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AL-FARABI KAZAKH NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

IV INTERNATIONAL FARABI FORUM
dedicated for the 1155-anniversary of Abu Nasr al-Farabi

"AL-FARABI'S LEGACY TO THE HISTORY OF MANKIND"
International Scientific and Practical Conference
Almaty, April 2-3, 2025

INVITATION LETTER

Dear colleagues!

We are pleased to invite you to the international scientific and practical conference to explore "**AL-FARABI'S LEGACY TO THE HISTORY OF MANKIND**" to be held within the framework of the **IV INTERNATIONAL FARABI FORUM**. The conference will take place at Al-Farabi Kazakh National University on April 2-3, 2025.

Abu Nasr Muhammad ibn Muhammad ibn Tarkhan ibn Uzlag al-Farabi at-Turki (870-950), a great thinker and philosopher-encyclopedist occupies a special place in the history of world science and culture, including the culture of the peoples of Central Asia, Kazakhstan and the East.

The main goal of the International Farabi forum is to explain the spiritual, historical, and philosophical foundations of the development of modern society through the rich heritage of al-Farabi, to unite domestic and foreign scholars engaged in the study of his legacy, and to create a new platform for dialogue and cooperation among leading scholars of the world.

Forum participants shall discuss a wide range of topical issues related to the integration of science and education, to improving the spiritual, moral and personal culture of modern society. The sections will consider issues about al-Farabi legacy and current problems of Farabiology, a virtuous person problem in Turkish scientists heritage and other topical issues in social and humanitarian science. In forum the study shall be devoted for al-Farabi philosophy and Kazakh people spiritual heritage, and shall identify various discourse forms in the field of spirituality research.

As part of the forum, **the II meeting of Kazakh Committee under Turkic Peoples Philosophers, as well as presentation of the 1-5 volumes of "Farabitanu" multi-volume publication will take place.**

Activities within the International Farabi Forum:

- Al-Farabi's role in Cultural Dialogue;
- Al-Farabi and Abai: harmony in spiritual heritage;
- Al-Farabi and modernity: society, ethics and science;
- Al-Farabi and Islamic philosophy: traditions and innovation;
- Intellectual and spiritual development of the Turkic world: role and significance of al-Farabi.

Within the framework of the forum, the following conferences and discussion platforms will operate, as well as competitions will be held:

- I International Scientific Conference: "The Phenomenon of Civilization: The Heritage of Al-Farabi and Turkic Scholars";
- II Discussion Platform: "The Role of al-Farabi in the Formation of Philosophical Terminology: The Language of Philosophy";
- III Discussion Platform: "Al-Farabi and Psychological Science: Discourse in the Works of K.B. Zharikbaev and Contemporary Scholars";
- IV Discussion Platform: "Relevance of Political Ideas proposed by al-Farabi in Modern Society";
- V Discussion platform "Sociological Prospects of Al-Farabi's Spiritual Heritage";
- VI Discussion platform: "The Legacy of Al-Farabi and New Management Models in Education";
- VII Discussion platform: "The Contribution of Medieval Islamic Thinkers to World Civilization";
- VIII Discussion platform: "Religion and Social Life: Issues and Perspectives";
- IX Discussion platform: "Current Issues of Religious Studies Education in Kazakhstan";
- X Discussion platform: "Thinkers of the Kazakh Steppes - Arabic Sources in World Archives";
- XI Discussion platform: "Illogical constructions in texts and directions for language reconstruction: analyses based on linguistic philosophy";
- XII The platform: "Spiritual Conversation" to be operated by the Small Farabi Academy to discuss "Al-Farabi and the Philosophy of Kazakhstan Development";
- XIII Discussion platform to be operated by Al-Farabi gymnasium in Karaganda to discuss "Means for educating modern young generation through the values of Al-Farabi's heritage";
- XIV «Pedagogical ideas and national values in the legacy of Professor A. Sembaev»;
- XV Discussion platform: "The connection between science and religion in Islam";
- XVI Discussion platform: "Socio-psychological aspects of religious destructivism";
- XVII Essay competition: "Reflections on the meaning of life";
- XVIII Video competition: "Relevance of Kazakh philosophy";
- XIX Republican competition: "Best scientific project" to be conducted among students of secondary schools and vocational colleges in the Republic of Kazakhstan;
- XX Al-Farabi's position in the development of theoretical and scientific wisdom.

To participate in the conference, please send an application and the text of the article in the proposed format.

ORGANIZERS: Department of Philosophy and Department of Religious and Cultural Studies, Department of Political Science and Political Technologies, Department of Sociology and Social Work, Department of Pedagogy and Educational Management, Department of General and Applied Psychology under the Faculty of Philosophy in Al-Farabi Kazakh National University, as well as Al-Farabi Center and Kazakh Committee of Turkic Peoples Philosophers.

WORKING LANGUAGES: Kazakh, Russian, English, Turkic languages.

FORMAT: mixed (offline and online with broadcasting on YouTube)

CONFERENCE IDENTIFIER:

DATE AND TIME: April 2-3, 2025

VENUE: Almaty, 71/27 al-Farabi Ave, Al-Farabi Kazakh National University, Al-Farabi Scientific Library, Hall 409.

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PLEASE CONFIRM YOUR PARTICIPATION IN THE INTERNATIONAL FARABI FORUM BY MARCH 20, 2025, AND SEND THE ARTICLE TO MENTIONED ABOVE EMAIL BY MARCH 25, 2025.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ARTICLE DESIGN

The volume of the article is from 5 to 8 pages, articles are accepted in MS WORD formats *.doc, *.rtf. The file name must match the surname and first name of the first author.

The font of the text is "Times New Roman", size 14. Margins: top – 2 cm, bottom – 2 cm, left – 2 cm, right – 2 cm. Line spacing – 1. **TITLE OF THE ARTICLE** is centered, in bold font, with spacing, followed by on the right – **the author's last name and first name**, *academic degree, title, name of the organization, city, country*. In the article, references are formatted as: (Akmetov, 1991: 256). **LIST OF SOURCES USED** is indicated at the end of the article. A period is placed after the reference in parentheses. For formatting tables, MS WORD is used. The article is to be checked for plagiarism.

The conference materials will be published in PDF format. The publication of the article is free.

APPENDIX 1

REGISTRATION FORM

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First Name

Middle name

Academic degree, position

Workplace (country, full name of the organization, department)

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Section to participate in

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