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### **Annual Specialized Training Plan on Environmental and Social Aspects of Sustainable Development**

Kazakh National Agrarian Research University (KazNARU), 2024–2025

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1	Introduction to Sustainable Development: Global and Local Challenges	Seminar	First- and second-year students, new employees	Sept. 24	International Institute for Green and Sustainable Development
2	Startup and Sustainable Development Course (in collaboration with the University of Nebraska-Lincoln)	Workshop	Students, MBA graduates, researchers, businesspeople	Oct. 1-30	International Institute for Green and Sustainable Development, EMBA Program
3	Practices of Eco-Friendly Agriculture	Workshop	Agricultural specialists, faculty, graduate students	Oct. 24	Faculty of Agrobiology, invited experts
4	Green Week	Series of Events	Students, graduate students, faculty	Nov. 24	International Office, foreign partners, UN representatives, business representatives
5	Round Table: Corporate Social Responsibility in the Agricultural Sector	Discussion	Business partners, faculty, senior students	Nov. 24	International Institute for Green and Sustainable Development, business representatives

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6	Energy-Efficient Technologies in the Agro-Sector	Masterclass	Students in technical and agricultural fields	Dec. 24	Faculty of Engineering Technologies, invited experts
7	Course on Sustainable Development and ESG (Environmental, Social, Governance)	Workshop	Students, researchers, businesspeople	Jan. 27 - Feb. 7	International Institute for Green and Sustainable Development
8	Environmental Law and Regulation in Kazakhstan	Seminar	Legal specialists, graduate students, faculty	Feb. 25	Higher School of Business and Law, government agencies
9	Water Resources and Their Rational Use	Workshop	Students, researchers, farmers	Mar. 25	Faculty of Water Resources and IT Technologies, international partners
10	Sustainability Week	Series of Events	Students, graduate students, faculty	Apr. 28	International Office, foreign partners, UN representatives, business representatives
11	Social Aspects of Sustainable Development in Rural Regions	Panel Discussion	Sociologists, economists, NGO representatives	Apr. 25	Department of Economics and Management, UN representatives, government agencies
12	Environmental Management and Certification	Masterclass	Students, agribusiness professionals	May. 25	Environmental certification experts, business partners
13	Course on Startups and Business Incubators for Sustainable Development (in collaboration with the University of Nebraska-Lincoln)	Workshop	Graduate students, doctoral students, young researchers, MBA graduates, businesspeople	June 2-15	International Institute for Green and Sustainable Development, EMBA Program

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14	Summer School on Climate Change and Adaptation in Agriculture	Training Course	Graduate students, doctoral students, young researchers	June 2-15	Faculties
15	Urban Farming and Vertical Greening	Workshop	Open to all	Sept. 25	International Institute for Green and Sustainable Development
16	Circular Economy and Waste Recycling	Masterclass	Businesspeople, students, environmentalists	Oct. 25	International Institute for Green and Sustainable Development
17	Final Forum “Sustainable Development and Agro-Innovations”	Conference	All participants, partners, government agencies	Dec. 25	University leadership, international partners

### **Goals and Objectives:**

- Increase awareness among students and university staff about sustainable development principles, environmental issues, and social responsibility.
- Develop skills for implementing sustainable development principles in practical activities.
- Promote the integration of a sustainable approach into the university’s educational and scientific processes.

This plan aims to establish a system of regular training for students and staff at the Kazakh National Agrarian Research University in the field of sustainable development. It will enhance awareness of environmental and social aspects and embed these principles into the educational process and daily university activities, ensuring long-term sustainability and development for both the university and the region.

The results of the events will be published on the university’s official platforms to inform a wider audience about the achievements.