

PAC Centre Annual Report 2019-2020

PAC Centre (hosting institution, country and contact information)

The PAC Regional Center for Central Asia, which includes countries such as Kazakhstan, Uzbekistan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan and Turkmenistan, is located in the National Library of the Republic of Kazakhstan in Almaty at 05, Abay Ave. 14. Library Director: Ospanova Bakhytzhama Kairbekovna, tel. 8 727 2672883, 8 727 272 4954, e-mail: ulttykkitapkhana@mail.ru

International Cooperation (highlight activities and work the PAC Centre has done in the international preservation and conservation network and where your PAC Centre has provided support on an international level)

The National Library of the Republic of Kazakhstan (Almaty, Kazakhstan) has been a member of the IFLA Strategic Program for Conservation and Conservation (IFLA PAC) since 2008. In 2019, between the All-Russian State Library of Foreign Literature named after M.I. Rudomino (Moscow, Russia) and the National Library of the Republic of Kazakhstan signed an agreement on cooperation in order to expand and further develop professional relations and promote cultural exchange between the Russian Federation and the Republic of Kazakhstan, that is, an agreement was concluded with the Russian PAC Center for Eastern Europe, these libraries have long-standing fruitful relationships. In 2020, within the framework of this agreement, two centers were introduced on-line to the presentation of specialists and video clips on the centers' activities.

Local Cooperation (highlight activities and work your PAC Centre has done in the local preservation and conservation network and where your PAC Centre has provided support on a local level)

Since 2013, a School for the Conservation and Restoration of Written Documents has been operating in the National Library of the Republic of Kazakhstan since 2013, in which classes are held to improve the skills of specialists in the field of preservation and preservation of paper documents. In 2019, practical classes were held with specialists from libraries, archives and museums of Kazakhstan. In 2020, classes were held online with specialists from the Kyzylorda and Kostanai regions.

Workshops/trainings/events (what workshops/trainings/events has the PAC Centre organised? Which workshops/trainings/events did the PAC Centre participate in? both on international and national level)

As part of the work of the PAC regional center for Central Asia, in 2019, specialists from the National Library of the Republic of Kazakhstan held a training seminar and master classes on the restoration of rare books in Uzbekistan, which were attended by restorers-binders from libraries, archives and museums of Uzbekistan.

Involvement of the PAC Centre with the IFLA Initiatives (i.e. the Risk Register/FAQ)

In 2019, the PAC Regional Center for Central Asia participated in IFLA initiatives: a document was prepared on the physico-chemical and biological stabilization of documents, which was published in the IFLA electronic journal of May 13, 2020 on pages 44-52.

Suggestions to IFLA HQ on improvements to the PAC Centre network (e.g. gaps in expertise covered by the current PAC Centre network, communication issues, support requests (non-financial) etc.)

There are no offers.

New standards/guidelines/best practices which should be shared with the community

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Any other comments

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Add additional resources and pictures at the end of the document. Добавьте дополнительные ресурсы и картинки в конце документа.

Kindly submit to claire.mcguire@ifla.org before 15 July, 2020.

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