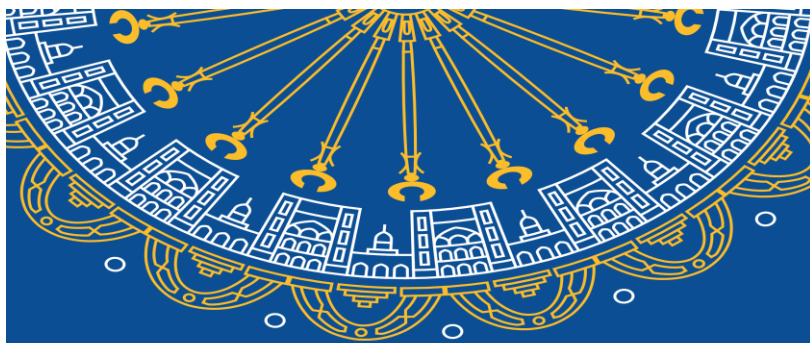


Tajik Association for Promotion of Tourism Development (TATO) together with partners Heraklion Development Agency in the framework of "Switch Asia, Europe Aid" and the project "a Model for sustainable tourism in central asia: building capacities, creating awareness, introducing technology (most) holds first round table discussion with the involvement of stakeholders



The Committee on the Tourism Development under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan

## ROUND TABLE: SUSTAINABLE TOURISM AND THE GSTC'S ROLES IN THE GLOBAL AND LOCAL TOURISM INDUSTRY



### A model for sustainable tourism in Central Asia

Building capacities, creating awareness, introducing technology

- New well-structured model of sustainable tourism
- Adopting Sustainable Consumption and Productions Practices (SCP) as well as appropriate knowledge and ICT tools;
- Support regional and local authorities in planning and implementing policies that facilitate the development of sustainable tourism;
- Raise awareness regarding sustainable tourism as well as consumers consciousness about sustainable consumption;
- Strengthen the dialogue between authorities, MSMEs and end-users about SCP

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In the round table will discuss strengthening the role of public authorities in ensuring sustainable tourism development, organizing public dialogue between tourism development authorities and tourism stakeholders, establishing relations with international organizations to attract investment and other technical support tools. The round table should become a discussion platform for dialogue between tourism business organisers, experts and government representatives with the aim of introducing new technologies to promote environmental protection and inclusive economic development.

Roundtable language:  
Tajik, Russian, English



## ROUND TABLE PROGRAMME



11:30-12:00

Registration of participants

12:00-12:10

Opening Session:

Chairman of the TATO, F.N. Faizulloev- MOST Project Coordinator in the Republic of Tajikistan - Introduction to the purpose of the round table - Introduction of the participants. (Moderator)

12:10-12:20

Welcoming speech by the Chairman of The Committee on the Tourism Development under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan –Jurazoda Tojiddin

12:20-12:30

Mr. Gian Andrea Prof. Garancici - General coordinator of the MOST project – Welcome speech and overview of project progress and prospects for implementation.

12:30-12:40

Welcome Speech – Mr. Doniyor Kuchkarov, Projects Manager & Representative of Contracting Authority - Delegation of the European Union to the Republic of Uzbekistan

12:40-12:50

Speech by a representative of the Switch Asia Program Secretariat Francesco Straniero

12:50-13:00

Presentation by F.N. Faizulloev, MOST Project Coordinator in Tajikistan - Summary of the project action plan and forthcoming tasks to provide feedback to tourism stakeholders and government agencies to ensure sustainable tourism in the country.

13:00-14:00

Lunch break

14:00-14:15

Presentation by a representative of the Committee on the Tourism Development under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan - The role of governmental authorities in ensuring sustainable tourism and supporting tourism companies in the COVID pandemic 19.

14:15-14:35

Presentation by international expert, Professor George Pavlidis on "A Sustainable Tourism Solution in Tajikistan

14:35-14:50

Presentation by Asrororova Z.I., Head of the Department of Tourism, Service and Environment, Russian Tajik Slavonic University (RTSU) on Methodology of Strategic Planning for Sustainable Tourism and Environment.

14:50-15:05

Presentation by Sergey Chutkov, Director of ACTED an international non-governmental organisation (NGO) in Tajikistan on Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy as an Important Part of Green and Sustainable Tourism.

15:05-15:35

Open discussion. Participants evaluate presentations, personal assessments and experiences on the theme of the round table.

15:35-15:55

Conclusions and outputs of the meeting.