## Reference

Arco Forum and, especially, the Casa Turca in Madrid, they make a magnificent role in promoting initiatives that tend to mutual knowledge and real friendship among the people of the various religious communities that are present in Madrid.

As the current president of the Association of Friendship and Interreligious Encounter (AAEI) of Madrid, I greatly appreciate the dynamism, the openness, the sincerity and the authenticity of the work of these groups that strive in something parallel to what we do (and in many cases join their activities to ours). For the future of coexistence that needs Spain, Europe and the world, the delivery of these people to their work is essential.

Within such activities occupies an important place the Concert of the Three Cultures, which is held annually. Not only because of the quality of the performers who come together in this event. But especially because it is one of the moments in which more people of all types participate. This large influx of public in Madrid municipal buildings, better than many other organizations, they make that many people approach with love and with a healthy curiosity about Islam, Judaism, Christianity and, in general, the religious fact. It is fundamental to diminish the distrust, to make disappear the dismal idea that the religious plurality is the sure beginning of the violence. Arco Forum and Casa Turca are in this sense, exemplary and necessary. All the support they receive will be safely used.

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