# HIGH-LEVEL PANEL DISCUSSIONS:

# "Promoting Peaceful and Inclusive Societies for Sustainable Development through Intercultural and Interreligious Dialogue"

**SEPTEMBER** 

**THURSDAY** 

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11:00 - 12:00

2024

Venue:

Conference Room 12, United Nations Headquarters, New York

Co-organizers:

Permanent Mission of Uzbekistan United Nations Alliance of Civilizations



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### **Background:**

The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development provides a shared blueprint for peace and prosperity for people and the planet, now and into the future. However, the world is facing unfathomable challenges that pose threats to and undermine peace and security, sustainable development and the full enjoyment of human rights.

The Pact for the Future, to be adopted at the Summit of the Future in September 2024, features the promotion of culture and intercultural and interreligious dialogue among collective actions that can strengthen social cohesion and accelerate the achievement of a wide array of sustainable development goals.

### **Objective:**

Participants of the high-level panel will discuss perspectives on implementing a series of commitments coined by the international community in the Pact for the Future to be adopted on 22 September 2024. They will deliberate on the ways to operationalize Actions of the Pact for the Future and share national and global best practices and lessons learned in building and sustaining peace through conflict-prevention and peacebuilding initiatives that harness intercultural and interreligious dialogue.

## Participants:

Ministers of Foreign Affairs at the High-level Week of the 79th session United Nations General Assembly, Permanent Representatives of all Member States and Observers, Under-Secretary-General of the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations and other United Nations system entities and agencies.

11:00 - 11:10 WELCOMING REMARKS

**H.E. Mr. Bakhtiyor Saidov** *Minister of Foreign Affairs of Uzbekistan* 

H.E. Mr. Miguel Ángel Moratinos

Under-Secretary-General, High Representative UNAOC 11:10 - 11:55
SPECIAL REMARKS
Ministers, High-Level
Officials, Representatives of the UN system

11:55- 12:00 CLOSING REMARKS **H.E. Mr. Muzaffar Madrakhimov** Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of Uzbekistan