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# Uzbekistan

## List of offices

### Navoiy

Navoiy is a real oasis in the steppe. It is one of the youngest cities in Uzbekistan. The city has great economic value, and it is a large industrial center of the western part of Uzbekistan. One can observe that the city has become a kind of outpost for the reclamation of desert land.

Recently, Navoiy has become one of Uzbekistan's leading industrial centers. This is thanks to various businesses flourishing in the city; for instance, the Navoiy Mining and Metallurgical Plant, which produces gold, the 'Navoiyazot' JSC, specializing in the production of mineral fertilizers, ammonia and artificial fiber, nitron, as well as an electrochemical plant. Among other things, there is Navoiy's TPP, which is the largest in Uzbekistan, 'Kyzylkumcement' JSC, and many other significant industrial facilities.

Recently Navoiy has become the first full-fledged free zone in the CIS – a FEZ (Free Economic Zone).

One of the main objectives of the regional branch of GRATA International in the city of Navoiy is the legal support of national and foreign companies which are involved in business activities in Navoiy, Bukhara and Samarkand regions. The opening of GRATA International's regional branch in Navoiy provides business enterprises of within the city and its neighboring regions with access to high-quality legal services in the countries serviced by GRATA International.

GRATA International is able to offer an array of legal services with which we have considerable experience across a wide range of areas including project finance transactions, corporate M&A services, taxation issues, intellectual property, litigation and international standards in the corporate management sphere, along with many others. Our experience and expertise mean GRATA International can easily solve the existing issues companies may have, and anticipate and deal with potential problems ahead of time.

Our team of lawyers in Uzbekistan includes practitioners who have strong academic backgrounds from prestigious western universities and solid professional experience in their relevant areas.

Our lawyers are ranked on a regular basis by the leading legal ranking agencies, such as Chambers and Partners, Legal 500, IFLR1000, Asia Business Law Journal, Who is Who Legal, Martindale, and others.

### Tashkent

Our team of lawyers in Uzbekistan includes practitioners who have strong academic background from prestigious Western universities and solid professional experience in their relevant areas.

Our reputation as the most reliable advisor in the region results from our continued commitment to the improvement of our services and the firm's unique atmosphere of teamwork, flexibility, creativity and responsiveness.

Based on our considerable experience, we offer a wide range of legal services in a variety of areas, including project finance transactions, corporate mergers and acquisitions, taxation, intellectual property, litigation, and we also follow international standards in corporate management and many others. With such knowledge and experience, we can resolve existing issues and eliminate potential problems of your company.

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We think that it is of the utmost importance that we make ourselves available to our clients 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

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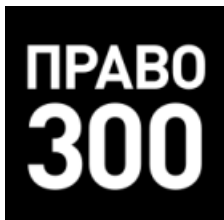
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## Recognition

### Practice areas

Corporate and M&A



**Pravo 300, 2021, II group**



**IFLR 1000, Tier 1, 2017-2019**

Project Finance & Public-Private Partnership (PPP)



**Pravo 300, 2021, I group**



**Chambers Asia-Pacific 2024**

The professional excellence and expertise of GRATA International are confirmed by high positions in the



**IFLR 1000, 2023**

GRATA International has once again secured top rankings in IFLR 1000 for 2023.



**Legal 500 EMEA 2023**

GRATA International maintained its success with strong rankings in Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kazakhstan,

2024 edition of Chambers Asia-Pacific.

Tajikistan, Turkey and Uzbekistan



### IFLR 1000, 2022 (Active)

Securing rankings in IFLR1000, a key international legal directory for project development, GRATA International Uzbekistan confirms its position as one of the leading law firms in the region.



### IFLR 1000, Tire 1, 2022

Securing rankings in IFLR1000, a key international legal directory for financial and corporate law, GRATA International Uzbekistan confirms its position as one of the leading law firms in the region.



### Legal 500 EMEA, Leading Individual (Uzbekistan), 2022

Uzbekistan: Leading Individual – Bakhodir Jabborov



### Legal 500 EMEA, Tier 1, 2022

Kazakhstan  
Commercial, Corporate and M&A,  
Energy & Natural Resources, Real  
Estate and Construction, Tax and  
Customs  
Uzbekistan  
Leading firms



### Legal 500 EMEA 2022

The Legal 500 EMEA 2022 rankings have confirmed GRATA International's role as one of the market leaders in Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan.

**Chambers**  
AND PARTNERS

### Chambers Asia-Pacific 2022

In the rankings, released by Chambers & Partners, GRATA International has confirmed its standing as one of the leading firms in Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan received ratings across major practice areas.



### Legal 500 EMEA 2021, Leading Individual



### Legal 500 EMEA, 2021 Leading firm, Tier 1



### Legal 500, Tier 1, 2020

In Uzbekistan, one of the most

dynamic economies of Central Asia, GRATA International has confirmed its leading positions and topped the country's rankings in Tier 1 for its work in natural resources, banking and finance, and construction.



### Chambers Global 2020

Leading law firms in Eastern Europe and Central Asia

### Chambers & Partners, Band 1, 2020

Sources highlight the firm's team as an "excellent" and "top-notch", going on to describe the lawyers as "really very impressive and extremely user-friendly".

### Legal 500, Leading individual, 2019

Bakhodir Jabborov is noted as an 'exceptional negotiator'.



### Legal 500, Tier 1, 2019

The team at GRATA International is praised for its 'good knowledge of the law', and the close collaboration between offices facilitates an 'international perspective'.

### China Business Law Journal, Deal of the Year, 2016

Deal of the Year – Energy and Natural Resources 2016.

### Chambers & Partners, Ranked lawyer, Band 3, 2019

Atabek Sharipov "is prompt and effective, and focuses on the search for the most effective legal solutions in terms of customer interests".



### Chambers & Partners, Ranked

### Chambers & Partners, Band 1,

## lawyer, Band 2, 2019

Bakhodir Jabborov is described as a "highly skilled lawyer with a wealth of expertise in Uzbek law," by an impressed client.

Nodir Yuldashev "professional with deep knowledge of law and practice".

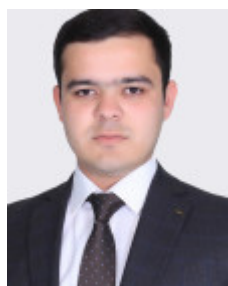
## 2017-2019

"They always find solutions tailored for our needs," emphasises one client.

## Practice areas

[CORPORATE AND M&A](#), [PROJECT FINANCE & PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP \(PPP\)](#)

## International team



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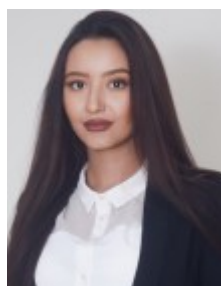
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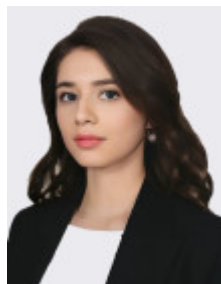
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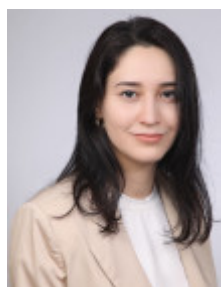
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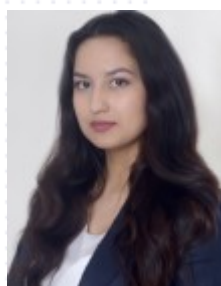
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