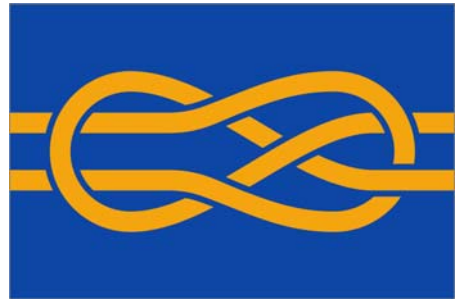

Info-FIAV

No. 50, December 2019
ISSN 1560-9979



Fédération internationale
des associations vexillologiques

www.FIAV.org
www.Facebook.com/FIAV.org



**MINUTES OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH SESSION OF
THE FIAV GENERAL ASSEMBLY
ANACACHO BALLROOM
THE ST. ANTHONY HOTEL
JULY 16, 2019
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, UNITED STATES**

Summary:

- Resignation of MHZ
- GA 25 minutes approved
- MGD, CONAVEX, and VRCC admitted as Members
- Michel Lupant and Charles Spain retire from Board after serving for 22 years
- Željko Heimer elected as President
- Bruce Berry elected as Secretary-General
- Graham Bartram reelected as Secretary-General for Congresses
- VRCC and FRC selected as ICV 30 (Beijing 2023) organizers
- CFZ, HVK, MZT, NF, PH, and RCVH did not send a delegate (Constitution article 8(a): "A Member voluntarily resigns if it does not send a delegate to three consecutive sessions of the General Assembly. The resignation is effective at the adjournment of the third consecutive session.")
 - CFZ voluntarily resigned as Member effective at the adjournment of this session
 - Awards and honors presented at closing banquet
 - Whitney Smith Award presented to Hipólito Rafael Chacón for "*Iconographia Jacobaea: The Reach of Santiago, Spain's Patron Saint, in Municipal Heraldry and Vexillology*"

IN THIS ISSUE

GA 26 Minutes	1–9
Awards and Honors	9–11
Outgoing FIAV Board	11
GA 26 Credentials	12–58
In Memoriam	59
New FIAV Board	59
Publication of Minutes	60–61
Presidency	61
Permanent Secretariat of FIAV	61
Permanent Secretariat of ICVs	61

Member Admissions	62
Current Members by Date of Establishment	63
Current Members by Territory	64–65
Upcoming Dates	65
Officers	66–67
Awards and Honors	67–70
ICVs	71–72
CORs	73
GAs	73
Standard Abbreviations	73–75

Members	76–95
Former Members	96–99
Constitution	100–105
GA Attendance	106–113
GA Delegates	114–126
FIAV People Index	127–135
Whatever Happened to the Original 1967 FIAV Flag?	136–139
The Last Word(s)	139–141
FIAV Boards	139–140
<i>Info-FIAV</i>	140

- Vexillon Award presented to Nozomi Kariyasu for 日本旗章史図鑑

Japanese Flags from Ancient Time to Today

- Fellows of the Federation presented to Malcolm Farrow, Martin Grieve, John Hartvigsen (COR), Michel Lupant, Charles Spain, Peter Van de Putte (COR), and Vanessa Van de Putte (COR) (COR = ICV 28 Congress Organizing Representative)

- Laureate of the Federation presented to Tracey Mee for “Australian National Identity: Somewhere Between the Flags?”, Doctor of Philosophy thesis, School of Humanities and Social Inquiry, University of Wollongong, 2018

1. Call to order by the President; official opening of the Twenty-Sixth Session The President, wielding the FIAV Gavel, called the meeting to order on July 16, 2019 at 4:05 p.m. in the Anacacho Ballroom of The St. Anthony Hotel, San Antonio, Texas, United States and officially opened the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly of the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques.

2. Resignation of MHZ The President announced his December 8, 2018 receipt of the Македонско хералдичко здружение (MHZ) / Makedonsko heraldi ko zdruzenie / Macedonian Heraldry Society’s resignation. Pursuant to FIAV Constitution article 8(b), the resignation is effective on the date of its receipt, reducing the number of FIAV Members to 49. See *Info-FIAV* No. 46, at pages 1–2 (June 2019).

3. Verification by the President of written credentials of delegates from FIAV Members The President verified the written credentials of the following FIAV Members:

AAV	Gustav Tracchia
ACV	Charles Spain
BS	Nicolas Hugot
BHVS	Željko Heimer
BDA	Gustav Tracchia
CFA	Kevin Harrington
CEBED	Michel Lupant
CISV	Alfred Znamierowski
CVS	Josef Hubka
CBFA	John Lowe
GSI	Graham Bartram
DGF	Andreas Herzfeld
FHF	Anne Platoff
FI	Graham Bartram
FRC	Hugh Brady
FSA	Ralph Bartlett
FOTW	Bruce Berry
CIDEC	Gustav Tracchia
GWAV	Anne Platoff
HS	Aleksander Hribovšek
HGZD	Željko Heimer
IVA	Michel Lupant
IHW	Alfred Znamierowski
KVV	Alain Raullet

NVvV	Marcel van Westerhoven
NEVA	Edward Kaye
NZFA	Ralph Bartlett
JAVA	Nozomi Kariyasu
NAVA	Peter Ansoff
PTW	Alfred Znamierowski
PFA	Max Liberman
SSV	Michel Lupant
SEV	Michel Lupant
SVB	Michel Lupant
SGHAPG	Michel Lupant
SFV	Nicolas Hugot
SAVA	Bruce Berry
SCHG	Michel Lupant
SVPR	Marcel van Westerhoven
SVI	Petr Exner
UHT	Željko Heimer
VAST	Hugh Brady
WVRI	Alfred Znamierowski
MGD (Member candidate)	Željko Heimer
CONAVEX (Member candidate)	Gus Tracchia
VRCC (Member candidate)	Zhao Xinfeng

4. Roll call of delegates; recognition of a quorum by the Secretary-General; declaration by the President that the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly is constituted

The SG called the roll as follows:

Members present (43): AAV, ACV, BS, BHVS, BDA, CFA, CEBED, CISV, CVS, CBFA, GSI, DGF, FHF, FI, FRC, FSA, FOTW, CIDEA, GWAV, HS, HGZD, IVA, IHW, KVV, NVvV, NEVA, NZFA, JAVA, NAVA, PTW, PFA, SSV, SEV, SVB, SGHAPG, SFV, SAVA, SCHG, SVPR, SVI, UHT, VAST, and WVRI.

Members absent (6): CFZ, HVK, MZT, NF, PH, and RCVH.

Officers present (3): Michel R. Lupant, President; Charles A. Spain, Secretary-General (SG); and Graham M.P. Bartram, Secretary-General for Congresses (SGC).

The SG determined that 43 of the 49 Members were present, which satisfied the article 14(b) constitutional requirement that delegates of at least half of the Members be present. The SG recognized the presence of a quorum, and the President declared that the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly was properly constituted.

The SC distributed voting cards to accredited delegates and FIAV Officers.

Because the representatives of 43 Members and 3 Officers were present for a total of 46 possible votes, the SG reminded the General Assembly of the article 15 constitutional requirement that a simple majority vote would require 24 votes, a two-thirds majority vote would require 31 votes, and a three-fourths majority vote would require 35 votes, as long as the persons authorized to exercise the 46 possible votes remained present.

5. Appointment by the President of tellers to count votes The President appointed Clay Moss and Collin Randall as tellers to count votes.

6. Approval of the minutes of the Twenty-Fifth Session of the General Assembly held August 8, 2017 in London, England, United Kingdom Moved by the SG, seconded by CEBED, "That the minutes of the Twenty-Fifth

Session of the General Assembly, as published in published in *Info-FIAV* No. 44, at pages 1–18 (January 2019) be approved.” Passed by two-thirds majority.

7. Reports by the Board

(a) President. Michel Lupant

Dear delegates, dear friends,

I express my gratitude for placing your trust in me to serve as FIAV President these two last years but also these last 22 years. I was elected for the first time in Cape Town in 1997. You have learned that I will not be running for a new term. I was happy and very proud to serve FIAV for so long a time! Through the Congresses and my numerous trips I have developed and discovered a great friendship between people through their interest about flags.

Tomorrow we will visit the Whitney Smith’s treasures in Austin. He was one of the founders of FIAV and one of the greatest vexillologists in the world. He passed away in November 2016. His extraordinary life’s work, his library, is now safely archived at the Dolph Briscoe Center for American History at The University of Texas at Austin.

I have to pay my duty at his memory because my interest for vexillology began with Smith’s book *Flags Through the Ages and Across the World*. I bought the French edition in 1977. I wrote to him, and we have exchanged letters. He sent me addresses of other vexillologists. It was the point of departure for great interest in flags. In Warsaw he asked me to present my candidature as FIAV President, but it happened two years later during ICV 17 in Cape Town.

We are in 2019, and it is a great pleasure for the Board of FIAV to remember the 50th anniversary of the adoption of the FIAV Statutes on Sunday, 7 September 1969 at the Third International Congress of Vexillology held in Boston.

Since more than 22 years and since London, the Board has conducted FIAV business. As you know, most of that activity is routine in nature, but we have paid a lot of time on it. I can tell you the collaboration between the Officers was always very great. That collaboration is and was in the interest of the development of the future for FIAV. We work by consensus, and our discussions were always full of a great cordiality and I can tell you of a great wisdom.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my sincere thanks to my great friends, Charles and Graham, for their excellent work. It is and it was a great honor for me to work with them. It was after a meeting with Charles in Warsaw in 1995 and the death of William Crampton, my predecessor, that I have decided to present my candidature in Cape Town. Bruce Berry was elected Secretary-General for Congresses, leaving in 1999, and since that date Graham Bartram has joined the Board until now. For 22 years Charles was the pillar of FIAV. His work was so extraordinary, we have to remember the agendas, the *Info-FIAVs*, the Constitution. Charles, also, will not be running for re-election, and I have to thank him. Kin, I thank you very much for your work, for your help, for your friendship during all these 22 years. FIAV and I have a great debt to you. I ask the Assembly to stand up and to applaud him.

Since my election in Cape Town, my objective was to make FIAV more known, and I think it was always a success. Between Sydney and London, I have visited 11 countries in two continents. I did all my best to meet vexillologists, to participate at associations’ meetings, to meet local authorities, or to research information in museums or archives. It was not so easy as it was in the past.

In France, I was present at the General Assembly of the French Association in Paris 2018. In Greek Macedonia I saw demonstrations with Greek blue Macedonian flags against the independent Macedonia. In Mount Athos the double-headed eagle flies everywhere. In Northern Macedonia, Mount Athos welcomed me. I met many members of the Macedonia Heraldry Society, and I have congratulated Jovan Jonovski for his doctorate. With Petr Gajdov I have visited the Kosovo historical museum in Pristina where flags are displayed. He was a very friendly guide! In Nepal I was disappointed at the Army museum. Due to the earthquake sometime ago, I did not see all the flags; some are in another building which is closed to the public waiting renovation. In Bhutan, the national flag uses different dragons. I also saw the police and army flags.

In Bahrain I saw mostly the national flag but in the national museum I discovered the emir’s car flag from 1930s. In Kuwait, the national flag and the old red flag, together with many Saudi Arabian flags, are displayed in souks. In Qatar, the national flag and flags with the emir’s head are displayed everywhere! In Norway, people cannot use the national flag except on national days; instead they use a pennant with the national colors.

In 2017, no associations or institutions applied for FIAV membership, but this year three associations, one from Chile, one from China, and the restructured Macedonia association, will apply for membership.

There are vexillologists in many countries: in Brazil, Cameroon, Colombia, Cuba, Estonia, Greece, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxemburg, Nigeria, Pakistan, Romania, Serbia, Thailand, Uruguay, and probably other countries. I hope some new vexillological associations and institutions will be created in the near future and will apply for FIAV membership.

The goal of the new Board will be to attract young vexillologists. We are living in a changing world due to increasing new technology. The opportunities provided by the Internet are great. There are young people interested by flags, but not so much by historical research!

There is evidence that vexillology is well alive. It is necessary to develop its promotion, bringing into closer cooperation people interested in all aspects of flags. I have worked in that direction for so many years!

Je souhaite la bienvenue à San Antonio à tous nos amis de la francophonie : de Belgique, de Bretagne, du Canada, et de France C'est un plaisir pour moi et pour tout le bureau de la FIAV de les accueillir. Je leur souhaite un agréable séjour. Je leur souhaite des discussions franches et captivantes, je leur souhaite de découvrir ces richesses vexillologiques qui transparaîtront dans les nombreuses lectures qui nous seront proposées.

Bienvenidos todos nuestros amigos en el mundo hispano. Le deseo una agradable estancia en la ciudad de San Antonio. Espero que descubra y comparta mucha información sobre las banderas.

Ich begrüße alle unsere deutschsprachigen Freunde aus Deutschland und der Schweiz. Ich wünsche Ihnen einen angenehmen Aufenthalt in San Antonio. Ich hoffe, Sie werden interessante Vorträge hören und an lebhaften Diskussionen teilnehmen.

I hope the discussions will be fair in the respect of each other. I wish you a good General Assembly.

Good luck to the new Board!

(b) Secretary-General. Charles Spain

Once more unto the breach, dear friends, once more;

. . . .

I see you stand like greyhounds in the slips,
Straining upon the start. The game's afoot

Dear delegates and friends,

I must begin—as always—by thanking my fellow Board members Michel and Graham.

Michel and I were both in the crucible of the 1995 General Assembly in Warsaw—a session over four long, unpleasant, and chaotic days. In 1997, Michel and I ran for the Board in Cape Town, each of us motivated to do so in large part to try to bring order out of chaos. Bruce Berry joined us in 1997, with Graham stepping into Bruce's position in 1999. The General Assembly session in 1999 was conducted over two days. Each session since 1999 has been completed on the day it began.

For 22 years this Board has worked tirelessly to promote vexillology, expand the geographic reach of the Congresses to all inhabited continents, revise the FIAV Constitution, recognize the accomplishments of deserving individual vexillologists, modernize communications and procedures, and—most of all—emphasize civility, respect, and friendship in the pursuit of our common goal, the study of flags.

Some of our work, such as constitutional reform, has been slow and deliberate. We have resolved the issue of inactive Members without resorting to unpleasant votes to remove them. By our actions in Yokohama in 2009, nine FIAV Members have voluntarily resigned by not being represented in the General Assembly for three consecutive sessions. We have compromised in the Constitution over joint international congresses by allowing geographically neighboring Members to meet jointly. And we have done the other things, too.

Vexillologists have strong opinions. There is nothing wrong with that. But on rare occasions the conversations can become strained, and occasionally uncivil. This Board has been tested over the years by some who would put the needs of the few over the needs of the many, thus threatening the civility that allows us to disagree as friends. This Board has weathered those tests. There has never been daylight between the three Board members so as to allow dissension amongst the three of us. The Board has been vigilant in its defense of what is fair and what is right. This comradery is extraordinary.

My predecessor as Secretary-General, Emil Dreyer, refers to us as The Three Musketeers. Perhaps in some small way, we are.

So, again, I thank my friends Michel and Graham. When I tell you every two years that we do not always initially agree with each other, I am very serious. But we work it out because our cordial and collegial relationship leads us to consensus decisions with which each of us is comfortable. Michel and Graham come to serve, and their service honors FIAV.

