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### Development of Higher Education Content Aimed to Support Industries for Sustainable Production of Qualitative Agri-food

On April 21, 2021, a meeting will be held simultaneously at the Tashkent State Agrarian University and the Samarkand branch of Tashkent State University of Economics, within the framework of the project “Development of Higher Education Content aimed to Support Industries for Sustainable Production of Qualitative Agri-food” (AgroDev).

The objective of this project activity is to review the outputs of the comprehensive analysis of identified the preconditions and difficulties, which shall be taken into consideration during the development of new training modules for educational programs related to agriculture in Uzbekistan.

The participants will discuss the results of the analysis, review the skill gaps identified by producers during the survey, and jointly develop recommendations.

There will be a special focus on discussing the possibilities and necessary steps on establishing long-term and sustainable cooperation among relevant government bodies, universities and the private sector (agricultural enterprises) for training skillful specialists who meet the needs of the agricultural sector of Uzbekistan.

Government bodies (Ministry of Higher and Secondary Specialised Education, Agriculture, Economy and the State Agency for Standardization), industry associations and representatives of the private sector - producers, processors and exporters of agricultural products will attend the session.

This meeting is organized by the “AgroDev” consortium led by the Latvian University of Natural Sciences and Technology, funded by the European Union program “ERASMUS +”.

The AgroDev project aims to strengthen links among universities and agro-food production industry in Uzbekistan and Kyrgyzstan.

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