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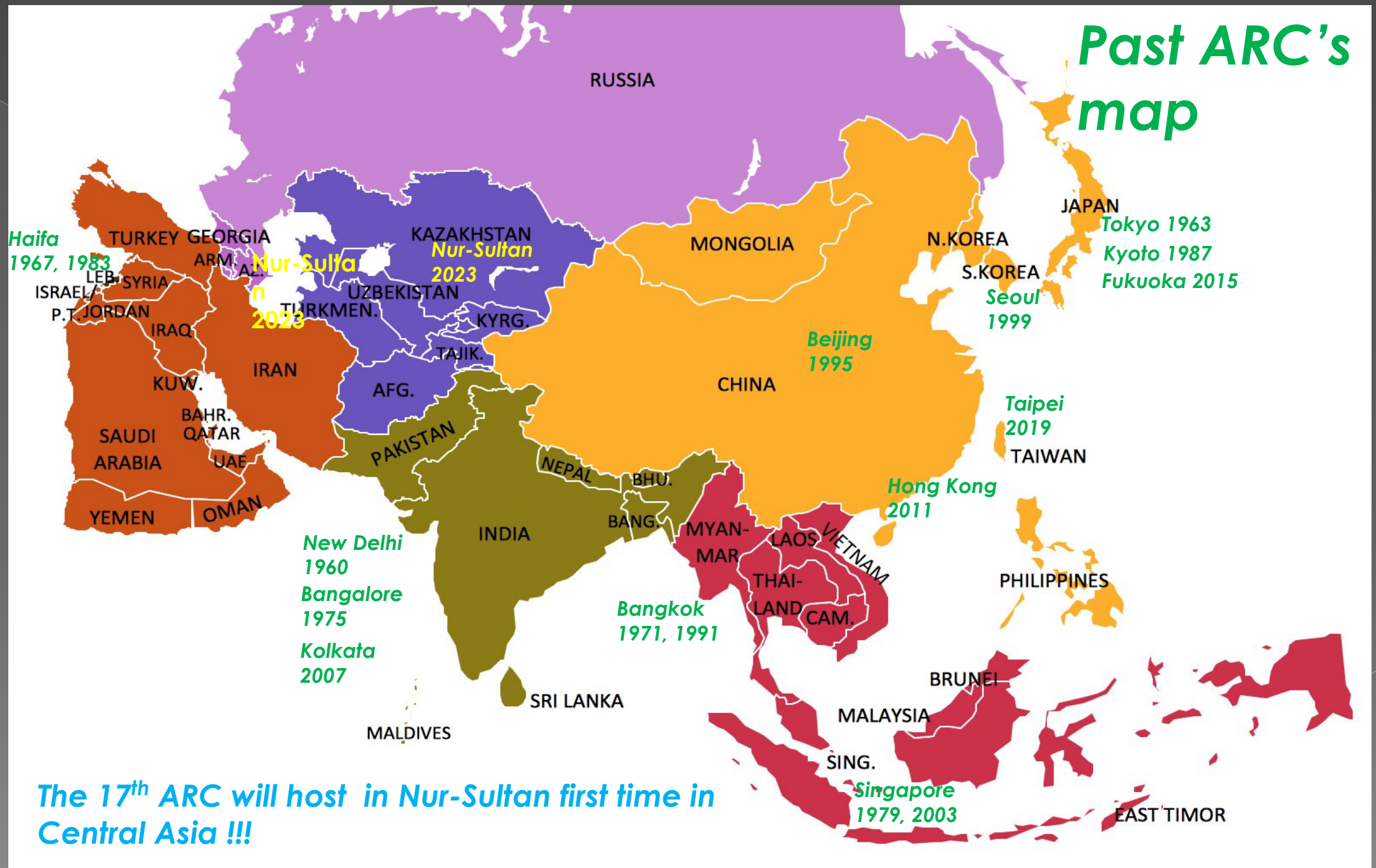
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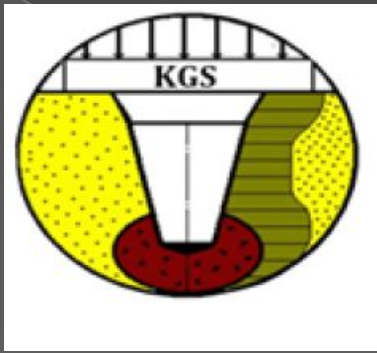
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# Past ARC's map



The 17<sup>th</sup> ARC will host in Nur-Sultan first time in Central Asia !!!