As I always do, I thank Jon Radel for having the foresight to reserve the domain www.fiav.org back when none of the rest of us knew what the Internet was. And I can report that the information on the FIAV website, especially Member information, has been updated. It is not the purpose of FIAV to compete with FIAV Members in advancing the work of vexillology, but the FIAV website should be a resource where people can find FIAV Members and have access to information about FIAV. That has been my goal with the website since I created it.

Finally, my thanks to the Vexillological Association of the State of Texas for its financial support of FIAV over many, many years. Whitney Smith told me 22 years ago that a privilege of serving on the Board was that the Board got to pay for FIAV's expenses from their wallets. VAST's help is appreciated.

Six issues of *Info-FIAV* (numbers 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, and 49) were edited and distributed in the last two years, for a total of 39 issues since number 11 in February 1999 when I edited my first issue.

On behalf of the Board, I have received very little correspondence in the past two years. I would like to believe that the lack of correspondence is due to the fact that people are generally pleased with the direction the Board and FIAV have taken.

But this report ends on a different note than the proceeding ten reports from me. While I thank you for the honor of serving as your Secretary-General, all good things must come to an end. I know that the people of Texas expect me to do the work they elected me to do at the court of appeals, so I must leave this job I love.

Here at the end, I think of Whitney Smith, who asked me to go to Warsaw to help him. I think of William Crampton who I came to know as a friend. I think of so very many friends over the years, absent and present. It has been a singular privilege and honor to serve you.

Thank you from the bottom of my heart.

However, there is today's session to complete and minutes to write even after it concludes. No job is finished until the paperwork is done.

So I say to my comrades Michel and Graham:

All for one and one for all,
united we stand divided we fall.
En garde!

(c) Secretary-General for Congresses. Graham Bartram

Dear delegates and friends,

I'd like to start by thanking VAST and The Flag Research Center for all the work they have put into organizing this Congress. In particular I would like to thank the three Congress Organizing Representatives: Vanessa Van de Putte, Pete van de Putte, and John Hartvigsen; and Annie Platoff for organizing the programme of papers and presentations.

The *Proceedings* of Sydney have been delayed by the editor's health. The *Proceedings* of London are due to be published later this year and have been delayed by the editor needing eye surgery. Until you have tried to turn people's presentations and slides into a coherent set of *Proceedings*, it is difficult to understand just how much work is involved!

On future Congresses, Heraldica Slovenica are organizing ICV 29 in 2021 in Ljubljana, Slovenia. At this General Assembly, we have to take a decision on the hosting of ICV 30. The Vexillological Research Center of China and the Flag Research Center have asked to host ICV 30 in Beijing, which would be only our second Congress in Asia, and the Société française de vexillologie have expressed an interest in organizing ICV 31 in 2025.

I am happy to discuss organizing a Congress with any FIAV Member, and of course you have lots of time. There are plenty of organizations out there that were created specifically to bring congress business to their country or city. Often the help they give is free of charge. If you are thinking of organizing a Congress then please consider using them.

Finally, I'd like to thank my fellow Board members, Michel and Charles, for their help and support over the past twenty years. It makes a lot of difference to how difficult it is to do this job if you have colleagues who you can get on with, and I believe we have made a good team. I look forward to working with the new President and Secretary-General—although maybe not for another twenty years!

Thank you.

8. Consideration of Candidates for FIAV membership

(a) Candidates

(i) Здружение за хералдика и вексилологија и фалеристика Македонско грбсловно друштво Скопје / Zdruzenie za heraldika i veksilologija i faleristika Makedonsko grbslovno društvo Skopje / Macedonian Heraldic Society (MGD). See *Info-FIAV* No. 46, at pages 1–2 (June 2019).

(ii) Corporación Nacional de Vexilología de Chile (CONAVEX). See *Info-FIAV* No. 49, at pages 4–6 (July 2019).

(iii) / 中国旗帜学研究中心 Vexillological Research Center of China (VRCC). See *Info-FIAV* No. 48, at pages 2–3, 5–20 (July 2019).

(b) The President noted the Board's statement regarding membership applications. See *Info-FIAV* no. 49, at page 1 (July 2019):

The Board's recommendation on a membership application is ministerial. The Board considers whether an application demonstrates the candidate is an "association or institution anywhere in the world having as a substantial purpose the scientific study of vexillology," see FIAV Constitution article 7(a), and whether the application satisfies the criteria of article 7(c):

The Board and the General Assembly, in making their decisions about an applicant, shall have regard to the following:

- (1) the existence of a written constitution and its provisions;
- (2) the vexillological and non-vexillological activities of the applicant, including meetings, publications, and international relations;
- (3) in the case of an association, the number of its active members (minimum of five);
- (4) registration of its members or representatives in International Congresses of Vexillology; and
- (5) the length of time it has existed.

In London the FIAV Constitution was amended to eliminate article 7(c)(6), requiring the "the presence of an autochthonous and authorized representative of the applicant at the session of the General Assembly at which there is to be a vote on the application." Article 7(b) was amended as follows (emphasis added):

The General Assembly at its next session shall vote on the application. An authorized representative of the applicant **must** appear at the session to present its case. **Unless excused by the General Assembly, the representative must serve an active role in conducting the applicant's affairs. If the applicant is an association, then the representative must also be a member of the association.** A rejected applicant has the right to reapply for membership at any later session of the General Assembly.

Because of the changes in article 7 and because article 16(d) states that the General Assembly interprets the Constitution, the Board makes no recommendations on the three membership applicants and defers to the General Assembly. This is to allow a discussion in the General Assembly of how Constitution article 7 should be interpreted going forward.

There was general consensus that the representatives of the applicants present at the General Assembly served an active role in conducting the applicants' affairs.

(c) Elections

Moved by FRC, seconded by FHF, "That MGD, COVAVEX, and VRCC be admitted as Members." Passed by two-thirds majority, increasing the number of FIAV Members to 52. MGD is the seventy-second, CONAVEX is the seventy-third, and VRCC is the seventy-fourth association or institution admitted as FIAV Members, of which 22 are no longer FIAV Members.

The President recognized MGD's delegate, Željko Heimer, CONAVEX's delegate, Gus Tracchia, and VRCC's delegate, Zhao Xinfeng, who were given seats in the General Assembly. As a result, the number of Members present increased from 43 to 46 (3 Officers were still present), increasing the total possible votes to 49. With the admission of three new Members, a simple majority vote would require 25 votes, a two-thirds majority vote would require 33 votes, and a three-fourths majority vote would require 37 votes, as long as the persons authorized to exercise the 49 possible votes remained present.

The SC distributed voting cards to accredited delegates of the new Members.

9. Election of the 2019–2021 Board

(a) Candidates for the FIAV Board

(i) President.

(1) Michel Lupant confirmed his previous announcement that he would not stand for reelection.

See *Info-FIAV* No. 48, at page 1 (July 2019).

(2) Željko Heimer confirmed his previous announcement that he is a candidate for election.

(ii) Secretary-General.

(1) Charles Spain confirmed his previous announcement that he would not stand for reelection.

See *Info-FIAV* No. 48, at page 1 (July 2019).

(2) Bruce Berry confirmed his previous public statement that he is a candidate for election.

(iii) Secretary-General for Congresses. Graham Bartram confirmed his previous announcement that he is a candidate for reelection.

(b) Elections

(i) President. Moved by PFA, seconded by FHF, "That Željko Heimer be elected as the President." Passed by simple majority.

(ii) Secretary-General. Moved by SG, seconded by NEVA, "That Bruce Berry be elected as the Secretary-General." Passed by simple majority.

(iii) Secretary-General for Congresses. Moved by SG, seconded by DGF, "That Graham Bartram be reelected as the Secretary-General for Congresses." Passed by simple majority.

10. **Report on ICV 29 (Ljubljana, 2021) organized by HS** The Congress will be held July 12 to 16, 2021. Further details will be given later at the Congress.

11. Report on status of ICV *Proceedings*

(a) ICV 26 (Sydney 2015) organized by FSA. Delayed for health concerns; publication expected by mid-2020.

(b) ICV 27 (London 2017) organized by FI. Delayed for health concerns; publication expected by end of 2019.

12. Selection of ICV 30 (2023) organizer

中国旗帜学研究中心 / Vexillological Research Center of China (VRCC) and The Flag Research Center (FRC). See *Info-FIAV* No. 47, at page 3 (June 2019) and No. 48, at pages 11–20 (July 2019).

Moved by the SG, seconded by NAVA, "That VRCC and FRC be selected as the organizers for ICV 30 in 2023, to be held in Beijing, China."

Moved by CISV, seconded by PFA, "That the following be added to the agenda for consideration by the General Assembly: IHW's bid to organize ICV 30 in 2023, to be held in Kraków, Poland. Failed (required two-thirds majority vote, but did not receive simple majority vote).

CISV, IHW, PTW, and WVRI left the General Assembly. As a result, the number of Members present decreased from 46 to 42 (3 Officers were still present), decreasing the total possible votes to 45. After these departures, a simple majority vote would require 23 votes, a two-thirds majority vote would require 30 votes, and a three-fourths majority vote would require 34 votes, as long as the persons authorized to exercise the 45 possible votes remained present.

Main motion (VRCC and FRC to organize ICV 30 (Beijing 2023)) passed.

13. **Canvas of Members that did not send a delegate for purposes of Constitution article 8** The SG confirmed that the following Members did not send a delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly: CFZ, HVK, MZT, NF, PH, and RCVH. The Member without a delegate for three consecutive General Assembly sessions was CFZ. This Member will voluntarily resign as a Member effective at the adjournment of this session.

The Member without a delegate for two consecutive General Assembly sessions was MZT. If this Member does not send a delegate to the Twenty-Seventh Session of the General Assembly, then it will voluntarily resign as a Member effective at the adjournment of the Twenty-Seventh Session (2021).

The Members without a delegate for only one General Assembly session were HVK, NF, PH, and RCVH. Any of these Members that do not send a delegate to the next two consecutive General Assembly sessions, i.e., no delegate at both the Twenty-Seventh and Twenty-Eighth Sessions, will voluntarily resign as a Member effective at the adjournment of the Twenty-Eighth Session (2023).

14. Final adjournment of the Twenty-Sixth Session by President With no further business pending, the President invited Željko Heimer and Bruce Berry to come forward and then adjourned the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly with a loud bang of the FIAV Gavel at 6:10 p.m. without fixing a time and day for another meeting of the session, noting with approval that the session lasted for only two hours and 5 minutes and handing the gavel to Željko Heimer. As a consequence, CFZ voluntarily resigned as a Member, reducing the number of FIAV Members to 51, and the term of office having ended pursuant to Constitution article 19(b), Željko Heimer took office as President, Bruce Berry took office as Secretary-General, and Graham Bartram remained in office as Secretary-General for Congresses, with Michel Lupant becoming President Emeritus and Charles Spain becoming Secretary-General Emeritus (subject to the responsibility to submit the minutes of the Twenty-Sixth Session).

Respectfully submitted,



Charles A. Spain
FIAV Secretary-General
San Antonio, July 16, 2019

APPENDIX TO THE MINUTES

WHITNEY SMITH AWARD



On July 19, 2019, the FIAV Board presented The Whitney Smith Award at the closing banquet, which was held at Historic Sunset Station. The Whitney Smith Award, established in 2005, recognizes outstanding scholarship and presentation of a paper at an International Congress of Vexillology. The recipient is selected by a panel appointed by the FIAV Board consisting, if possible, of a representative of the Congress organizers, flag manufacturers, and vexillologists. The award consists of a certificate signed by the Board and a pewter tray. The Best Paper Award is graciously sponsored by the North American Vexillological Association. The Whitney Smith Award recipient is Hipólito Rafael Chacón for “*Iconographia Jacobea*: The Reach of Santiago, Spain’s Patron Saint, in Municipal Heraldry and Vexillology.”

THE VEXILLON AWARD



On July 19, 2019, the FIAV Board presented the Vexillon Award at the closing banquet, which was held at Historic Sunset Station. The Vexillon, established in 1989, has developed into an award for the most important contribution to vexillology during the two years preceding an International Congress of Vexillology. The recipient is selected by the FIAV Board. The award consists of a certificate signed by the Board and a plaque. The Vexillon is graciously sponsored by the Flag Society of Australia Inc. The Vexillon Award recipient is Nozomi Kariyasu for

日本旗章史図鑑

Japanese Flags from Ancient Time to Today.

FELLOWS OF THE FEDERATION



On July 19, 2019, the FIAV Board presented Fellowships at the closing banquet, which was held at Historic Sunset Station. The honor of Fellows of the Federation was established in 2001. Fellows are named by the FIAV Board for significant contributions to vexillology and/or for rendering significant service to FIAV or a FIAV Member. The award consists of a certificate signed by the Board and a medal bearing the central knot device of the FIAV flag suspended from a chest ribbon of blue and yellow, the colors of the FIAV flag, as well as a miniature ribbon and a lapel pin. Fellows may use the post-nominal FF. Fellows are named only when there are worthy recipients. The new Fellows are Malcolm Farrow, Martin Grieve, John Hartvigsen (COR), Michel Lupant, Charles Spain, Peter Van de Putte (COR), and Vanessa Van de Putte (COR) (COR = ICV 28 Congress Organizing Representative).

LAUREATE OF THE FEDERATION



On July 19, 2019, the FIAV Board presented the highest award in vexillology at the closing banquet, which was held at Historic Sunset Station. Laureates are named by the FIAV Board for persons who have made outstanding, original contributions to the science of vexillology. The award consists of a certificate signed by the Board and a medal bearing the central knot device of the FIAV flag suspended from a neck ribband of blue and yellow, the colors of the FIAV flag, as well as a miniature ribbon and a lapel pin. Laureates may use the post-nominal LF. Laureates are named only when there are worthy recipients. The eighth Laureate in FIAV's history is Tracey Mee for "Australian National Identity: Somewhere Between the Flags?", Doctor of Philosophy thesis, School of Humanities and Social Inquiry, University of Wollongong, 2018.



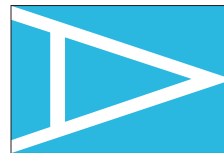
1999–2019 FIAV BOARD

Les Trois Mousquetaires

Charles A. Spain, Secretary-General 1997–2019
Michel R. Lupant, President 1997–2019
Graham M.P. Bartram, Secretary-General for Congresses 1999–2019



ASOCIACIÓN ARGENTINA DE VEXILOLOGÍA



Buenos Aires, 20 de Junio, 2019

Prof. Michel Lupant, Presidente de la Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologiques (FIAV)

Estimado Profesor Lupant:

La Junta Ejecutiva de la Asociación Argentina de Vexilología (AAV) a designado al Sr. Gustavo J. M. Tracchia como nuestro delegado ante la 26ta Asamblea General de FIAV a realizarse en San Antonio, Texas, EUA, el día Julio 16 de 2019.

En el caso que el Sr. Gustavo Tracchia no pueda asistir a San Antonio, se ha designado al Sr. Charles A. Spain como delegado alternativo.

Sin otro motive, saludo al Sr. Presidente con la más distinguida consideración.

Cordialmente,

**Lic. Alberto Rubén Perazzo,
Presidente Honorario
Asociación Argentina de Vexilología (AAV)
FIAV member since 1993**

2 / ACV / FIAV Member #22



Associació Catalana de Vexil·logia
Mineria 17, 3r 9^a
08038 Barcelona
acv@vexi.cat
www.vexi.cat

To the President of the Fédération Internationale des associations vexillologiques:

The *Associació Catalana de Vexil·logia* appoints Charles Spain, as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019, in San Antonio, Texas, United States.

