



The Late Ayatollah Mohammad Ali Taskhiri

(Country: Iran)

Biography

Ayatollah Muhammad Ali Taskhiri was one of the advocates of the unity of the Islamic Ummah, and the second secretary general of the World Assembly for the Approximation of Islamic Religions. Besides his education in seminary, he also studied university courses in the fields of Arabic literature and jurisprudence and principles at the Faculty of Jurisprudence in Najaf.

In 1985, he established the Organization of Islamic Culture and Communication to manage the cultural activities abroad. In 2001, he was elected by the leader of the Islamic Republic of Iran as the Secretary General of the World Assembly for Approximation of Islamic Religions, and in 2011, he was appointed to the position of Ayatollah Khamenei's senior adviser on the affairs of the Islamic world.

Translating 16 books from Persian into Arabic, appearing in more than 650 radio and television programs in Persian and Arabic languages, writing a collection of poetry in Arabic language are part of his scientific and cultural activities.