

**THE FIRST ACADEMIC WOMAN OF UZBEKISTAN KHADICHA
SULAYMANOVA**

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Honored Scientist, Academician Khadicha Sulaymanova is popular not only in our country, but also in Central Asia and the CIS. There is hardly any person who has not heard or known about only. She was who the first Uzbek woman to master the science of jurisprudence. It is not an exaggeration to say that she left an indelible mark on the judicial system of our country.

In the history of Uzbekistan, there are many examples of talented women who have achieved high ranks in various fields. One of such famous women is the Doctor of Sciences, representative of the Ministry of Justice of the Uzbek SSR, The chairman of the Supreme Court of Uzbek SSR - Khadicha Sulaymanova.

Khadicha Sulaymanova was born in 1913 in Andijan region. From childhood, she was distinguished by intelligence and a desire for knowledge. After graduating higher education from the Institute of Soviet Construction and Law named after Jahan Obidova in Tashkent, she became a lawyer in Tashkent and worked as a prosecutor. In 1956, Khadicha Sulaymanova appointed as the Minister of Justice of the Uzbek SSR. Her appointment is not only a woman's male success in mostly male-dominated area, but also a step towards the modernization of the Soviet government. During her ministry period, significant changes have been made in juridical system, including improvement of legislation and case law.

For many women, this was an incredible achievement. Indeed, at that time, women, as a rule, could not hold high ranks in government positions. But Khadicha Sulaymanova is a talent and she was able to prove that gender does not matter if she wants to achieve her goal.

She successfully worked in the Ministry of Justice for several years led by through her efforts, the number of reforms carried out in the field of justice increased and she served to improve the lives of ordinary citizens. As the first woman chairman of the Supreme Court, she marked an era in history.

Khadicha Sulaymanova was always devoted and fair to her profession and sought to improve the quality of the judiciary system in Uzbekistan. She was active in the preparation of new laws and took part in international conferences and meetings.

Khadicha Sulaymanova also defended women's rights, engaged in providing equal opportunities to them. Her ministry from equal pay for women and discrimination in the workplace laws guaranteeing the right to protection were adopted.

Today, the name Khadicha Sulaymanova is a symbol of success in any field if a woman is truly talented and purposeful. She also preserved the traditions of the Uzbek judicial system and made a great contribution to the development under her leadership. She organized many programs for the modernization of the judicial system of Uzbekistan and helped to implement the projects. But most importantly, Khadija Sulaymanova is a shining example for women in Uzbekistan and beyond who proved that women can achieve high results in any field.

Khadicha Sulaymanova is a wonderful person who inspired a young generation and a nation. She was not only a Doctor of Law, but also a real role model in her personal life. Her professional achievements were remarkable. She was always in the interest of people who worked for her and tried to help in any situation. Her knowledge and experience in the field of law was invaluable and her ability to analyze and find solutions for complex situations was impeccable.

This year, the 111th anniversary of Khadicha Sulaymanova is widely celebrated. Although her life was short, she devoted it in the judicial system reforms, wrote textbooks and scientific works that still have their importance today.