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at Fuarizmir between 7-10 December 2023. Click here for detailed information. https://www.tursabfuarcilik.com.tr/ 7-9 ARALIK DECEMBER 2023

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TÜRSAB VOICE OF TRAVEL 10<sup>TH</sup> ISSUE

**PUBLISHED** The 10th issue of The Voice of Travel, the powerful voice of tourism and travel agencies in the media, with rich content, interviews and the latest developments in tourism, titled "Düzce Korugöl Nature Park will be the symbol of sustainable tourism".

TÜRSAB COMMITTEE HEADED BY OUR PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FIRUZ BAĞLIKAYA HELD A MEETING WITH OUR MINISTER OF CULTURE AND TOURISM. MR. MEHMET NURİ ERSOY AND MINISTRY OFFICIALS Our TÜRSAB Committee, headed by our President Firuz Bağlıkaya, met with our Minister of Culture and Tourism Mr. Mehmet Nuri Ersoy and Ministry officials on Wednesday, November 1, 2023 and held a meeting. At the meeting, the first of our urgent amendment package regarding the Law No. 1618 on Travel Agencies and the Association of Travel Agencies was presented and the opinions of our Association on the subject were conveyed to the Minister and Ministry officials. The Minister stated that they will evaluate the suggestions of our Association in the new law study and that they will take the opinion of TÜRSAB when the law study is completed.

ORDINARY MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF TÜRSAB WAS HELD AT OUR CENTRAL OFFICE TÜRSAB Board of Directors Meeting was held at our Central Office on Saturday, November 4 with the participation of our President Firuz Bağlıkaya, Vice Presidents, Board Members and Chief Advisors to the President. TÜRSAB COMMITTEE UNDER THE PRESIDENCY OF FİRUZ BAĞLIKAYA PARTICIPATED IN WTM LONDON FAIR

World Travel Market (WTM) held in London opened its doors for the 44th time at Excel London International Convention Center. WTM London, one of the most important tourism fairs of the world, was attended by our TÜRSAB Committee headed by our President Firuz Bağlıkaya. Our 450 m2 TÜRSAB stand numbered N8-300 representing Turkish tourism at the fair attracted great interest from local and foreign tourism professionals. Participants had the opportunity to meet and negotiate for new collaborations and agreements in the lodges at our booth. Our President Firuz Bağlıkaya, together with our TÜRSAB Committee, held meetings at our booth and visited other booths at the fair.

Bozkurt Gevrek, Deputy Governor of Istanbul, Şekib Avdagiç, President of Istanbul Chamber of Commerce (ITO), Müberra Eresin, President of TÜROB, Kaan Kaşif Kavaloğlu, President of AKTOB, Erkan Yağcı, President of TÜROFED, Orhan Tolun, President of KITSAB, Mete Vardar, Travel Agencies Representative of TGA Board of Directors and their accompanying delegations at our stand. 2.11.2023

**BALI'S TOURISM DESTINATIONS WERE INTRODUCED** AT THE BALI DESTINATION PROMOTION EVENT **HOSTED BY OUR ASSOCIATION** Bali Destination Promotion Event was held on Thursday, November 2, 2023, hosted by our Association in cooperation with the Consulate General of Indonesia in Istanbul and ASITA Bali (Indonesian Association of Tour and Travel Agencies). In addition to Indonesian Consul General in Istanbul Darianto Harsono, Consul General for Economic Relations Shanti Damayanti and Vice Consul for Protocol and Consular Relations Meidy Rahma Dhana, our Bosphorus Regional Representative Board President Yüksel Türemez, TÜRSAB Secretary General Timur Alp Bayrak, Corporate Relations Group President Nergis Büyükkınacı, TURSAV General Manager Çetin Gürcün, travel agency representatives and members of the press attended the event. During the event, presentations were made to introduce Bali's culture, unique nature, tourism potential and the dynamics of the island, while the participants had the opportunity to get information about travel and accommodation opportunities and tour packages in Bali.

