



**“BOLASHAK” INTERNATIONAL
SCHOLARSHIP OF THE PRESIDENT
OF THE
REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN**



“Bolashak” International Scholarship marks its 20th anniversary

**November 5,
1993**

“Bolashak” Scholarship
established

1994-2004

785 scholars in 13
countries of the world

**February
2005**

Number of scholars increased up
to 3,000 per annum

2005

JSC “Center for International
Programs” established

2008

Quotas for public servants, rural
youth, scientists and teaching
staff introduced

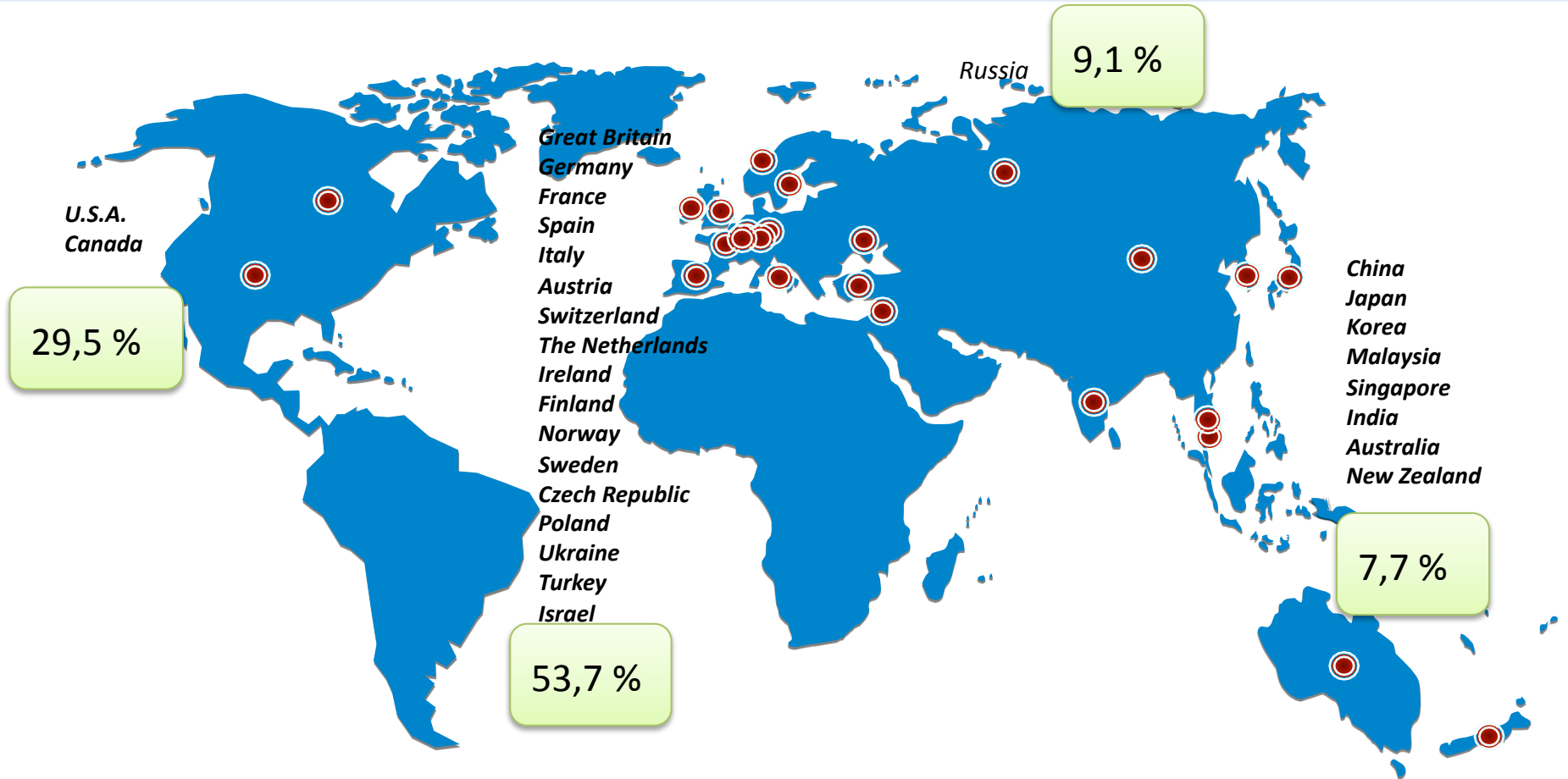
2012

Non-degree Fellowship program





