



RUSSIA – ISLAMIC WORLD KAZANFORUM 2024

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**XV INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC
FORUM OF RUSSIA
AND OIC COUNTRIES “KAZANFORUM” 2024**



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VLADIMIR PUTIN

PRESIDENT OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION

Dear friends!

I would like to welcome the participants and guests of the XV International Economic Forum "Russia – Islamic World", which is hospitably hosted by Kazan.

Tatarstan has once again clearly demonstrated its abundant potential and strong commitment to progress in various areas. The region's achievements in the economy, social sphere, science and culture are truly impressive and serve as tangible proof of the significant contribution that Russian Muslims, representing all ethnic groups living in the Republic, make to the development of the Fatherland. It strengthens country's sovereignty and its influence in the world, and ensuring stability and harmony in our society.

Russia values its traditionally friendly ties with Muslim countries. We highly appreciate their desire to pursue an independent foreign policy and enhance their role in the international affairs. Together, we stand for the formation of a democratic multipolar world order, based on the rule of law and principles of justice, free from any form of dictatorship and discrimination. Indeed, we are also committed to expanding mutually beneficial cooperation in all areas, from trade and investment to sports and tourism.

We believe the next meeting of the Russia – Islamic World Strategic Vision Working Group, organised together with representatives of the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation, is of great importance. It is also essential that Russia's interaction with this powerful international association on current issues of the regional and global agenda is progressing.

I believe that the Forum will be fruitful and meaningful as always and will be held in a true spirit of openness and trust. It will serve to further promote the friendship and creative partnership between our countries and peoples.



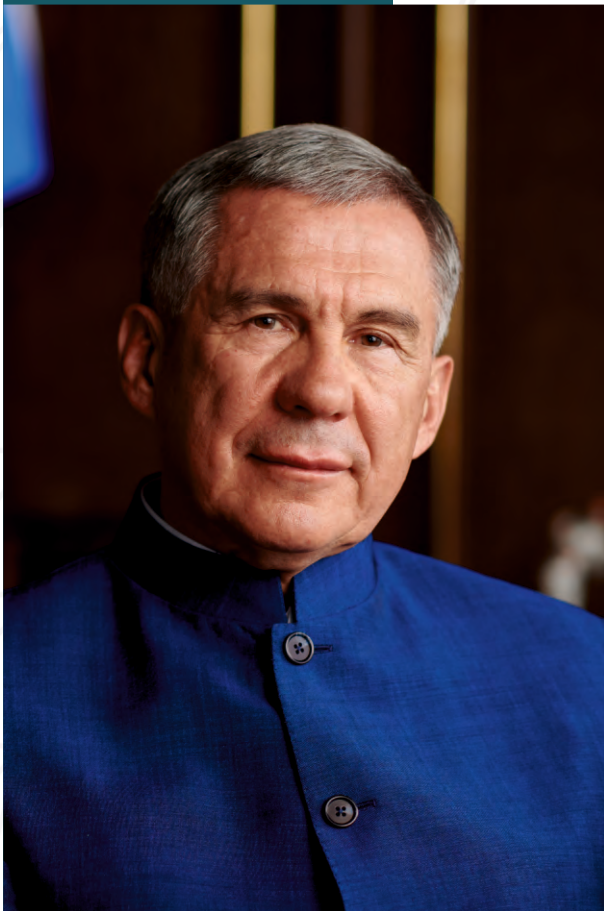
MARAT KHUSNULLIN

**DEPUTY CHAIRMAN OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION CHAIRPERSON
OF THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE FOR THE KAZANFORUM**

It is my great pleasure to welcome the participants of the International Economic Forum
"Russia – Islamic World: KazanForum"!

Russia continues to build up cooperation with Islamic states, as well as tighten our economic and friendly relationships. It is gratifying to note that during these turbulent times Islamic countries continue boosting the constructive dialogue with the Russian Federation. We may state with confidence that our relations open up new opportunities. We see the support of Islamic states, as well as their understanding of our position and willingness to cooperate. By decision of the Russian President the International Economic Forum "Russia – Islamic World: KazanForum" has become a federal event along with the St. Petersburg Forum and Far East Forum.

I believe that Kazan Forum, having a new status, will allow us achieving tangible results and discover new opportunities of interaction in such fields as economy, finance, trade, society, culture, and religion. I would like to wish productive work to all of the participants.



