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# THE 11<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF THE ADVISORY COUNCIL OF IORA REGIONAL CENTRE FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER (RCSTT)

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# یازدهمین نشست شورای مشورتی مرکز منطقه‌ای علوم و انتقال فناوری اتحادیه کشورهای حاشیه اقیانوس هند را گرامی می‌داریم.

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**The 11<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Advisory Council  
IORA Regional Centre for Science and Technology Transfer (RCSTT)  
23 October 2022 Tehran – I.R. Iran**



The 11th Meeting of the Advisory Council of IORA Regional Centre for Science and Technology Transfer (RCSTT) was held on 23 October 2022 from 12:30 to 13:30 in the location of Institute for Political and International Studies (IPIS) of Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

This meeting was held under the chairmanship of the honorable Ambassador of Bangladesh, H. E. Mr. Gousal Azam Sarker and attended by the honorable Secretary General of IORA, H. E. Dr. Salman Al Farisi and Dr. Gareth Rees as a Director to the IORA Secretariat.

The 11th meeting of the advisory council of the Center took place according to the current procedure and the statute of the Center, with the attendance of the ambassadors and delegates from the Diplomatic Missions of IORA Member States and Dialogue Partners, such as Australia, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Thailand, India, South Africa, Indonesia, Malaysia, and Russia. International and Regional Organizations based in Tehran, the representatives from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Ministry of Science, Research and Technology and the Iranian Research Organization for Science and Technology (IROST), also took part in the meeting.

Dr. Zamanian, the President of IROST and Dr. Sanjabi, the director of the IORA Regional Centre for Science and Technology Transfer were present in the meeting as important pillars of the Center. During his speech at this meeting, Dr. Zamanian first introduced the Research and Technology and the Iranian Research Organization for Science and Technology as a leading National Organization in the field of science and technology and also indicated that this organization has taken effective steps to develop and strengthen scientific and research cooperation In the national and international arena, and the hosting IORA RCSTT since 2008 is a proof to this claim with all its power and facilities.

With the belief that science, research and technology are the most important ways to achieve peace, prosperity and security among the nations of the world, IROST hosted this Center and presently, during the new presidency of this Organization, as always and even more than before, is ready for any kind of support for this Center and participation in its programs and activities, and in this regard, it presented a report on upcoming programs and projects in cooperation with this Regional Center in the near future.

In the following, the Director of the Center also presented a detailed report on the current and future plans and activities of this Center.

In addition, according to the predetermined schedule, H. E. Dr. Salman Al Farisi, the Secretary General of IORA and Mr. Gareth Rees, one of the Directors of IORA, and a group of ambassadors and representatives of the Ministries of Science, Research and Technology and Foreign Affairs on 3 November 2022 visited the facilities and capabilities of Research and Technology and the Iranian Research Organization for Science and Technology (IROST), and surveyed the multilateral scientific and technological cooperation in the form of implementing research projects and holding meetings and specialized training courses for the near future.



