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AN ECOSYSTEM APPROACH WAS PRESENTED AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ASIA

On April 13, the "Ecosystem-based Adaptation to Climate Change in High Mountainous Regions of Central Asia" (EbA) project was presented at the Khorog campus of the University of Central Asia (UCA) during a meeting of representatives of GBAO organizations and companies with UCA students.

The meeting, organized by UCA, was attended by representatives of 15 international and public organizations, commercial companies and the media. A number of Aga Khan Development Organization structures, Pamir Energy, Tcell, Coca-Cola, Asia Plus, Promotion, CAMP Tabiat, Oxfam, First Microfinance Bank, Oriyonbank, etc. told UCA students about their various activities and offered them to take internships in their organizations.

In particular, a specialist of the Public Fund CAMP Tabiat, Iftikhor Mirshakarov, presented to the participants of the meeting the activities of the Fund, objectives, implementation process and results of the EbA project in Tajikistan. It was noted that the ecosystem approach is a holistic approach to preserving ecosystem functions in order to improve the capacity of local communities to adapt to climate change. Thanks to this approach, people can use the gifts of nature without harming the environment.

The EbA regional project is being implemented by the German Society for International Cooperation (GIZ) in Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan and Tajikistan on behalf of the German Government. In Tajikistan, GIZ's partner in the project is CAMP Tabiat, a branch of the CAMP Alatoo Public Foundation.