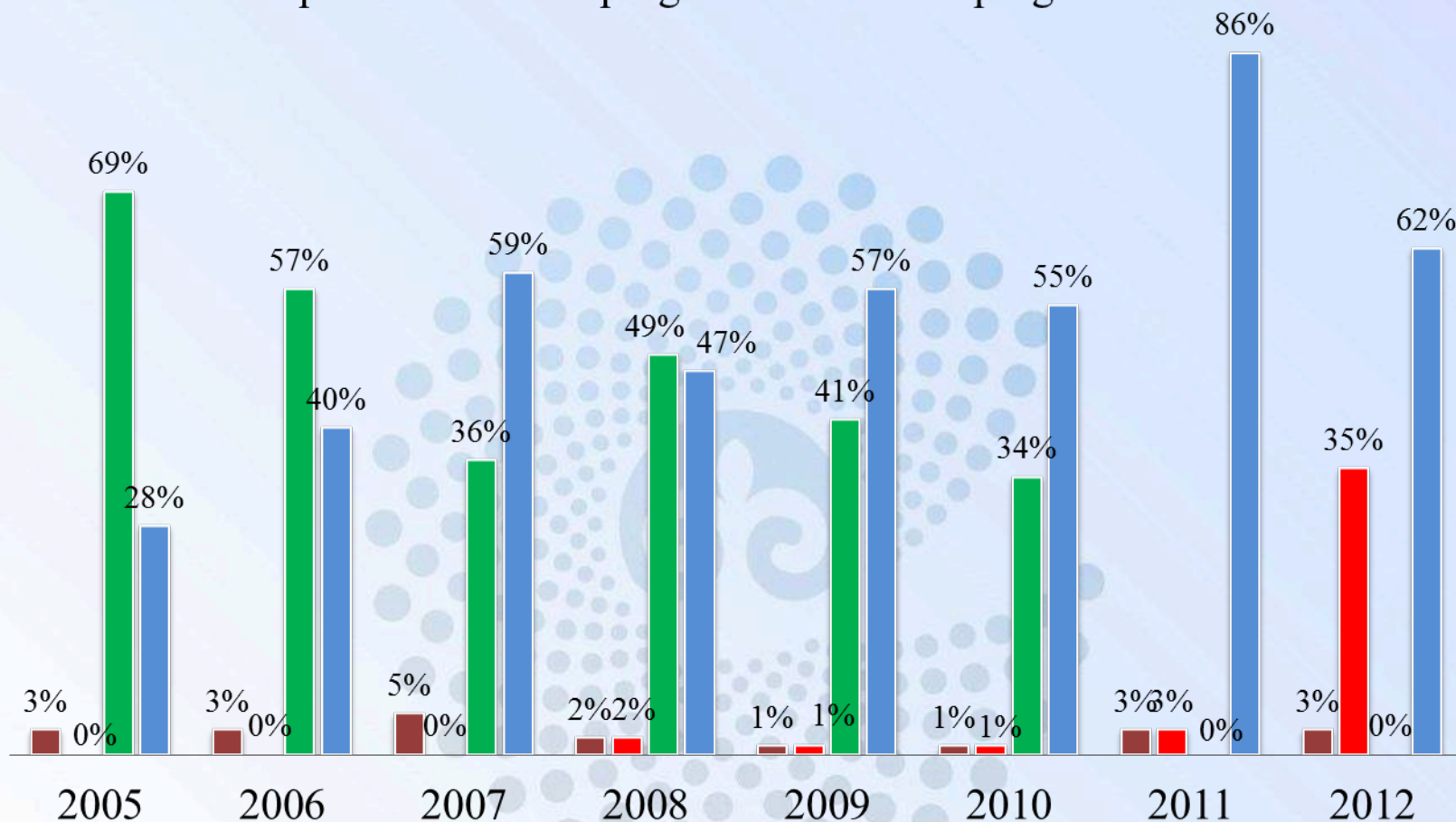
Geography of study





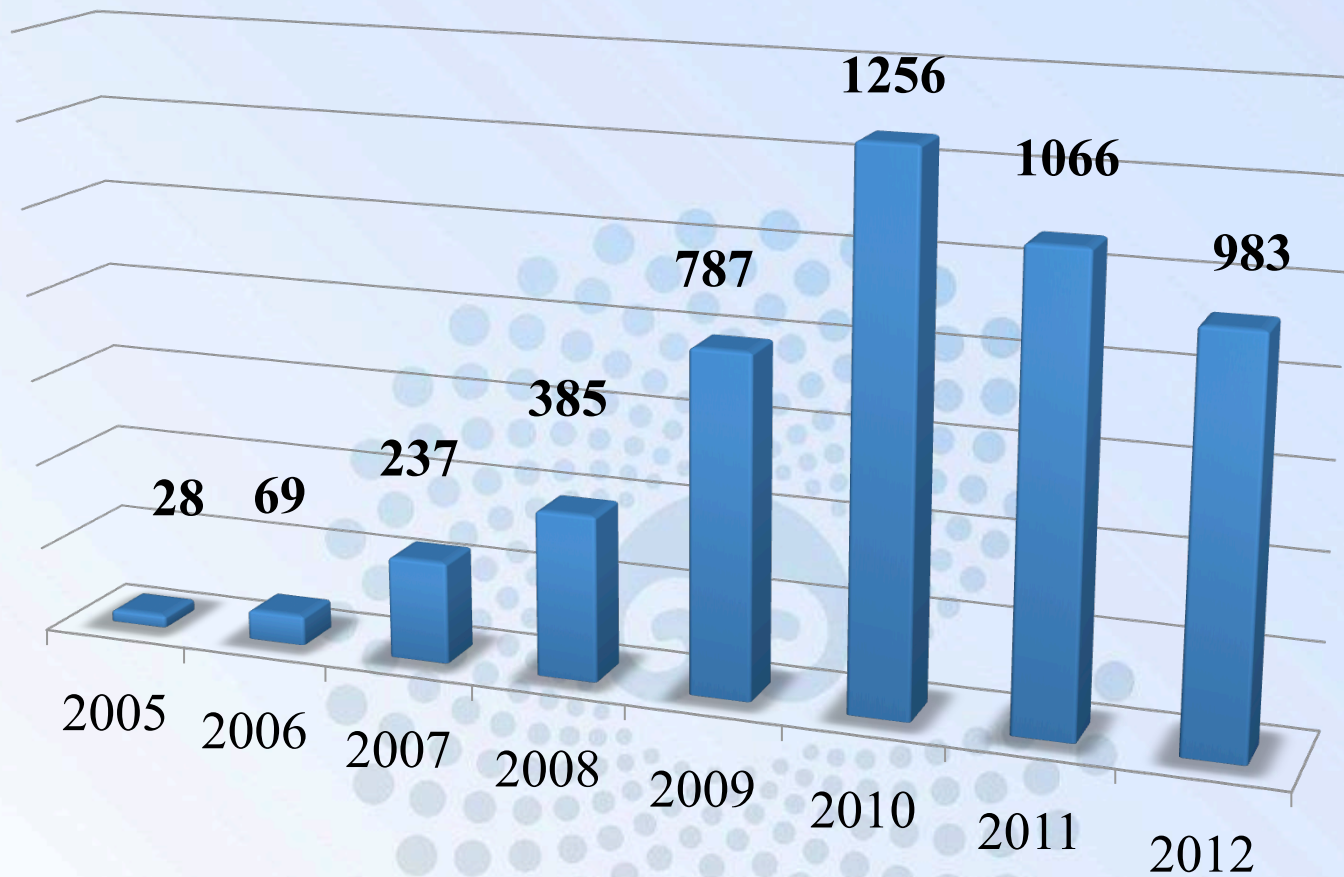
Number of scholarships awarded for graduate and post-graduate programs

■ PhD ■ Internships ■ Bachelor's program ■ Master's program





Number of “Bolashak” Program alumni (by years of graduation)



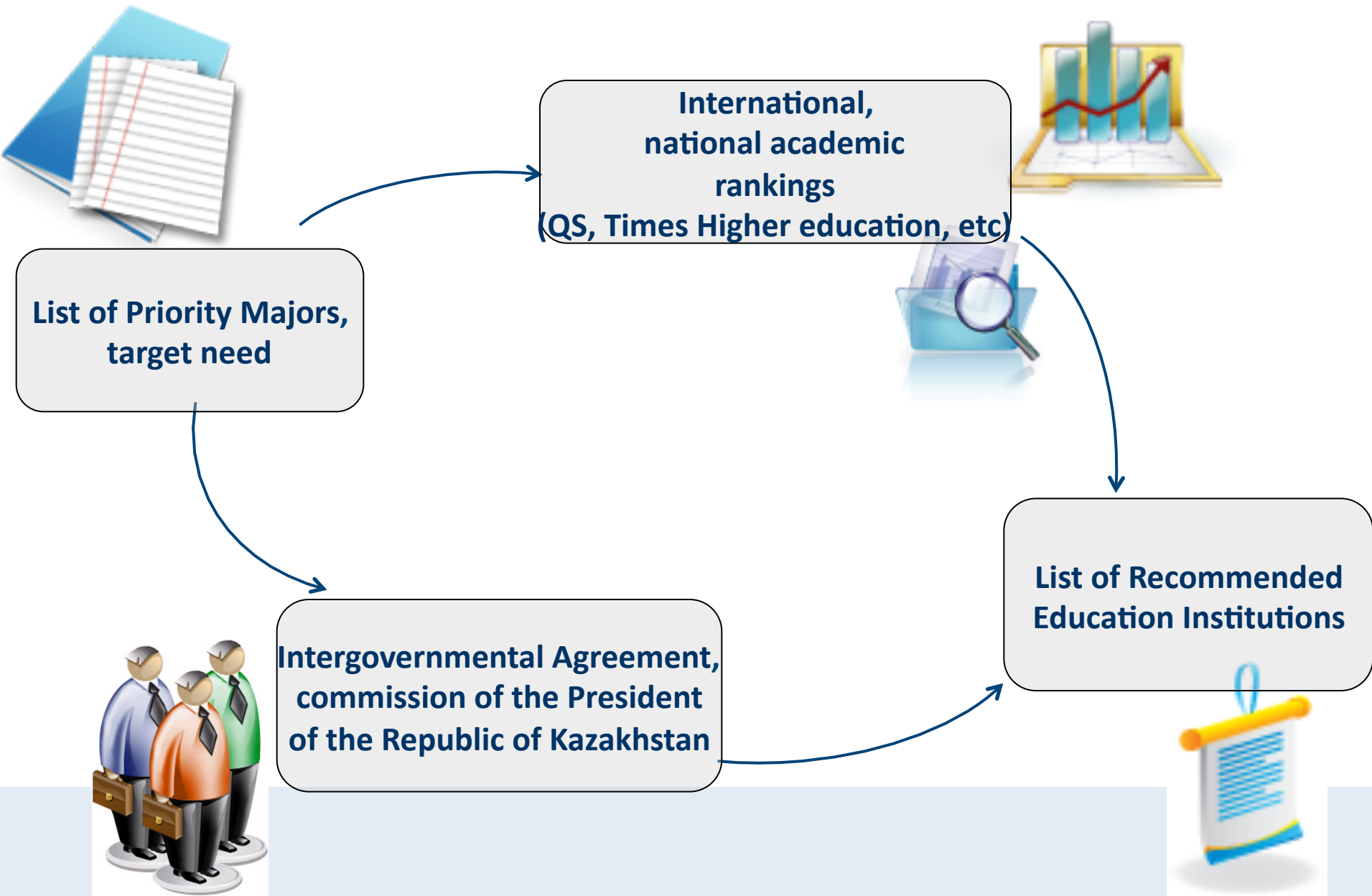


Mechanism of Priority Majors' List creation





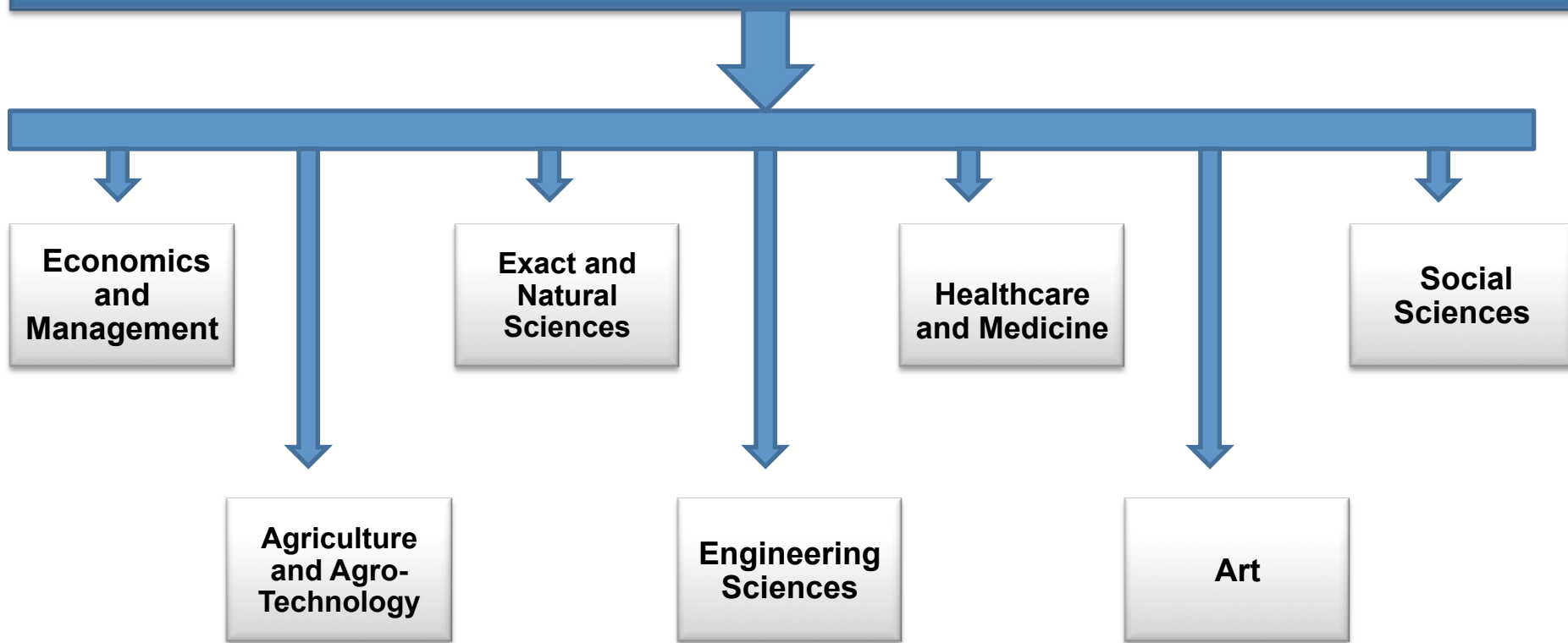
Criteria for selection of foreign higher education institutions





Programs of study and types of specialties of the “Bolashak” International Scholarship

