



Moderator: Qodirzoda Sadi Sanginmurod - Chairman of the State Committee on Investments and State Property Management of the Republic of Tajikistan

Date: September 29-30, 2023

Location: Republic of Tajikistan, Dushanbe city

- Opening ceremony of the Forum - “Kokhi- Istiklol”
- Panel sessions - National Library of Tajikistan

Time	Event
07 ³⁰ – 09 ⁰⁰	Registration of Forum participants
09 ⁰⁰ – 10 ³⁰	Official opening ceremony of the Forum by the leadership of the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan;
	Opening remarks by high-ranking guests;
	Opening speech by the Founder of Peace and National Unity, Leader of the Nation, President of the Republic of Tajikistan, His Excellency <i>Emomali Rahmon</i> (video message);
	Opening speech by the Chairman of the Majlisi Milli, Majlisi Oli of the Republic of Tajikistan, Chairman of the city of Dushanbe, His Excellency <i>Rustami Emomali</i> ;
	Opening speech by the Prime Minister of the Republic of Tajikistan, His Excellency <i>Kohir Rasulzoda</i> ;
	Opening speech by the Prime Minister of the Republic of Azerbaijan, His Excellency <i>Ali Asadov</i> ;
	Opening speech by the Deputy Prime Minister of the Russian Federation, His Excellency <i>Marat Shakirzyanovich Khusnulin</i> ;
	Opening speech by the Deputy Prime Minister, Chief of Staff of the Government of the Republic of Kazakhstan, His Excellency <i>Koishybayev Galymzhan Telmanovich</i> ;

	Opening speech by the Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Economy and Finance of the Republic of Uzbekistan, His Excellency <i>Kuchkarov Jamshid Anvarovich</i> ;
	Opening remarks by the Managing Director of the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, honorable <i>Zsuzsanna Hargitai</i> ;
	Demonstration of the video “Investment opportunities in Tajikistan”;
10 ³⁰ – 10 ⁴⁰	Closing ceremony of the official part of the Forum;
11 ⁰⁰ - 12 ⁰⁰	Visit to the exhibition (<i>Expo Center</i>);
12 ⁰⁰ - 13 ³⁰	Lunch - <i>Hyatt Hotel</i> ;
13 ³⁰ – 14 ⁰⁰	Transfer to the National Library of Tajikistan;
14 ⁰⁰ – 17 ⁰⁰	Panels and B2B meetings
National Library of Tajikistan	
Panel No. 1/2	<p style="text-align: center;">"Investment opportunities in Dushanbe city and accelerated industrialization"</p> <p>Topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achievements of the capital during the period of independence; • Investment opportunities of the city in the areas of education, healthcare, tourism, water supply and sanitation, heating networks, as well as in the development of accelerated industrialization; • Joint projects with the People's Republic of China, the Russian Federation, the United Arab Emirates, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Republic of Belarus and Australia; • The role of information and communication technologies and artificial intelligence in the development of the economic and social spheres of the capital; • Questions and answers; • Signing cooperation documents.
<p>Moderator: Deputy Chairman of Dushanbe city, respected <i>Abdurakhmonzoda Abdurahmon Safarali</i>.</p> <p>Welcome words:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcoming speech on behalf of Executive body of the State Power of Dushanbe city; • Welcome speech by the Mayor of Qingdao - respected <i>Zhao Haozhi</i>; • Welcome speech by the First Deputy Minister of Industry and New Technologies of the Republic of Tajikistan - respected <i>Kurbonzoda Isojon Yatim</i>; • Welcome speech by the Secretary General of the Asian Forum of Mayors - respected <i>Hamid Riza Gulamzade</i>; 	

Speakers:

- Speech by the Deputy Chairman of Dushanbe city - respected *Odilzoda Dilbar Rahim*;
- Speech by the Deputy Chairman of the Minsk City Executive Committee - respected *Alexander Vladimirovich Chernikov*;
- Speech by the Deputy Chairman of Dushanbe city - respected *Salomzoda Sidjouddin*;
- Speech by the trade representative of the Russian Federation in the Republic of Tajikistan - respected *Korenkov Evgeniy Anatolyevich*;
- Speech by the General Director of the Zhicun Lithium Group - respected *Zhu Lei*;
- Speech by the director of Avesta Group LLC on attracting investment and international relations - respected *Azonov Bezhan*;
- Speech by the President of AJG Holding of the United Arab Emirates - respected *Abduljabbar Abdullah Ali Gargash*;
- Speech by the General Director of JSC TBEA of the People's Republic of China in the Republic of Tajikistan - respected *Wang Yang Bao*;
- Speech by the Minister of Investment and Development of the Sverdlovsk Region of the Russian Federation - respected *Vadim Valerievich Tretyakov*;
- Speech by the executive director of Lithium Europe - respected *Mikhailo Zhernov*;
- Speech by the representative of the company "Pakhtai Tojikiston" - respected *Bazoev Sergey Zakrbekovich*;
- Speech by the Chairman of the Artificial Intelligence Council under the Ministry of Industry and New Technologies of the Republic of Tajikistan - respected *Azizjon Azimi*;
- Speech by the director of the State Unitary Enterprise "Smart City" – respected *Samadzod Sadi*.

Panel No. 3

“Tajikistan is a country of green energy, private sector participation in the development of the energy sector”

• Topics:

- Energy market of Tajikistan and the process of it's formation;
- Involvement of the private sector in the energy sector with a focus on renewable energy sources;
- Possible forms of cooperation in the energy sector (example: PPP);
- Questions and answers.

- **Moderator:** Minister of Energy and Water Resources of the Republic of Tajikistan - honorable *Daler Juma Shofakir*.

Speakers:

- Opening speech by the Minister of Energy and Water Resources of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Daler Juma Shofakir*;
- Opening speech by the head of the USAID mission in the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Peter Riley*;
- Speech by the Executive Director of MW Energy limited - UAE, respected Mr. *Abdullah Zaid*;
- Speech by the technical director of the USAID project in Central Asia, respected Mr. *Oleg Ryaskov*;
- Speech by the IFC representative, respected Mr. *Rustam Shamuradov*;
- Speech by the Executive Director of “FAS Energy” Saudi Arabia, respected Mr. *Sabri Asfour*;
- Speech by the Executive Director of Elsewedy International Business for Projects, respected Mr. *Amr Zaki*;
- Speech by the General Director of JSC “TAUZ Hydro”, respected Mr. *Abduvakil Rasulov*;
- Speech by the Advisor to the General JSC “Tajikhydroelectromontazh”, respected Mr. *Mahmud Burikhonov*;

“ The role of the financial system in business development and attracting investment”

Panel No. 4

Topics:

- Investment opportunities in the country's banking system;
- The role of the banking system in business development;
- Experience of credit institutions in financing important areas of the economy and attracting foreign investments;
- Islamic banking in the Republic of Tajikistan. Opportunities and prospects for the development of its future activities;
- Insurance market in the development of business and investment activities;
- Development of non-cash payments and modern means of payment in the Republic of Tajikistan;
- Questions and answers.

Moderator : Chairman of the National Bank of Tajikistan – honorable *Hokim Kholiqzoda*.

Speakers:

- Performance Chairman of the National Bank of Tajikistan, respected *Khokim Kholikzoda*;
- Speech by the Director of the Banking Supervision Department of the National Bank of Tajikistan, respected *Zafar Abdulloev*;
- Acting Chairman of the Board of Bank Eskhata, respected *Akmal Sayiddinov*;
- Speech by the Chairman of the Board of Tavkhidbank , respected *Sherali Zardov*;
- Speech by the Head of the NBT Insurance Supervision Department, respected *Dilbar Khuseynova*;
- Speech by the General Director of the insurance company BIMA, respected *Nematjon Jamoliddinov*;
- Speech by the director of the insurance company “ Spitamem” Insurance ", respected *Buzurgjamil Rakhmonov*;
- Speech by the head of the NBT department, respected *Shukhrat Salokhiddinov*;
- Speech by the permanent representative of the IFC in the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Farrukh Sultanov*;
- Signing ceremony of the Roadmap between IFC and NBT.

Panel No. 5

“Development of green economy, digitalization and free economic zones in the Republic of Tajikistan”

- **Topics :**
- Investment opportunities of free economic zones in Tajikistan;
- Digitalization of the national economy and it’s significance;
- Green economy opportunities in the Republic of Tajikistan
- Presentation of the “Single Window” project for free economic zones;
- Speech and representation of subjects of free economic zones;
- Questions and answers.

