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## PROGRAM

### ONLINE EDUCATIONAL FORUM

#### "Bulgaria and Central Asia: a dialogue of cultures in a digital environment (Bulgaria , Kazakhstan, Uzbekistan)"

**Date:** Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024

**Time:** 12:00 (Uzbek time)

10:00 (Bulgarian time)

**Venue:** Zoom Platform:

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**Working language:** English//Russian

**Organizers:** *Bukhara State University, Uzbekistan*

11:50-12:00 (Uzbek time) 9.50-10.00 (Bg time) 11:50-12:00 (Kazakh time)	Online registration (by chat)
12:00-12:05 (Uzbek time) 10:00-10:10 (Bg time) 12:00-10:10 (Kazakh time)	<b>Words of Welcome</b> <i>Violeta Dobichina, Director Al-Farabi Scientific Educational and Cultural Center, Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski</i> <b>MODERATOR: Shakhnoza Rakhimova, MA student of Bukhara State University, Uzbekistan</b>
12:05-12:15 (Uzbek time) 10:05-10:15 (Bg time)	<b>Words of Welcome</b> <i>Prof. Reneta Bozhankova, PhD, Vice Rector for International Affairs, Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski</i> <b>Associate Prof. Abror Juraev, PhD, Vice Rector for International Cooperation, Bukhara State University, Uzbekistan</b>
12:15-10:30 (Uzbek time) 10:15-10:30 (Bg time)	<b>Keynote speech</b> 1. <b>Associate Prof. Zubaydullo Rasulov, DSc, and Otabek Murtazoyev, MA student, Head of English Linguistics Department, Faculty of Foreign Languages, Bukhara State University, Uzbekistan</b> <i>Topic of Presentation: Magnificent Heritage of Uzbekistan's Architecture</i> 2. <b>Associate Prof. Feruza Khajieva, DSc, and Shakhnoza Rakhimova, MA student, English Literature and Translation Studies Department, Faculty of Foreign Languages, Bukhara State University, Uzbekistan</b> <i>Topic of Presentation: Uzbek Ikat: Khon Atlas and Adras</i>

<p>12:30-13:50 (Uzbek time)</p> <p>10:30-11:50 (Bg time)</p>	<p><b>Presentation of the culture of Uzbekistan</b>  <i>List of presentations in English in order of presentation:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Associate Prof. Orzigul Ganieva</b>, PhD, and <b>Nigina Ashurova</b>, MA student, English Literature and Translation Studies Department, Faculty of Foreign Languages, Bukhara State University, Uzbekistan of Bukhara State University  <i>Topic of Presentation: Mavrigi – a Cultural Heritage of Uzbek Nation</i></li> <li>2. <b>Associate Prof. Mukhayyo Saidova</b>, PhD, English Linguistics Department, and <b>Zarina Boborakhimova</b>, BA student, Faculty of Foreign Languages, Bukhara State University, Uzbekistan of Bukhara State University  <i>Topic of Presentation: Radiant Elegance: The Art of Uzbek National Jewelry</i></li> <li>3. <b>Gulrukh Kendjaeva</b>, PhD, English Literature and Translation Studies Department, Faculty of Foreign Languages, Bukhara State University, Uzbekistan  <i>Topic of Video Presentation: Ancient Crafts of Bukhara: Suzane Embroidery and Carpet Weaving Traditions</i></li> <li>4. <b>Sharifa Usmonova</b>, Teacher, English Literature and Translation Studies Department, Faculty of Foreign Languages, Bukhara State University, Uzbekistan  <i>Topic of Presentation: Kalyan Minaret – the History and Mystique of Bukhara</i></li> <li>5. <b>Iroda Khamidova</b> and <b>Shakhnoza Tolibova</b>, MA students of Double Degree Program: Sofia University and Bukhara State University, Uzbekistan  <i>Topic of Presentation: Exploring Uzbek Cultural Heritage</i></li> <li>6. <b>Kamila Khikmatova</b> and <b>Diyora Zairova</b>, MA students of Double Degree Program: Sofia University and Bukhara State University, Uzbekistan  <i>Topic of Presentation: Uzbek Cuisine: A Culinary Journey Through Central Asian Delights</i></li> <li>7. <b>Nilufar Ruzieva</b>, Teacher of English Literature and Translation Studies Department, and <b>Shakhnoza Shodieva</b>, <b>Ferangiz Khalilova</b>, Students of Faculty of Foreign Languages, Bukhara State University, Uzbekistan  <i>Topic of Video Presentation: Bukhara as a Pearl of Central Asia</i></li> </ol>
<p>13:55-14:00 (Uzbek time)</p> <p>11:55-12:00 (Bg time)</p>	<p><b>Q&amp;A session (answers to questions received from the chat box)</b></p>
	<p><b>Closing remarks</b></p>