RUSTAM MINNIKHANOV

RAIS (HEAD) OF THE REPUBLIC OF TATARSTAN

Esteemed guests! Welcome to Tatarstan!

I extend my warmest greetings to you in hospitable Kazan at the XV International Economic Forum “Russia – Islamic World: KazanForum”.

Over the years, the Forum has become an effective platform for interaction with the countries of the Islamic world. It is gratifying that in 2023, by presidential decree, President of the Russian Federation Vladimir Vladimirovich Putin designated KazanForum a federal status.

In today's realities, cooperation with the Islamic world has reached a new level. Russia is committed to comprehensive cooperation with the member states of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation, sharing traditional spiritual and moral values and promoting interreligious, intercultural dialogue, and understanding. As part of the XV International Economic Forum “Russia – Islamic World: KazanForum”, another session of the Strategic Vision Group “Russia – Islamic World” will take place. This year, the session is dedicated to the 55th anniversary of the OIC foundation. I am convinced that the activities of the Strategic Vision Group “Russia – Islamic World” and KazanForum will further contribute to strengthening the interaction between the business communities of Russia and Muslim countries.

KazanForum-2024 stands out with a highly topical program. It is compiled based on the experience of previous editions and features business and cultural events. The Forum introduces new topics for discussion that will spark the interest of all the participants. It is planned to have over 200 events embracing such areas as international cooperation, Islamic finance, human resource development, science and technology, halal industry, infrastructure development, and business.

At the Russia Halal Expo exhibition, leading global companies will showcase industrial, scientific, and technological potential.

At the Kazan Halal Market Fair, there will be a culinary show featuring chefs from Islamic countries.

I am confident that each of you will discover something new, explore the world of the modern halal industry, and most importantly, gain invaluable experiences from interacting with like-minded people. I sincerely wish all forum participants fruitful work, new business connections, and, of course, successful implementation of new projects.

VALENTINA MATVIENKO

CHAIRMAN OF THE FEDERATION COUNCIL OF THE FEDERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION

On behalf of the Federation Council of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation and on my own behalf, I welcome the participants and guests of the International Economic Forum “Russia – Islamic World: KazanForum”.

Over the years, the Forum has become an influential and sought-after platform for deepening the dialogue between Russia and countries of the Muslim world. Both bilateral interstate relations and cooperation through the Organization of Islamic Cooperation are actively evolving.

Russia places special emphasis on further expansion and strengthening of the relations with Muslim states. Our country is a vivid example of fruitful centuries-long cooperation and mutual understanding between the representatives of different nationalities, religions and cultures. Islam professing people have made a significant contribution to the development of Russia over the centuries. We are united by common approaches to the formation of a more just multipolar world order. We share the commitment to be guided by the generally recognized principles and norms of international law set forward in the Charter of the United Nations. Our nations stand together in rejection of attempts to impose on the international community a unipolar, essentially neocolonial world order, based on the unilateral dictate of Washington and a narrow circle of its satellites.

Russia stands for strengthening the role of the states of the Islamic world in regional and world affairs. In this regard, we welcome the initiative to invite largest Muslim states to join BRICS and look forward to their active participation in the events as part of the Russian chairmanship in this association in 2024.

It is my strong confidence that the International Economic Forum “Russia – Islamic World: KazanForum” will give a new impetus to the development of mutually beneficial cooperation between the constituents of the Russian Federation and the regions of the member states of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation, including collaboration in such important areas as economy and tourism, science and technology, finance and investment.

I wish you success and prosperity, and the speedy implementation of the agreements reached at the Forum for the benefit of our countries' people.

ELVIRA NABIULLINA

HEAD OF THE CENTRAL BANK OF RUSSIA

The economy is going through a period of deep structural transformation. This requires significant financial resources. We are actively developing new instruments that can be used, among other things, to finance projects for technological modernization of the economy. The development of partner financial instruments in Russia could become an additional investment vector.

Starting September 1, 2023, we launched a two-year experiment on the use of such instruments in four regions: the Republic of Bashkortostan, the Republic of Dagestan, the Republic of Tatarstan and the Chechen Republic. The experiment will help determine the scale of demand for such services among market participants and facilitate their availability for Russian citizens as well as small and medium-sized businesses.

In addition, partner financial instruments may create conditions for attracting foreign investment and expanding the geography of foreign trade.

