About Kardan University

Founded in 2002, Kardan University is the first and leading private university in Afghanistan. Over 4,000 students, 25 per cent of whom are women, currently pursue diploma, undergraduate and graduate programs at Kardan University’s three campuses in Kabul.

With an alumni network of 30,000, Kardan University is a household name in Afghanistan renowned for its academic excellence. More than 600 of Kardan University graduates have received prestigious graduate scholarships, including Fulbright, Chevening, DAAD and more.

Kardan University has received business program accreditation through the International Accreditation Council for Business Education (IACBE) and is candidate for accreditation with ACBSP and AACSB. We are also member of CHEA International Quality Group (CIQG), Asia Pacific Quality Network (APQN) and Global Business School Network (GBSN).

In 2012, Kardan University helped lay the foundation of the Association of Private Universities and Institutes of Higher Education in Afghanistan and served as its elected Chair for two consecutive terms. Kardan University’s strategic initiatives are articulated in its Vision of Excellence, a five-year strategic plan (2015-2020), promoting excellence in research, faculty development, student growth and public engagement.

Our Mission

A vibrant university inspiring academic and professional excellence.

International Partners

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National Partners

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Facts and Figures

1st
First and largest private university in Afghanistan

300+
Academic and Administrative Staff

15+
Student clubs, networks and societies

1st
First Afghan institution to be accredited by the International Accreditation Council for Business Education (IACBE)

600+
Students with international scholarships from Fulbright, Chevening, DAAD and more

30,000+
Largest alumni community among private universities in Afghanistan

1st
First and only member from Afghanistan at the Global Business School Network (GBSN)

80+
Research articles in international journals

4,000+
Students currently studying at Bachelor’s, Master’s and diploma programs

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- Office of Student Involvement and Events
- Office of International Affairs and Strategic Partnerships
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