Charles Spain has full powers to act on behalf of *Associació Catalana de Vexil·logia* during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of several loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Anna Maria Galan i Pla
Presidenta
Barcelona, 5 de juliol de 2019




3 / BS / FIAV Member #70

To the President of the Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologique

The association “Bandiere Storiche” appoints Nichola Hugot as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 15-19, 2019, in San Antonio, Texas, United States of America.

Nicholas Hugot has full powers to act on behalf of “Bandiere Storiche” during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly.

Best Regards



(Flavio Livio Marchetto, president)

June 10, 2019

BANDIERE STORICHE ONLUS
P.ZA MARTIRI DELLA LIBERTA' 4
20021 BOLLATE (MI)
P.IVA e C. F. 97493400150
www.bandierestoriche.it - info@bandierestoriche.it

1 di 1

Ragione Sociale: “Bandiere Storiche” - Sede Legale: Piazza Martiri della Libertà, 4 c.a.p. 20021 Bollate (Milano) – C.F.: 97493400150
ODV: Tipologia: associazione culturale – Natura Giuridica: 12 - Data iscrizione: 14/04/2008 - Ufficio: Agenzia delle Entrate Milano 2
ONLUS: Iscrizione: n. MI-487 della Sezione Provinciale del “Registro regionale generale del volontariato” - Decreto: n. 603 del 04/12/2008

4 / BHVS / FIAV Member #68



БЪЛГАРСКО ХЕРАЛДИЧЕСКО И ВЕКСИЛОЛОЖКО ОБЩЕСТВО
BULGARIAN HERALDRY AND VEXILLOLOGY SOCIETY

CIGH Member since 2010
FIAV Member since 2013 (# 68)

bgherald@gmail.com; <http://heraldika-bg.org>; GSM: (+359) 885-643930

General Assembly of the
Fédération internationale des
associations vexillologiques,
ICV-28, San Antonio, TX,
USA

To the President of the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques:

Bulgarian Heraldry and Vexillology Society (BHVS) appoints Lieutenant Colonel Dr **Željko Heimer**, FF, LF, honorary member of BHVS, as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened in July 16, 2019, in San Antonio, Texas, USA.

Dr Željko Heimer has full powers to act on behalf of BHVS.

In case of inhibition of the named delegate for whatever reason, BHVS appoints the following alternate delegates as substitutes in all aforementioned powers in order of their listing below:

Mr. **Michel R. Lupant**, the FIAV President,
Mr. **Charles A. Spain Jr**, the FIAV Secretary-General.

Dr Stoyan Antonov,
Chairman of the BHVS

5.07.2019

5 / BDA / FIAV Member #47

THE BURGEE DATA ARCHIVES

Flags of Recreational Boating - Documentation and Research

117 AIRDRIE ROAD, TORONTO, ON. M4G 1M6, CANADA

Phone: +1 416 423 9979 Email: pbedwards@bell.net

To the President of the Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologiques:

Dear Sir,

The Burgee Data Archives appoints GUSTAV TRACCHIA, as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16th, 2019 in San Antonio, Texas, USA.

GUSTAV TRACCHIA has full powers to act on behalf of the institution during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly.

We are designating CHARLES A. SPAIN, as alternative delegate should Mr. Tracchia be unable to attend.

Sincerely,



Peter B. Edwards
Director

14 June, 2019.



Member [#47] International Federation of Vexillological Associations (FIAV)

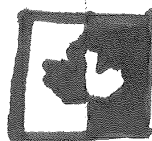
Member: The North American Vexillological Association (NAVA)

Life member: The Flag Institute, UK

Former Research Fellow: G. W. Blunt White Library, Mystic Seaport Museum, Mystic, CT

Fellow: The Royal Heraldry Society of Canada

Canadian Flag Association



Office of the President Emeritus

730 Dovercourt Rd., Unit 1515, Toronto, Ontario, M6H 2W9, Canada

30 June 2019

I, Kevin Harrington, the undersigned and President Emeritus of the Canadian Flag Association / L' Association canadienne de Vexillologie (CFA/ACV), hereby advise the Officers of the Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologiques (FIAV), that this organization will be represented at the 28th International Congress of Vexillology to be held in the city of San Antonio, Texas, USA, from 15-20 July, 2019 - by myself, in concurrence with the wishes of CFA/ACV's managing director Ben Koorengel.

Thank you for your efforts in sponsoring and presenting this Congress.

yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A. K. Harrington'.

Kevin Harrington

<akevinharrington@gmail.com>



CENTRE BELGO-EUROPEEN D'ETUDES DES DRAPEAUX

Ottignies, le 23 avril 2019

The President of “Centre belgo-européen d’études des drapeaux » (CEBED), appoints Mr Michel LUPANT as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019 in San Antonio, Texas, USA.

Michel Lupant has full powers to act on behalf of “Centre belgo-européen d’études des drapeaux » (CEBED), during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly.

Michel Lupant
Président of CEBED
23 April 2019



CISV
Centro Italiano Studi Vessillologici
il Presidente

Lucca, 3 June 2019

To: the President of FIAV
Michel R. Lupant
6, Clos de la Pasture
B-1340 Ottignies/Louvain, Belgium

The Centro Italiano Studi Vessillologici (CISV) appoints Alfred Znamierowski, member, as delegate to the 26th FIAV General Assembly to be convened July 16, 2019, in San Antonio, Texas.

(In case of his absence, the president appoints Michel Lupant, to act with full power on behalf of the CISV).

Cordially

Roberto Breschi

Roberto Breschi - CISV
Via Mammini, 66
I-55100 Lucca, Italy
breschirob@libero.it

ČESKÁ VEXILOLOGICKÁ SPOLEČNOST, z. s.

Matůškova 14/796, 149 00 Praha 4 – Háje
Ing. Petr Holas, Psárská 1347/1, 141 00 Praha 4 – Michle
vexilologie@centrum.cz - www.vexilologie.cz

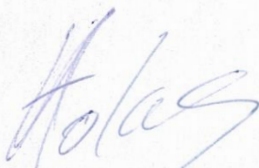
Prague, July 11th 2019

To the President of the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques:

Česká vexilologická společnost, z.s. (Czech Vexillological Society) appoints **Josef Hubka**, as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019 in San Antonio, Texas, United States.

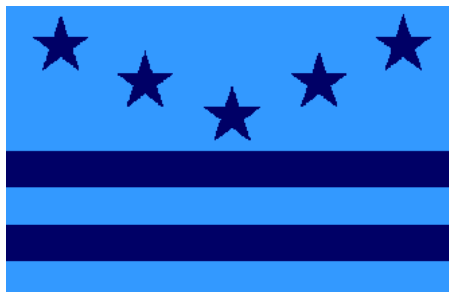
Josef Hubka has full powers to act on behalf of Česká vexilologická společnost, z.s. (Czech Vexillological Society).

ČESKÁ VEXILOLOGICKÁ
SPOLEČNOST, Z.S.
MATŮŠKOVA 14 PRAHA 4
PŘEDSEDA



Ing. Petr Holas
President of Česká vexilologická společnost, z.s. (Czech Vexillological Society)

CHESAPEAKE BAY FLAG ASSOCIATION



To the President of the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques:

Chesapeake Bay Flag Association appoints John Lowe as its delegate to the Twenty-sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019, in San Antonio, Texas, United States.

Dr. Lowe has full powers to act on behalf of the Chesapeake Bay Flag Association during the Twenty-sixth Session of the General Assembly.

JOHN A. LOWE, M.D.

PRESIDENT

8 July 2019

CHESAPEAKE BAY FLAG ASSOCIATION



Au Président de la Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques:

Chesapeake Bay Flag Association appoints Gustavo Tracchia as its alternate delegate to the Twenty-sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019, in San Antonio, Texas, United States.

Sr. Tracchia has full powers to act on behalf of the Chesapeake Bay Flag Association during the Twenty-sixth Session of the General Assembly in the absence of delegate John Lowe.

JOHN A. LOWE, M.D.

PRESIDENT

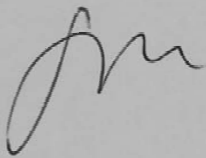
8 July 2019

12 / GSI / FIAV Member #71

To the President of the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques,

The Genealogical Society of Ireland appoints Graham Bartram as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019 in San Antonio, Texas United States.

Graham Bartram has full powers to act on behalf of the Genealogical Society of Ireland during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly.



STANISLAV ZAMYATIN
HEAD OF FLAG AND HERALDIC STUDIES AT GSI

16/07/19

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Flaggenkunde e.V.

13 / DGF / FIAV Member #43



DGF • c/o Jörg Majewski • Albaxer Str. 33 B • 37671 Hörter

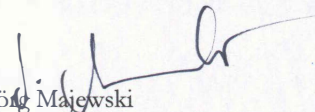
Michel Lupant
President of FIAV

Hörter, 2019-06-23

To the President of the Fédération
internationale des associations vexillologiques

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Flaggenkunde e.V. appoints Dr. Andreas Herzfeld, who is a member of DGF, as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019, in San Antonio, U.S.A.

Dr. Andreas Herzfeld has full powers to act on behalf of DGF during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly.


Jörg Majewski
President of DGF

**Deutsche Gesellschaft für
Flaggenkunde e.V.**
c/o Jörg Majewski
Albaxer Str. 33 B D-37671 Hörter

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Flaggenkunde e.V. Vereinsregister Amtsgericht Charlottenburg in Berlin VR 27398 B;
Sparkasse Hörter, IBAN DE24 4725 1550 0003 0469 19; e-mail: pres@flaggenkunde.de
Mitglied der Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologiques (FIAV) seit 1997



The Flag Heritage Foundation appoints **Anne M. Platoff**, M.S., M.A., FF as its delegate to the Twenty-eighth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened 15 July, 2019, in San Antonio, Texas, USA. Ms. Platoff has full powers to act on behalf of The Flag Heritage Foundation during the Twenty-eighth Session of the General Assembly.

Kirby A. Baker

Kirby A. Baker, Chair of Trustees
The Flag Heritage Foundation
14 June, 2019
info@flagheritagefoundation.org

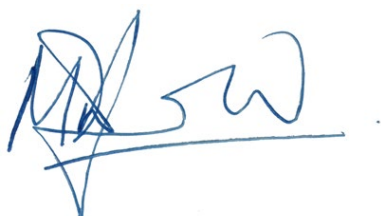


Captain **Malcolm Farrow** OBE RN
President

To the President of the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques,

The Flag Institute appoints our Chief Vexillologist, Graham Bartram FFI, as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened on 16th July 2019 in San Antonio, Texas, USA. Graham Bartram has full powers to act on behalf of the Flag Institute during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly,

Yours sincerely,



Malcolm Farrow OBE RN
President of the Flag Institute
6th July 2019

charles a. spain
director and senior fellow
cspain@vexillology.org

16 / FRC / FIAV Charter Member

To the President of the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques:

The Flag Research Center (FRC) appoints Hugh L. Brady and alternate Charles A. Spain as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019, in San Antonio, Texas, United States.

Mr. Brady, or in the alternate, Mr. Spain, has full powers to act on behalf of the FRC during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly.

Sincerely,



Charles A. Spain



Prof. Michel R. Lupant
President,
Fédération Internationale
des Associations Vexillologiques.
6, Clos de la Pasture,
B-1340 Ottignies – Louvain-la-Neuve,
BELGIUM.

3rd June 2019

The Executive Board of Flags Australia (Flag Society of Australia Inc.) does hereby appoint RALPH G.C. BARTLETT as its Principal Delegate to the 26th General Assembly Meeting of F.I.A.V. to be held on the 16 July 2019, during the 28th International Congress of Vexillology, in San Antonio, Texas, USA.

Should the Principal Delegate not be present or available, the Flags Australia Board also appoints either Colin Randall or Ronald Strachan, as the Society's Substitute Delegate.

Yours sincerely,

Ralph D. Kelly
President, Flags Australia

Antony C. Burton
Vic-President, Flags Australia

Ralph G.C. Bartlett
Secretary, Flags Australia
Principal Delegate

Colin Randall
Committee Member, Flags Australia
Substitute Delegate

Ronald C. Strachan
Substitute Delegate, Flags Australia

Flags Australia is the business name of Flag Society of Australia Inc. ABN 17 410 901 351
PO Box 5245 Pinewood Vic 3149
Phone / Fax: (03) 9884 4434
flagsocaust@optusnet.com.au - www.flagsaustralia.com.au



Flags of the World

c/o Rob Raeside, 2 Glooscap Terrace, Wolfville, Nova Scotia, B4P 1S7,
Canada

List Master

Dirk Schönberger
dirk.schoenberger@freenet.de

Assistant

List Master
Zoltán Horvath
horvathz68@t-email.hu

Dean McGee

deanmcgee@gmail.com

Director

Rob Raeside
rob.raeside@gmail.com

General Assembly,
International Federation of Vexillological Associations (FIAV)
ICV-28,
San Antonio, Texas, USA

To the President of the Fédération internationale des associations
vexillologiques:

Flags of the World (FOTW) appoints **Bruce Berry**, editor of FOTW, as
its delegate to the Twenty-sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly,
to be convened on 16 July, 2019, in San Antonio, Texas.

Bruce Berry has full powers to act on behalf of FOTW during the
Twenty-sixth Session of the General Assembly.

Dirk Schönberger
List master, FOTW
30 June 2019

ISSN 1712-9842



9 771712 984001



CENTRO INTERDISCIPLINARIO DE ESTUDIOS CULTURALES

Buenos Aires, June 12, 2019,

To the President of the Fédération Internationale des Associations
Vexillologiques:

Michel R. Lupant
Clos de la Pasture, 6
1340 OTTIGNIES-LOUVAIN-LA-NEUVE
Belgium

The CENTRO INTERDISCIPLINARIO DE ESTUDIOS CULTURALES – Fundación CIDEDEC – Buenos Aires - Argentina appoints **GUSTAVO TRACCHIA**, Commissioner General of CIDEDEC to the USA, as its **delegate** to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16th, 2019, in San Antonio, Texas, USA.

GUSTAVO TRACCHIA has full powers to act on behalf of the association. Furthermore, we are designating the **Honorable Dr. Charles A. Spain** as alternative delegate of CIDEDEC.

Very truly yours,

PROF. ANIBAL GOTELLI
PRESIDENTE



**GREAT WATERS ASSOCIATION
OF VEXILLOLOGY**

20 / GWAV / FIAV Member #49

**Illinois Indiana
Kentucky Michigan
Ohio**

President

David Breitenbach
7457 North Sheridan Road
Chicago, IL 60626

Vice President

Richard P. Monahan
222 North Grant Street, Apt. 1
Wooster, OH 44691

Secretary

William Belanich, Jr.
3311 Pleasant View Drive
Hamilton, OH 45011

Treasurer

Peter Kinderman
Flaggs USA
3075 Madison Road
Cincinnati, OH 45209

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that Annie Platoff meets the requirements for membership as set forth in the bylaws of the Great Waters Association of Vexillology and that at a meeting of said association, was selected as its representative with full powers to the 2019 Congress of the International Federation of Vexillological Associations to be held in San Antonio, Texas, USA, 15-19 July 2019.