DATUK AZMAN MOHD YUSOF

SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE MINISTRY OF NATIONAL UNITY OF MALAYSIA

On behalf of the Malaysia officials who attended the KazanForum, I would like to express my highest appreciation to the organizer for inviting the Malaysian delegates to participate in the program.

As a panel speaker, I experienced various opportunities to further interact and collaborate with various international groups that could benefit the future economic enhancement among participating countries.

The forum also could be considered as a main platform to become a consultative tool that expose the advantage of the Halal Industry that would become an important part of the Russian economy and meet the global needs.

In addition, participants should also take advantage of exploring the beauty of the culture and art through the extensive excursion program and to learn about Russia and its regions.

To recapitulate, the KazanForum is the gateway to lots of opportunities related to social economic collaborations.

KAZANFORUM



MORE THAN
20 000
PEOPLE

87
COUNTRIES



87 REGIONS
OF THE RUSSIAN
FEDERATION

40
DIPLOMATIC
MISSIONS



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MEETING OF THE "RUSSIA – ISLAMIC WORLD“ STRATEGIC VISION GROUP

TOPIC: “RUSSIA – ISLAMIC WORLD: A FAIR MULTIPOLAR WORLD ORDER AND SECURE DEVELOPMENT”

MORE THAN

120
PARTICIPANTS

45
COUNTRIES

83
GUESTS
OF HONOR

38 DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS
OF THE OIC MEMBER
STATES



HONORARY GUESTS OF THE MEETING:

- ▶ **Marat Khusnullin** - Deputy Prime Minister of the Russian Federation, Chairman of the Organizing Committee for the preparation and holding of the International Economic Forum “Russia – Islamic World: KazanForum”
- ▶ **Rustam Minnikhanov** – Rais of the Republic of Tatarstan, Chairman of the Strategic Vision Group “Russia – Islamic world”
- ▶ **Gurbanguly Berdimuhamedov** – National Leader of the Turkmen people, Chairman of the Khalk Maslakhaty of Turkmenistan
- ▶ **Konstantin Kosachev** – Deputy Chairman of the Federation Council
- ▶ **Leonid Slutsky** – Chairman of the State Duma Committee on International Affairs
- ▶ **Metropolitan Anthony** – Chairman of the Department for External Church Relations of the Moscow Patriarchate and others

BUSINESS PROGRAM

153 SESSIONS

885 SPEAKERS

15 TRACKS:

- International cooperation
- Islamic finance and investments
- Halal industry
- Sport
- Business
- Tourism
- Culture
- Female perspective
- Economy
- HR today and tomorrow
- Science and technology
- International property market
- Lecture hall
- Exhibition opening area
- Media activities



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DEVELOPMENT OF INTERNATIONAL MULTIMODAL TRANSPORT CORRIDORS RUNNING THROUGH THE COUNTRIES OF ASIA AND THE MIDDLE EAST

KEY SPEAKERS:

- **Rustam Minnikhanov** – Rais (Head) of the Republic of Tatarstan
- **Marat Khusnullin** – Deputy Prime Minister of the Russian Federation
- **Igor Levitin** – Advisor to the President of the Russian Federation, Special Representative of the President of the Russian Federation for international cooperation in the field of transport
- **Vasily Osmakov** – First Deputy Minister of Industry and Trade of the Russian Federation
- **Azim Ibrohim** – Minister of Transport of the Republic of Tajikistan
- **Saeed Mohammed Ahmed Al Sakri** – Minister of Economy of the Sultanate of Oman
- **Sultan Ahmed bin Sulayem** – Chairman of the Board, Chief Executive Officer of DP World
- **Vadim Zakharenko** – Head of the Representative Office of the International Road Transport Union in Moscow



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BILATERAL CONFERENCES



- ▶ Meeting of the Business Council of the Russian-Tajik Intergovernmental Commission "Russia-Tajikistan. Cross-border Partnership: New Prospects"
- ▶ Meeting of the working group on tourism as part of the Joint Russian-Malaysian Commission on economic, scientific, technical and cultural cooperation
- ▶ Meeting of the co-chairs of the Russian-Indonesian working group on trade, industry and investment
- ▶ Industrial dialogue "Russia – Tajikistan"
- ▶ Industrial dialogue "Russia – Uzbekistan"
- ▶ Business dialogue "Russia-Qatar"
- ▶ Round table: "Russia – Azerbaijan: Industrial and Investment Cooperation as the Basis for Economic Development"
- ▶ Round table "Russia – Malaysia. Economic Aspects of Interregional Development"
- ▶ Round table "Russia-Kyrgyzstan"
- ▶ Round table "Russia - Iran"
- ▶ Round table "Russia-Afghanistan"



