2019 ACSH Annual Conference Agenda
Values, Trust and Technology in the Public Sector

Pre-Conference workshop: Wednesday, 12 June 2019	
Venue: Nazarbayev University	
Mr. Ali Farazmand, Professor of Public Administration, Florida Atlantic University / Editor-in-Chief, International Journal of Public Administartion, POR, Global Encyclopedia of Public Administration, Public Policy, and Governance.	
10:00 - 11.30	Trends in PA Reforms and Expanding the Knowledge Horizon
11.30 - 11.45	*Coffee break*
11.45 - 13.00	Trends in PA Reforms and Expanding the Knowledge Horizon
13:30 - 14:30	*Break*
14:30 - 16:00	Publishing in top academic journals. Part 1
16:00 - 16:15	*Coffee break*
16:15 - 17.45	Publishing in top academic journals. Part 2
Day 1: Thursday, 13 June 2019	
Venue: Marriott Hotel	
09:00 - 09:30	Registration. *Morning coffee*
09:30 - 09:50	Welcoming Remarks • ACSH Steering Committee • UNDP • Government of the Republic of Kazakhstan
09:50 - 10:05	Special Guest • H. E. Mr. Larbi Djacta, UN Under-Secretary-General, Chairman of UN International Civil Service Commission
10:05 - 11:15	Hub Talks • Fadi Farra, Partner and Director of the Whiteshield Partners "Whole-of-Government Approach to Public Sector Policies" • Sayasat Nurbek, Head of Education Projects at BTSDigital "Artificial Intelligence: the Effect of Techology on Public Administration and Management Models" • Daniel Cruysberghs, Advisor of the CEO, NAC Kazatomprom JSC "The Power of Diversity" • Assylbek Kozhakhmetov, President of Almaty Management University, President of the Civil Alliance of Kazakhstan "Public Service as a Mission"

11:15 - 11:30	*Group photo and coffee break*
11:30 - 13:00	International Panel Moderators: Alikhan Baimenov, Chairman of the ACSH Steering Committee, and Maia Dvalishvili, Deputy Director of Civil Service Bureau of Georgia/ Co-chair of the Advisory Board, ACSH • Alex B. Brillantes, President of the Asian Association for Public Administration (AAPA) "Leadership, Values and Trust in Public Sector Reform" • Neil Reichenberg, Executive Director of the International Public Management Association for Human Resources "Recent Trends in Public Sector Human Resources Management" • Wojcieh Zielinski, Senior Policy Advisor, Reform of the Public Sector Division, OECD Public Governance Directorate "Building A Value Driven Public Service" • Keping Yao, Governance and Public Administration Expert, UNPOG of the UN DESA "Instituting Data Governance for Advancing Digital Government" Q&A
13:00 - 13:30	Reflections and comments from participating countries and partners
13:30 - 14:30	*Lunch break*
14:30 - 16:00	International Panel: country perspectives Moderators: Almaz Nasyrov, Member of the Steering Committee of the Astana Civil Service Hub, and Maxut Uteshev, Technical Advisor, ACSH • Gulmira Raisova, Managing Director, NAC Kazatomprom JSC, Chairperson of the Coordination Council at the Association of HR Managers "Alternative HR strategies for building trust" • Garush Davtyan, Head of the Civil Service Office, Prime-Minister's Office, Republic of Armenia "Technological Bridges for a Reliable Partnership" • Oleg Tarbinski, Deputy Director of the State Personnel Service of the Kyrgyz Republic "Current Trends of Modernization of Civil Service of the Kyrgyz Republic" • Vafadar Misirov, Executive Director of the State Examination Center of the Republic of Azerbaijan

	"Built on Values, Trust and Technology: Civil Service of the Republic of Azerbaijan" • Zharkyn Tleukenov, Head of Department for Civil Service, Agency of the Republic of Kazakhstan for Civil Service and Anticorruption "Automation of HR Management System in the Public Service" Q&A
16:00 - 16:30	Reflections and comments from participating countries and partners
16:30 - 16:45	*Coffee break*
16:45 - 17:15	Discussion of organizational matters of the ACSH

Day 2: Friday, 14 June 2019	
Venue: Marriott Hotel	
10:00 - 11:30	Gender Equality in Public Administration Moderators: Gulnar Zhumageldiyeva, Chair of the Commission for Social and Economic Relations and Social Partnership of the Federation of Trade Unions of the Republic of Kazakhstan, and Kuralay Baibatyrova, Project Expert, ACSH • Yelena Tarassenko, Deputy Chair, National Commission for Women, Family and Demographic Policy under the President of the Republic of Kazakhstan "Gender Equality in Public Administration: the Case of Kazakhstan" • Shruti Upadhyay, Programme Specialist, UN Women Ukraine "Ensuring Gender Equality In the Public Service Through National Reforms: Experience from Ukraine" • Pinar Guven, Policy Analyst, OECD Public Governance and Territorial Development Directorate "'Institutional Change and Gender Equality: Lessons from OECD Countries"
11:30 - 11:45	*Coffee break*
11:45 - 13:30	Ethics, Integrity and Anticorruption Moderators: Irakli Kotetishvili, Policy Specialist, Anti Corruption and Public Administration, Bureau for Policy and Programme Support, UNDP Istanbul Regional Hub, and Maxut Uteshev, Technical Advisor, ACSH

	• Drago Kos, Chair of the OECD Working Group on Bribery in International Business Transactions (keynote speaker) "Enhancing Public Integrity Through Enhancement Of Trust" • Daniyar Sabirbayev, Director of the Department of Anticorruption Policy, the Agency for Civil Service Affairs and Anti-Corruption "Integrity and Digitisation: an Advanced Route for Corruption Prevention" Q&A
13:30 - 14:30	*Lunch break*
14:30 - 15:30	Peer-to-Peer Alliance. Transformation and Innovations in Governance Moderators: Marc De Tollenaere, Policy Analyst, OECD, and Togzhan Akhmetzhanova, Partnerships Specialist, ACSH • Maia Dvalishvili, Deputy Director of Civil Service Bureau of Georgia "Georgian Experience: Progress in Implementation Key Legislation and the Development of e-tools" • Gegham Sargsyan, Deputy Head of Civil Service Office of the Prime-Minister of the Republic of Armenia "New Civil Service System: New transformations and Innovations" • Ievhen Kovalyov, Head of the Department of IT technologies and resources, National Agency of Ukraine for Civil Service "Pilot project implementation of Human resources and payroll management information system" Q&A Closing