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## PROGRAM

of International Scientific and Practical Conference  
**«The New Silk Road: Shared Prosperity through Cooperation»**  
24-25 September, 2019

**Almaty**

- Organizers:** Al-Farabi Kazakh National University, International Research Center «One Belt One Road»  
 Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Faculty of Business – Belt and Road Centre
- Conference venue:** Almaty, Al-Farabi ave. 71, Scientific Library, KazNU, Hall No. 409.
- Conference working languages:** Kazakh, Russian, English
- Regulations:** Speeches – 10-15 min.  
 Discussion – 5 min.

<b>September 24</b>	
9:30-10:30	Campus Tour Participants' Registration
10:30-12:15	<b>International Conference and Plenary Opening Session</b> <i>Moderator: M.M. Burkitbaev.</i>
	Welcoming Address by <b>Mukhambetkali Burkitbayev</b> , the First Vice-Rector of al-Farabi KazNU Kazakh National University.
	Welcoming address by the Consul for Education and Science of the Consulate General of the People's Republic of China in Almaty.
	Welcoming address by <b>Prof. Agnes Cheng</b> , Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Hong Kong SAR, China.
	<b>Keynote Speech, Prof. Xinpeng Xu</b> , Director, FB-Belt and Road Centre, Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Hong Kong SAR, China. <i>«Infrastructure, Global Value Chain Participation and Economic Development for BRI Economies».</i>
	<b>Keynote Speech, Prof. Fatima Kukeyeva</b> , Professor, Department of International Relations, KazNU. <i>«Kazakhstan and China Humanitarian Cooperation in BRI».</i>
	Discussion
12:15-12:30	Closing Remarks by Mukhambetkaly Burkitbayev, First Vice-Rector of Al-Farabi KazNU. Group Photo
12:30-14:00	Lunch Break

14:00-17:30	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Session 1 Economics and Business</b> <i>Moderator: Prof. Xinpeng Xu</i></p>
	<p><b>Dr. Marek Hrubec</b>, Director, Centre of Global Studies Czech Academy of Sciences, Czech Republic. <i>«Strategic Enlargement of the New Silk Road in Europe: The Case of 17+1 and the Mediterranean Sea».</i></p>
	<p><b>Dr. Wenquan Yin</b>, Director, Institute of Economic System and Management, National Development and Reform Commission, Beijing, China. <i>«Project Financing in Third Party Market Cooperation».</i></p>
	<p><b>Mr. Vasily Korolev</b>, General Director of the Project Logistic Center, TransAl Freight Company, Kazakhstan. <i>«Technologies corridors, as the fifth element for BRI and the challenge for Central Asia. Look from Kazakhstan».</i></p>
	<p>Representative of the Kazakhstan Institute of Management, Economics and Strategic Research (KIMEP University).</p>
	<p><b>Dr. Gordon Lam</b>, Managing Director, Sino future Group Limited, Hong Kong SAR, China. <i>«Opportunities with China through Hong Kong».</i></p>
	<p><b>Dr. Aida Myrzakhmetova</b>, Associate Professor, Department of International Relations, KazNU. <i>«Kazakhstan and China trade and economic cooperation in BRI».</i></p>
	<p><b>Prof. Yann Alix</b>, Professor, Le Havre University, France. <i>«From the New Arctic Port Range to the Kazakhstan Logistics Crossroad: perspective about the future Eurasian Trade Pattern».</i></p>
	<p>Discussion</p>
17:30-18:00	<p>Concluding Remarks</p>
<p><b>September 25</b></p>	
10:00-12:00	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Section 2 - Politics, Culture and International Relations</b> <i>Moderator: Jildiz Nicharapova</i></p>
	<p><b>Dr. Sultan Akimbekov</b>, Director of Asian Studies Research Institute <i>«Transport corridors of Central Asia»</i></p>
	<p><b>Dr. Jildiz Nicharapova</b>, Head of Research Office, Associate Professor, Department of International and Comparative Politics, American University of Central Asia (Kyrgyzstan). <i>«China and Kyrgyzstan: cooperation within BRI».</i></p>
	<p><b>Dr. Rustam Burnashev</b>, independent expert (Uzbekistan). <i>«The BRI effect on Central Asia Regionalization: Position of Uzbekistan»</i></p>

	<p><b>Mr. Dauren Dyusebaev</b>, Director of the International Research Center «One Belt - One Road», KazNU.  <i>«BRI: Prospects of Cooperation between Kazakhstan and China in the Field of Science and Education».</i></p>
	<p><b>Mr. Asset Ordabayev</b>, PhD student KazNU.  <i>«BRI projects in Kazakhstan, Risks and Implementation Prospects».</i></p>
	<p><b>Prof. Kuralay Baizakova</b>, Professor of International Relations Department, KazNU.  <i>«BRI Implementation: Geopolitical Implications for Kazakhstan».</i></p>
	Discussion
12:00-12:30	Concluding Remarks
12:30-14:30	<b>Lunch Break</b>
14:30-17:30	<b>Section 3: Company Visits</b>
<b>September 26</b>	
9:30-16:30	Local Culture Visit