Master’s program, PhD, Internships





Mechanism of the “Bolashak” Scholarship implementation

Information-agitation campaign



Receipt of documents, competitive selection of applicants



Sending scholars for training



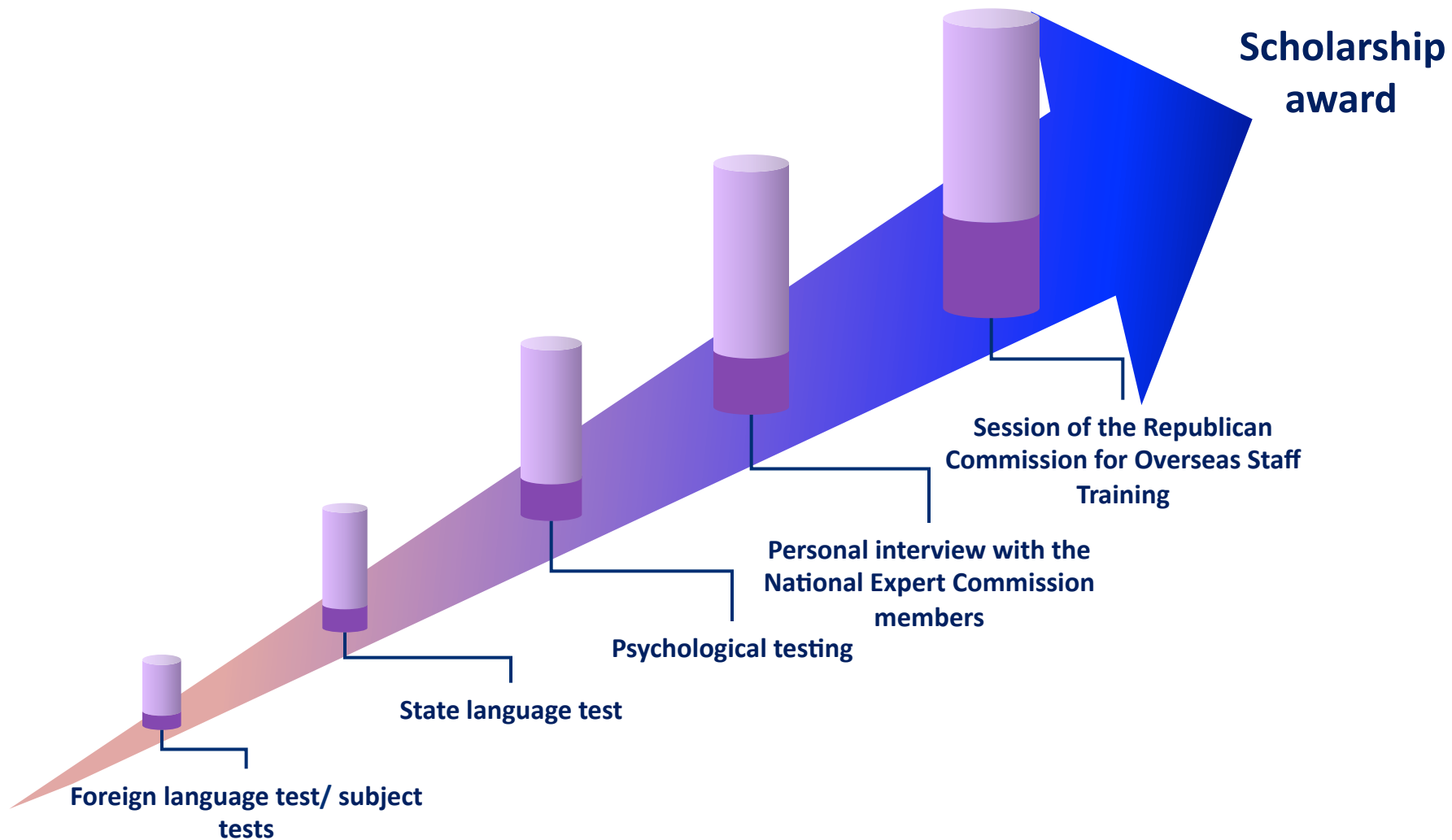
Monitoring scholars' academic performance and their return to Kazakhstan



Employment assistance and monitoring fulfillment of 5-year work obligations by “Bolashak” Program alumni



Competitive selection of applicants





FELLOWSHIP – ONE OF THE MAIN PRIORITIES

Starting from 2012 we offer the **Fellowship Program** for Kazakhstani citizens in order to conduct a non-degree research for a period of **up to 12 months**.



Who can apply for Fellowship?



Faculty and teaching staff

Scientists



Engineers

Medical professionals





Conditions for scientific fellowships

OFFER LETTER from host organization (should specify)

- **major** according to the List of priority majors;
- **cost** of training (with detailed breakdown);
- **terms** of the training;
- **program** of training;
- if necessary, the **requirements** for passing intensive **language** course.

Language proficiency requirements

- Minimum threshold scores: IELTS: 3.0 of 9.0; TOEFL: ITP**/PBT 400 of 677; IBT 30 of 120;
- **6 months of intensive language courses** in 13 countries at 96 language schools.



Information support of “Bolashak” Scholarship

**“Bolashak” Information
and Analytical Magazine**

Magazine

CIP website

Internet

Briefings

**Annual briefings in all
regions of Kazakhstan**

**Interaction with
mass media**

**Active information
campaign in mass media**



“Bolashak” Information and Analytical Magazine

The magazine has been issued since 2006.

Frequency – once in a quarter.

Circulation – 5,000 copies.

Focuses on education-related issues.

Distributed throughout the country.



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website functioning since 2006

4 mln visitors

direct contact with applicants and scholars

active exchange of views on the blog

posting universities' advertisements



Thank you for attention!



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