A Qui de Droit:

Je certifie par le présent acte que le Annie Platoff remplit les conditions requises pour être membre telles qu'elles sont énoncées dans les règlements de l'Association de Vexillologie des Grandes Eaux et qu'il fut élu le délégué officiel de l'association. Il est autorisé d'agir comme le représentant avec tous les pouvoirs de l'association à l'égard du congrès 2019 de la Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques 15-19 juillet 2019 dans San Antonio, Texas, États-Unis.

David S. Breitenbach

Secretary Pro Tem
17 May 2019

Secrétaire temporaire
17 mai 2019

The Great Waters Association of Vexillology is a non-profit organization which promotes the objective study of flag history, usage and symbolism (vexillology). It does not participate in the patriotic promotion of any particular flag or engage in commercial, religious, political or nationalistic objectives.



Heraldično, genealoško in veksilološko društvo Heraldica Slovenica
p. p. 1526, 1101 Ljubljana
Cankarjeva 1, 1000 Ljubljana
pisarna@heraldica-slovenica.si
www.heraldica-slovenica.si
+386 41 597 821

14 June 2019

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DES ASSOCIATIONS VEXILLOLOGIQUES:

Heraldica Slovenica (Heraldry Society of Slovenia - HS) appoints Aleksander Hribovšek, as its delegate to the Twenty-Six Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019 in San Antonio, Texas, USA.

Aleksander Hribovšek has full powers to act on behalf of Heraldica Slovenica during the Twenty-Six Session of the General Assembly.

Aleksander Hribovšek
President





**HRVATSKO GRBOSLOVNO I ZASTAVOSLOVNO DRUŠTVO
CROATIAN HERALDIC AND VEXILLOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION**

Pazinska 50
HR-10110 Zagreb
Croatia

Tel. +385 91 56 39 391
E-mail hgzd@hgzd.hr
Web www.hgzd.hr

Zagreb, 2019, June 20th
Nr. 32/2019.

**General Assembly,
International Federation of
Vexillological Associations (FIAV)
ICV-28, San Antonio, Texas
United States of America**

To the President of the FIAV

Croatian Heraldic and Vexillological Association [in Croatian: **Hrvatsko grboslovno i zastavoslovno društvo** (hereinafter **HGZD**)], following its Statutes adopted on May 4th, 2006, and as amended on July 18th, 2015, in accordance to the Articles 3 and 18 of the mentioned Statutes, appoints its president **Željko Heimer**, as its delegate to the **Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly**, to be convened July 16th, 2019, in San Anotnio, Texas, United States.

Željko Heimer has full powers to act on behalf of HGZD during the Session of the General Assembly.

In case of inhibition of the named delegate for whatever reason, HGZD appoints **Charles Spain**, the FIAV Secretary General, as a substitute in all aforementioned powers.

Yours truly,



President of HGZD

Lieutenant Colonel

Dr. Željko Heimer, LF, FF

credentials for the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly

1 message

Kambhampati Sanjeeva Rao <sanjeevarao1963@yahoo.com>
To: "sec.gen@fiav.org" <sec.gen@fiav.org>

Fri, Jul 12, 2019 at 10:07 PM

To the President of the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques:

Indian Vexillological Association appoints Mr. Michael Lupant, as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019 in San Antonio, Texas United States.

Mr. Michael Lupant has full powers to act on behalf of Indian Vexillological Association during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly. He will also share the details of our nominations.

Regards,
K. Sanjeeva Rao
Indian Vexillological Association
Founder & President
12-07-2019

25 / IHW / FIAV Member #51



THE
ST. ANTHONY
HOTEL
SAN ANTONIO

THE
LUXURY
COLLECTION®

Institut Heraldyczno-Weksylologiczny
ul. Turystyczna 70
43-436 Górcz Wielkie
Poland

The delegate of the Institut Heraldyczno-
Weksylologiczny at the FIAV Assembly during
the 28th Congress of Vexillology in
San Antonio will be Alfred Znamierowski.

Sincerely

alfredvex@o2.pl

THE ST. ANTHONY
A LUXURY COLLECTION HOTEL, SAN ANTONIO
300 EAST TRAVIS, SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205
T 210.227.4392 - F 210.222.1896
LUXURYCOLLECTION.COM/STANTHONY



Saint-BRIEUC , on July 1st 2019

*To 26th General Assembly of FIAV
aux bons soins de Michel Lupant , Président
@ St-Anthony Hotel HEMISFLAG*

SAN ANTONIO ICV XXVIII

☞ **Be it known to the General Assembly ,
to whom it may concern !** ☞

To the President of the Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologiques :

K V V Kevarzhe Vannielouriezh Vreizh (FIAV member 45)
also known as **S B V Société Bretonne de Vexillologie**

appoints Alain RAULLET , who is member of Kevarzhe Vannielouriezh Vreizh, as its delegate to the Twenty-sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened on July 16th 2019 at St Anthony Hôtel , SAN ANTONIO, TX, USA

Alain RAULLET has full powers to act on behalf of KVV-SBV during the Twenty-sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly .

Alain RAULLET , Président SBV,

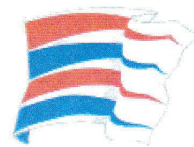
**47 rue de Gascogne,
F-22000 Saint-BRIEUC**

+33 (0)2.96.94.34.82

☞ alain.raullet@wanadoo.fr



28 / NVvV / FIAV Charter Member



NEDERLANDSE
VERENIGING VOOR VLAGGENKUNDE

Willemsbos 89
2134 EC Hoofddorp
The Netherlands

TELEFOON
06-15250653

E-MAIL
info@vlaggenkunde.nl

WEBSITE
www.vlaggenkunde.nl

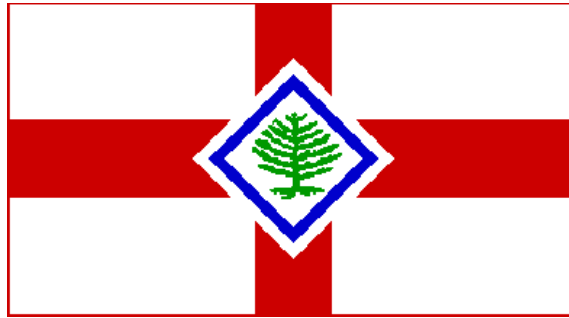
POSTBANK
13 23 445

KvK
40409608

To the President of the *Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologiques*:

The *Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde* (NVvV) appoints mr. Marcel van Westerhoven, who is secretary of the NVvV, as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019 in San Antonio, Texas, United States of America.
Mr. Marcel van Westerhoven has full powers to act on behalf of the NVvV during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly.

Davied van Berlo
President of the *Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde*
Leiden, June 18th 2019



New England Vexillological Association

Carl Gurtman, President ~ 34 Brave Boat Harbor Rd ~ York, Maine 03909 ~
(207) 363-4920

Dave Martucci, Secretary/Treasurer ~ 240 Calderwood Rd ~ Washington, Maine
04574 (207) 845-2857

19 April 2019

Mr. Edward B. Kaye
2235 NW Aspen Ave.
Portland, OR 97210

Dear Mr. Kaye,

I hereby appoint you, Edward B. Kaye, to represent in all ways, speak for, and cast the vote of the New England Vexillological Association (NEVA) at the XXVIII International Congress of Vexillology, and the North American Vexillological Association's (NAVA's) concurrent 53rd Annual Meeting.

You have full powers to act on behalf of NEVA during the Twenty- Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened on or about 16 July 2019, in San Antonio, Texas.

If Mr. David B. Martucci, NEVA's Secretary/Treasurer, is in attendance, this appointment is null & void.

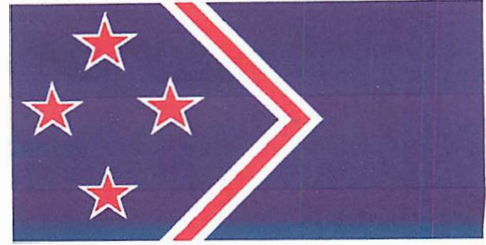
This letter provides all the necessary documentation and certification.

Carl S. Gurtman
President, NEVA

NEW ZEALAND FLAG ASSOCIATION

244 Williams Street,
Kaiapoi 7630, Canterbury,
NEW ZEALAND

Tel.: +64-3-327 8060
Email: johnmoody431@hotmail.com



Mr Charles Spain
Secretary-General,
Fédération Internationale des Association
Vexilloloiques.
504 Branard Street,
Houston, Texas 77006-5018,
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

28 June 2019

30 / NZFA / FIAV Member #39

--- Original Message ---

From: "John Moody" <johnmoody431@hotmail.com>
To: "rgcbartlett@optusnet.com.au" <rgcbartlett@optusnet.com.au>
Cc: "charles spain" <secgeneral@fiav.org>
Sent: Fri, 28 Jun 2019 21:17:22 +0000
Subject: New Zealand Flag Association Representation at N.A.V.A./I.C.V. 28

To Whom it may concern,

It is with deep regret that as President of the New Zealand Flag Association

I Will not be able to attend the 28th International Congress of Vexillology

Along with N.A.V.A. 28.

I therefore and with the kind permission of Ralph C Bartlett have appointed him

To represent the N.Z.F.A. at I.C.V. 28 and N.A.V.A. 53. July 15th-July 19th 2019.

I have also given Ralph C Bartlett permission to cast N.Z.F.A.s vote

At the F.I.A.V. General Assembly to be held on the 17th of July 2019.

I would like to take the opportunity to wish all attendees

A happy and successful Congress.

In Flags and Friendship

John Moody

President,
New Zealand Flag Association

A handwritten signature in purple ink that reads "Ralph G.C. Bartlett".

Ralph G.C. Bartlett

Delegate, N.Z.F.A.

31 / JAVA / FIAV Member #52



JAPANESE VEXILLOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

a member of F.I.A.V.
<http://www.j-flags-java.org>

To the President of the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques:

The Japanese Vexillological Association (JAVA) appoints Nozomi Kariyasu, who is a member of JAVA, as its delegate to the Twenty-sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened on July 16th, 2019, in San Antonio, United States. Nozomi Kariyasu has full powers to act on behalf of JAVA during the Twenty-sixth Session of the General Assembly.

Nozomi Kariyasu

President of Japanese Vexillological Association, Nihon Kishougaku Kyoukai

June 7th 2019

日本旗章学協会



NORTH AMERICAN VEXILLOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION
PO BOX 55071 #58049, BOSTON, MA 02205-5071 USA
www.nava.org

14 June 2019

To: President, Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques

Subject: Delegate Credentials for General Assembly session at ICV 28

1. In accordance with Article 14 (a) of the FIAV Constitution, I will serve as NAVA's delegate to the General Assembly session at ICV 28.

Respectfully,

Peter Ansoff, President
North American Vexillological Association
pres@nava.org



POLSKIE TOWARZYSTWO WEKSYLOLOGICZNE

Zrzeszone w Międzynarodowej Federacji Towarzystw Weksylologicznych (FIAV)

Warsaw, 2019.06.30

35 / PTW / FIAV Member #40

Michel Lupant
President of the FIAV

Dear Mr President,

I hereby authorize Mr Alfred Znamierowski to represent and vote in Polish Vexillological Society name at the XXVIII International Congress of Vexillology.

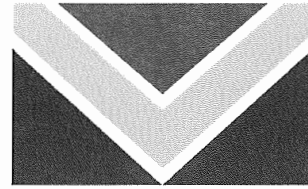
Krzysztof Jasiński

President of the Polish Vexillological Society

**POLSKIE TOWARZYSTWO
WEKSYLOLOGICZNE**
Zarząd Główny
02-634 Warszawa, ul. Raclawicka 103
NIP 5213810820 REGON 369240936

Polskie Towarzystwo Weksylologiczne
ul. Raclawicka 103
02-634 Warszawa

tel. + 48 22 844 41 58
www.weksylogia.pl
mail: biuro@weksylogia.pl



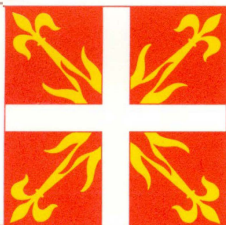
January 10, 2019

To the President of the Fédération internationale des associations
vexillologiques:

The Portland Flag Association has appointed **Max Liberman** as its delegate
and **Edward B. Kaye** as its alternate delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session
of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019, in San
Antonio, Texas, USA.

Max Liberman (and in his absence, Edward B. Kaye) has full powers to act
on behalf of the Portland Flag Association during the Twenty-Sixth Session
of the General Assembly.

Edward B. Kaye
Editor, *Vexilloid Tabloid*
Newsletter of the Portland Flag Association
Portland, Oregon, U.S.A.



SCHWEIZERISCHE GESELLSCHAFT
FÜR FAHNEN- UND FLAGGENKUNDE
SOCIÉTÉ SUISSE DE VEXILLOLOGIE
SOCIETÀ SVIZZERA DI VESSILLOLOGIA

June 21, 2019

38 / SSV / FIAV Charter Member

Fédération Internationale des
Associations Vexillologiques (FIAV)
26th General Assembly
San Antonio, TX
Unites States of America

**CREDENTIALS OF DELEGATE APPOINTED TO SERVE
IN THE FIAV GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AT THE 28th ICV IN SAN ANTONIO
FROM JULY 15 TO JULY 19, 2019**

To the Secretary-General of the Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologiques:

During its general assembly of 4 May 2019 in La Neuveville the Swiss Society for Vexillology (SSV), in accordance with its constitution, has appointed Mr. Michel Lupant, president of FIAV, as its representative to exerce full powers during the Twenty-Sixth General Assembly of FIAV, to be held during the 28th ICV in San Antonio, USA, from July 15 to July 19, 2019. In case the above mentioned delegate should not be able to attend the FIAV session, the following alternate delegates, in order of their listing below, have been appointed by the Swiss Society for Vexillology to exerce full powers during the FIAV general assembly:

- Mr. Charles Spain, secretary-general of FIAV
- Mr. Graham Bartram, secretary-general for congresses of FIAV

The president of the SSV,

Emil Dreyer, president, Flurweg 43, CH-3052 Zollikofen, edreyer@bluewin.ch, www.vexilla.ch

Die 1967 gegründete SGFF ist eine unabhängige, kulturelle, nicht gewinnstrebende und strikt neutrale Gesellschaft von Personen und öffentlichen Institutionen, die der Erforschung, der Deutung und dem Erhalt von Fahnen und Flaggen jeglicher Art verpflichtet sind. Sitz der Gesellschaft ist das Schweizerische Landesmuseum, Postfach, 8023 Zürich.

La SSV, fondée en 1967, est une société indépendante, culturelle, sans but lucratif et strictement neutre, qui est composée d'individus et d'institutions publiques dédiés à l'étude, à l'interprétation et à la conservation des drapeaux et des pavillons de tout genre. Son siège social est au Musée Suisse, Case Postale, 8023 Zurich.

La SSV, fondata nel 1967, è una società indipendente, culturale, senza fine lucrativo e strettamente neutrale, composta di individui e di istituzioni pubbliche dedicate allo studio, alla interpretazione e alla conservazione di bandiere di ogni specie. La sede sociale si trova presso il Museo Nazionale Svizzero, Casella Postale, 8023 Zurigo.



SOCIEDAD ESPAÑOLA DE VEXILOLOGÍA

THIS IS TO CERTIFY

that in the General Assembly of the Spanish Society of Vexillology (SEV), held on October 23, 2018, it was agreed to appoint Mr. Tomás Rodríguez Peñas as representative of the SEV in the General Assembly of the International Federation of Vexillological Associations to be held in San Antonio, Texas, July 15–19, 2019. In case that Mr. Tomás Rodríguez Peñas was not able to attend FIAV's Assembly, it was agreed to appoint Mr. José Carlos Alegría Díaz and Mr. Rafael Gómez Herrera as his substitutes.

Since Mr. Tomás Rodríguez Peñas, as well as Mr. José Carlos Alegría Díaz and Mr. Rafael Gómez Herrera, have notified that they will not be able to attend FIAV's Assembly, the Executive Board of the SEV has decided to appoint Mr. Michel Lupant as representative of the SEV in the General Assembly of the International Federation of Vexillological Associations, and Mr. Gustavo Tracchia as his substitute.

In San Cristóbal de La Laguna, July 4, 2019.

THE SECRETARY

José Manuel Erbez Rodríguez

D.N.I. 75.416.222-G



Roger Baert
Secrétaire-fondateur

Place du Chant d'Alouette, 8
B-1080 Molenbeek-Saint-Jean.-

Bruxelles, le 6 juin 2019

40 / SVB / FIAV Member #20

PROCURATION

Par décision du Conseil d'administration de la SOCIETAS VEXILLOLOGICA BELGICA, je soussigné, Roger Ph. BAERT, secrétaire-fondateur, déclare donner, par la présente, mandat au

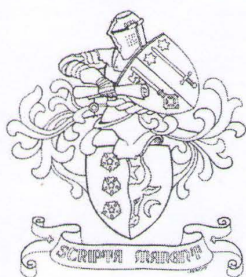
Professeur Michel LUPANT,
Président de la FIAV,

pour représenter ladite association à l'Assemblée générale statutaire de la Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologiques, qui se tiendra à San Antonio (Texas, U.S.A.) au mois de juillet 2019.

La S.V.B. autorise son mandataire à prendre part à toutes les délibérations, discussions et votes et à signer tout document d'administration qui serait nécessaire selon l'ordre du jour établi.

Fait à Molenbeek-Saint-Jean, le 6 juin 2019

Signature,



*Societatea
de Genealogie, Heraldică și Arhivistică
„Paul Gore”*

*Arhiva Națională a Republicii Moldova, str. Gheorghe Asachi, nr. 67-B, MD-2028, Chișinău, Republica Moldova
Tel.: +373-22-44-31-69; +373-693-78-619 (mobil); E-mail: silviu_tabac@yahoo.fr
Pentru corespondență/ For mail: Strada Florilor 12/3, ap. 76, MD-2068, Chișinău, Republica Moldova*

*To the President of the
Fédération internationale des associations
vexillologiques*

Societatea de Genealogie, Heraldică și Arhivistică „Paul Gore” of Republic of Moldova appoints **M. Michel LUPANT**, as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July, 16th, 2019, in San-Antonio, Texas, USA.

M. Michel LUPANT has full powers to act on behalf of Societatea de Genealogie, Heraldică și Arhivistică „Paul Gore” during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly.



Dr. Silviu TABAC,
*Chairman of
Societatea de Genealogie, Heraldică și
Arhivistică „Paul Gore”*

*The 15th of May, 2019
Chișinău, Republic of Moldova*



42 / SFV / FIAV Member #27

À l'attention de M. Michel Lupant,
président de la Fédération internationale
des associations vexillologiques

Paris, le 20 juin 2019

La Société française de vexillologie (SFV) désigne M. Nicolas Hugot, administrateur de la SFV, comme son délégué à la 26^e assemblée générale de la Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques qui se tiendra à San Antonio, Texas, aux États-Unis, à l'occasion du 28^e congrès international de vexillologie.

M. Hugot est revêtu des pleins pouvoirs afin de prendre, au nom de la Société française de vexillologie, toutes les décisions nécessaires durant cette 26^e assemblée générale de la Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques.

bon pour pouvoir
CDF

Cédric de Fougerolle
président

Société savante, régie par la loi de 1901, créée en 1985.
Membre de la Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques.

c/o Montbel | 8, rue de Courcelles | 75008 Paris | president@drapeaux-sfv.org | drapeaux-sfv.org |   

43 / SAVA / FIAV Member #28

SOUTHERN AFRICAN VEXILLOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION



**P O BOX 836
PINEGOWRIE
2123
SOUTH AFRICA**

(Fax: +27 11 206-3502)
(e-mail: secretary@savaflags.org.za)
(Website: <http://www.savaflags.org.za>)

A Member of the International Federation of Vexillological Associations

The President
Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques

09 July 2019

Dear Sir

RE: SAVA DELEGATE FOR 26th FIAV GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The Southern African Vexillological Association (SAVA) appoints Bruce Berry as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened on 16 July 2019 in San Antonio, Texas, United States of America.

Bruce Berry has full powers to act on behalf of the Southern African Vexillological Association during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly.

Yours faithfully

FATHER PETER WHITEHEAD
CHAIRPERSON

44 / SCHG / FIAV Member #65



თბილისი 0114, სანაპიროს № 4
ტელ: 032 2 93 20 99
ელ-ფოსტა: info@heraldika.ge
www.heraldika.ge

საქართველოს პარლამენტის არსებული
ჰერალდიკის სახელმწიფო საბჭო

№ 37
11 / 07 20 19

Dear President,
Dear FIAV Board

Mr. Mamuka Gongadze and Mr. David Chkheidze will attend Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019 in San Antonio, Texas United States.

But in case of their absence, please have this official letter of attorney to vote during GA in favor of Mr Željko Heimer as a candidate for election as FIAV President, and Mr Bruce Berry for election to the FIAV Board as Secretary-General.

It was decided to delegate our power to Mr. Michel Lupant during 26th Session of FIAV General Assembly.

Mr. Lupant has full powers to act on behalf of The State Council of Heraldry at The Parliament of Georgia during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly.

Chairman
Eldar Shengelaia



45 / SVPR / FIAV Member #66

To the President of the
Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologiques (FIAV)

Rotterdam, June 29th 2019

Dear sir,

The *Stichting Vlaggenparade Rotterdam* (SVPR) appoints

mr. Marcel van Westerhoven

as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019 in San Antonio, Texas, United States of America.

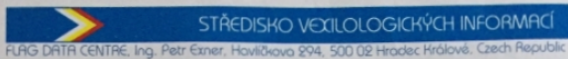
Mr. Marcel van Westerhoven has full powers to act on behalf of the SVPR during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly.

Kind regards,



Kees Vrijdag LL.M.,
Chairman of the *Stichting Vlaggenparade Rotterdam*

46 / SVI / FIAV Member #60

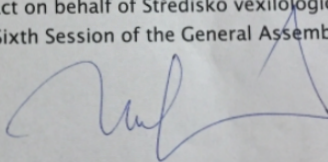


**To the President
of the Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologiques**

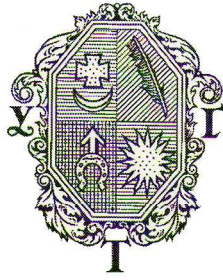
Středisko vexilologických informací (Flag Data Centre) appoints Petr Exner as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened 16 July 2019, in San Antonio, Texas, U.S.A.

Petr Exner has full powers to act on behalf of Středisko vexilologických informací during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly.

Jaroslav Martykán
secretary
23 March 2019



The Ukrainian
Heraldry
Society



Ukrainische
Heraldische
Gesellschaft

Українське Геральдичне Товариство

✉ a/c 1569, Львів, 79013 <http://uht.org.ua>
E-mail: uht1990@gmail.com тел. 050-6654583

«3» July 2019
№ 67/19

47 / UHT / FIAV Member #41

To the President of the Fédération
internationale des associations vexillologiques
Dr. Michel Lupant:

The Ukrainian Heraldry Society (Ukrayinske Heraldychne Tovarystvo) appoints Dr. Željko Heimer, as its delegate to the 26th Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019, in San Antonio, USA.

Dr. Željko Heimer has a full powers to act on behalf of The Ukrainian Heraldry Society during the 26th Session of the General Assembly.



Andriy Grechylo, ScD,
President of The Ukrainian Heraldry Society

In Lviv,
July 3, 2019

Vexillological Association of the State of Texas

504 Branard Street
Houston, Texas 77006-5018
United States of America

48 / VAST / FIAV Member #57

Charles A. Spain
Secretary-treasurer
cspain@ricealumni.net

To the President of the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques:

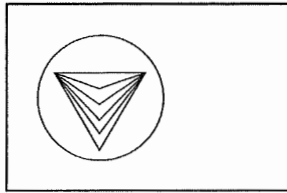
The Vexillological Association of the State of Texas (VAST) appoints Hugh L. Brady and alternates Charles A. Spain and H. Peter Van de Putte as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019, in San Antonio, Texas, United States.

Mr. Brady, or in the alternate, Messr. Spain or Van de Putte, has full powers to act on behalf of VAST during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly.

Sincerely,



Charles A. Spain



**WORLD VEXILLOLOGICAL
RESEARCH INSTITUTE
SKLENSKÁ 35, 198 00 PRAHA 9
CZECH REPUBLIC, EUROPE**

Member of Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologiques (FIAV)

Prag, 25. Juni 2019

An den Vorstand des Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologiques (FIAV)

BEGLAUBIGUNGSSCHREIBEN

Hiermit teilen wir mit, daß Herr Alfred ZNAMIEROWSKI ist der Delegat für alle Verhandlungen der Fédération Internationale des Associations Vexillologiques (FIAV) bei dem 28. Internationalen Vexillologischen Kongreß in Austin, Texas, Vereinigte Staaten von Amerika.

Mit freundlichen Grüßen

**WORLD VEXILLOLOGICAL
RESEARCH INSTITUTE
SKLENSKÁ 35, 198 00 PRAHA 9
CZECH REPUBLIC, EUROPE**

**Roman KLIMEŠ
Executive Director**

Member Candidate / CONAVEX

Santiago de Chile, 17 de junio del 2019
001/19

**Señor
Michel Lupant
Presidente
Federación Internacional de Asociaciones Vexilológicas
FIAV
Presente**

Estimado Señor Lupant:

La Corporación Nacional de Vexilología de Chile tiene el agrado de hacerle llegar nuestros parabienes y saludos junto con comunicar que se ha designado a nuestro socio honorario el **Sr. Gustavo J.M. Tracchia Piedra Buena**, como **Representante Titular** para representar a la CONAVEX ante la 26° Asamblea General de la FIAV a realizarse el día 16 de julio de 2019 en la ciudad de San Antonio, Texas, Estados Unidos de América.

Así mismo comunicamos que se ha designado como **Representante Alternativo** a nuestro socio honorario el **Sr. Edward Kaye**.

Confirmamos que ambos delegados tienen plenitud de poderes en la representación de nuestra Corporación según se solicitare.

Sin otro particular y quedando a su entera disposición, les saluda muy cordialmente.



**Steffan Giadach Axt
Presidente
CONAVEX Chile**



**Cristóbal Barra Cisterna
Secretario
CONAVEX Chile**



Skopje 30.6.2019

General Assembly,
International Federation of Vexillological Associations (FIAV)
ICV-28, San Antonio, Texas
United States of America

To the President of the FIAV

Dear President,

Macedonian Heraldic Society (Makedonsko grboslovno drushtvo) appoints its honorary member, **dr. Željko Heimer**, as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16th, 2019, in San Antonio, Texas, United States.

Dr. Željko Heimer as indigenous member of Macedonian Heraldic Society will present the application of Macedonian Heraldic Society for membership at the General Assembly.

Dr. Željko Heimer has full powers to act on behalf of Macedonian Heraldic Society during the Session of the General Assembly.

Yours truly,

President of Macedonian Heraldic Society

Dr. Jovan Jorjovski, aih



МАКЕДОНСКО ГРБОСЛОВНО ДРУШТВО • MACEDONIAN HERALDIC SOCIETY

Петар Манџуков 113/6 • 1010 Скопје
Petar Mandzukov 113/6 • 1010 Skopje • Macedonia

中国旗帜学研究中心

Vexillological Research Center of China

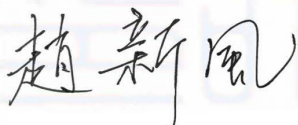
To the President of the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques:

The Vexillological Research Center of China appoints Zhao Xinfeng, as its delegate to the Twenty-Sixth Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened July 16, 2019 in San Antonio, Texas United States.

Zhao Xinfeng has full powers to act on behalf of the Vexillological Research Center of China during the Twenty-Sixth Session of the General Assembly.

Signature of authorized representative of FIAV Member association or institution:

Printed name:



Zhao Xinfeng

Title: the chairman of the Vexillological Research Center of China

Date:
8 July 2019

Seal:

Vexillological Research Center of China



Member Candidate / VRCC

IN MEMORIAM

FIAV notes with sorrow the deaths of the following vexillologists:

Anton Warnies, Purmerend, Noord-Holland , The Netherlands (NVvV)
Voron Xarya, Edgewater, Maryland, USA (CBFA)
Peter Edwards, Toronto, Ontario, Canada (BDA)
Alfred Znamierowski, Górkki Wielkie, Cieszyn, Poland
(FRC, FDC, CFZ, PTW, and IHW)
James T. Liston, La Porte, Texas, USA (VAST)

January 7, 2018
July 16, 2019
July 25, 2019
October 23, 2019
December 4, 2019

FIAV BOARD



The Board at the Twenty-Eighth International Congress of Vexillology (San Antonio 2019): Graham Bartram, Secretary-General for Congresses; Željko Heimer, President; and Bruce Berry, Secretary-General.

Behind the Board are the FIAV flag and the Officer flags.

President

Željko Heimer
Pazinska 50
10110 ZAGREB
Croatia
Telephone: 385 91 56 39 391
e-mail: pres@FIAV.org



Secretary-General

Bruce B. Berry
Permanent Secretariat of FIAV
P.O. Box 836
PINEGOWRIE
2123
South Africa
Telephone: 27 11 313 3502
e-mail: sec.gen@FIAV.org



Secretary-General for Congresses

Graham M.P. Bartram
Permanent Secretariat for Congresses of FIAV
14 Bell View Manor
RUISLIP
Middlesex
HA4 7LH
United Kingdom
Telephone: 44 1895 673310
e-mail: sec.cong@FIAV.org



“C'est avec ces hochets qu'on mène les hommes.”

Presidents Emeritus: R. Hugh Boudin and Michel R. Lupant
Secretaries-General Emeritus: Ralph G.C. Bartlett, Emil Dreyer, and Charles A. Spain

PUBLICATION OF MINUTES

REPORT OF THE FIRST INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF VEXILLOLOGY

Dates

September 4, 5, 1965

Published in

Info-FIAV number 14, page 3 (1999)
Info-FIAV number 45, pages 40–51 (2019)

MINUTES AND OTHER MATERIAL RELATING TO THE FIAV PROVISIONAL COUNCIL MEETING

Date

September 3, 1967

Published in

Info-FIAV number 45, pages 9–28 (2019)
(the information published in *Info-FIAV* number 14, pages 5–10 (1999) is not the official report)

FIAV GENERAL ASSEMBLY SESSION MINUTES

Session

Date(s)

Published in

GA 1	September 7, 1969	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 14, pages 12–21 (1999)
GA 2	June 24, 1971	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 14, page 23 (1999)
GA 3	September 14, 17, 1973	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 14, page 25 (1999)
GA 4	April 17, 18, 1975	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 16, pages 17–18 (2001)
GA 5	June 12, 1977	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 16, pages 20–21 (2001)
GA 6	June 29, 1979	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 16, pages 23–24 (2001)
GA 7	August 27, 28, 1981	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 16, pages 27–34 (2001)
GA 8	September 26, 28, 29, 1983	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 16, pages 37–50 (2001)
GA 9	May 27, 28, 31, 1985	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 17, pages 19–28 (2001)
GA 10	August 13, 14, 15, 1987	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 17, pages 31–47 (2001)
GA 11	September 25, 27, 1989	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 18, pages 14–24 (2001)
GA 12	July 1, 2, 4, 1991	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 23, pages 3–13 (2007)
GA 13	August 23, 25, 27, 1993	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 5, pages 7–11 (1994)
GA 14	July 1, 2, 3, 5, 1995	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 7, pages 2–28 (1996)
GA 15	August 11, 12, 14, 1997	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 10, pages 2–21 (1998)
GA 16	July 29, 30, 1999	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 15, pages 7–26 (2000)
GA 17	July 23, 2001	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 19, pages 1–13 (2001)
GA 18	July 28, 2003	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 21, pages 5–11 (2005)
GA 19	August 1, 2005	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 22, pages 16–21 (2007)
GA 20	August 7, 2007	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 24, pages 1–9 (2007)
GA 21	July 14, 2009	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 28, pages 1–11 (2009)
GA 22	August 2, 2011	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 32, pages 1–7 (2011)
GA 23	August 6, 2013	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 38, pages 1–8 (2015)
GA 24	September 1, 2015	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 40, pages 1–11 (2016)
GA 25	August 8, 2017	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 44, at pages 1–25 (2019)
GA 26	July 16, 2019	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 50, at pages 1–58 (2019)

ERRATA

GA 5 summary printed in *Info-FIAV* number 16, at page 19, should be corrected to change “SVV” to “SSV” in the “Not represented” category

GA 10 summary printed in *Info-FIAV* number 17, at page 29, should be corrected to read as follows:

- Quorum present as ASM, CISV, FRCSL, HSFS, NVVV, and VSHS are inactive members for quorum purposes

GA 12 summary printed in *Info-FIAV* number 23, at page 2, should be corrected to read as follows:

- VK recognized as “honorary affiliate” after untimely filed application for membership was not approved to be effective at GA 12, but instead “to become a member automatically in 1993” [footer in *Info-FIAV* number 23 incorrectly reads “*Info-FIAV* number 24”]

MISSING ITEMS

The Secretary-General is still looking for copies of the following items discussed in GA minutes:

- GA 1
 - flag description commission report from *Flag Bulletin* vol. 8, number 1
 - French version of adopted statutes
- GA 4
 - Klaes Sierksma's recommendations concerning changes in international system of vexillological publications
 - William Crampton's proposal for FIAV seal
- GA 5
 - Secretary-General's letter confirming full membership of Flag Research Centre of Sri Lanka
- GA 6
 - Klaes Sierksma's proposed revisions to FIAV statutes
- GA 7
 - Stichting voor Banistiek en Heraldiek's resignation letter
- GA 8
 - revised statutes (French version)
- GA 10
 - Association française d'études internationale de vexillologie's resignation letter
 - Office Généalogique et Héraldique de Belgique's resignation letter
 - Secretary-General's report

PRESIDENCY

Zollikon, Zürich, Switzerland	September 7, 1969	to	September 17, 1973
Wiesbaden, Hessen, Germany (West)	September 17, 1973	to	August 28, 1981
Saint-Gilles, Bruxelles, Belgium	August 28, 1981	to	August 27, 1993
Chester, England, United Kingdom	August 27, 1993	to	June 4, 1997
vacant	June 4, 1997	to	August 14, 1997
Ottignies-Louvain-la-Neuve, Brabant Wallon, Belgium	August 14, 1997	to	July 16, 2019
Zagreb, Croatia	July 16, 2019	to	present

PERMANENT SECRETARIAT OF THE FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DES ASSOCIATIONS VEXILLOLOGIQUES:

Lexington, Massachusetts, United States	September 7, 1969	to	January 1972
Winchester, Massachusetts, United States	January 1972	to	August 28, 1981
Wiesbaden, Hessen, Germany (West)	August 28, 1981	to	September 29, 1983
Winchester, Massachusetts, United States	September 29, 1983	to	July 4, 1991
Zollikofen, Bern, Switzerland	July 4, 1991	to	August 14, 1997
Houston, Texas, United States	August 14, 1997	to	July 16, 2019
Johannesburg, Gauteng, South Africa	July 16, 2019	to	present

PERMANENT SECRETARIAT OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONGRESSES OF VEXILLOLOGY

Muiderberg, Noord-Holland, Netherlands	September 7, 1969	to	August 28, 1981
Winchester, Massachusetts, United States	August 28, 1981	to	September 29, 1983
Chester, England, United Kingdom	September 29, 1983	to	September 27, 1989
Monash, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia	September 27, 1989	to	August 14, 1997
Johannesburg, Gauteng, South Africa	August 14, 1997	to	July 30, 1999
Ruislip, Middlesex, England, United Kingdom	July 30, 1999	to	present

MEMBERS BY ORDER OF ADMISSION

Members that were admitted in the same year are listed in the order their names appear in the official General Assembly minutes.

charter	NAVA	1969		51	IHW	2001	
charter	FRC	1969		52	JAVA	2001	
charter	USFF	1969	ended 2003	53	VDCN	2001	ended 2005
charter	NFF	1969	ended 2015	54	CSVA	2001	ended 2008
charter	SSV	1969		55	SGHAPG	2001	
charter	NVvV	1969		56	FOTW	2001	
charter	SBH	1969	ended 1981	57	VAST	2001	
charter	HSFS	1969	ended 1987				
charter	ASM	1969	ended 1987	58	FHF	2003	
charter	OGHB	1969	ended 1985	59	RCVH	2003	
charter	WH	1969	ended 1995	60	SVI	2003	
charter	AFEIV	1969	ended 1987				
				61	AVS	2005	ended 2015
13	FI	1971					
				62	HGZD	2007	
14	CISV	1973		63	IVA	2007	
15	NF	1973					
				64	SVN	2009	ended 2017
16	TWMF	1975	ended 2015				
17	GOH	1975	ended 1997	65	SCHG	2011	
				66	SVPR	2011	
18	FRCSL	1977	ended 2017	67	MHZ	2011	ended 2018
19	SEV	1979		68	BHVS	2013	
20	SVB	1979		69	PFA	2013	
				70	BS	2013	
21	FDC	1981	ended 2007	71	GSI	2013	
22	ACV	1985		72	MGD	2019	
23	FSA	1985		73	CONAVEX	2019	
24	PH	1985		74	VRCC	2019	
25	CVE	1985	ended 1992				
26	VSHS	1985	ended 2015				
27	SFV	1991					
28	SAVA	1991					
29	CVS	1993					
30	CFA	1993					
31	CEBED	1993					
32	HS	1993					
33	AAV	1993					
34	WVRI	1993					
35	HVK	1993					
36	CIDEC	1993					
37	CFZ	1995	ended 2019				
38	CBFA	1995					
39	NZFA	1995					
40	PTW	1995					
41	UHT	1995					
42	MZT	1995					
43	DGF	1997					
44	MBV	1997	ended 2015				
45	KVV	1997					
46	HAVSOM	1997	ended 2015				
47	BDA	1997					
48	SRV	1999	ended 2015				
49	GWAV	1999					
50	NEVA	1999					

CURRENT MEMBERS BY DATE OF ESTABLISHMENT

HVK	December 4, 1888	CIDEC	March 7, 1990
		CEBED	April 1, 1990
FRC	February 1, 1962	UHT	July 9, 1990
NVvV	March 19, 1966	GSI	October 25, 1990
SSV	January 21, 1967	SAVA	November 26, 1990
NAVA	June 3, 1967	HS	? 1991
		VAST	February 16, 1991
FI	April 23, 1971	NEVA	April 21, 1991
FHF	July 30, 1971	GWAV	May 11, 1991
CISV	? 1972	PTW	October 10, 1992
CVS	January 29, 1972	WVRI	November 30, 1992
PH	November 22, 1972	FOTW	September ? 1993
NF	January 27, 1973	NZFA	January 16, 1994
RCVH	September 11, 1975	SVI	March ? 1994
SVB	August 30, 1977	MZT	January 6, 1994
SEV	October 31, 1977	DGF	February 4, 1995
BDA	October 31, 1978	PFA	March ? 1995
		KVV	June 23, 1996
ACV	September 26, 1981	SVPR	June 6, 1997
CBFA	November 6, 1982	IHW	September 1, 1997
FSA	August 20, 1983	SGHAPG	October 22, 1997
CFA	February 6, 1985		
SFV	March 16, 1985	JAVA	January 1, 2000
AAV	February 16, 1988	IVA	November 14, 2002
		BHVS	December 14, 2004
		HGZD	May 4, 2006
		SCHG	February 29, 2008
		BS	April 15, 2008
		CONAVEX	November 3, 2017
		MGD	March 2, 2018
		VRCC	March 23, 2019

Info-FIAV

This issue of *Info-FIAV* (ISSN 1560-9979) is published by the Permanent Secretariat of the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques (FIAV) and edited by FIAV Secretary-General Emeritus Charles A. Spain as no job is finished until the paperwork is done. *Info-FIAV* is still distributed free of charge to each FIAV Member using the Member's e-mail address on file with the Secretary-General. Neither FIAV nor Charles Spain individually claims a copyright in the material appearing in *Info-FIAV*, although material appearing in *Info-FIAV* may be the intellectual property of another person. Subject to such intellectual-property rights, *Info-FIAV* may be freely reproduced. It is the responsibility of each FIAV Member to copy and internally distribute *Info-FIAV* as necessary. Individual subscriptions to *Info-FIAV* are not available.

Having edited *Info-FIAV* numbers 11 through 50 from 1999 to 2019, FIAV Secretary-General Emeritus Spain wishes to conclude by saying, "That's all, folks!"

CURRENT MEMBERS BY TERRITORY

51 Members in 45 countries

Africa	1 Member in 11 countries	
Angola (SAVA ¹)		1
Botswana (SAVA ¹)		1
Eswatini (SAVA ¹)		1
Lesotho (SAVA ¹)		1
Madagascar (SAVA ¹)		1
Malawi (SAVA ¹)		1
Mozambique (SAVA ¹)		1
Namibia (SAVA ¹)		1
South Africa (SAVA ¹)		1
Zambia (SAVA ¹)		1
Zimbabwe (SAVA ¹)		1
Asia	4 Members in 4 countries	
China (VRCC)		1
India (IVA)		1
Japan (JAVA)		1
Russia ² (RCVH)		1
Europe	31 Members in 25 countries	
Belgium (CEBED and SVB)		2
Bulgaria (BHVS)		1
Croatia (HGZD)		1
Czech Republic (CVS and SVI)		2
Denmark (NF ³)		1
Finland (NF ³ and PH)		2
France (KVV [Brittany] and SFV)		2
Georgia (SCHG)		1
Germany (DGF, HVK, and WVRI)		3
Hungary (MZT)		1
Iceland (NF ³)		1
Ireland (GSI ⁴)		1
Italy (BS and CISV)		2
Macedonia (MGD)		1
Moldova (SGHAPG)		1
Netherlands (NVvV and SVPR)		2
Norway (NF ³)		1
Poland (IHW and PTW)		2
Russia ² (RCVH)		1
Slovenia (HS)		1
Spain (ACV [Catalonia] and SEV)		2
Sweden (NF ³)		1
Switzerland (SSV)		1
Ukraine (UHT)		1
United Kingdom (FI and GSI)		2

¹ SAVA was admitted as a Member with the understanding that its territory would correspond to the countries in Southern Africa (see *Info-FIAV* number 24, page 5 (2007)).

² Russia is counted in both Asia and Europe.

³ NF was admitted as a Member with the understanding that its territory would correspond to the countries in the Nordic countries (see *Info-FIAV* number 14, page 25 (1999)).

⁴ GSI was admitted as a Member with territory corresponding to the island of Ireland.

North America	11 Members in 2 countries
Canada (BDA, CFA, FOTW ⁵ , and NAVA ⁶)	4
United States	8
(CBFA [Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and West Virginia], FHF, FRC, GWAV [Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, and Ohio], NEVA [Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont], NAVA, PFA [Portland, Oregon], and VAST [Texas])	
Oceania	2 Members in 2 countries
Australia (FSA)	1
New Zealand (NZFA)	1
South America	3 Members in 2 countries
Argentina (AAV, CICEC)	2
Chile (CONAVEX)	1

UPCOMING DATES

January 13, 2021	Deadline to submit membership applications to the FIAV Board through the Secretary-General for placement on the agenda for the Twenty-Seventh Session of the General Assembly (send to sec.gen@FIAV.org)
March 13, 2021	Deadline to submit items (other than membership applications) to the Secretary-General for placement on the agenda for the Twenty-Seventh Session of the General Assembly (send to sec.gen@FIAV.org)
April 13, 2021	Agenda for the Twenty-Seventh Session of the General Assembly distributed
May 13, 2019	Deadline for Members to submit suggestions for Laureate and Fellow recipients to the Secretary-General for consideration by the FIAV Board (send to sec.gen@FIAV.org)
July 12–16, 2021	Twenty-Ninth International Congress of Vexillology, Ljubljana, Slovenia
July 13, 2021	Twenty-Seventh Session of the General Assembly convenes

⁵ FOTW was admitted as a Member with the understanding that its territory would correspond to the country in which its director resides (see *Info-FIAV* number 19, page 22 (2001)).

⁶ NAVA was admitted as a Charter Member with the understanding that its territory would correspond to Canada and the United States (see *Info-FIAV* number 14, page 12 (1999)).

OFFICERS

The Seventeenth Session of the General Assembly authorized former Presidents, Secretaries-General, and Secretaries-General for Congresses to use, as appropriate, the title President Emeritus or Secretary-General Emeritus. See *Info-FIAV* number 19, pages 12 (2001).

Governing Board of the "International League of Vexillologists" (September 5, 1965 to September 3, 1967)

Louis Mühlemann+ (Switzerland)
Klaes Sierksma+ (Netherlands)
Whitney Smith+ (United States)

Provisional Council of the Fédération Internationale des Associations de Vexillologie (September 3, 1967 to September 7, 1969)

Louis Mühlemann+ (Switzerland)	president
Klaes Sierksma+ (Netherlands)	vice-president (later changed to secretary-general)
Whitney Smith+ (United States)	vice-president (later changed to secretary-general)
E.M.C. Barraclough+ (United Kingdom)	councillor
Arne Danielsson (Sweden)	councillor
Roger E. Harmignies+ (Belgium)	councillor
Hans Horstman+ (Germany, West)	councillor
Raffaele Natta-Soleri (Italy)	councillor
Georges Pasch+ (France)	councillor

Presidents

Louis Mühlemann+ (Switzerland)	September 7, 1969	to	September 17, 1973 ¹
Ottfried Neubecker+ (Germany, West)	September 17, 1973	to	August 28, 1981
R. Hugh Boudin (Belgium)	August 28, 1981	to	August 27, 1993
William G. Crampton+ (United Kingdom)	August 27, 1993	to	June 4, 1997 ²
vacant	June 4, 1997	to	August 14, 1997
Michel R. Lupant (Belgium)	August 14, 1997	to	July 16, 2019
Željko Heimer	July 16, 2019	to	present

Secretaries-General

Whitney Smith+ (United States)	September 7, 1969	to	August 28, 1981
Ottfried Neubecker+ (Germany, West)	August 28, 1981	to	September 29, 1983
Whitney Smith+ (United States)	September 29, 1983	to	July 4, 1991
Emil Dreyer (Switzerland)	July 4, 1991	to	August 14, 1997
Charles A. Spain (United States)	August 14, 1997	to	July 16, 2019
Bruce B. Berry	July 16, 2019	to	present

Secretaries-General for Congresses

Klaes Sierksma+ (Netherlands)	September 7, 1969	to	August 28, 1981
Whitney Smith+ (United States)	August 28, 1981	to	September 29, 1983
William G. Crampton+ (United Kingdom)	September 29, 1983	to	September 27, 1989
Ralph G.C. Bartlett (Australia)	September 27, 1989	to	August 14, 1997
Bruce B. Berry (South Africa)	August 14, 1997	to	July 30, 1999
Graham M.P. Bartram (United Kingdom)	July 30, 1999	to	present

Councillors (abolished September 29, 1983)

Austria	Franz Kaindl	April 17, 1975	to	September 29, 1983
Belgium	Roger E. Harmignies+	September 7, 1969	to	September 29, 1983
Canada	Harold A. Diceman+	September 7, 1969	to	June 29, 1979
	Ralph Spence	June 29, 1979	to	September 29, 1983
Denmark	Christian Fogd Pedersen+	September 17, 1973	to	September 29, 1983
Finland	Bo Tennberg	June 12, 1977	to	September 29, 1983
France	Georges Pasch+	September 7, 1969	to	June 29, 1979
	Lucien Philippe+	June 29, 1979	to	September 29, 1983

¹ Named Honorary President on September 17, 1973 by the Third Session of the General Assembly. See *Info-FIAV* number 14, page 25 (1999).

² Died in office.

Germany, West	Ottfried Neubecker+	September 7, 1969	to	September 17, 1973
	Johannes Klein	September 17, 1973	to	September 29, 1983
Italy	Raffaele Natta-Soleri	September 7, 1969	to	April 17, 1975
	Mario Gibellini	April 17, 1975	to	September 29, 1983
Netherlands	Johannes Hendrik Rombach+	?	to	June 24, 1971 (interim, named by NVVV after GA 1)
		June 24, 1971	to	September 29, 1983
Norway	Atle Grahl-Madsen+	September 17, 1973	to	September 29, 1983
Spain	Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	June 29, 1979	to	September 29, 1983
Sweden	Leif Pålsson	April 18, 1975	to	June 12, 1977
	Walter Rydberg	June 12, 1977	to	September 29, 1983
Switzerland	Peter Mäder	September 7, 1969	to	June 29, 1979
	Louis Mühlemann+	June 29, 1979	to	September 29, 1983
United Kingdom	E.M.C. Barraclough+	September 7, 1969	to	June 24, 1971
	vacant	June 24, 1971	to	September 17, 1973
	William G. Crampton+	September 17, 1973	to	September 29, 1983
United States	William C. Spangler+	September 7, 1969	to	September 29, 1983

AWARDS AND HONORS

A Laureate of the Federation, established in 1969, is named by the FIAV Board for making an outstanding, original contribution to the science of vexillology. This is the highest recognition in vexillology for scholarship. Beginning in 2003, the Board has chosen Laureates based on doctoral-level scholarship, and in 2017 the FIAV Constitution was amended to incorporate the Board's practice into the Constitution. A Laureate receives a certificate signed by the Board and a medal bearing the central knot device of the FIAV flag suspended from a neck ribband of blue and yellow, the colors of the FIAV flag, as well as a miniature ribbon and a lapel pin. A Laureate may use the post-nominal LF. A Laureate is named only when there is a worthy recipient.

E.M.C. Barraclough+
nondoctoral work
September 28, 1983

Whitney Smith+
"Prolegomena to the Study of Political Symbolism" Ph.D. dissertation, Political Science, Boston University, 1968
July 5, 1991

Ottfried Neubecker+
"Das deutsche Wappen 1806–1871" Ph.D. thesis, Berlin, 1931
August 2, 1999

William G. Crampton+
"Flags as Non-Verbal Symbols in the Management of National Identity" Ph.D. thesis, Economic and Social Studies, University of Manchester, 1995
August 2, 1999

Scot M. Guenter
"The American Flag, 1777-1924: Cultural Shifts from Creation to Codification" Ph.D. dissertation, American Studies, University of Maryland, 1986
July 29, 2003

Frederick G. Brownell+
"Convergence and Unification: The National Flag of South Africa (1994) in Historical Perspective" D.Phil. thesis, History, University of Pretoria, 2015
September 4, 2015

Željko Heimer
"Identitet Oružanih snaga Republike Hrvatske iskazan zastavama vojnih postrojbi u Domovinskom ratu i nakon njega" Ph.D. thesis, Sociology, University of Zagreb, 2013
August 11, 2017

Tracey Mee
"Australian National Identity: Somewhere Between the Flags?" Ph.D. thesis, Humanities and Social Inquiry, University of Wollongong, 2018
July 19, 2019

A Fellow of the Federation, established in 2001, is named by the FIAV Board for making significant contributions to vexillology and/or for rendering significant service to FIAV or a FIAV Member. A Fellow receives a certificate signed by the Board and a medal bearing the central knot device of the FIAV flag suspended from a chest ribbon of blue and yellow, the colors of the FIAV flag, as well as a miniature ribbon and a lapel pin. A Fellow may use the post-nominal FF. A Fellow is named only when there is a worthy recipient.

Teodoro Amerlinck y Zúñiga+
Barrie Kent+
July 27, 2001
July 27, 2001

Bruce Nicolls	July 27, 2001
Christian Fogd Pedersen+	July 27, 2001
Lucien Philippe+	July 27, 2001
Whitney Smith+	July 27, 2001
Aldo Ziggio+	July 27, 2001
Alfred Znamierowski+	July 27, 2001
Ralph G.C. Bartlett	July 29, 2003
Bruce B. Berry	July 29, 2003
R. Hugh Boudin	July 29, 2003
William G. Crampton+	July 29, 2003
Emil Dreyer	July 29, 2003
Louis Mühlemann+	July 29, 2003
Ottfried Neubecker+	July 29, 2003
Klaes Sierksma+	July 29, 2003
Robin B. Ashburner	August 5, 2005
Roberto Breschi	August 5, 2005
Aníbal Gotelli	August 5, 2005
Alberto Rubén Perazzo	August 5, 2005
John M. Purcell+	August 5, 2005
Gustav Tracchia	August 5, 2005
Frederick G. Brownell+	August 10, 2007
Kevin Harrington	August 10, 2007
Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	August 10, 2007
Andreas Herzfeld	August 10, 2007
Ralph D. Kelly	August 10, 2007
Michael Krag-Juel-Vind-Frijs	August 10, 2007
Rob Raeside	August 10, 2007
Gustav Söderlund	August 10, 2007
Gerd Vehres+	August 10, 2007
Aleš Brožek	July 17, 2009
Andries Burgers+	July 17, 2009
Jan Oskar Engene	July 17, 2009
John Hall	July 17, 2009
Nozomi Kariyasu	July 17, 2009
Ludvík Mucha+	July 17, 2009
Harry Oswald+	July 17, 2009
Jos Poels	July 17, 2009
Tomás Rodríguez Peñas	July 17, 2009
Miru Takano+	July 17, 2009
Hugh L. Brady (COR)	August 5, 2011
Michael Faul	August 5, 2011
Scot M. Guenter	August 5, 2011
Zachary Harden	August 5, 2011
Roman Klimeš	August 5, 2011
John A. Lowe (COR)	August 5, 2011
Jan Henrik Munksgaard	August 5, 2011
Andriy Grechylo	August 9, 2013
Hans H. Horsting (COR)	August 9, 2013
Anne M. Platoff	August 9, 2013
Alain Raullet	August 9, 2013
Joost C.A. Schokkenbroek (COR)	August 9, 2013
Ian Sumner	August 9, 2013
Marcel van Westerhoven (COR)	August 9, 2013
Anthony C. Burton (COR)	September 4, 2015
Hervé Calvarin	September 4, 2015
Petr Exner	September 4, 2015
Željko Heimer	September 4, 2015
Edward B. Kaye (COR)	September 4, 2015
Gerald Naughton (COR)	September 4, 2015

Theun Okkerse	September 4, 2015
Ronald C. Strachan	September 4, 2015
Roger Baert	August 11, 2017
Katheryn Kearney (COR)	August 11, 2017
Kenneth W. Reynolds	August 11, 2017
Maggie Sumner (COR)	August 11, 2017
Leigh Wetherall (COR)	August 11, 2017
Malcolm J.D. Farrow	July 19, 2019
Martin Grieve	July 19, 2019
John M. Hartvigsen (COR)	July 19, 2019
Michel R. Lupant	July 19, 2019
Charles A. Spain	July 19, 2019
H. Peter Van de Putte (COR)	July 19, 2019
Vanessa R. Van de Putte (COR)	July 19, 2019

The Vexillon Award, established in 1989, has developed into an award for the most important contribution to vexillology during the two years preceding an International Congress of Vexillology. The recipient is selected by the FIAV Board and receives a certificate signed by the Board and a plaque. The Vexillon Award is graciously sponsored by the Flag Society of Australia Inc.

Bruce Nicolls	September 29, 1989
"Practical Aspects of Designing, Making and Flying Flags"	
William G. Crampton+	July 5, 1991
<i>Flags of the World</i>	
<i>The Complete Guide to Flags</i>	
<i>The World of Flags - Pictorial History</i>	
<i>The World's Flags</i>	
María José Sastre y Arribas	August 25, 1993
<i>Diccionario de Vexilología</i>	
<i>Normas de Descripción y Codificación Vexilológica</i>	
General research into the history of the Madrid coat of arms	
Frederick G. Brownell+	July 5, 1995
Designing the national flag of the Republic of South Africa	
Aleš Brožek	August 15, 1997
Lifetime study into Czech flags and symbols	
Publication and continuous update of vexillological bibliography	
Editor of <i>Vexilologie</i> for over 20 years, thus establishing and maintaining contacts with the West during the "Cold War" era	
Donald T. Healy and the editorial board and staff of <i>Raven: A Journal of Vexillology</i>	August 2, 1999
<i>Flags of the Native Peoples of the United States</i>	
Armand Noël du Payrat	July 27, 2001
<i>Album des pavillons nationaux et des marques distinctives</i>	
Alfred Znamierowski+	July 29, 2003
<i>The World Encyclopedia of Flags</i>	
Petr Exner	August 5, 2005
<i>Vexilologický lexikon - vlajky obcí České republiky</i> [<i>Vexillological Lexicon - Flags of Municipalities in the Czech Republic</i>]	
John M. Purcell+ and the other authors, editors, and staff of <i>Raven: A Journal of Vexillology</i>	August 5, 2005
<i>American City Flags Part 1: United States— 150 Flags from Akron to Yonkers</i>	
Howard M. Madaus+ and Whitney Smith+	August 10, 2007
<i>The American Flag: Two Centuries of Concord & Conflict</i>	

Andries Burgers+	July 17, 2009
<i>The South African Flag Book: The History of South African Flags from Dias to Mandela</i>	
Anne M. Platoff	August 5, 2011
<i>Russian Regional Flags: The Flags of the Subjects of the Russian Federation</i>	
Andreas Herzfeld	August 9, 2013
<i>Die Rimann'sche Sammlung deutscher Autoflaggen und Kfz-Stander</i>	
Frederick G. Brownell+	September 4, 2015
<i>Convergence and Unification: The National Flag of South Africa (1994) in Historical Perspective</i>	
Pierre-Jean Guionin	August 11, 2017
<i>Album des pavillons nationaux et des marques distinctives</i>	
Nozomi Kariyasu	July 19, 2019

日本旗章史図鑑

Japanese Flags from Ancient Time to Today

The Whitney Smith Award recognizes outstanding scholarship and presentation of a paper at an International Congress of Vexillology. Originally established in 2005 as the Best Paper Award, it was renamed in 2017 to honor the memory of Dr. Smith, who coined the word "vexillology" and co-founded FIAV. The recipient is selected by a panel appointed by the FIAV Board consisting, if possible, of a representative of the Congress organizer(s), flag manufacturers, and vexillologists, and receives a certificate signed by the Board and a pewter tray. The Whitney Smith Award is graciously sponsored by the North American Vexillological Association-Association nord-américaine de vexillologie.

Ralph D. Kelly	August 5, 2005
"Caudillos, Coups, Constitutions and Changes: An Analysis of Flag Changes in Latin America"	
Emil Dreyer	August 10, 2007
"Flags of the Pope's Swiss Guard Since 1798"	
Akira Kumagai	July 17, 2009
"Flags of Higher Schools in Imperial Japan 1894-1950"	
Patrice de la Condamine	August 5, 2011
"Les Drapeaux des Langues Construites "	
Art Néss Proaño Gaibor-de Vries	August 9, 2013
"Hidden History behind the Colorants of Banners"	
Anne M. Platoff	September 4, 2015
"Old Flags, New Meanings" (paper co-authored by Steven A. Knowlton)	
Rachel Phelan	August 11, 2017
"What's Up with the Big Green Flag? The Conservation of the Flag of the Irish Republic"	
Hipólito Rafael Chacón	July 19, 2019
"Iconographia Jacobaea: The Reach of Santiago, Spain's Patrol Saint, in Municipal Heraldry and Vexillology"	

INTERNATIONAL CONGRESSES OF VEXILLOLOGY

Each Congress organizer(s) is responsible for publishing its volume of the *Proceedings of the International Congresses of Vexillology*. Individual volumes of the *Proceedings* have been published unless noted below. It is the sense of the FIAV Board and General Assembly that every volume should be published.

