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Donald Trump nominated for Nobel Peace Prize

Donald Trump has been nominated for the 2021 Nobel Peace Prize following his efforts to broker peace between Israel and the United Arab Emirates (UAE).

The US president's name has been put forward by Norwegian politician Christian Tybring-Gjedde, according to *Fors News*.

"For his merit, I think he has done more trying to create peace between nations than most other Peace Prize nominees," Mr Tybring-Gjedde, a four-term member of parliament, told the channel.

Tybring-Gjedde, in his nomination letter to the Nobel Committee, said the Trump administration has played a key role in the establishment of relations between Israel and the UAE.



"As it is expected other Middle Eastern countries will follow in the footsteps of the UAE, this agreement could be a game changer that will turn the Middle East into a region of cooperation and prosperity," he wrote.

On Tuesday, a White House official announced Mr Trump will hold a signing

ceremony on 15 September for a groundbreaking Middle East agreement normalizing relations between Israel and the UAE.

As part of the deal, [announced at the White House](#) on 13 August following what officials said were 18 months of talks, the Gulf state agreed to normal relations with Israel, while Israel agreed to continue with plans to suspend its annexation of the West Bank.

In 2020, there were 318 candidates for the Nobel Peace Prize.

Submissions must be made online and all nominees are discussed before a shortlist of the most worthy and interesting is drawn up.

45 Armenian students to study in the world's top universities



On 8 September, Otsakian Culture House hosted the ceremony of granting My Step Foundation's Scholarship Program Certificates to its recipients.

Forty-five students now have the opportunity to study in the world's top universities, provided that they return to Armenia and put into practice their knowledge and skills for the development of their Homeland.

Scholarship Certificates were awarded after the application, all the necessary doc-

uments and the results of the interview with the Selection Committee were summarized. The Foundation finances professions which are on the priority list of Armenia's development (agriculture, veterinary science, healthcare management, medical science, data science, statistics, urban planning, etc.).

"The idea behind the Foundation's Scholarship Program is to enable Armenian youth to acquire professions in the world's

top universities required for instance of Armenia's sustainable development," Hovhannes Ghavaryan, Executive Director of My Step Foundation, said in his opening remarks.

Artar Martirosov, Deputy Minister of Education, Science, Culture and Sports of Armenia, read out the greeting speech of Minister Arash H. Harutyunyan mentioning, "Encouraging sustainable professional growth, sectoral development and progress in Armenia, from 2018 on MY STEP Foundation awards scholarships to young people admitted to the world's leading educational institutions who wish to acquire professions based on Armenia's sustainable development priorities, to apply their knowledge and skills to the progress of our Homeland."



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