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Education Minister, Misir Mardanov, rectors of universities, teachers and pupils took part in the event.

Speaking at the opening, Education Minister, Misir Mardanov, greeted the participants and noted year after year the number of students participated in the conference, which has been held for 15 years, is increasing. Moreover, the rise in the number of students shows the interest of youth in the science and their positive attitude about the conference.

The Minister marked the successful implementation of education reform in the country. According to him, the two-day conference was organized in 21 sections, which include different fields of education. Moreover, the condition for PhD students and young researches of universities, including private universities was created and 20 universities have already presented 401 theses.

The Minister informed that, in order to implement the execution of order of November 8 of 2010 of the President on Conducting the 100th anniversary of Academician Sh. Mehdiyev, Ministry of Education, Ministry of Ecology and National Resources and Azerbaijan National Academy of Science are made a decision on granting three awards named after Academician Shafaet Mehdiyev "The best lecture" at the conference. Moreover, according to him, active researchers will be handed over a certificate of the Ministry of Education. The Minister expressed his belief in the important contribution of such conferences to the development of science and wished all success to participants.

Later, Deputy Education Minister, Irada Huseynova, rector of Baku State University, Abel Maharramov, a doctoral candidate of BSU, Ziya Amrahov and others made a speech at the conference and share their thoughts of the importance of the scientific conference.

Conference continues its work on sections.