



YESSENOV
DATA LAB

10th June – 2nd August 2019
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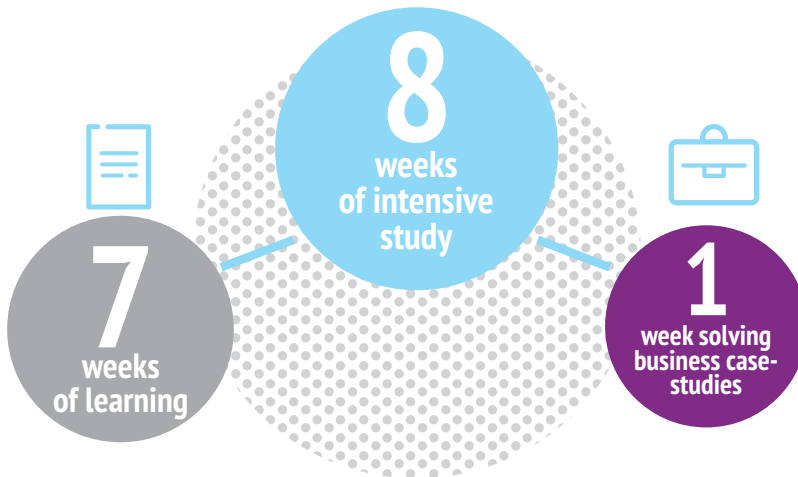


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► What is the Yessenov Data Lab?

The Yessenov Data Lab summer school is an 8-week intensive course that allows you to familiarize yourself with the data analytics profession for 8 weeks, solve real business problems and continue to improve the knowledge you gain independently.



Course Dates: 10th June – 2nd August

Course location
Almaty Management University

COURSE GRADUATES WILL ACQUIRE THE SKILLS OF:

1. Python programming for data analysis
2. Preprocessing data in preparation for further analysis
3. Data visualization and finding correlations
4. Making a forecast based on historical data
5. Understanding different learning algorithms
6. Choosing the right learning model
7. Fundamental understanding of the work of neural networks

► Programme of Study

Week 1. Python Programming

Day 1

- 09:00 – 10:00 Registration of participants
- 10:00 – 11:30 What is Data Mining, Big Data, examples
- 12:00 – 13:15 Introduction to Python: variables, lists
- 14:30 – 16:00 Introduction to Python: conditions, cycles
- 16:15 – 18:00 Lab: The Basics of Python

Day 2

- 10:00 – 11:30 Work with lines of code
- 12:00 – 13:15 Acquaintance with the library NumPy
- 14:30 – 16:00 Lab: NumPy tasks
- 16:15 – 18:00 Lab: NumPy tasks

Day 3

- 10:00 – 11:30 Data structures: lists, sets, dictionaries
- 12:00 – 13:15 Python Algorithms: Sorting, Search
- 14:30 – 16:00 Lab: data structures and NumPy
- 16:15 – 18:00 Lab: Implementation of Algorithms

Day 4

- 10:00 – 11:30 Introduction to the Pandas Library, Matplotlib
- 12:00 – 13:15 Grouping of data. Filters, sorting.
- 14:30 – 16:00 Lab: work with Pandas.
- 16:15 – 18:00 Lab: work with Matplotlib

Day 5

- 10:00 – 11:30 Fastening material by Pandas and Matplotlib
- 12:00 – 13:15 Acquaintance with the regression task, SciKitLearn
- 14:30 – 16:00 Lab: Linear Regression
- 16:15 – 18:00 Lab: Linear Regression

- 11:30 – 11:45 Coffee break
- 13:15 – 14:30 Lunch
- 16:00 – 16:15 Coffee break



Kuanish Abeshev
Dean of the School
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Timur Bakibayev
Professor, AlmaU



Programme of Study

Week 2. Linear models of classification and regression

Day 1

10:00 – 11:30	Optimization task, gradient descent method
12:00 – 13:15	Laboratory work
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Laboratory work

Day 2

10:00 – 11:30	Quality metrics
12:00 – 13:15	Laboratory work
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Laboratory work

Day 3

10:00 – 11:30	Cross-validation
12:00 – 13:15	Laboratory work
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Laboratory work

Day 4

10:00 – 11:30	Linear classification and regression models
12:00 – 13:15	Laboratory work
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Laboratory work

Day 5

10:00 – 11:30	Review of study, generalization
12:00 – 13:15	Laboratory work
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Laboratory work

11:30 – 11:45	Coffee break
13:15 – 14:30	Lunch
16:00 – 16:15	Coffee break



Dimitri Rusanov
Data Scientist





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Week 3. Trees and Boosting



Day 1

10:00 – 11:30	SVM, optimization tasks
12:00 – 13:15	Practice, master class
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Lab, Q & A, discussion of standard errors

Day 2

10:00 – 11:30	Trees
12:00 – 13:15	Practice, master class
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Lab, Q & A, discussion of standard errors

Day 3

10:00 – 11:30	DecisiveTree Ensembles (bagging)
12:00 – 13:15	Practice, master class
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Lab, Q & A, discussion of standard errors

Day 4

10:00 – 11:30	Informational features of signs, SHAP (SHapley Additive exPlanations)
12:00 – 13:15	Practice, master class
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Lab, Q & A, discussion of standard errors

Day 5

10:00 – 11:30	Decisive Tree Ensembles (bias-variance trade-off, XGBoost)
12:00 – 13:15	Practice, master class
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Lab, Q & A, discussion of standard errors

Day 6

10:00 – 11:30	Detailed CatBoost Review
12:00 – 13:15	Practice, master class
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Lab, Q & A, discussion of standard errors

