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Dear Professor Abdusalam Guseynov,

On behalf of the International Federation of Philosophical Societies, we are delighted to express to you our warmest and most appreciative wishes in support of the activities of the Institute of Philosophy that will be henceforth based in the new headquarters at Goncharnaya street.


Thanks to your personal commitment and to the efforts of all of your colleagues, the Institute of Philosophy is a major and most active member of FISP: its work in the promotion of Russian philosophy abroad is very influential and well-respected, and has substantially contributed to the prestige of Russian thought and scholarship across the world; it is instrumental to ensuring the participation of Russian scholars in the World Congresses of Philosophy, where they regularly form the most numerous deputation; it has contributed a reference issue of our journal *Diogenes* on the history and current trends of Russian philosophy, guest edited by Professor Stepanyants; and it certainly fosters the development of professional relations with scholars from all countries who are seeking to establish connections and partnerships with Russian philosophers.

We are delighted to learn that a distinguished member of the Steering Committee of FISP and former Vice-president of the Federation, Professor Marietta Stepanyants, will be celebrated in a public ceremony at the Institute. May we ideally join you in this event – one that exemplifies how the Institute continues its activity in a spirit of attachment to the national philosophical and cultural tradition in articulation with a strong international projection.

We look forward to a continued fruitful partnership,

Yours sincerely,


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