



# INTERNATIONAL AUTHORS FORUM

**IAF General Meeting 22 March 2022**

## **Item 4. Approval of IAF Membership Applications**

The following organisations have applied for membership of IAF and require ratification by simple majority of the current membership at this General Meeting in order to be admitted as IAF Members.

Please inform the secretariat ([athanasios.venitsanopoulos@internationalauthors.org](mailto:athanasios.venitsanopoulos@internationalauthors.org)) of any questions or objections you have regarding the ratification of these members either at the General Meeting or, preferably, in advance.

	<b>Organisation Name</b>	<b>Members</b>	<b>Summary of Aims and Activities</b>	<b>IAF Membership Type</b>	<b>Country</b>	<b>Region</b>
1	COPIBEC	30000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Copibec's mission is to ensure, through collective management, the use of the works of authors and visual arts creators while respecting their rights and those of their publishing houses.</li><li>• Offers user licenses to organizations</li><li>• Grant permissions to the room</li><li>• Manages copyright and royalties on behalf of rights holders</li><li>• Administers the SAMUEL digital content platform for the education community</li><li>• Offers the DONA service for students with perceptual disabilities</li></ul>	Author Organisation	Canada	North America



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2	Forfatterforbundet – The Norwegian Society of Authors	330	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Forfatterforbundet is a union safeguarding author's income and work conditions.</li><li>• Forfatterforbundet will promote Norwegian literary writing, contribute to our member's professional development and to the growth of new literature.</li><li>• Forfatterforbundet is a union safeguarding author's income and work conditions.</li><li>• Forfatterforbundet will promote Norwegian literary writing, contribute to our member's professional development and to the growth of new literature.</li></ul>	Author Organisation	Norway	Europe
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3	Consejo de las Culturas - Council of Cultures	200	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Strengthen and protect the economic authors rights, promote the work of authors and artists, contribute to develop the cultural industry, defend moral and economics rights.</li><li>• Protect the intellectual property, contribute to develop the national cultural industry and the creative economy.</li></ul>	Author Organisation	Bolivia	Mexico, Central and South America



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4	Asociación de Autores Salvadoreños- Association of Salvadoran Authors	450	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Promotion, protection and dissemination of the Salvadoran Art</li><li>• Organization of Literary Conferences, Seminars and Translations and Prizes</li></ul>	Author Organisation	El Salvador	Mexico, Central and South America
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