11:30 – 11:45	Coffee break
13:15 – 14:30	Lunch
16:00 – 16:15	Coffee break



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Week 4. Independent learning and neural networks

Day 1

10:00 – 11:30	Independent Learning
12:00 – 13:15	Practice, masterclass
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Lab, Q & A, discussion of standard errors

Day 2

10:00 – 11:30	Independent Learning, part 2
12:00 – 13:15	Practice, master class
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Lab, Q & A, discussion of standard errors

Day 3

10:00 – 11:30	Introduction to Neural Networks
12:00 – 13:15	Practice, masterclass
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Lab, Q & A, discussion of standard errors

Day 4

10:00 – 11:30	Complex neural networks
12:00 – 13:15	Practice, masterclass
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Lab, Q & A, discussion of standard errors

Day 5

10:00 – 11:30	Recurrent Neural Networks
12:00 – 13:15	Practice, masterclass
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Lab, Q & A, discussion of standard errors

Day 6

10:00 – 11:30	ML applications: RecSys
12:00 – 13:15	Practice, masterclass
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Lab, Q & A, discussion of standard errors

11:30 – 11:45	Coffee break
13:15 – 14:30	Lunch
16:00 – 16:15	Coffee break



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Week 5. ML Applications



Marina Gorlova
Analyst

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Day 1

- 10:00 – 11:30 Recommender systems. User / Item based. Collaborative filtering
- 12:00 – 13:15 Recommender systems. Hybrid recommender
- 14:30 – 16:00 Laboratory work
- 16:15 – 18:00 Laboratory work

Day 2

- 10:00 – 11:30 Image analysis. Solving problems pre-neural networks
- 12:00 – 13:15 Image analysis. Neural Network Applications
- 14:30 – 16:00 Laboratory work
- 16:15 – 18:00 Laboratory work

Day 3

- 10:00 – 11:30 Text analysis. Embedding
- 12:00 – 13:15 Text analysis. Applications
- 14:30 – 16:00 Laboratory work
- 16:15 – 18:00 Laboratory work

Day 4

- 10:00 – 11:30 Time series. Statistical approaches
- 12:00 – 13:15 Time series. Neural Network Applications
- 14:30 – 16:00 Laboratory work
- 16:15 – 18:00 Laboratory work

Day 5

- 10:00 – 11:30 Analysis of graphs
- 12:00 – 13:15 Laboratory work
- 14:30 – 16:00 Case-studies
- 16:15 – 18:00 Case-studies

- 11:30 – 11:45 Coffee break
- 13:15 – 14:30 Lunch
- 16:00 – 16:15 Coffee break

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Week 6. Big Data - I



Valery Zhuk
Senior Cloud Computing Engineer



Day 1

10:00 – 11:30	Business problems
12:00 – 13:15	NoSQL
14:30 – 16:00	Hadoop: Yarn, MapReduce, Hive, Hdfs, Spark
16:15 – 18:00	Continuation

Day 2

10:00 – 11:30	MapReduce Internals + Hive
12:00 – 13:15	HiveQL Basics (UI or CLI?)
14:30 – 16:00	Laboratory work
16:15 – 18:00	Laboratory work

Day 3

10:00 – 11:30	Spark Core
12:00 – 13:15	Practical exercises for pySpark + RDD
14:30 – 16:00	Practical exercises for pySpark + RDD
16:15 – 18:00	Practical exercises for pySpark + RDD

Day 4

10:00 – 11:30	Spark SQL
12:00 – 13:15	Practical exercises for pySpark + DataFrame
14:30 – 16:00	Practical exercises for pySpark + DataFrame
16:15 – 18:00	Practical exercises for pySpark + DataFrame

Day 5

10:00 – 11:30	Difference in the use of the resources of Compute & Storage
12:00 – 13:15	Analogs of Tools
14:30 – 16:00	Case studies
16:15 – 18:00	Case studies

11:30 – 11:45	Coffee break
13:15 – 14:30	Lunch
16:00 – 16:15	Coffee break

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Week 7. Big Data - II



Mikhael Lipkovich
Senior Data Scientist

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Day 1

- 10:00 – 11:30 Business problems
- 12:00 – 13:15 The Problem of Using Data Science on Big Data
- 14:30 – 16:00 Overview of tools
- 16:15 – 18:00 Laboratory work

Day 2

- 10:00 – 11:30 Spark MLlib
- 12:00 – 13:15 Spark MLlib (continued)
- 14:30 – 16:00 Practical exercises for pySpark + MLlib
- 16:15 – 18:00 Practical exercises for pySpark + MLlib

Day 3

- 10:00 – 11:30 Analysis of data on columns
- 12:00 – 13:15 GraphX Review
- 14:30 – 16:00 Practical exercises for pySpark + GraphX
- 16:15 – 18:00 Practical exercises for pySpark + GraphX

Day 4

- 10:00 – 11:30 Data Science on the Cloud
- 12:00 – 13:15 General questions: where to get the data from?
- 14:30 – 16:00 General questions: implementation solutions
- 16:15 – 18:00 General questions: work as a data analyst

Day 5

- 10:00 – 11:30 Case studies
- 12:00 – 13:15 Case studies
- 14:30 – 16:00 Case studies
- 16:15 – 18:00 Case studies













- 11:30 – 11:45 Coffee break
- 13:15 – 14:30 Lunch
- 16:00 – 16:15 Coffee break

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Week 8. Project Work

Participants are expected to work
6 hours a day during project week

OUR PROGRAMS

Knowledge	Science	Resources
 Yessenov Lectures	 Research internships	 IT skills
 English language	 Yessenov scholarship	 Komanda SOS
 Promotion of science	 Graduate studies	 Personal performance
 Kazakhstan Chess Federation	 Almaty Marathon	 Almaty Triathlon Federation

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