Ukrainian – Turkish Business Forum

PROGRAM (draft)

Date: May 31, 2024 **Time:** 09:30-16:00
Venue: Chernivtsi (Ukraine)
Language: Ukrainian (simultaneous translation into Turkish)

The purpose of the event is the development of cooperation at the regional level, the strengthening of existing bilateral economic cooperation, as well as the establishment of new promising ties between Ukrainian and Turkish companies, business negotiations in B2B format.

It is planned that the following industries will be presented as part of the event:

- construction;
- infrastructure and transport;
- logistics;
- industry, including the military and defense complex;
- engineering;
- woodworking;
- agriculture and agro-processing.

Target audience: representatives of diplomatic institutions, executive authorities, chambers of commerce, local self-government, business circles of Turkey and Ukraine.

09:30 – 10:00 **Registration of participants. Welcome coffee**

10:00 – 10:30 **Opening of the Forum. Introductory speeches of the organizers and guests of honor (fades out)**

- **Yuliia Svyrydenko** – First Deputy Prime Minister of Ukraine, Minister of Economy of Ukraine – TBC
- **Dmytro Kuleba** – Minister of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine - TBC
- **Mustafa Levent Bilhen** – Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Turkey Republics in Ukraine - TBC
- **Ruslan Zaparanyuk** – head of the Chernivtsi Regional State Administration (Regional Military Administration)
- **Oleksii Boiko** –j head of the Chernivtsi Regional Council
- **Roman Klichuk** – head of Chernivtsi City Council





10:30 – 12:00 **Panel discussion: Prospects and priority areas of Ukrainian-Turkish economic cooperation (the list of participants is being clarified)**

- **Taras Kachka –** Deputy Minister of Economy of Ukraine – Trade representative of Ukraine – TBC
- **Vasyl Bodnar –** Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Ukraine to the Republic of Turkey – TBC
- **Mustafa Levent Bilhen –** Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Turkey to Ukraine – TBC
- **Alona Atamanyuk –** First Deputy Head of the Chernivtsi Regional State Administration (Regional Military Administration)
- **Mykhailo Dzykhor – Ukraine's** MFA **representative** in Uzhgorod – TBC
- **Birei Ilmazsoi** – Consul General of the Republic of Turkey in Odesa – TBC
- **Rifat Hisarchikliohlu** – President of the Union of Chambers of Commerce and Commodity Exchanges of the Republic of Turkey (TOBB) – TBC
- **Burak Pekhlivan** – President of the International Turkish Ukrainian Businessmen Associatio (TUID) – TBC
- **Oleksandra Solohub** – Operational Director at the NAZOVNI platform – TBC

12:00 – 12:30 **Coffee break**

12:30 –14:00 **Presentation of Ukrainian and Turkish companies (the list of participants is being clarified)**

14:00 –15:00 **B2B meetings of business of Ukraine and Turkey**

15:00 – 16:00 **Completion of the event. Buffet**

During the Forum, an exhibition space for manufacturers will be able to present their products will be organized