# ZHAMILYA MESHITBAY, CFA, CIPM, FRM

#### **PERSONAL DETAILS**

date of birth email

#### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

May 2023 onwards KMG Rompetrol, Bucharest, Romania

Group Risk Director

 oversee financial risk management, enterprise risk management, credit risk, insurance functions

January 2023 – April 2023 **Bolashaq Investments Ltd** (investment subsidiary of Samruk-Kazyna Invest), Astana, Kazakhstan

Chief Financial Officer

- overseeing back-office functions: risk management, accounting, procurement, legal, HR
- establishing the investment risk management function

National Investment Corporation of the National Bank of Kazakhstan, Astana, Kazakhstan

2020 - 2022

Head of Risk Management

- drawing up detailed annual and long-term investment plans and cash flow projections
- active risk management and design guidelines for all sub-portfolios
- due diligence risk of all investments

2021 - 2022

Deputy General Manager, Member of the Executive Board

- direct oversight of four middle office divisions: Investment Strategy, Risk Management, Analytics and Reporting, IT and Cybersecurity
- Middle office business process optimisation
- Recruitment and training of new team members
- establishment of new legal entities, governance and legal requirements to support investment structures
- external audit coordination of all company activities

2019 - 2020

Head of Investment Strategy (Asset Allocation)

- long-term capital market and strategic allocation composition trade forecasts
- medium and short-term outlook, tactical allocation recommendations
- Assess investment opportunities in different asset classes and countries and their suitability for the portfolio
- market developments and trends research and analysis
- coordinating the internal think tank

2018 - 2022

Member of the Investment Committee

- improving investment selection process
- providing an independent opinion on each proposed investment

2015 - 2019

Strategies and Risk Management Associate (formerly Research and Strategies)

- new investment strategy for the foreign exchange reserves alternative investment portfolio
- implementation of the Canadian model, benchmark portfolio and total portfolio approaches
- strategic and tactical asset allocation for hedge fund and private equity portfolios
- integration with the external risk management system

- development of proprietary multi-factor models
- development of the company's short- and long-term development concept
- performance evaluation of managers and portfolios under management
- public and private market research and insights
- think tank function for the National Bank
- secondment to hedge fund manager fund

## 2012 - 2015

# National Investment Corporation of the National Bank of Kazakhstan, Almaty, Kazakhstan

Risk and Strategy Analyst

- selection of strategic partners for private equity and hedge fund programmes
- establishing the operational and risk due diligence framework
- portfolio monitoring and reporting
- macroeconomic reviews, equity, bond, currency and commodity market outlooks
- extensive research into asset allocation methodologies used by sovereign wealth funds, endowments and pension funds
- implementation of the Korean tactical asset allocation model

### January 2012

# PricewaterhouseCoopers, Almaty, Kazakhstan

Consultancy internship

assistance in an evaluation project

#### OTHER EXPERIENCE

# 2018 - 2020

# AIFC Office for Continuing Professional Development, Astana, Kazakhstan

Lecturer, CFA Exam Preparatory

• Courses delivered: equity, fixed income, derivatives, portfolio management, economics and alternatives

# March-May 2018

# **Training Centre of the National Bank of Kazakhstan,** Almaty, Kazakhstan *Lecturer, CFA Exam Preparatory*

• Courses delivered: equity, fixed income, derivatives and alternatives

#### **EDUCATION**

#### 2009 - 2012

# University of Cambridge, Cambridge, United Kingdom

BA Hons in Economics

Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Econometrics, Industry, Banking, Money and Finance, Mathematics

Dissertation: The role of oil in Kazakhstan's economy (macroeconomic model of Kazakhstan) - award for best dissertation

# 2007 - 2009

# **EF International Academy**, Torquay, United Kingdom

A-Levels

Mathematics, Higher Mathematics, Economics, Sociology

#### 2003 - 2007

# Republican school of physics-mathematics for gifted children, named after O.

Zhautykov, Almaty, Kazakhstan

Secondary education

#### PROFESSIONAL TITLE

2017 – onwards CFA® charterholder 2019 – onwards CIPM® certificant 2019 – onwards Certified FRM®

#### **SKILLS**

### languages:

English - full professional proficiency, Kazakh, Russian – native

# computer literacy:

Microsoft Office, Bloomberg, MSCI Barra, Axioma Risk, E-views Albourne Castle, Cambridge Associates Optica, Stepstone Private Market Intelligence, Preqin Pro, Burgiss Private iQ