ISLAMIC FINANCE

Islamic Finance Course from Shariah Standards

Development Organization AAOIFI

Financial technologies in Islamic finance: modern approaches and prospects

Islamic Neobank: world practice

Partnership financing in Russia: new experience, first estimates

Meeting of the expert council on conducting an experiment on partner financing under the Government of Russia

KEY SPEAKERS:

- ▶ **Ivan Chebeskov** – Deputy Minister of Finance of the Russian Federation
- ▶ **Anatoly Aksakov** – Chairman of the State Duma Committee on Financial Market
- ▶ **Airat Farrakhov** – Deputy of the State Duma of the Russian Federation
- ▶ **Andrey Melnikov** – General Director of the state corporation "Deposit Insurance Agency"
- ▶ **Saad Bakkali** – Head of the Supreme Shariah Authority at the Central Bank of the UAE
- ▶ **Madina Tukulova** – Head of Islamic Finance at the Astana International Financial Center



THE ROLE OF UNESCO WORLD CULTURAL HERITAGE IN SUSTAINABLE REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Grand opening of a memorial sign dedicated to the inscription of the Astronomical Observatories of the Kazan Federal University onto the UNESCO World Heritage List

KEY SPEAKERS:

- ▶ **Lenar Safin** – Rector of Kazan (Volga Region) Federal University
- ▶ **Alexander Pankin** – Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation
- ▶ **Shamil Gafarov** – Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Tatarstan - Chief of Staff of the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Tatarstan
- ▶ **Rinat Alyautdinov** – Permanent Delegate of the Russian Federation to UNESCO (video message)
- ▶ **Diallo Kadia Maiga** – Secretary General of the Malian National Commission for UNESCO
- ▶ **Diana Lakshmi Pratiw** is the Head of the Department of Culture of the Special Province of Yogyakarta, Indonesia, which manages the World Heritage Sites
- ▶ **Tatyana Dovgalenko** – Deputy Director of the Department for Multilateral Humanitarian Cooperation and Cultural Relations of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation, Executive Secretary of the Commission of the Russian Federation for UNESCO
- ▶ **Roman Rybalo** – Director of the Department of the Ministry of Culture of the Russian Federation



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FORUM OF CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY OF OIC COUNTRIES

18 COUNTRIES **40** REGIONS

KEY SPEAKERS:

- ▶ **Sergey Katyrin** – President of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Russian Federation
- ▶ **Svetlana Orlova** – Auditor of the Accounts Chamber of the Russian Federation
- ▶ **Abdullah Ahmed Al Saleh** – Deputy Minister of Economy of the United Arab Emirates
- ▶ **Ali Kuma** – General Director of Koumala Transit Logistics (Mali)
- ▶ **Faraj Khalel Salim Alfirkhani** – Minister of Technical Education of Libya (State of Benghazi)
- ▶ **Mohammed Rayed** – Chairman of the General Libyan Union of Chambers



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FEMALE PERSPECTIVE

19 COUNTRIES **21** COOPERATION AGREEMENTS

For the first time there were established the Zubaydah bint Khalid International Awards “Halal Business Woman” and “Halal Charity Woman”.

KEY SPEAKERS:

- ▶ **Purnima Anand** – President of the International BRICS Forum (India)
- ▶ **Meiange Epse Noah Mrai Angel** – Mayor of Afanlum from Cameroon
- ▶ **Sheikha Nakhla Ahmed Humaid Mohammed Alqasimi** – Chairperson of the Women's Empowerment Council of Ajman University (UAE)
- ▶ **Claudia Jaycee Barenko Abbas** – Professor of Electrical Engineering at the University of Brasilia
- ▶ **Leman Yenigün** – Deputy Minister of Family Affairs and Social Services of the Republic of Türkiye



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INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION “RUSSIA HALAL EXPO”

It is Russia's largest exhibition of economic, scientific and technological cooperation between the regions of the Russian Federation and the OIC countries, which represents a unique space for the promotion and development of business projects, a platform for building a productive dialogue between Forum participants.