# CONFERENCE INFORMATION

## ✓ Introduction

- ✓ **Proposed Host Organization:** Kazakhstan Geotechnical Society (KGS)

More than 100 active members.

**KGS reached the experience** in hosting of **local seminars, workshops and international conferences** (including the 1<sup>th</sup>, 2<sup>th</sup>, 3<sup>th</sup> Central Asian Geotechnical Conferences , 8 AYGEC, etc.)

- ✓ **Proposed Congress President:**

Prof. Askar Zhussupbekov (L.N. Gumilyov ENU, President of KGS)

- ✓ **Proposed Congress Dates:**

August 14-18 (Monday-Friday), 2023

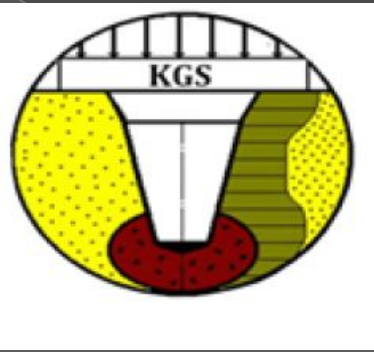
- ✓ **Proposed Congress Venue:**

EXPO Congress Hall, Nur-Sultan city, Kazakhstan



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# CONFERENCE INFORMATION

## Main Theme

# Smart Geotechnics for Smart Societies

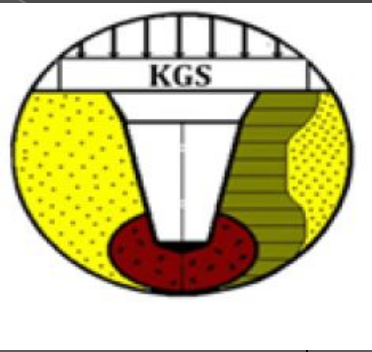
## Subjects

- (1) Soil characteristic and properties
- (2) Underground space and deep excavations
- (3) Tunneling
- (4) Slope, debris flow and embankment
- (5) Dam
- (6) Shallow and deep foundation
- (7) Soil dynamics and geotechnical earthquake Engineering
- (8) Soil improvement
- (9) Geoenvironmental engineering
- (10) Geotechnical reliability, risk assessment and management



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# ABOUT VENUE

## EXPO Congress Hall



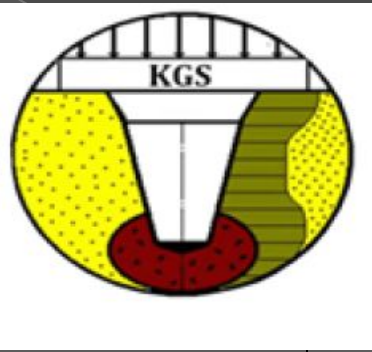
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- ✓ **Area**
  - 43 220 m<sup>2</sup>
  - 3 floors above the ground, as well as underground Parking for 179 m/place
- ✓ **Height**
  - 29 m
- ✓ **Main hall** with a total area of 2,659 m<sup>2</sup> is designed for 2,214 people (including telescopic stands for 1,610 seats, mobile seats for 492 seats and seats for persons with disabilities – 22 seats), 4 conference halls (each hall with an area of 700 m<sup>2</sup>)



The building is located in the area of EXPO-2017 exhibition complex and has a unique design of transparent roof



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## EXPO Congress Hall



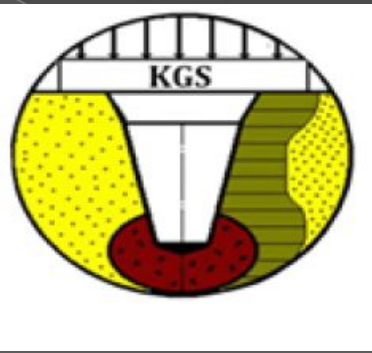
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### ✓ Conference Rooms

