

## **Report of the 5th International Conference on Shams and Rumi**

The 5th international conference on Shams and Molana was held on Sunday morning, september 29, with a group of scholars and enthusiasts of Molana and Shams in the vicinity of Shams Tabrizi Tomb. The conference hosted by the Institute for Humanities and Cultural Studies and Shams Tabrizi's trusteeship for the fifth year in the city of Khoy, in the Shams Tabrizi Tomb, annually hosts Rumiologists, scholars and scholars of literature, philosophy and mysticism from around the country and our neighbours.

Special guests of this year's conference are Dr. Darya Aras, Honorable Ambassador of Turkey in Iran, and Dr. Nemat Yildirim, Professor at the University of Azores in Turkey, along with the Chairman and a group of directors and faculty of the Institute for Humanities and Cultural Studies. In the opening ceremony, organized by Dr. Mehdi Mestakin, Head of the UNESCO National Commission on Culture, Dr. Hossein Ali Ghobadi, Head of the Institute for Humanities and Cultural Studies, and Dr. Seyedeh Maryam Ameli Rezaei, Conference Secretary and Governor of Khoy, welcomed the participants and discussed the necessity and nature of the conference and its scientific and practical implementation.