WE WELCOMED OUR VISITORS AT OUR TÜRSAB STAND AT

WTM LONDON TOURISM FAIR At WTM London Tourism Fair, we welcomed Fikri Ataoğlu, Deputy Prime Minister of the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC), Minister of Tourism, Culture, Youth and Environment, Özlem



PROFESSIONALS IN THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF OUR REPUBLIC AND THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF TÜRSAB" TÜRSAB Vice President Hasan Eker participated in the seminar titled "The Future of Tourism and Tourism Professionals in the 100th year of our Republic and 50th year of TÜRSAB" organized by Anadolu University Faculty of Tourism. In the seminar, which was also attended by our Eskişehir RRB President Özgür Ersoy, Eker gave information about the history of the Association of Turkish Travel Agencies, how to establish a travel agency and the areas of specialization in tourism and shared his experiences about Turkey and world tourism.



INDONESIA BALI PROMOTION TRIP WILL BE ORGANIZED **BETWEEN NOVEMBER 27 - DECEMBER 3** Between November 27 - December 3, 2023, a "Promotional Trip" event will be held in cooperation with TÜRSAB, the Consulate General of Indonesia in Istanbul and ASITA (Indonesian Association of Tour and Travel Agencies). Our member travel agencies will have the opportunity to experience the culture, unique nature and food of the island during the Indonesia Bali Promotion Trip Event.



Agencies Foundation) organizes VQA Vocational Qualification exams within the scope of the relevant regulation published in the official gazette. Valet Attendant Vocational Qualification exams will be held on November 18-19, 2023 at TÜRSAB Central Office (Dikilitaş Mah. Aşık Kerem Sokak No: 40 Fulya-Beşiktaş / İstanbul). Candidates who want to take the exams can make their applications at http://www.tursabsbm.org.tr. The deadline for application is November 15, 2023. For detailed information; https://www.tursab.org.tr/announcements/announcement-about-valetattendant-professional-competency-exams

BASIC AND ADVANCED GDS TRAINING WILL BE GIVEN IN **COOPERATION WITH TÜRSAB ACADEMY-TRAVELPORT** In cooperation with TÜRSAB - Travelport, basic and advanced GDS training will be given to travel agency employees for the new workforce. The first part of the training will be held on November 13-14-15, 2023 (Basic Level) and the second part on January 29-30-31, 2024 (Advanced Level) in Ankara. The quota for participation in the training is limited and applications will be received via https://akademi.tursab.org.tr. Participation information will be sent to the candidates who are entitled to participate in the training as a result of the evaluation.

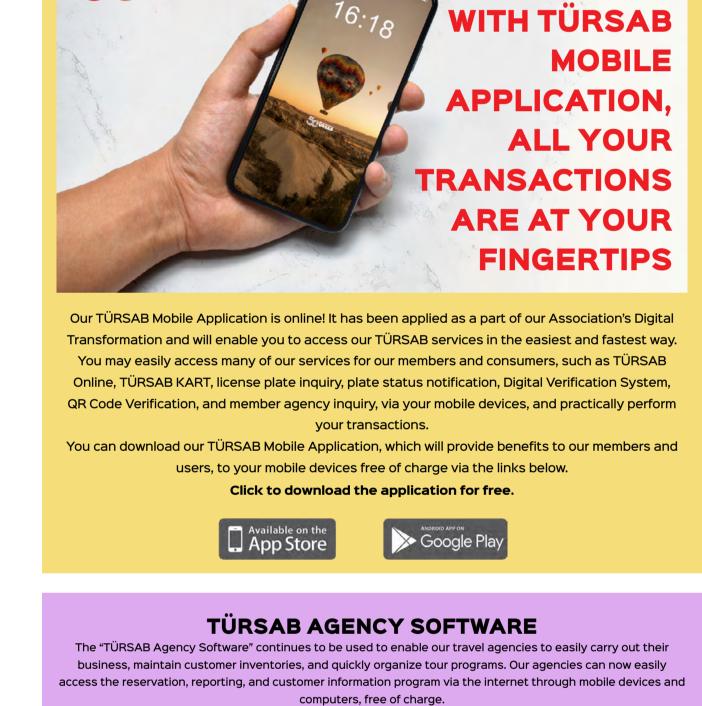
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TRAVELPORT