- are equipped with furniture and basic technical equipment(acoustic and lighting systems, mobile video screens, mobile podiums for the Presidium and LDP projectors). Total capacity of each hall is 400 – 600 people
- ceiling height is 5.2 m on the ground floor and 3.8 m on the second floor.
- VIP-hall "Aspan" (area 776 m<sup>2</sup>) with a bar and a panoramic balcony for official receptions





# CONFERENCE INFORMATION

✓ **Technical**



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Time/Date	13 August Sunday	14 August Monday	15 August Tuesday	16 August Wednesday	17 August Thursday	18 August Friday
08:30-09:00	Assembling of Exhibition	Opening				<b>Technical Tours</b>
09:00-09:30		Keynote I	Keynote III	Keynote V	Keynote VII	
09:30-10:00		Coffee Break				
10:00-10:30		Parallel Sessions	Parallel Sessions	Parallel Sessions	Parallel Sessions	
10:30-11:00		Lunch				
11:00-11:30		Keynote II	Keynote IV	Keynote VI	Keynote VIII	
11:30-12:00		Parallel Sessions	Parallel Sessions	Parallel Sessions	Parallel Sessions	
12:00-14:00		Coffee Break				
14:00-14:30		Parallel Sessions	Council /TC/ATC Meetings	Parallel Sessions	Closing	
14:30-15:00		Parallel Sessions	Parallel Sessions	Parallel Sessions	Parallel Sessions	
15:00-15:30	Registration	Welcome Reception	Council Dinner	Gala Dinner		
15:30-16:00		Exhibition	Exhibition	Exhibition		
16:00-16:30						
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17:00-17:30						
17:30-18:00						
09:00-18:00						



# Technical visit

LRT Project



Bridge in Nur-Sultan



Abu Dhabi Plaza Project



# Social program

Kazakh traditional dance



# *Social program*

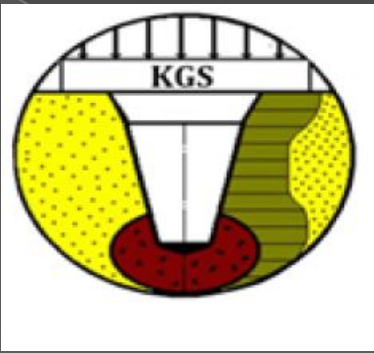
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Hop-on – Hop-off tour in Nur-Sultan



Discover the Nature of Burabay



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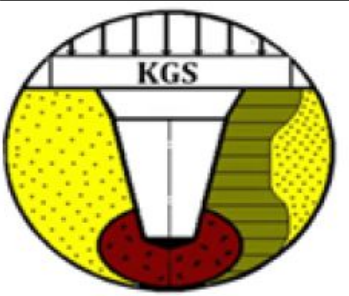
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## ✓ Registration Fee

	Early Bird	Regular	Onsite
ISSMGE Member	US\$ 450	US\$ 500	US\$ 550
Non-ISSMGE Member	US\$ 500	US\$ 550	US\$ 600
Student*	US\$ 200	US\$ 250	US\$ 300
Accompany Person	US\$ 150	US\$ 200	US\$ 200
Banquet	US\$ 100	US\$ 100	US\$ 100

\* A copy of valid student ID card will be needed.





# CONFERENCE INFORMATION

## ✓ Accomodation in Nur-Sultan city

779 hotels in Nur-Sultan (Astana), Kazakhstan with prices from US\$ 40 to more than US\$ 240 and discount rates.

Hotel reservation system features cheap and luxury hotels in Nur-Sultan (Astana), hostels, motels, B&B and other affordable accommodations in Nur-Sultan (Astana).

Booking System is secure and absolutely free of charge.