2 PAVILIONS OF
10 000 SQ.M.

11
PARTICIPATING
COUNTRIES

77 EXHIBITION
STANDS

17
REGIONS
OF THE RUSSIAN
FEDERATION

ABOUT
400
COMPANIES AS
CO-EXHIBITORS



OUTDOOR MACHINERY EXHIBITION

6000 SQ.M.

72 VEHICLES AND
EQUIPMENT UNITS



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INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR “KAZAN HALAL MARKET”

489 COMPANIES FROM **9** COUNTRIES:

RUSSIA, AFGHANISTAN, KYRGYZSTAN, TÜRKIYE, KAZAKHSTAN, PAKISTAN,
AZERBAIJAN, SRI LANKA, IRAN



4500 PRODUCTS

14 000 SQ.M.
AREA

33 000 VISITORS,
INCLUDING DELEGATIONS FROM:

MALAYSIA, INDONESIA, OMAN, PALESTINE, UZBEKISTAN,
KARACHAY-CHERKESS REPUBLIC, KABARDINO-BALKARIA,
BASHKORTOSTAN, AS WELL AS A PRESS TOUR OF FOREIGN
JOURNALISTS AND RUSSIAN BLOGGERS



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INTERNATIONAL PROPERTY MARKET

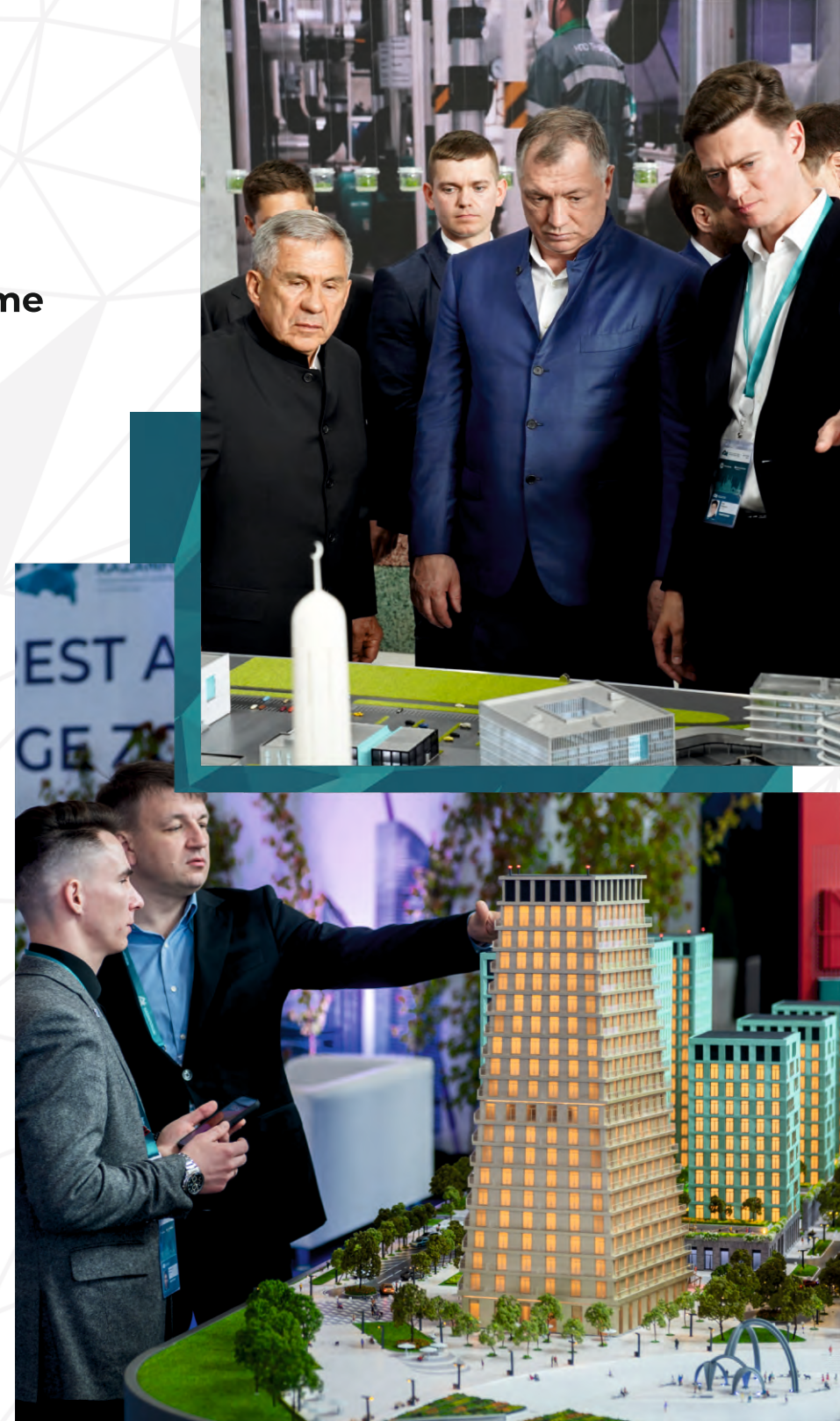
It is a unique platform for interaction, destined to become one of the largest events in the real estate sector of Russia and Islamic countries.