Moderator: First Deputy Minister of Economic Development and Trade of the Republic of Tajikistan - respected *Ashurboy Solehzoda*.

Speakers:

- Opening speech by the First Deputy Minister of Economic Development and Trade of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Solehzoda Ashurboy*;
 - Speech by the head of the main department of real sectors of the economy of the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Akhadzoda B.*;
 - Speech by the head of the digital economy department of the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *F. Soliev .;*
 - Economic development and digitalization in Zhejiang Province, China respected Zhu Jun. - Zhejiang Provincial Department of Commerce, Deputy Chairman, Chief Economist;
 - Speech by a representative of Alif LLC Bank ", respected *Shamilova A.*;
 - Institutional investors' views on ESG and sustainable finance: global and national context;
 - Respected Turaev B. - Expert on environmental, social issues and corporate governance;
 - Speech by the representative of the “Digital Platform ELECTROOPT”, respected *Fateev A.*;
 - Speech by the director of the Kaspersky Lab department in Central Asia and Mongolia, respected *V. Zubanov .;*
 - Speech by the head of the department of MST System LLC, respected *Kapitkin D.*;
 - Speech by the Head of the Administration of Free Economic Zones of the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Dzh. Huseynov .;*
 - Speech by the first deputy director of KF Fortuna Co LLC, respected *Umarov M.*;
- Questions and answers.

“Investment opportunities in agriculture, production and export of environmentally friendly agricultural products to international markets”

• **Topics :**

- Agribusiness value chain;
- Creation of production clusters in the field of agriculture

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- and their significance;
- Benefits for the production and export of agricultural products;
 - Ensuring of food security;
 - Modern ways to provide the agro-industrial complex with modern technology;
 - Digitalization of the agricultural sector;
 - Ways to enter global agricultural markets
 - Attracting foreign investments to agricultural sector;
 - Questions and answers.

Moderator: Deputy Minister of Agriculture of the Republic of Tajikistan – respected *Nigina Anvari*.

Speakers:

- Opening speech by the Minister of Agriculture of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Kurbon Xakimzoda*;
- Opening speech by the Minister of Agriculture and Food of the Republic of Belarus, respected *Sergey Bartosh*;
- Opening speech by the Director of the Export Agency under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Sirochiddinzoda Bakhriddin*;

Successful investment projects and investment opportunities:

Moderator: respected *Muminov Muhammadi*.

- Speech by Deputy General Director of Marmari LLC respected *Khakimov Zafar*;
- Speech by entrepreneur Innovation Farm, respected *Jeffrey Dylan*;
- Speech by the General Director of Juntai Khatlon Sin-Silu CJSC, respected *Cheng Wang*;
- Speech by the President of the Friendship Association : “Republic of Korea – Central Asian Countries”;

Plenary discussion of the main issues of improving the investment climate in agriculture: the vision of development partners

Moderator – Parviz Khakimov.

- Speech by ACDI-VOCA Consultant, respected *Daler Ikromov*;
- Speech by Senior Research Fellow, International Food Policy Research Institute, respected *Komiljon Akramov*;
- Speech by the representative of the Aga Khan Foundation in Tajikistan, respected *Kishvar Abdulalishoev*.

The main provisions for creating an environment for the introduction of digital methods in agriculture in the Republic of Tajikistan:

- Speech by the Director of the Center for Professional Development of Personnel in Agriculture in partnership with the Project on Agriculture and Land Management, respected *Asadullozoda Izatullo*;
- Summing up the agreements reached.

Panel No. 7

"Development of transport, logistics and transport communications"

• **Topics:**

- Proposal of priority industry projects;
- Development of transport networks according to international standards;
- Introduction of multifaceted logistics services - transit opportunities of Tajikistan;
- Modernization and development of the railway transport network;
- Development of urban transport infrastructure;
- Opportunities for logistics service providers;
- Questions and answers.

- **Moderator** : Minister of Transport of the Republic of Tajikistan, honorable *Azim Ibrohim*.