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### 5\* hotels in Nur-Sultan

Room type	Price per night
Standard	from US\$ 107
Twin/double	from US\$ 107
King	from US\$ 143
Queen	from US\$ 143
Junior Suite	from US\$ 205
Bussiness Suite	from US\$ 241

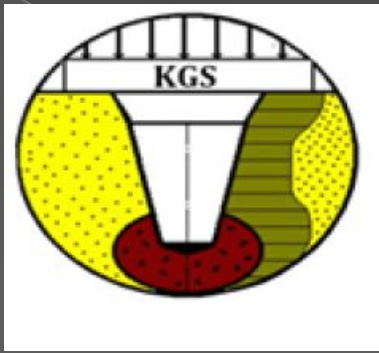
### 4\* hotels in Nur-Sultan

Room type	Price per night
Standard	from US\$ 68
Twin/double	from US\$ 68
King	from US\$ 79
Queen	from US\$ 79
Queen Deluxe	from US\$ 102
King suite	from US\$ 181

### 3\* hotels in Nur-Sultan

Room type	Price per night
Standard	from US\$ 41
Twin/double	from US\$ 41
Premium double or suite	from US\$ 55





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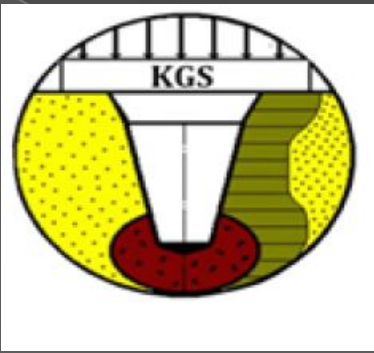


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*Kazakhstan - Global Safety, Dynamics, Hospitality*





# ABOUT KAZAKHSTAN



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## Area

- 2724.9 thousand km<sup>2</sup>  
(9<sup>th</sup> place in the World)

## Population

- 18 million people

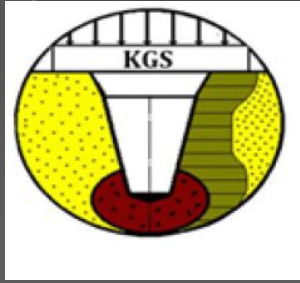
## Capital City

- Nur-Sultan

## Climate

- the climate of Kazakhstan is sharply continental with average temperature between  $+19...+30^{\circ}\text{C}$  in August (Summer)





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## ✓ Economy

- The largest and strongest performing economy in Central Asia
- Buoyed by high world crude oil prices
- Other major exports include wheat, textiles, and livestock
- leading exporter of several mineral resources

## ✓ Language

- State language- Kazakh language
- Official language- Russian language
- International language- English language

## ✓ Food

In the national cuisine, livestock meat can be cooked in a variety of ways and is usually served with a wide assortment of traditional bread products, beshbarmak (horse meat)

Refreshments often include black tea and traditional milk-derived drinks such as ayran (source milk), shubat (camel milk) and kymyz (horse milk)







# About KAZAKHSTAN



*Travel to / from Kazakhstan*



2 international airports:  
Nursultan Nazarbayev airport  
and Almaty airport

2,000+ flights to 75 major cities  
around the world:

from the Nursultan Nazarbayev  
Airport, there are regular flights  
of 6 domestic and 14 foreign  
airlines to 18 domestic  
destinations and 35  
international destinations.

# VISA-FREE ENTRY TO KAZAKHSTAN



## Asian and African countries

Hong Kong	visa-free up to 14 days
Israel	visa-free up to 30 days
Korea	visa-free up to 30 days
Malaysia	visa-free up to 30 days
Mongolia	visa-free up to 90 days
UAE	visa-free up to 30 days
Singapore	visa-free up to 30 days
Turkey	visa-free up to 30 days
Japan	visa-free up to 30 days
Bahrain	visa-free up to 30 days
Vietnam	visa-free up to 30 days
Indonesia	visa-free up to 30 days
Qatar	visa-free up to 30 days
Kuwait	visa-free up to 30 days
Oman	visa-free up to 30 days
Saudi Arabia	visa-free up to 30 days
Thailand	visa-free up to 30 days
Philippines	visa-free up to 30 days

## Countries of Europe and America

Austria	visa-free up to 30 days
Argentina	visa-free up to 30 days
Belgium	visa-free up to 30 days
Bulgaria	visa-free up to 30 days
Brazil	visa-free up to 30 days
Great Britain	visa-free up to 30 days
Hungary	visa-free up to 30 days
Germany	visa-free up to 30 days
Greece	visa-free up to 30 days
Denmark	visa-free up to 30 days
Ireland	visa-free up to 30 days
Iceland	visa-free up to 30 days
Spain	visa-free up to 30 days
Italy	visa-free up to 30 days
Vatican	visa-free up to 30 days
Liechtenstein	visa-free up to 30 days

