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Key Accomplishments:

- Over 15 years of experience in transport policy field supplemented with private sector expertise
- Author of numerous initiatives to promote trade under the aegis of bilateral and multilateral agencies
- 16 years experience in public sector management and private sector development as senior government official
- Bilateral negotiations on GPS with Government of Czech Republic as Trade Representative of Kyrgyzstan to Czech Republic
- · Country Representative for Lithuanian Achema Group, a 3.7 bln dollar holding, Kyrgyzstan, 2008-2009
- · Ambassador of the Lithuanian Industrialists Confederation in Kyrgyzstan

Education: UNIVERSITY OF ECONOMICS, Prague, Czech Republic

PhD in economics (2000 – 2005) Major: Corporate Governance

KYRGYZ UNIVERSITY OF ARCHITECTURE AND CONSTRUCTION

Diploma and Degree of Highway and Airdrome Engineer (1988-1993)

Experience:

2017 – present HEAD OF THE RAILWAY TRANSPORT DIVISION, EURASIAN ECONOMIC

COMMISSION

Transport Infrastructure Division

Division management, development of policy documents in coordination with Union member-countries aimed at development of unified transport space on the territory of the

Union

Preparation of papers for Commission, Inter Parliament Councils, the Supreme Council

meetings with Heads of State of country-members

2015 – 2016 CONSULTANT, EUROPEAN UNION IN THE KYRGYZ REPUBLIC PROJECT

"TOLL ROADS FOR TRUCKS"

Coordination of meetings with State Agencies Collection and analyses of relevant information

2014 – 2015 ADVISER TO THE PRIME MINISTER OF THE KYRGYZ REPUBLIC

Preparation of documents (Decrees and Orders of the Government, draft laws) for the

Prime Minister

Coordination of works with International organizations

Collaboration with Departments of the Prime Minister Office, overseeing the real sector

of the economy



September 2007 – KYRGYZ NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

September 2010 Acting Professor of the Faculty of Foreign Affairs

Lectures on strategic management and foreign economic policy

March 2009 – December 2009 Consultant of the Confederation of Lithuanian Industrialists in the Kyrgyz Republic

2008-2009 **ACHEMA GROUP**

Country Representative in Kyrgyzstan and Kazakhstan

- Market Research of viability of local goods for potential export to EU
- Investment analysis and transaction support for gas supply to Lithuania from Central Asia

2005-2007 MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS OF THE KYRGYZ REPUBLIC

Deputy Minister

- Developed and supervised implementation of ITC policies, including at the level of legal drafting
- Spearheaded the implementation of national Trade Facilitation Policy at the level of the ministry
- Represented the Government at the international membership organizations (ITU, UPU, TRASECA and others)
- Championed the introduction of e-government across the entire government as well as first time open bid for distribution of 3G mobile frequency
- Led the adoption of legal framework for use of digital signatures in the ITC industry

2003 – 2005 TRADE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE KYRGYZ REPUBLIC IN THE CZECH REPUBLIC

- Led preparation of key agreements between the Governments of the Czech Republic and Kyrgyzstan on economic activity and framework agreement on Generalized System of Preferences
- Initiated technical assistance from the Government of the Czech Republic for the development of transport infrastructure in Kyrgyzstan
- · Developed a modernized blue prints of the railway project Balykchi Kara Keche

2000 – 2005 TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL CHAMBER OF THE KYRGYZ REPUBLIC

Representative of the Chamber in the Czech Republic

- Implemented multimillion trade and investment agreements between the Kyrgyz and Czech Chambers
- Led numerous meetings organized between Kyrgyz and Czech businessmen on investment projects.
- Prepared numerous analysis on Generalized System of Preferences for the Chamber of Commerce exporters

2000 - 2005 UNIVERSITY OF ECONOMICS, Prague, Czech Republic

Lecturer, Faculty of Business Administration

1999 – 2000 Consultant, Centre of Corporate Development under the Prime Minister's Office of the

Kyrgyz Republic, Asian Development Bank

1997 – 2000 OFFICE OF THE PRIME - MINISTER OF THE KYRGYZ REPUBLIC

Head of Economic Sector Department

· Supervised consumer market development

- Developed Trade Policy under WTO Regulations for Kyrgyzstan
- · Improvement of regulatory framework to encourage greater exports

• Expert of Corporate Governance Development, the Implementation Agency of the ADB project on Corporate Governance Development in the Kyrgyz Republic

1996 – 1997 KYRGYZ – RUSSIAN JOINT ENTERPRISE "ERJAN"

Director, Production of consumer commodities

• Established a sewing factory with exports to Russian markets

1993 – 1996 TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL COMPANY "ALTAIR"

Deputy Director/Chief Specialist

• Established trade relations with China and other markets.

Language Skills: Native: Kyrgyz, Russian

Fluent: Czech, Kazakh, Uzbek,

Fair: English

Awards: State Civil Service Adviser (Rank 3 - Major General) Government Awards.

Publications: Author of over dozens of publications on ICT, Corporate Governance and Investments in

Kyrgyzstan in local print and electronic media.

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