TÜRSAB **TOURISM PROFESSIONALS COME TOGETHER IN ANTALYA** FOR THE 2ND TÜRSAB TOURISM CONGRESS In order to shed light on the future of tourism, analyze the changes in the travel industry all over the world and increase our solidarity, we are coming together again at the 2<sup>nd</sup> TÜRSAB Tourism Congress to be held in Antalya between 16-18 February 2024. In addition to conferences, panels and academic sessions, we will evaluate the latest developments in our profession together at our congress, where there will be opportunities to meet among members, meet with suppliers and learn about the tourism potential of the regions. For detailed information: https://www.tursab.org.tr/announcements/announcement-on-the-2nd-tursab-tourism-congress TÜRSAB AKADEMI amadeus BASIC AND ADVANCED LEVEL GDS TRAINING WILL BE GIVEN IN **COOPERATION WITH TÜRSAB - AMADEUS** In cooperation with TÜRSAB - AMADEUS, basic and advanced GDS training will be provided

for the new workforce for travel agency staff who want to be included in the ticketing department. Trainings will be held at TÜRSAB Headquarters building on October 30-31 and November 1, 2023 as Basic Level and November 27-28-29, 2023 as Advanced Level. The quota for participation in the training is limited and applications will be received via https://akademi. tursab.org.tr. After the evaluation, the candidates who are entitled to participate in the training will be notified. For detailed information; https://www.tursab.org.tr/announcements/announcement-on-the-gdstraining-organized-in-cooperation-with-tursab-amadeus

BASIC AND ADVANCED GDS TRAINING WILL BE ORGANIZED IN **COOPERATION WITH TURSAB ACADEMY - SABRE** In cooperation with TÜRSAB - SABRE, basic and advanced GDS training will be provided for the new workforce for travel agency employees who want to receive ticketing training. Trainings will be held at TÜRSAB Headquarters in Istanbul on October 24-25-26-27, 2023 as Basic Level and November 7-8, 2023 as Advanced Level. The quota for participation in the training is limited and applications will be received via https://akademi.tursab.org.tr. Participation information will be sent to the candidates who are entitled to participate in the training as a result of the evaluation. For detailed information; https://www.tursab.org.tr/announcements/announcement-on-thegds-training-organized-in-cooperation-with-tursab-academy-sabre



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THIS WEEK **ILKER ÜNSEVER İLE TURİZM ILKER ÜNSEVER İLE TURİZM HUKUKU HUKUKU** In our "İlker Ünsever ile Turizm Hukuku " program, where TÜRSAB Chief Legal Advisor Attorney İlker Ünsever answers questions about tourism law, the agenda items of travel agencies and tourism sector will be discussed 5 TURSAB TV from a legal perspective. CANLI YAYIN "İlker Ünsever ile Turizm Hukuku ", where you can submit your questions live on Facebook

TÜRSABÜV LAST WEEK

KÜLTÜR KEŞİFLERİ

**ILKER ÜNSEVER İLE TURİZM HUKUKU** 

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In the new episode of our "Kültür Keşifleri" program dated November 1, 2023 with the presentations of N. İlham Seyyale and Özgür Ildır Öksüz; We discovered the ancient city of Gordion, the capital of the Phrygian Civilization, the first Unesco Permanent World Heritage Site of Ankara, which dates back to 3000 BC, where TÜRSAB Hittite, Phrygian, Persian, Macedonian, Roman and Byzantine civilizations lived, the capital of the Phrygian Civilization, and Ankara's first Unesco Permanent World Heritage Site, and Ankara Arslanhane Mosque, the 21st work included in the Heritage List, with Ankara City

Council President Halil İbrahim Yılmaz.

**ILKER ÜNSEVER İLE TURİZM** 

In the new episode of our "İlker Ünsever ile Turizm Hukuku" program dated November 2, 2023, where TÜRSAB Chief Legal Advisor Attorney İlker Ünsever answered questions about tourism law, the agenda items of travel

forest', the tourism potential of İğneada and

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the tourism facilities in the region.

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November 9 at 14:00.

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and YouTube, is on TÜRSAB TV on Thursday,

agencies and tourism sector were discussed 5 TURSAB TV CANLI YAYIN from a legal perspective, and what will change in Law No. 1618 was discussed. To watch the program; https://www.youtube. com/watch?v=bsx0P6mTell **İĞNEADA FLOODPLAIN FORESTS** Our program "İğneada Floodplain Forests", prepared with the presentation of TÜRSAB Media and Communication Director Serkan Tahmaz, explores the concept of 'floodplain'

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