12 000
SQ.M.

5
COUNTRIES

35
EXHIBITORS

Russia
UAE
Türkiye
Indonesia
Turkish Republic
of Northern
Cyprus





SPORTS SESSIONS

Islam and sports

Sports and spiritual-moral upbringing Round table on the development of ice hockey in Islamic countries

KEY SPEAKERS:

- **Buvaysar Saytiev** – Vice-President of the Russian Wrestling Federation, three-time Olympic champion
- **Elchin Hasanov** – Vice-President of the Azerbaijan Aquatics Federation
- **Maxim Agapitov** – President of the Russian Weightlifting Federation
- **Igor Stolyarov** – Head of the “Games of the Future” project
- **Nail Maganov** – President of ORKHIS, President of the Ice Hockey Federation of the Republic of Tatarstan, General Director of PJSC Tatneft



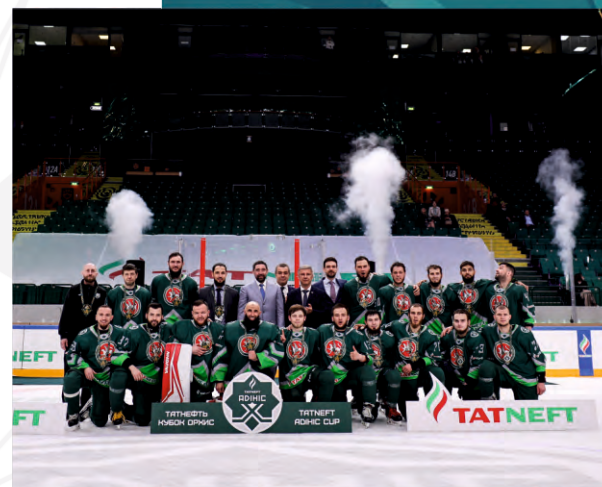
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THE SECOND INTERNATIONAL ICE HOCKEY TOURNAMENT AMONG ISLAMIC COUNTRIES, THE ADIHIC CUP

- ▶ 8 men's teams from 9 countries took part in the competition: Azerbaijan, Türkiye, Kazakhstan, Pakistan, Mongolia, Iran, Bahrain and Kyrgyzstan. The team of the Republic of Tatarstan also participated in the tournament.
- ▶ Over the course of 5 game days, the teams played 20 matches in the Tatneft Arena ice palace.
- ▶ The ice hockey tournament was attended by more than 140 athletes, including visits made by the leadership of the ice hockey federations of the ADIHIC countries.



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CHEFS CUP

On the sidelines of KazanForum, for the first time in history, there was held an international tournament of young chefs from Islamic countries named after Yunus Akhmetzhanov.

100 CHEFS
UNDER 25

13 COUNTRIES

**GRAND PRIX OF THE TOURNAMENT -
Ouardidou Redouane, Moroc**

SPECIAL NOMINATIONS:

- ▶ **Fundamental Knowledge** – Zilya Azmukhanova, Russia
- ▶ **Social Responsibility** – Hardiata Camara, Senegal
- ▶ **Technologies of the Future** – Ozodbek Odilov, Uzbekistan
- ▶ **Dish as Art** – Iheb Nchibi, Tunisia
- ▶ **Attention to Detail** – Ouardidou Redouane, Morocco
- ▶ **Guardian of Traditions** – Salamat Karymshako, Kyrgyzstan
- ▶ **Locality is Trendy** – Hussein Ali Mahmoud, Lebanon
- ▶ **Design as an Element of Communication** – Rashad Samadov, Azerbaijan
- ▶ **Creativity** – Mostafa Samir Mohamed, Egypt
- ▶ **A Vision without Boundaries** – Muhammad Ayman Bin Saiful Anuar, Malaysia
- ▶ **Youth and Wisdom** – Merey Zheksenaly, Kazakhstan



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EXHIBITION “LIVING TRADITION”

More than 90 exhibits from the collections of ROSIZO, the National Museum of the Republic of Tatarstan, the Museum of Fine Arts of the Republic of Tatarstan, the Sh. Marjani Foundation for the Support and Development of Scientific and Cultural Programs, and the Gallery of Islamic Art.

