

**Балдырган Сералиевна Кожамкулова – Baldyrgan Seralievna Kozhamkulova**  
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**the Kazakh first Woman dealing with Palaeontology**

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She attended and graduated from the Faculty of Biology of the Kazakh State University (Biofak KazGU [биофак КазГУ]).

Later, she performed her post-graduate studentship at the Institute of Zoology of the Academy of Sciences of the Kazakh SSR [Институт Зоологии АН КазССР].

Palaeozoologist (the Kazakh first woman dealing with Palaeontology), PhD in Biology, was one of the Prof. Val'eryj Bazhanov's student.

Since 1957 she devoted herself to over 130 excavation works recovering and studying remains belonging to 150 ancient mammal species.

During her very fecund life, she wrote 118 scientific works (some of them are listed below) published in Russia, Finland, Germany, and Italy.

She also compiled maps on Anthropogene faunas of Kazakhstan.

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