## Countries of Europe and America

Canada	visa-free up to 30 days
Cyprus	visa-free up to 30 days
Latvia	visa-free up to 30 days
Lithuania	visa-free up to 30 days
Luxembourg	visa-free up to 30 days
Malta	visa-free up to 30 days
Mexico	visa-free up to 30 days
Monaco	visa-free up to 30 days
Netherlands	visa-free up to 30 days
Norway	visa-free up to 30 days
Poland	visa-free up to 30 days
Portugal	visa-free up to 30 days
Romania	visa-free up to 30 days
Serbia	visa-free up to 30 days
Slovakia	visa-free up to 30 days
Slovenia	visa-free up to 30 days
Colombia	visa-free up to 30 days

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USA	visa-free up to 30 days
Finland	visa-free up to 30 days
France	visa-free up to 30 days
Croatia	visa-free up to 30 days
Czech Republic	visa-free up to 30 days
Chile	visa-free up to 30 days
Switzerland	visa-free up to 30 days
Sweden	visa-free up to 30 days
Estonia	visa-free up to 30 days

## Australia and Oceania

Australia	visa-free up to 30 days
New Zealand	visa-free up to 30 days

## CIS countries

Azerbaijan	visa-free up to 30 days
Armenia	visa-free up to 90 days
Belarus	visa-free up to 90 days
Georgia	visa-free up to 90 days
Kyrgyzstan	visa-free up to 90 days
Moldova	visa-free up to 90 days
Russia	visa-free up to 90 days
Tajikistan	visa-free up to 30 days
Uzbekistan	visa-free up to 30 days
Ukraine	visa-free up to 90 days