The exhibition combines two time layers of Islamic culture: ancient artifacts and modern art.



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CULTURAL PROGRAM

Cultural institutions of the Republic of Tatarstan have prepared a rich cultural and a tourism program for KazanForum participants.

17

PERFORMANCES IN

5

STATE THEATERS

19

EXHIBITION
PROJECTS IN

4

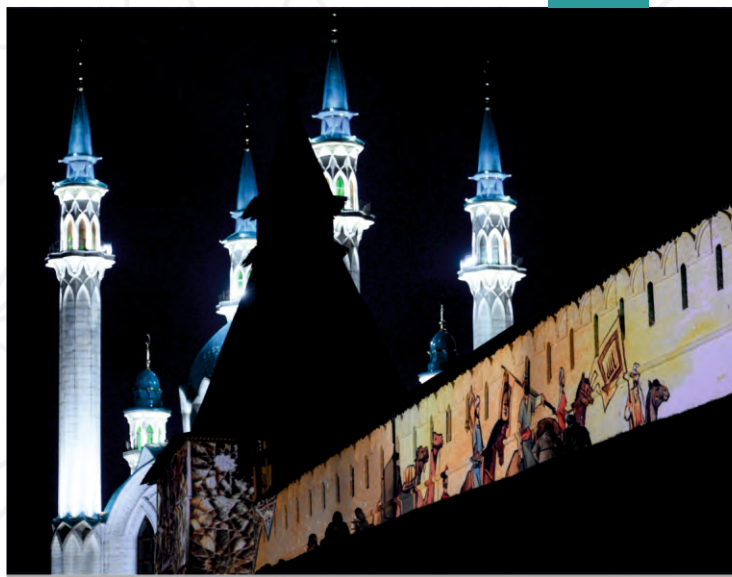
STATE
MUSEUMS

3

film screenings
of Tatarstan films

Excursion programs
to UNESCO sites

KAZAN KREMLIN
ISLAND-TOWN OF SVIYAZHSK
ANCIENT CITY OF BOLGAR



MODEST FASHION DAY

There were 6 annual editions of Modest Fashion Day held in Kazan.

The collections were presented by

10 DESIGNERS FROM
7 COUNTRIES

- ▶ BURO BANU, Kazan
- ▶ Zuhaf, Moscow
- ▶ ALENA MUSAEVA, Volgograd
- ▶ Melinda Looi, Malaysia
- ▶ MONIKA JUFERY, Indonesia
- ▶ Dalinda Paris, France
- ▶ Moda Safi, UAE
- ▶ Thoraya Al Awadhi, UAE
- ▶ Senegal Fashion Show, Senegal
- ▶ Nurzat Zheenbek, Kyrgyzstan



ALL-RUSSIAN FORUM OF TATAR RELIGIOUS FIGURES

NATIONAL IDENTITY AND RELIGION

The name of the event speaks for itself:
In this turbulent time of crucibles,
it is especially important to strengthen
interethnic communication and
interreligious dialogue in order
to preserve cultural diversity, traditional
values and the cohesion
of nations living in our large country

1200
PARTICIPANTS



DAY OF ADOPTION OF ISLAM BY VOLGA BULGARIA



- ▶ **GRAND OPENING OF THE EVENT
“IZGE BOLGAR ZHYENY”**
- ▶ **NAMAZ**
- ▶ **VISIT TO THE “KORESH”
COMPETITION – NATIONAL
TATAR WRESTLING**



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MEDIA

MORE THAN

800

JOURNALISTS FROM

40

COUNTRIES

TOTAL COVERAGE MORE THAN

3,5

BILLION

SINCE THE BEGINNING OF 2024, MORE THAN

12 500

MESSAGES ABOUT FORUM EVENTS

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TASS



General Media Partner and Photo Host

RIA News



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Vedomosti

Russian Business Guide

Publishing house

«Arguments and Facts»

Regional Russia

Business FM

Orient (Turkmenistan)

Business Magazine

TNV

Real time

Republic of Tatarstan

Business Kazakhstan



Influencer

Producing center "Insight People"

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