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“Alabuga” Special Economic Zone (SEZ)

210 km from Kazan, approx. 3 hrs by car



In the SEZ Business Navigator 2017, SEZ “Alabuga” ranked 2nd (out of 15) for investment attractiveness.

“The Industrial Production Special Economic Zone ‘Alabuga’, established in 2005, provides a fully prepared industrial, engineering, transport and customs infrastructure for investors, as well as a number of tax and customs privileges. The authorities, both federal and regional, spent over \$0.4 billion on the infrastructure of this SEZ. The Supervisory Board of ‘Alabuga’ is headed by the President of the Republic of Tatarstan, Rustam Minnikhanov. ‘Alabuga’ is considered to be the largest Industrial Production SEZ in Russia and its residents include leading international companies such as Ford Motor Company, 3M, Rockwool, Air Liquide and Armstrong.”

- Elmira Akhmeeva, Deputy Director of the Department for Regional Development of the RF

Links

www.alabuga.ru/investors

“Innopolis” Special Economic Zone (SEZ)

40 km from Kazan, approx. 40 mins by car



In the SEZ Business Navigator 2017, SEZ “Innopolis” ranked 5th (out of 15) for investment attractiveness.

The Technology Innovative Special Economic Zone “Innopolis” is located in the Verkhneuslonsky and Laishevsky municipalities of Tatarstan. The centre of Innopolis City is in the former of these two districts. This “branch” stretches over 192.71 hectares and has been designed to host innovative companies, providing office space and research facilities. The second “branch” is in the Laishevsky district, in the vicinity of Kazan International Airport. Its 118.72 hectares provide manufacturing facilities for innovative products. “Innopolis” is a major project aimed at creating the centre of information and communication technologies in Russia. In turn, the centre will assist both Russian and international companies in implementing investment projects in the communications sector. “Innopolis” provides a complex, innovative environment, highly-qualified human resources, advanced training, extensive infrastructure and direct economic benefits. Within a remarkably short period of time, “Innopolis” has succeeded in providing a unique environment for both work and home life with brilliant social, educational and medical facilities.

Links

www.innopolis.ru

For more information on SEZs in Russia, visit:

www.akitrf.ru/upload/iblock/8df/8df27beac120013c9df08cfb8072e6fa.pdf

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Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Republic of Tatarstan

Kazan City Centre

The Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Republic of Tatarstan (CCI RT) was founded in 1992. It is based in the centre of Kazan, the capital of Tatarstan.



The Chamber was established upon the initiative of local business circles and has over 2200 members at present. The main aim of the organisation is to help foreign investors and local entrepreneurs to establish and grow their businesses in Tatarstan. The Chamber works closely with the CCI of the Russian Federation and their international representatives to ensure that their members are well supported across the region, the country and globally.

How can CCI RT help?

- Arrange meetings across Tatarstan and organise visits to local businesses, tech parks, SEZs etc
- Provide informational support to investors regarding federal and regional legislation
- Provide certified translation services (interpretation, document translation with notary certification)

Links

www.tpprt.ru

IT Park

Kazan City Centre

The Kazan IT Park was completed in October 2009 and is the first technopark in Russia to propel and develop IT entrepreneurship.



The main goal of the Kazan IT Park, built within the framework of a national, state-funded programme, is the ambitious development of the IT industry in the Russian economy by utilising intellectual and financial resources. The IT park has been designed as a smart building with up-to-date technical infrastructure in the very centre of Kazan. Modern interior design and a wide range of telecommunications and services allow the park to work and grow efficiently. Providing both start-ups and advancing IT enterprises with favourable conditions for their business, the Park is the ideal location in which to develop new products and bring them to the market.

Links

www.itpark-kazan.ru/en

Kazan Federal University

Kazan City Centre

Kazan Federal University (KFU) is one of the oldest universities in Russia and is the main further education establishment in Tatarstan.



Kazan Federal
UNIVERSITY

Today, KFU has over 3,200 lecturers and researchers, and 42,700 students in over 300 undergraduate and postgraduate courses. The university is particularly noted for its mathematics, physics, biology, chemistry and linguistics departments. KFU gives priority to its academic research in pharmacology, biomedicine, geology, physics, chemistry, oil & gas, nanotechnologies, IT, psychology and humanities. The university has 33 modern laboratories and is a national research centre with new laboratories under development.

Links

www.kpfu.ru/eng

www.studyinrussia.ru/en/study-in-russia/universities/kfu/

Tatarstan Investment Development Agency

Kazan City Centre

The Tatarstan Investment Development Agency (TIDA) is a special executive body of the Government of Tatarstan.



Founded in 2011, TIDA carries out investment promotion and facilitation. The agency is responsible for all international investment and business projects in the Republic of Tatarstan and reports directly to the Republic's President. TIDA operates as a one-stop shop for qualified investors exploring investment opportunities in Tatarstan.

Services provided by TIDA include:

- Attracting investment to Tatarstan
- Providing information and statistics on priority sectors and investment opportunities
- Facilitating site selection processes and determining project requirements
- Supporting the entry and establishment of foreign businesses in Tatarstan
- Assisting in finding local companies for joint ventures and identifying suppliers and other business partners
- Aftercare services to identify main problems affecting established investors.

Links

www.tida.tatarstan.ru/eng/

www.invest.tatarstan.ru/