

CURRICULUM VITAE

SALTANAT MAKSOTKYZY ABULGAZIEVA

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EDUCATION

- **1996–2005** — Secondary School No. 1, Kyzylzhar.
- **2005–2009** — Kurmangazy Music College, Uralsk, West Kazakhstan Region. Specialization: Drama Theatre Actor.
- **2009–2013** — T. Zhurgenov Kazakh National Academy of Arts. Specialization: Theatre Studies.
- **2014–2016** — T. Zhurgenov Kazakh National Academy of Arts. Degree: Master of Arts in Art Studies.

WORK EXPERIENCE

13 June 2012 – 1 August 2013

Manager, Audience Relations Department, M. Auezov Kazakh State Academic Drama Theatre.

1 August 2013 – 30 January 2014

Manager, Press Service Department, M. Auezov Kazakh State Academic Drama Theatre.

10 September 2013 – 14 May 2015

Head of the Department for Cooperation with Public Organizations, “Elim-ai” LLP of Asanali Ashimov, Almaty, Republic of Kazakhstan (contract-based).

1 February 2014 – 15 June 2015

Manager, Audience Relations Department, M. Auezov Kazakh State Academic Drama Theatre.

15 June 2015 – 28 February 2017

Head of the Press Service Department, M. Auezov Kazakh State Academic Drama Theatre.

1 March 2017 – 25 September 2017

Deputy Director of the Theatre, M. Auezov Kazakh State Academic Drama Theatre.

5 October 2017 – 3 January 2018

Press Secretary, “Qazaqconcert” State Concert Organization.

1 January 2018 – 6 February 2018

Head of the Marketing and Public Relations Department, “Qazaqconcert” State Concert Organization.

7 February 2018 – 1 February 2019

Deputy Director of the Theatre, M. Auezov Kazakh State Academic Drama Theatre.

4 February 2019 – 1 October 2019

Head of the Educational Theatre, T. Zhurgenov Kazakh National Academy of Arts.
Concurrently, Lecturer at the Department of History and Theory of Theatre Arts under an additional contract (4 February 2019 – 29 June 2019).

23 October 2019 – 2 April 2021

Director, Kh. Bukeikhan West Kazakhstan Regional Drama Theatre.

2 April 2021 – 3 February 2026

Director, Regional Chamber Orchestra.

Since 9 February 2026

Artistic Director, “Zhana Gasyr” Theatre under “Almaty Auenderi”.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND AWARDS**2016**

Awarded a commemorative medal dedicated to the 25th Anniversary of the Independence of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

2017

Received a Letter of Appreciation from the Minister of Culture and Sports of the Republic of Kazakhstan for her contribution to the successful organization and delivery of major theatrical events as part of the cultural programme of the EXPO-2017 International Specialized Exhibition, as well as for her contribution to the development of Kazakh theatre arts. These events included:

- The 1st World “Astana” Theatre Festival dedicated to the 80th anniversary of Asanali Ashimov, Hero of Labour of Kazakhstan, People’s Artist of the USSR and Kazakhstan, and State Prize laureate (17–26 June 2017);
- The 4th Republican Festival of National (Ethnic) Theatres of Kazakhstan (8–12 July 2017);
- The 1st Republican Forum-Festival of Young Directors (2–8 September 2017);
- The 25th Republican Festival of Drama Theatres of Kazakhstan dedicated to the 70th anniversary of theatre critic and cultural figure Ashirbek Sygai (9–13 September 2017).

2018

Participated in the organizational work of the 2nd World “Astana” Theatre Festival and received a Letter of Appreciation from the Director of the “Qazaqconcert” State Concert Organization.

2018

Completed a professional exchange internship at the A. P. Chekhov Moscow Art Theatre Museum in Moscow from 1 to 8 July and received an official certificate confirming completion of the internship.

2018

Participated in the organization of the 7th International Festival of Central Asian Countries, dedicated to the 20th anniversary of Astana and the 120th anniversary of prominent statesman T. Zhurgenov. The festival was held in Taldykorgan from 30 October to 6 November with the support of the Ministry of Culture and Sports of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

2018

Laureate of Kazakhstan’s “Serper” Youth Award.

2019

Participated in the organization and successful delivery of the Republican Theatre Festival dedicated to the 100th anniversary of prominent theatre and film actress Amina Umurzakova, held in Semey on 20–25 September.

2019

Received a Letter of Appreciation from the Deputy Akim of the West Kazakhstan Region.

2021

Received a congratulatory letter on behalf of the Minister of Culture and Sports of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

2022

Awarded the “Enbek Dangqy” badge by the Public Association “Professional Union of Workers in Culture, Sports, Tourism and Information of Kazakhstan”.

2023

Awarded a Certificate of Honour by the Minister of Culture and Sports of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

PERSONAL QUALITIES

Responsibility, integrity, strong organizational skills, results-oriented approach, and ability to work effectively as part of a team.