# Central Asia



You can visit amazing places in Central Asia  
1-1,5 hours distance by plane

Nur-Sultan

Almaty

Bishkek

Tashkent

Samarkand

Ashgabat

Dushanbe

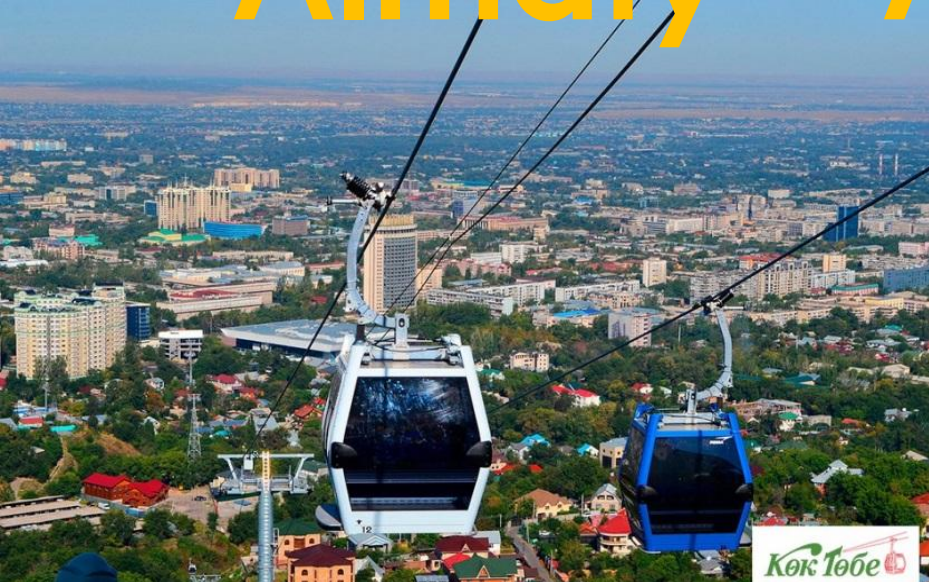
Baku

Tehran

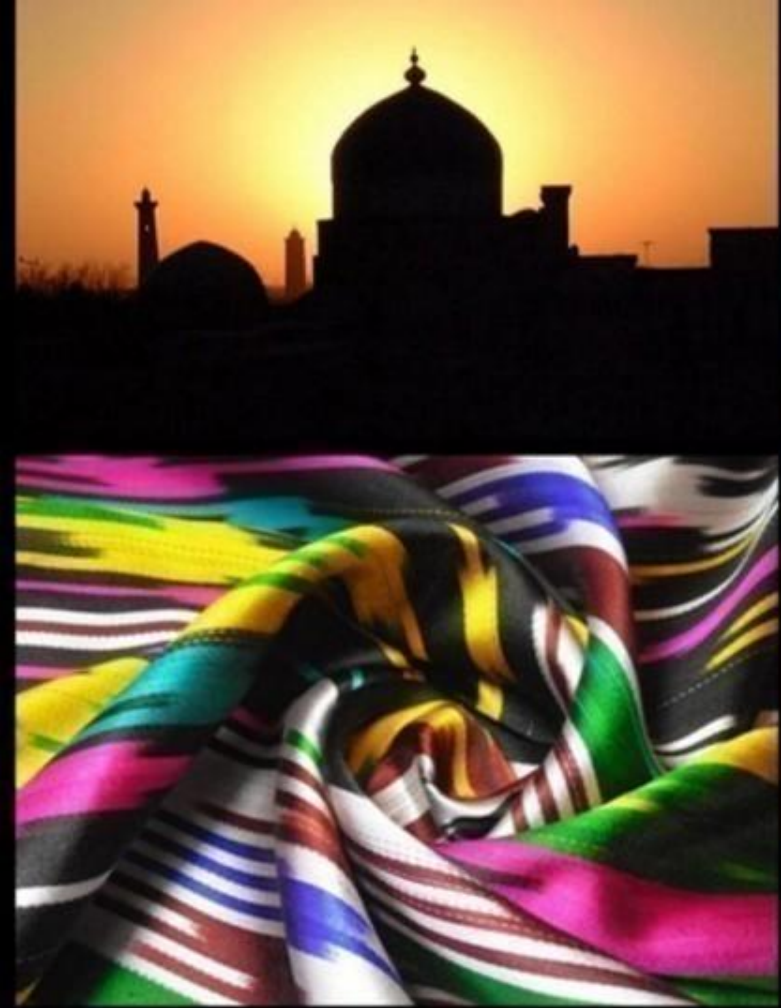
Mashad



# Almaty – Apples' Motherland !



# Uzbekistan



# Kyrgyzstan



# Turkmenistan

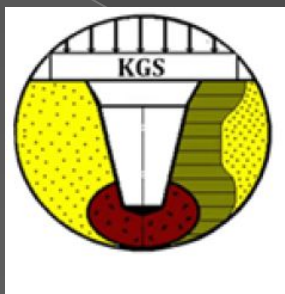




# TADJIKISTAN







# Financial statement



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No.	Item	Budget	%
1	Venue Rent	US\$	18%
2	Equipment Charges	US\$	6%
3	Decorations	US\$	9%
4	Publication & Prints	US\$	11%
5	Web & Systems	US\$	3%
6	Meals & Refreshments	US\$	14%
7	Social Program	US\$	4%
8	Speakers & Guests Arrangements	US\$	15%
9	Staff & Administration Costs	US\$	7%
10	PCO Service Free	US\$	13%
	Total	US\$300000	

Proposal for hosting of the 17ARC

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Country, where more than 120 nationalities live in peace and harmony, and you can touch the history of almost every one of them. A republic with a rich history that keeps the memory of our ancestors



**WELCOME TO KAZAKHSTAN!**

**We sincerely invite all participants in Kazakhstan in 2023 and wish that 17 ARC will be interesting and fruitful !**

**Together we will strength the cooperation and solve challenges in our professional activities for sustainable development of the Asian region !**

**Enjoy our hospitality and friendship!**

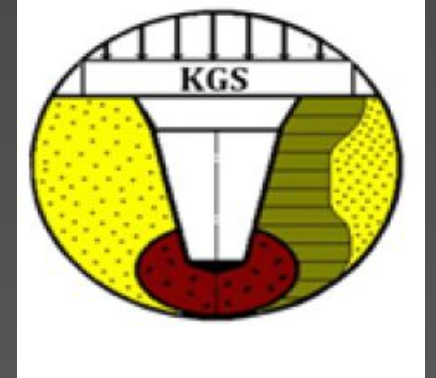


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