



on the occasion of the 85th al-Farabi Kazakh National University

Congratulation Letter

Dear Rector, Honored Guests, Distinguished Colleagues, Ladies and Gentlemen:

May I begin by expressing my heartfelt congratulations to the Rector and everyone present here and having relation to the University on the occasion of the anniversary.

For an individual, 85 years marks the time when life begins to slow down, in its various manifestations. But what is 85 years for the university? It is just the beginning of youth era! And the history of al-Farabi Kazakh National University development is yet another proof of that.

Along with me, many European researchers and university top managers, are impressed by the active growth and development of your institution. Al-Farabi Kazakh National University is already one of the most prestigious institution of higher learning in Kazakhstan, and is also recognized internationally as one of the foremost centers of academic excellence in Central Asia.

Graduates of your university can be found at the highest leadership positions in every sector of Kazakh economy and society -- in the public sector, in corporate boardrooms, in the most advanced research centers.

Yet another proof of the university's intensive development is how wisely Al-Farabi Kazakh National University invests in the upbuilding of faculties, well-balanced curriculum development and various innovations in the fields of professional education.

Managing an actively developing university of an enormous size is a challenging task, not many top managers would be capable to cope with. The Al-Farabi Kazakh National University has been fortunate to enjoy the truly visionary leadership of its Rector, professor and academician Mutanov Galimkair Mutanovich.

Finishing my congratulations, I would like to emphasize that internationalization and global vision today are the most important features in the development of universities, in both Asia and Europe.

On behalf of Rzeszów University of Technology that I am representing here today, I would like to express hopes that our institutions will continue working together to expand avenues for faculty development and student exchange as well as collaborative research.

Once again, my very best wishes for continued success at the Al-Farabi Kazakh National University. I look forward to returning to your campus for the 100th anniversary.

Thank you for the invitation and your attention today!

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