Speakers:

- Opening remarks by the Minister of Transport of the Republic of Tajikistan respected *Azim Ibrokhim*;
- Opening remarks by the Deputy Chairman of Dushanbe city, respected *Saidzoda Firdavs*;
- Speech by the Director of the GU NAHL, respected *Salomzoda Rakhmiddin*;
- Speech by the Head of the Department of International Cooperation and Projects of the GU NAHL, respected *Gulyamzod Kamol*;
- Acting speech Director of the ABBAT Association, respected *Shokirov Siyovush*;
- Speech by the director of the administration of the FEZ "Kulyab", respected *Abdullozoda Mustafo*;
- Speech by the director of the railway department of the Ministry of Transport of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Sohibnazarzoda S.*;
- Speech by the director of the head of the cargo transportation service of the State Unitary Enterprise "ROT", respected *Odinaev Rajabmurod*;
- Speech by Deputy Director of the Directorate of International Transport

Corridors, respected *Sergei Sergeevich Saburov*;

Questions and answers.

Summing up: Minister of Transport of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Azim Ibrohim*;

Panel No. 8

“ Investment opportunities in the healthcare sector, prospects for the development of pharmaceuticals and private medicine in the Republic of Tajikistan”

• **Topics:**

- Attracting domestic and foreign investment in the development of domestic production of medicines and medical products;
- Strengthening cooperation in creating joint ventures for the production of medicines and medical products with the participation of foreign investments;
- Creation of new enterprises for the production of medicines and medical products using modern technologies and the creation of new jobs;
- Increasing production of export-oriented competitive products;
- Attracting investments for the development of private medical infrastructure;
- Import of modern medical equipment;
- Priority in using the country’s natural capabilities in improving the health and presentation of waters and medicinal plants of Tajikistan;
- Coordination of implementation of activities for the development of health tourism;
- Questions and answers.

Moderator: Minister of Health and Social Protection of the Population of the Republic of Tajikistan - respected *Jamoliddin Abdulozoda*.

Speakers:

- Opening speech by the Minister of Health and Social Protection of the Population of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Jamoliddin Abdulozoda*;
- Speech by the Chairman of the Association of Pharmacists of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Sayfulloev Fayziddin*;
- Speech by the director of Avvalin LLC, respected *Gadoev Manuchehr*;
- Speech by the director of the company “ASRE SANAT ATBEEN MEDICAL DEVICES” of the Islamic Republic of Iran, respected *Muhamad*

Gulistoni;

- Speech by the director of the company “SmartNetwork Technology” of the Arab Republic of Egypt, respected *Assin Nounir Abdulkhalin;*
 - Speech by the director of the Medical Instrumental Plant named after. M. Gorky” of the Russian Federation, respected *Kostin Artem Mikhailovich;*
 - Speech by Professor of the National Academy of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Mukhiddinov Zainiddin;*
 - Speech by technical specialist of the regional office HERE for Europe, respected *Staanislav Knyazkov;*
 - Speech by the representative of OJSC “Sanatorium Shohambari”, respected *Ahmadzoda Umed;*
 - Speech by the Chairman of the “Fund for the Development of Private Medicine of Tajikistan”, respected *Kurbonov Shamsuddin;*
- Questions and answers;
Summing up: Minister of Health and Social Protection of the Population of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Jamoliddin Abdulozoda.*

Panel No. 9

**“Tajikistan is a country of tourism.
Opportunities for industry development”**

• **Topics:**

- Improving the regulatory framework of the tourism industry and industry reform;
- Privileges of the tourism industry;
- Presentation of tourism investment projects;
- Development of tourism infrastructure, as an important factor in the effective use of tourism resources and opportunities
- Priority tourist destinations in Tajikistan;
- Tourism brand: - The process of attracting capital to the economy of Tajikistan;
- Effective use of mineral waters, herbs and healing potential of the country;
- Presentation of the possibilities of medical tourism and sanatoriums of the republic, ways to attract more foreign tourists on medical trips to Tajikistan;
- Questions and answers.

