



## AGENDA ONLINE EDUCATIONAL FORUM

"Digitalization and education in the context of the Covid-19 pandemic: practices and innovations in higher education in Bulgaria and Central Asia (Kazakhstan, Uzbekistan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan) and Iran »

Date: Saturday, May 29th, 2021

Time: 11:00 (Bulgarian time) / 13:00 (Uzbek time)

Venue: Zoom Platform Working language: English

Organizers: Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski, Bulgaria; Bukhara State

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10.50-11.00 (Bg time) 12.50-13.00 (Uzbek time)	Online registration (by chat)  Presentation of the culture of Bulgaria — Short Promotional Video
11:00-11:05 (Bg time) 13:00-13:05 (Uzbek time)	Words of Welcome Violeta Dobichina, Director Al-Farabi Scientific Educational and Cultural Center, Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski MODERATOR:Ass.Prof. Feruza Khajieva,PhD,Bukhara State University
11:05-11:10 (Bg time) 13:05-13:10 (Uzbek time)	Words of Welcome  Prof. Dr. Madeleine Danova, Dean of the Department of Classical and Modern Philology, Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski, Bulgaria
11:10-11:15 (Bg time) 13:10-13:15 (Uzbek time)	Words of Welcome Prof., D.Sc.(Econ.) Obidjon Khamidov, Rector, Bukhara State University
11:15-11:25 (Bg time) 13:15-13:25 (Uzbek time)	<b>Keynote speech</b> "Digital transformation catalyzed by COVID-19 pandemic: challenges and solutions" <b>Prof. Eliza Stefanova , PhD</b> , Vice Rector of Information Activities and Academic Staff, Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski
11:25-11:35 (Bg time) 13:25-13:35 (Uzbek time)	Presentation of the culture of Uzbekistan Bukhara State University, Short Promotional Video
11:35-11:50 (Bg time) 13:35-13:50 (Uzbek time)	Keynote speech "Digitalization and internationalization of education in Uzbekistan in the context of COVID-19 pandemic" Prof. Abror Juraev, PhD, Vice-rector for International Cooperation, Bukhara State University
11:50-12:00 (Bg time) 13:50-14:00 (Uzbek time)	Keynote speech "Foreign language teaching in the system of public education of Uzbekistan during COVID-19 pandemic " Laziz Khujakulov, Head of Department, Ministry of Public Education
12:00-12:10 (Bg time) 14:00-14:10 (Uzbek time)	Keynote speech "Experience of TashPMI in organizing educational and practical activities in the context of COVID-19 challenges " Ass. Prof.Sobir Nurkhodjaev, Dean of International Faculty, Tashkent Pediatric Medical Institute
12:10-12:30 (Bg time) 14:10-14:30 (Uzbek time)	Q&A session (answers to questions received from the chat box)
12:30-12:40 (Bg time) 14:30-14:40 (Uzbek time)	closing remarks Prof. Dr. Ivo Panov, Director of the Center for Oriental Languages and Cultures, Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski