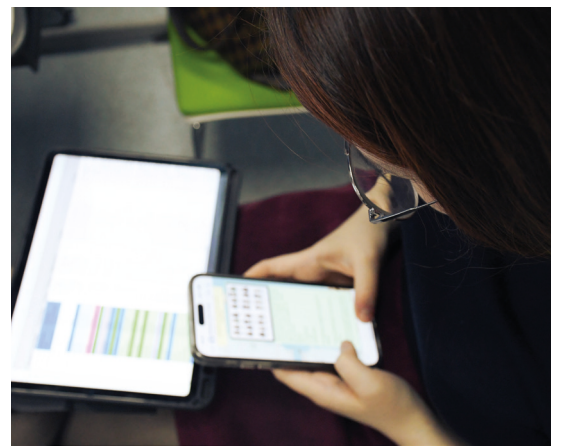
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Dear Graduate Student,

We hope that this Yearbook will become a collection of great memories and moments, which will follow you during the next steps of your post-graduate life. During these four months, we had the enormous pleasure and only warm feelings after searching for all the photos, memories, references, and ideas, which we then put together into this beautiful puzzle.

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