Moderator: First Deputy Chairman of the Committee for Tourism Development under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan - respected *Rustam Kholmatiyon;*

Speakers:

- Speech by Deputy Head of the Department for Tourism Development Committee for Tourism Development under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Sayyod Qodirzoda*;
- Performance Head of Department of the International University of Tourism and Entrepreneurship Tajikistan, Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences, respected *Qodirzoda Fazliddin*;
- Speech by the manager of Sayohati Diyor LLC, respected *Saidov Umed*;
- Speech by the director of Sayri Buston LLC, respected *Inoyatov Kahramon*;
- Speech by the coordinator of the project “Rural Economic Development” Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Makhmadiev Ilkhom*;
- Speech by IFC representative, her excellency *Madina Nurmatova*;

Speakers (online) :

- Representative of the Republic of Turkmenistan, director of the travel company “Bagtyyar Dostlar”, respected *Sadykov Ruslan*;
- Representative of a travel company from the Russian Federation (to be confirmed);
- Representative of a travel company from the Republic of Uzbekistan (to be confirmed);
- ADB Representative (to be confirmed);

Summing up: First Deputy Chairman of the Committee for Tourism Development under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected *Rustam Kholmatiyon*;

Big hall	Summing up the results of the Forum: <u>Moderator:</u> respected Qodirzoda Sadi Sanginmurod - Chairman of the State Committee on Investments and State Property Management of the Republic of Tajikistan. Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minister of Agriculture of the Republic of Tajikistan; • Chairman of the National Bank of Tajikistan; • Chairman of the Committee for Tourism Development under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan; Director of State Unitary Enterprise "Smart City".
	17 ³⁰ – 18 ³⁰ Bilateral meetings (B2B) - (B2G)
	18 ⁰⁰ Dinner and cultural program - (<i>Kokhi Nowruz</i>)
September 30, 2023 (<i>day two</i>)	
Participants have the opportunity to choose one of the following three destinations to visit	
8 ³⁰	<i>Meeting near the hotel</i>
I - first group (according to the list)	
9 ⁰⁰	Departure to the city of Nurek
9 ⁰⁰ – 15 ⁰⁰ <i>(including lunch)</i>	Information about the city: Nurek is a city in the south of Tajikistan with energy potential and a centuries-old history. The book “Tajiks” mentions that people lived here back in the Stone Age. Forty thousand finds that historians found during the excavations of Nurek are awaiting study and conclusions from specialists. The city of Nurek has a rich historical and cultural heritage and natural resources, which contributes to the development of domestic tourism and the reception of foreign tourists. The special nature, lakes, springs and medicinal drinking water are attractive for tourism and occupy a special place in its development in the country. The Nurek hydroelectric power station, built in the city of Nurek, with 9 hydraulic units with a design capacity of

	300,000 kW, is one of the most interesting places
15 ⁰⁰	Return to Dushanbe and hotel accommodation
II - second group (according to the list)	
9 ⁰⁰	Movement towards the city of Tursunzade
9 ⁰⁰ – 15 ⁰⁰ <i>(including lunch)</i>	Information about the city: The city of Tursunzade is one of the industrial centers of Tajikistan, located 65 km west of the city of Dushanbe. The area is 24,560 km ² . Representatives of different nationalities live in Tursunzoda. The city of Tursunzade is a land of high snow-capped mountains, flowering valleys, vineyards and rich fruits
15 ⁰⁰	Return to Dushanbe and hotel accommodation
III - third group (according to the list)	
9 ⁰⁰	Movement towards industrial enterprises of the city of Dushanbe
9 ⁰⁰ – 15 ⁰⁰ <i>(including lunch)</i>	Information about the industrial zone: In September 2018, the Founder of national peace and unity, Leader of the nation, President of the Republic of Tajikistan, respected Emomali Rahmon, laid the first stone for the construction of the Dushanbe industrial zone. The industrial zone of the city of Dushanbe was put into operation in two stages with the opening of industrial enterprises, and currently there are 13 companies operating in the area, including the Vahdat Textile Company, Asrori Sang Company, Stone Company, GreenGold Company ", Shahzoda Company, Dushanbe Carpets Company, Khuriya Company, Electrical Engineering and Safety Company, Firuz Binokor Company, Favvora Company, Ravgan Company, Sharapov Company and Lazzat Company , which steadily contribute to providing the domestic market with domestic products
15 ⁰⁰	Return and hotel accommodation
Accompanying guests along a given route	