



Tasks and composition of IFAN working and project groups

WG - working group; PG - project group

Asia-Pacific Group

Created:	September 2015
Task:	To deal with standards users' issues specific to Asia-Pacific area and countries, and to improve IFAN cooperation within PASC members.
Members:	Mr. Gao Jianzhong (CAS, China), Chairman Ms. Weija Xia (CAS, China), Secretary Mr. Ma Rufie (GSIIC) Mr. Ross Wraight (Standards Group) Ms. Jiang Kexin (CAS, China) Mr. Reinhard Weissinger (IFAN Associate)

European Group

Created:	October 2002
Task:	To deal with standards users' issues specific to Europe and to improve IFAN cooperation with CEN and CENELEC.
Members:	Ms. Andrea Beddard-Smith (BSS, United Kingdom), Chairperson Dr. Bernhard Angermaier, (ANP, Germany), Deputy Chairperson Mr. Laurent Oberlé (ACANOR, France) Dr. Burkhard Raith (ANP, Germany) Mr. Martin Conrads (ANP, Germany) Prof. Albert Cavalli (ACANOR, France) Mr. Tino Rubino (NOP, Switzerland) Ms. Aymee Siddons (BSS/BSI, United Kingdom) Ms. Sarah Jones (BSS, United Kingdom) Mr. Jorge Figueira (BSS, United Kingdom) Mr. Bululu Kabatakaka (APROMEN, Congo) Ms. Claudia Bach (SES, United States) Mr. Nicolas Fleury Ms. Raissa Soares (CEN-CENELEC Belgium) Honorary member

WG 1 "Promotion and awareness"

Created:	November 1998
Task:	Assisting the board in the development and preparation of promotion ideas and products e.g : social media, web site, press releases, IFAN logo, leaflets, stationery, slides, gifts, articles, etc.
Members:	Ms. Vered Oren (ISUS, Israel), Chairperson Mr. Ross Wraight (Standards Group) Dr. Bernhard Angermaier (ANP Germany) Ms. Andrea Beddard-Smith (BSS United Kingdom) Ms. Claudia Bach (United States) Mr. Nicolas Fleury (Ind) Ms. Emeryle Itoua, Manageo Conseils Ms. Gabriela Ehrlich (Ind)

WG 3 "Standards access and distribution"

Created:	June 1999
Task:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Studying user needs in the field of access to and distribution of standards including the application of electronic tools for these purposes, and • Advising the IFAN Board on the development of IFAN positions with regard to issues related to standards access and distribution.
Members:	Ms. Karen Reczek Chairperson Ms. Claudia Bach (United States) Mr. Ross Wraight (Standards Group) Mr. Burkhard Raith (ANP, Germany) Ms. Andrea Beddard-Smith (BSS, United Kingdom) Mr. Ma Rufie (GSIIC) Mr. Laurent Oberlé (ACANOR, France) Mr. Reinhard Weissinger (IFAN Associate) Mr. Nicolas Fleury (Ind) Ms. Emeryle Itoua (Manageo Conseils) Mr. Godfrey Dube, (NSUSZ) Mr. Antoninho A Chitseve (Ind) Mr. David Tspenyuk (Get More Brain)

WG 8 "Conformity assessment"

Created:	March 2000
Task:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To develop, enhance and implement IFAN strategies and policies on conformity assessment; • To establish liaisons with international organizations concerned with conformity assessment (ISO, IAF, ILAC, IEC, etc.), nominate IFAN representatives to these groups as appropriate, serve as a consultation forum for the representatives concerned and prepare IFAN positions on issues under discussion; • To plan and carry out initiatives with respect to the implementation of IFAN strategies and policies on conformity assessment.
Members:	Mr. Ross Wraight (Standards Group) Dr Burkhard Raith (ANP, Germany) Mr. Nicolas Fleury (Ind) Ms. Karen Reczek (Ind) Ms. Emeryle Itouta, (Manageo Conseils) Mr. Godfrey Dube, (NSUSZ) Ms. Gabriela Ehrlich (Ind)

PG 14 "Social Responsibility"

Created:	October 2002
Task:	To collect and to collate positions of IFAN members with regard social responsibility (SR), to deliver these positions to the ISO/TMB Working Group on SR and to monitor further developments concerning this subject.
Members:	Ms. Andrea Beddard-Smith (BSS, United Kingdom), Chairperson Mr. David Felinski (SES, USA) Ms. Vered Oren (ISUS, Israel) Mr. Ross Wraight (Standards Group)

WG 16 "Education and training"

Created:	June 2005
Task:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To support and promote initiatives in education and training in the standardization field at international, regional and national levels; • To observe initiatives and inform the communities concerned by standardization (stakeholders, users, education professionals, experts, etc.) on education and training in the standardization field at international, regional and national levels; • To support, facilitate and encourage networking in this field.
Members:	<p>Mr. Muhammad Ali (SES, USA) Chairperson Mr. Laurent Oberlé (ACANOR, France), Mrs. Andrea Beddard-Smith (BSS, United Kingdom) Ms. Sarah Jones (BSS, United Kingdom) Mr. Bertin Ntumba Bululu (APROMEN, Congo) Mr. Bululu Kabatakaka (APROMEN, Congo) Dr. Burkhard Raith (ANP, Germany) Dr. Bernhard Angermaier (ANP, Germany) Prof. Albert Cavalli (ACANOR, France) Ms. Gill Withney (BSI Consultant) Mr. Philippe Charissoux (ACANOR, France) Ms. Vered Oren (ISUS, Israel) Mr. Bongani Khanyile, (PCC) Mr. Gertin Van de Kaa, (IFAN Associate) Ms. Karen Reczek (Ind) Mrs. Claudia Bach, (United States) Mr. Reinhard Weissinger (IFAN Associate) Mr. Nicolas Fleury (Ind) Ms. Emeryle Itoua, (Manageo Conseils) Mr. Godfrey Dube, (NSUSZ) Ms. Christine Kertesz (AFNOR, France) Mr. Antoninho A Chitseve (Ind)</p>