

## In Brussels, a meeting took place between the Ambassador of Turkmenistan and Barbara Dietrich, the founder of the Diplomatic World Institute, who is an active and reliable partner of the Embassy of Turkmenistan in Belgium.

The main topic of discussion was the plans for 2025, declared the International Year of Peace and Trust, and events dedicated to the 30th anniversary of Turkmenistan's neutrality.

During the meeting, the parties discussed the possibility of organizing joint events aimed at highlighting the importance of neutrality for Turkmenistan and its contribution to ensuring peace and stability in the region and the world. Special attention was given to the initiative of the Turkmen government to declare 2025 the Year of Peace and Trust and the key steps of the country in implementing this concept.

Among the proposed events were briefings and discussions for media platforms to promote the principles of neutrality and Turkmenistan's efforts in peaceful coexistence. It was also proposed to organize cultural events that combine art and the theme of peace. The parties noted that culture, being a neutral sphere, plays a unique role in building cultural bridges between peoples, contributing to the strengthening of friendly ties and maintaining lasting peace.

Another topic of the meeting was the proposal to create a special issue of the <u>Diplomatic</u> <u>World</u> magazine dedicated to Turkmenistan. The publication will highlight key events, initiatives, and achievements of Turkmenistan in strengthening peace, promoting good neighborly relations, and interacting with the global community. It is planned that the issue will be an important step in promoting the country's efforts on the international stage.

This meeting was another confirmation of Turkmenistan's readiness for open dialogue, active promotion of its policy of peace and trust, and the development of cultural and diplomatic cooperation.