

## **Appeal**

**From the participants of the IV International Congress "Cultural heritage of Uzbekistan - the foundation of the new Renaissance" to President of the Republic of Uzbekistan Sh.M.Mirziyoyev**

**Dear Shavkat Miromonovich!**

We, the participants of the IV International Congress "Cultural heritage of Uzbekistan - the basis of the new Renaissance", members of the World Society for the study, preservation and popularization of the cultural heritage of Uzbekistan - cultural figures, scientists and pedagogues, journalists, filmmakers - representatives of various countries and organizations united by a common interest and love for the cultural heritage and history of the country you lead - the Republic of Uzbekistan.

The land of ancient Uzbekistan created the richest, unique cultural heritage of eternal value for world civilization. We are pleased that its preservation is one of the main goals of the large-scale and fundamental reforms implemented in our country. I have deep respect for the fact that the national idea aimed at realizing the third renaissance in Uzbekistan, which you announced, is primarily aimed at preserving culture. Culture is the life of the nation, its soul, mind and heart, past, present and future. You will realize that culture is the basis for the new revival of the country, the rise of the morale of the society, and the education of the people, especially the young generation, in the spirit of patriotism. As a result of systematic reforms implemented in the field of national culture in Uzbekistan, extensive repair and study of cultural monuments, scientific and educational work, support of folk art at the state level, preservation of intangible heritage large-scale works are being carried out.

We appreciate your continued attention and interest in the activities of our community. The introduction of Resolution No. PF-6000 of May 26, 2020 on "Measures to further increase the role and importance of culture and art in the life of society" adopted by you is a clear expression of your support. It has been. A separate item on supporting the activities of the world community on the preservation, study and promotion of the cultural heritage of Uzbekistan (item 9 of Annex 1).

In recent years, our society has carried out hundreds of publishing, research, mass media and educational projects, including the publication of thirty-five illustrated books-albums in the "Cultural Heritage of Uzbekistan in World Collections" series. A large-scale project was implemented. Thanks to the state support, these volumes

were published in ten thousand copies each and today they are distributed free of charge to scientific and educational institutions in Uzbekistan, including general education schools.

At the new stage of Uzbekistan's development, we are ready to contribute to the preservation of the cultural heritage of the country under your leadership. The "roadmap" for 2021-2025 was adopted at the IV international congress "Cultural heritage of Uzbekistan - the foundation of the new renaissance" held on December 15-18, 2020. In the next five years, more than a hundred new projects are planned to be implemented by the World Society for the Study, Preservation and Popularization of the Cultural Heritage of Uzbekistan. Publication of books and albums that tell about the cultural heritage of Uzbekistan in museums of our country and abroad, the development of initiatives aimed at the restoration of the country's cultural heritage, the release of documentaries and feature films, the holding of scientific forums, the development of educational programs, experts in the field We intend to continue the development of legislation and tourism.

We hope that our experience, energy, and ardent desire to help the cultural revival of Uzbekistan will contribute to the reforms you are implementing, to the new Renaissance, to the happiness and well-being of the people of Uzbekistan. we do!

We wish you, respected Shavkat Miromonovich, even higher achievements in your career, success in your huge and important work of reforming the country and building a new Uzbekistan!

We wish prosperity and peace to the people of the Republic of Uzbekistan!

Members of the World Society for the Study, Preservation and Popularization of the Cultural Heritage of Uzbekistan.

Participants of the IV International Congress "Cultural heritage of Uzbekistan - the foundation of the new Renaissance".

Participants of the Cultural Heritage Week of Uzbekistan.

Tashkent, December 16, 2020