

PURDUE UNIVERSITY

Quick Facts	
Location (city, state): West Lafayette, IN	Website: www.purdue.edu
Undergraduate student enrollment: 39,170	Public/Private: Public
Graduate student enrollment: 12,136	Type of Institution: R1

Institutional Description (limit 250 words):

Purdue University is a public research institution demonstrating excellence at scale. Ranked among top 10 public universities and with two colleges in the top four in the United States, Purdue discovers and disseminates knowledge with a quality and at a scale second to none. More than 105,000 students study at Purdue across modalities and locations, including nearly 50,000 in person on the West Lafayette campus. Committed to affordability and accessibility, Purdue's main campus has frozen tuition 13 years in a row. See how Purdue never stops in the persistent pursuit of the next giant leap — including its first comprehensive urban campus in Indianapolis, the new Mitchell E. Daniels, Jr. School of Business, and Purdue Computes — at https://www.purdue.edu/president/strategic-initiatives.

Partnership Information

Possible Academic Areas of Collaboration:

Agriculture, Engineering, Health and Human Sciences, Liberal Arts, Pharmacy, Polytechnic, Science, Veterinary Medicine

Institutional Strengths:

Purdue is recognized for academic excellence, meaningful research, and graduate achievement. Our students and alumni enjoy a global network of leaders in business, healthcare, science, technology, education, the arts, agriculture, communication, politics and much more.

Through Purdue's current Strategic Initiatives, Purdue is committed to building a better world — together. In pursuit of this commitment, the following initiatives were created to guide our everyday efforts and play a key role in defining our immediate future as a university — providing practical solutions to today's toughest challenges.

- Purdue University in Indianapolis
- Purdue Computes
- Mitchell E. Daniels, Jr. School of Business
- <u>Purdue@DC</u>
- Purdue Online Learning 2.0
- Purdue Innovates

With a history of global programs and partnerships beginning over 50 years ago in the College of Agriculture, Purdue has consistently expanded global partnerships and opportunities around the world. With partners in every corner of the globe, all academic colleges at Purdue strive to identify potential partnership opportunities around the world, developing opportunities for students, faculty, and staff across the university. According to the 2023 Open Doors Report by the Institute of International Education, Purdue is #8 in the country for total international students.

Partnership Interests: (e.g., faculty exchanges, student exchange, dual degrees, joint research, distance learning, etc.) - Faculty collaboration, capacity building, student mobility, visiting scholar programs, collaborative research

Interest in Partnership: Why are you interested in partnering with a U.S./Kazakh institution? What do you hope to gain from such a partnership?

As one of the most international institutions in the United States, consistently ranked in the top 10 in the Open Doors report, Purdue is committed to comprehensive internationalization in all three pillars of its land-grant mission. Through its numerous global initiatives, Purdue has supported ground-breaking research, novel student mobility programs, and a collaborative international community on campus.

Through this consortium, Purdue intends to continue expanding its institutional partnerships to a new country, with which it has had minimal collaborations in the past. Purdue's new major research thrust, "Purdue Computes," encompasses a significant investment in Purdue's computing faculty, Institute of Physical AI, and the expansion of semiconductor facilities, including the Semiconductors@Purdue initiative with the first comprehensive semiconductor degrees programs in the US. This consortium will be an opportunity to identify new partners in these areas while simultaneously identifying opportunities for student mobility programs and faculty collaborations at all academic levels with universities in Kazakhstan, especially within the College of Agriculture as well.

In the past, Purdue has also had interactions with Kazakhstan regarding the Bolashaq program, and we are interested in learning more about how these types of programs can contribute to increased collaboration between Purdue and Kazakhstan.

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