## CultureTalk Uzbekistan Video Transcripts: http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu Tourism in Uzbekistan

## **Uzbek transcript:**

Shu mustaqilllik yillari haqida gapiradigan bo'lsak, umuman turizm haqiqatdan ham rivojlanayapti, masalan, O'zbekistonga har kuni yuzlab, manimcha, turistlar kelsa kerak, a bizada, shukurlar bo'lsinki bizada tarixiy shaharlar mayjud, Buxoro, Samarqand, Xiya kabi shaharlar mavjudligi uchun, manimcha turistlar oqimi ham kun-sayin oshib boryapti, va O'zbekistonda umuman, juda ko'p turistik korxonalarni uchratish mumkin. Ya'ni ular o'sha harakat qilishadi, chet eldan ko'proq turistlarni jalb, O'zbekistonga jalb qilishga. Manimcha umuman kelajakda turizm ham rivojlansa, O'zbekiston igtisodiyotiga katta hissa qo'shgan bo'ladi deb o'ylayman, chunki hali turizm sohasida ham juda ko'p ishlar qilinishi kerak deb o'ylayman, umuman turizm sohasi uchun umuman, O'zbekistonda vetarli infrastruktura bo'lmasa kerak, chunki hali bizda fagat, ganday desam, O'zbekistonda turizm haliyam faslga bog'liq, chunki qishlarimiz juda sovuq, yozlarimiz juda issiq, shuning uchun o'zim Buxoroda, Buxorodan bo'lgnligim uchun va Buxoro shu asosiy turist, turistik shaharlardan bo'lganligi uchun, umuman turistlar oqimi qachon ko'payishi va qachon kamayishi, va qachon umuman bo'lmasligini yaxshi bilaman. O'zim ham ma'lum, qanday desam, ma'lum bir vaqt mobaynida mehmonxonada ishlaganman.

## **English translation:**

When we speak about the years of independence, we should note that tourism is developing as well. For example, hundreds of tourists, I think, come to Uzbekistan every single day. Thanks to God, we have historical cities...because we have cities like Bukhoro, Samarqand, Khiva. In my opinion, the flow of the tourists is growing day by day, and in Uzbekistan, in fact, you can see a lot of tourist agencies. That's to say they try to attract more foreign tourists, more tourists to Uzbekistan. In my opinion, if tourism develops in the future, it would contribute a lot to the economy of Uzbekistan, because I think a lot need to be done in the sphere of tourism. In fact, there is not enough infrastructure for tourism in Uzbekistan, because how I can say, tourism is still dependent on the season(s) in Uzbekistan. Because our winters are very cold and the summers are very hot. That's why since I am from Bukhoro, and since Bukhoro is one of the main touristy cities, I know when the flow of tourists grows, increases and decreases, and when there are no tourists at all. I worked, how I can say, for a certain period of time at a hotel.

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