

INFORMATION LETTER

The State Institution “International University of Tourism and Entrepreneurship of Tajikistan”, within the framework of the International Forum “Sustainable Tourism and Cultural Heritage”, to be held in the Republic of Tajikistan on 13–18 October 2026, will organize the International Scientific and Practical Conference entitled “Financial and Investment Mechanisms for Sustainable Tourism Development” on 14 October 2026.

The main objective of the conference is to promote scientific, expert and practical dialogue on improving financial and investment mechanisms for sustainable tourism development, studying international experience, identifying opportunities for attracting domestic and foreign investment, and developing scientifically grounded proposals to strengthen financing of the tourism sector.

Representatives of government ministries and agencies, the National Bank of Tajikistan, financial credit institutions, state-owned and commercial banks, insurance companies, investment funds and institutions, international organizations, higher education and research institutions, tourism companies, investors, entrepreneurs, experts, scholars, as well as other researchers and specialists in the fields of finance, banking and tourism are invited to participate in the conference.

The conference will address the following issues:

1. Theoretical and methodological foundations of financing sustainable tourism development.
2. Public policy and financial mechanisms for the development of the tourism sector.
3. The role of the banking system in financing the tourism sector.
4. Investment and enhancement of the investment attractiveness of the tourism sector.
5. Public-private partnership in tourism development.
6. Green finance and sustainable investment in the tourism sector.
7. International financial institutions and financing of tourism development.
8. Digitalization of financial mechanisms in the tourism sector.
9. Insurance and risk management in tourism activities.
10. Financing tourism development in the regions of the Republic of Tajikistan.
11. Tax policy and tax incentive mechanisms for the development of tourism activities.
12. Tax incentives, tax administration, and their impact on attracting investment to the tourism sector.

Format: in-person and remote participation (online).

Working languages of the conference: Tajik, Russian and English.

All expenses related to the participants’ stay, including accommodation, local transportation and organizational activities associated with the conference, will be fully covered by the host institution - the International University of Tourism and Entrepreneurship of Tajikistan - except for international airfare.

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Articles corresponding to the thematic areas of the conference and successfully passing editorial and scientific review will be recommended for publication in the conference proceedings. The conference materials will be published as a collection of scientific articles.

To participate in the conference, participants must register on the official website of the International Forum “Sustainable Tourism and Cultural Heritage” - <https://forum.iutet.tj/> and select the conference “Financial and Investment Mechanisms for Sustainable Tourism Development” from the list of events.

Article preparation requirements: by 1 October 2026, participants must submit an application and the electronic text of their scientific article, prepared in accordance with the established requirements and not exceeding 10 pages, to a ismoilov@mail.ru and khidiraliev_88@mail.ru, or submit the materials electronically to the Organizing Committee in Word (*.docx) format.

Technical requirements: paper size - A4; margins - 2 cm on all sides; font - Times New Roman; font size - 14 pt; line spacing - 1.5; first-line indent - 1.25 cm; text alignment - justified; page numbering - optional. Information in the article should be presented in the following order: author's surname, first name and patronymic; academic degree and academic title; position and place of employment; city and country; e-mail address and telephone number. This should be followed by the article title, an abstract of 100–150 words (in three languages), and 5–8 keywords or key phrases. The main body of the article should include an introduction, theoretical foundations, methodology, research results, discussion, conclusion and recommendations. Tables and figures must be numbered and accompanied by titles and source references. References to scientific sources in the text are mandatory. The list of references should be provided at the end of the article.

The author is responsible for the accuracy of statistical data and quotations, the correct spelling of personal names, the accuracy of source titles, and the content of the article. The Organizing Committee reserves the right not to accept for publication articles that do not comply with the conference topic or its scientific and technical requirements.

We cordially invite scholars, experts, representatives of public authorities, financial and credit institutions, investors and entrepreneurs to take an active part in the conference!

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