Having warmly welcomed the guests, Education Minister Misir Mardanov noted a special role of educational ties in the development of cooperation between two countries. Noting the particular interest of Azerbaijan in the development of international cooperation in the education field, the Minister expressed his belief that there will be established further effective relationship with Argentina in this field as well.

The Minister reminded the recent meeting with the president of the National Council of Scientific and Technical Research of Argentina (CONICET) Marta Rovira and stressed that the mutual visits will contribute to the development of cooperation between two countries. Noting the possibility to send Azerbaijani students to universities of Argentina within 'State Programme for the Education of Azerbaijani Youth Abroad in the years of 2007-2015' the Minister highly praised the meeting in terms of its contribution to the development of further cooperation.

Minister of Science, Technology and Innovative Production of Argentina Lino Baranao thanked the Minister for the warm welcome underlining his satisfaction with the visit to Azerbaijan. Noting that both countries are rich in the national resources, the guest stressed the importance to transfer them to scientific potential, and build the knowledge-based economy. He stressed the importance of applying new technologies in the modern world, as well using the strength of youth in this regard.

The guest gave information on the Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovative Production of Argentina, which was established in 2007. He expressed their interest in establishing cooperation with Azerbaijan noting that the cooperation in the field of student exchange will be very useful.

Minister Mardanov talked on achievements gained by the country during the years of independence, and the development path of the education field of the country. Noting the negative impact of Armenia – Azerbaijan Nagorno – Karabakh conflict on the development of education, the Minister expressed his assurance that due to the growing influence of the country in the international community this problem will find the fair solution soon.

The Minister also touched upon the successful policy of President Ilham Aliyev implemented to transfer the oil capital into human capital and gave information on implemented reforms and gained achievements. Noting more than 80% of scholars of the country are working in the education field of the country, the Minister underlined the possibility to arrange the bilateral visits and joint scientific conferences.

Next, the sides held an exchange of views on various issues of common interest.

The meeting was also attended by the Ambassador of Azerbaijan to Argentina Mammad Ahmadzade.