#### ABYLAIKHAN SHAIMARDANOV

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#### **EDUCATION**

**2012-2014 University of Kiel**, Germany

MSc Quantitative Finance

**2009-2012 York University**, United Kingdom

**BSc Economics and Mathematics** 

#### **EXPERIENCE**

# January 2020 - present

Executive Office of the President, Public Administration Department, Nur-Sultan

Consultant

- Developing initiatives on carrying out public administration reforms;
- Controlling the execution of orders of the Head of State and the leadership of the Executive Office of the President.

## November 2019 – January 2020

Development Bank of Kazakhstan JSC, Treasury Department, Nur-Sultan

Treasurer

- Trading marketable securities, foreign currency;
- Drawing up recommendations for managing the Bank's liquidity.

#### April 2018 – November 2019

Development Bank of Kazakhstan JSC, Deal structuring and Credit Analysis Department,

Senior Manager

- Evaluating clients' business plans and financial statements in order to determine the degree of credit risk involved;
- Designing cash flow models to assess profitability of projects and loan recoverability;
- Drawing up recommendations on deal structure (incl. suspensive conditions, covenants and payment schedules).

# April 2017 - April 2018

# National Agency for Technological Development JSC, Centre for financial and economic expertise of projects, Nur-Sultan

#### Expert

- Evaluating financial and marketing sides of projects;
- Preparing comprehensive recommendations on financing new projects.

## September 2014 – April 2017

# KPMG, Audit Department, Nur-Sultan

#### Supervisor

- Verifying accuracy and reliability of information presented in financial statements;
- Evaluating the effectiveness of the internal financial control system and developing recommendations on improvement of the business processes;
- Experience of auditing enterprises of various spheres of activity, incl. financial, commercial, energy companies.

### August 2012 – September 2014

# Ak Tas LLP, Department of Economics

#### Manager

- Analyzing the company's performance and market trends to enhance profitability;
- Advising management on economic decisions.

# SKILLS & PERSONAL QUALITIES

Windows, MS Office, Power BI, Bloomberg Terminal; Languages: Kazakh, Russian, English; Strong analytical and interpersonal skills; Initiative, open-minded, team-worker.

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

Machine Learning Courses, The Mohamed bin Zayed University of Artificial Intelligence (January 2021, Abu Dhabi, UAE); Member of the Kazakhstani Presidents' youth personnel reserve; Letter of appreciation from the head of the Executive Office of the President (December 2020);

Awarded multiple times for work results at DBK and KPMG; Bolashak scholarship holder;

In process of becoming ACCA member (passed 11 of 13 papers).