	Venue	Dates	Organizer(s)
ICV 1	Muiderberg, Noord-Holland, Netherlands	September 4 to 5, 1965	Stichting voor Banistiek en Heraldiek
ICV 2	Zürich, Switzerland	September 1 to 3, 1967	Gilde der Zürcher Heraldiker and Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Fahnen- und Flaggenkunde / Société Suisse de Vexillologie / Società Svizzera di Vessillologia
ICV 3	Boston, Massachusetts, United States	September 5 to 7, 1969	The Flag Research Center, Heraldry Society of Canada / Société héraldique du Canada, North American Vexillological Association Association, United States Flag Foundation, and the Department of Social Sciences of Boston University
ICV 4	Torino, Piemonte, Italy	June 24 to 27, 1971	Accademia di San Marignano Sezione Vessillologica
ICV 5	London, England, United Kingdom	September 13 to 18, 1973	The Flag Institute (partial publication of Congress <i>Proceedings</i>)
ICV 6	IJsselmeer, Flevoland, Netherlands	April 16 to 20, 1975	Stichting voor Banistiek en Heraldiek
ICV 7	Washington, District of Columbia, United States	June 10 to 14, 1977	The Flag Research Center and North American Vexillological Association
ICV 8	Wien, Austria	June 26 to 29, 1979	Gesellschaft für Österreichische Heereskunde
ICV 9	Ottawa, Ontario, Canada	August 24 to 28, 1981	The Flag Research Center, Heraldry Society of Canada / Société héraldique du Canada, and North American Vexillological Association (partial publication of Congress <i>Proceedings</i>)
ICV 10	Oxford, England, United Kingdom	September 25 to 30, 1983	Heraldry Society Flag Section
ICV 11	Madrid, Spain	May 26 to 31, 1985	Sociedad Española de Vexilología
ICV 12	San Francisco, California, United States	August 12 to 16, 1987	The Flag Research Center and North American Vexillological Association
ICV 13	Melbourne, Victoria, Australia	September 24 to 29, 1989	Flag Society of Australia Inc.
ICV 14	Barcelona, Catalunya, Spain	June 30 to July 5, 1991	Associació Catalana de Vexil·lologia
ICV 15	Zürich, Switzerland	August 23 to 27, 1993	Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Fahnen-und Flaggenkunde / Société Suisse de Vexillologie / Società Svizzera di Vessillologia
ICV 16	Warszawa, Poland	July 1 to 5, 1995	Centrum Flagi Ziemi / Earth Flag Centre, The Flag Design Center, and Polskie Towarzystwo Weksylologiczne (partial publication of Congress <i>Proceedings</i>)
ICV 17	Cape Town, Western Cape, South Africa	August 10 to 16, 1997	Southern African Vexillological Association
ICV 18	Victoria, British Columbia, Canada	July 28 to August 2, 1999	The Canadian Flag Association / L'Association canadienne de vexillologie and North American Vexillological Association
ICV 19	York, England, United Kingdom	July 23 to July 27, 2001	The Flag Institute
ICV 20	Stockholm, Sweden	July 28 to August 1, 2003	Nordisk Flaggsselskap / Nordisk Flagselskab / Nordiska Flaggsällskapet / Norræna Fánafélagið / Pohjoismaiden Lippuseura
ICV 21	Buenos Aires, Capital Federal, Argentina	August 1 to 5, 2005	Asociación Argentina de Vexilología and Fundación Centro Interdisciplinario de Estudios Culturales
ICV 22	Berlin, Germany	August 5 to 10, 2007	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Flaggenkunde e.V. and Deutsches Historisches Museum
ICV 23	Yokohama, Japan	July 12 to 17, 2009	日本旗章学協会

ICV 24	Alexandria, Virginia, United States	August 1 to 5, 2011	/ Nihon Kishōgaku Kyōkai / Japanese Vexillological Association North American Vexillological Association-Association nord-américaine de vexillologie and Chesapeake Bay Flag Association
ICV 25	Rotterdam, Zuid-Holland, Netherlands	August 5 to 9, 2013	Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde, Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Nederland, and Stichting Vlaggenparade Rotterdam
ICV 26	Sydney, New South Wales, Australia	August 31 to September 4, 2015	Flag Society of Australia Inc. (publication of <i>Proceedings</i> pending)
ICV 27	London, England, United Kingdom	August 7 to 11, 2017	The Flag Institute (publication of <i>Proceedings</i> pending)
ICV 28	San Antonio, Texas, United States	July 15 to 19, 2019	The Flag Research Center and Vexillological Association of the State of Texas (publication of <i>Proceedings</i> pending)
ICV 29	Ljubljana, Slovenia	July 12–16, 2021	Heraldicno, genealoško in veksilološko društvo Heraldica Slovenica

¹ICV 16 Proceedings Warszawa, Poland
Flaga (ISSN 1509-2429) No.7/31 (October-December 2015)

CONGRESS ORGANIZING REPRESENTATIVES

Beginning with ICV 24, the FIAV Board has asked the Congress organizer(s) to designate no more than three Congress Organizing Representatives (COR) to coordinate with the Secretary-General for Congresses on behalf of the Congress organizer(s).

	<i>Year</i>	<i>Congress Organizing Representatives</i>
ICV 24	2011	Hugh L. Brady, chair Scot M. Guenter John A. Lowe
ICV 25	2013	Joost C.A. Schokkenbroek, chair Hans H. Horsting Marcel van Westerhoven
ICV 26	2015	Anthony C. Burton Edward B. Kaye Gerald Naughton
ICV 27	2017	Katheryn Kearney Maggie Sumner Leigh Wetherall
ICV 28	2019	John M. Hartvigsen H. Peter Van de Putte Vanessa R. Van de Putte

FIAV GENERAL ASSEMBLY SESSIONS

	<i>Venue</i>	<i>Date(s)</i>
GA 1	Boston, Massachusetts, United States	September 7, 1969
GA 2	Torino, Piemonte, Italy	June 24, 1971
GA 3	London, England, United Kingdom	September 14, 17, 1973
GA 4	IJsselmeer, Flevoland, Netherlands	April 17, 18, 1975
GA 5	Washington, District of Columbia, United States	June 12, 1977
GA 6	Wien, Austria	June 29, 1979
GA 7	Ottawa, Ontario, Canada	August 27, 28, 1981
GA 8	Oxford, England, United Kingdom	September 26, 28, 29, 1983
GA 9	Madrid, Spain	May 27, 28, 31, 1985
GA 10	San Francisco, California, United States	August 13, 14, 15, 1987
GA 11	Melbourne and Ballarat, Victoria, Australia	September 25, 27, 1989
GA 12	Barcelona and Montserrat, Catalunya, Spain	July 1, 2, 4, 1991
GA 13	Zürich, Switzerland	August 23, 25, 27, 1993
GA 14	Warszawa, Poland	July 1, 2, 3, 5, 1995
GA 15	Cape Town, Western Cape, South Africa	August 11, 12, 14, 1997
GA 16	Victoria, British Columbia, Canada	July 29, 30, 1999
GA 17	York, England, United Kingdom	July 23, 2001
GA 18	Stockholm, Sweden	July 28, 2003
GA 19	Buenos Aires, Capital Federal, Argentina	August 1, 2005
GA 20	Berlin, Germany	August 7, 2007
GA 21	Yokohama, Japan	July 14, 2009
GA 22	Alexandria, Virginia, United States	August 2, 2011
GA 23	Rotterdam, Zuid-Holland, Netherlands	August 6, 2013
GA 24	Sydney, New South Wales, Australia	September 1, 2015
GA 25	London, England, United Kingdom	August 8, 2017
GA 26	San Antonio, Texas, United States	July 16, 2019
GA 27	Ljubljana, Slovenia	July 13, 2021

STANDARD ABBREVIATIONS

AAV	Asociación Argentina de Vexilología
ACV	Associació Catalana de Vexil·lologia
AFA	American Flag Association (see USFF)
AFEIV	Association française d'études internationale de vexillologie (formerly Association internationale d'études vexillologique (AIEV))
AFS	Australian Flag Society
AIEV	Association internationale d'études vexillologique (see AFEIV)
AIH	Académie internationale d'héraldique
AMGH	Academia Mejicana de Genealogía y Heráldica
APCRA	Asociació de Profesionales del Ceremonial de la República Argentina (see CIDECA)
ARV	Association Réunionnaise de Vexillologie

ASM	Accademia di San Marciano, Sezione Vessillologica
ASV	Asociación Venezolana de Simbología (see AVS)
AVS	Asociación Venezolana de Simbología (incorrectly abbreviated ASV)
BB	Bannieloù Breizh
BDA	The Burgee Data Archives (formerly Canadian Flag Institute (CFI))
BHVS	Българско хералдическо и вексилолошко общество / Bulgarian Heraldry and Vexillology Society
BS	Bandiere Storiche
CBFA	Chesapeake Bay Flag Association
CEBED	Centre Belgo-Européen d'Études des Drapeaux
CFA	The Canadian Flag Association / L'Association canadienne de vexillologie
CFI	Canadian Flag Institute (see BDA)
CFZ	Centrum Flagi Ziemi / Earth Flag Centre
CHED	Council Héraldique de l'Etat Danois
CIDEC	Fundación Centro Interdisciplinario de Estudios Culturales (temporarily known as Asociación de Profesionales del Ceremonial de la República Argentina (APCRA))
CISV	Centro Italiano Studi Vessillologici
CONAVEX	Corporación Nacional de Vexilología de Chile
COR	Congress Organizing Representative
CSVA	Confederate States Vexillological Association
CVE	Cumann Vexilleolaíoch na hÉireann / Vexillological Society of Ireland
CVS	Česká vexilologická společnost z. s. (formerly Vexilologický Klub (VK); incorrectly written as Česká vexilologická společnost o. s.)
DGF	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Flaggenkunde e.V.
EHS	Estonian Heritage Society
FANZ	The Flag Association of New Zealand / Te Roopu Haki Matua o Aotearoa (see NZFA)
FDC	The Flag Design Center
FF	Fellow of the Federation
FFN	The Flag Foundation of Nigeria
FHF	Flag Heritage Foundation
FI	The Flag Institute
FAIV	Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques (formerly Fédération Internationale des Associations de Vexillologie (1967 to 1999))
FOTW	Flags of the World
FPF	Flag Plaza Foundation (see NFF)
FRC	The Flag Research Center
FRCSL	Flag Research Centre of Sri Lanka
FSA	Flag Society of Australia Inc.
GOH	Gesellschaft für Österreichische Heereskunde
GSI	Cumann Geinealais na hÉireann Teoranta / Genealogical Society of Ireland Limited
GWAV	Great Waters Association of Vexillology (formerly Great Waters Chapter (GWC))
GWC	Great Waters Chapter (see GWAV)
HAVSOM	The Heraldry and Vexilology Society of Malta
HCEHS	The Heraldry College of the Estonian Heritage Society
HGZD	Hrvatsko grboslovno i zastavoslovno društvo / Croatian Heraldic and Vexillologic Association
HS	Heraldicno, genealoško in veksilološko društvo Heraldica Slovenica (formerly Slovenski Ščit - HGV Club (SS))
HSFS	Heraldry Society, Flag Section
HUVA	Magyar Vexillológiai Társaság / Hungarian Vexillological Association (see MZT)
HVK	Heraldischer Verein "Zum Kleeblatt" von 1888 zu Hannover e.V.
IAFM	International Association of Flag Manufacturers
IBV	Instituto Brasileiro de Vexilologia
IHW	Instytut Heraldyczno-Weksylologiczny
IVA	Indian Vexillological Association
JAVA	日本旗章学協会 / Nihon Kishougaku Kyoukai / Japanese Vexillological Association
KVV	Kevarzhe Vannielouriezh Vreizh / Société Bretonne de Vexillologie (formerly abbreviated SBV)
LF	Laureate of the Federation
MBV	Mauritius Buch Verlag GmbH
MHZ	Македонско хералдичко здружение / Makedonsko heraldičko združenie / Macedonian Heraldry Society (see MGD)
MGD	Здружение за хералдика и вексилологија и фалеристика Македонско грбсловно друштво Скопје / Zdruzenie za heraldika i veksilologija i faleristika Makedonsko grbslovno društvo Skopje / Macedonian Heraldic Society (organized after MHZ ceased to exist)
MZT	Magyarországi Zászló Társaság / Hungarian Flag Society (formerly Zászlókutató Intézet (ZI) and Magyar Vexillológiai Társaság / Hungarian Vexillological Association (HUVA))
NAVA	North American Vexillological Association-Association nord-américaine de vexillologie

NEVA	New England Vexillological Association
NF	Nordisk Flaggselskap / Nordisk Flagselskab / Nordiska Flaggsällskapet / Norræna Fánafélagið / Pohjoismaiden Lippuseura
NFF	National Flag Foundation (formerly Flag Plaza Foundation (FPF))
NGS	National Geographic Society
NVV	Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde (see NVvV)
NVvV	Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde (formerly abbreviated NVV and NVVV)
NZFA	New Zealand Flag Association (formerly The Flag Association of New Zealand / Te Roopu Haki Matua o Aotearoa (FANZ))
NZFIT	New Zealand Flag Institute Trust (NZFIT)
OGHB	Office Généalogique et Héraldique de Belgique
P	FIAV President
PE	FIAV President Emeritus
PFA	The Portland Flag Association (formerly Portland Flag Group (PFG))
PFG	Portland Flag Group (see PFA)
PH	Partioheraldikot r.y. (formerly abbreviated PR)
PR	Partioheraldikot r.y. (see PH)
PTW	Polskie Towarzystwo Weksylogiczne
RCVH	Русский центр флаговедения и геральдики / Russian Centre of Vexillology and Heraldry (formerly Volga Vexillology Club (VVC))
SAVA	Southern African Vexillological Association
SBH	Stichting voor Banistiek en Heraldiek
SBV	Kevarzhe Vannielouriezh Vreizh / Société Bretonne de Vexillologie (see KVV)
SCHG	ჭერალდიკის სახელმწიფო საბჭო საქართველოს პარლამენტთან არსებული / The State Council of Heraldry at the Parliament of Georgia
SEV	Sociedad Española de Vexilología
SFD	Svenska Flaggans Dag
SFV	Société française de vexillologie
SG	FIAV Secretary-General
SGC	FIAV Secretary-General for Congresses
SGE	FIAV Secretary-General Emeritus (for either SG or SGC)
SGHAPG	Societatea de Genealogie, Heraldică și Arhivistică "Paul Gore"
SRV	Societatea Română de Vexilologie
SS	Slovenski Ščit - HGV Club (see HS)
SSV	Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Fahnen- und Flaggenkunde / Société Suisse de Vexillologie / Società Svizzera di Vessillologia
SVAL	Société Vexillologique d'Alsace-Lorraine
SVB	Societas Vexillologica Belgica
SVI	Středisko vexilologických informací / Flag Data Centre
SVN	Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Nederland (formerly Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Rotterdam (SVR))
SVO	Société vexillologique de l'ouest
SVPR	Stichting Vlaggenparade Rotterdam (formerly Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Rotterdam (SVR))
SVR	Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Rotterdam (see SVN and SVPR)
TVA	สมาคมชัยวิทยาแห่งประเทศไทย / Thai Vexillological Association / Samakom Touchchavittaya Hangprathedthai
TWMF	Tumbling Waters Museum of Flags
UHT	Українське Геральдичне Товариство / Ukrayins'ke Heral'dychne Tovarystvo / The Ukrainian Heraldry Society
USFA	United States Flag Association (see USFF)
USFF	United States Flag Foundation (formerly American Flag Association (AFA) and United States Flag Association (USFA))
VASLA	Vexillological Association of Sri Lanka
VAST	Vexillological Association of the State of Texas
VDCN	Vlaggen Dokumentatie Centrum Nederland
VK	Vexilologický Klub (see CVS)
VRCC	中国旗帜学研究中心 / Vexillological Research Center of China
VSHA	Västra Sveriges Heraldiska Sällskap (see VSHS)
VSHS	Västra Sveriges Heraldiska Sällskap (incorrectly abbreviated VSHA)
VVC	Volga Vexillology Club (see RCVH)
WH	Wappen-Herold, Deutsche Heraldische Gesellschaft e.V.
WVRI	World Vexillological Research Institute
ZI	Zászlókutató Intézet (see MZT)

MEMBERS

Please contact the Secretary-General at sec.gen@fiav.org concerning inaccurate, incomplete, or modified information.

The following FIAV Board actions are relevant to the Members list::

- 2016–3 Members are identified by names in the language or languages which the Members specified when they joined FIAV, and Member names are not otherwise translated. To simplify discussions in the General Assembly and in *Info-FIAV*, Members may be identified by abbreviations assigned by the Secretary-General.
- 2016–5 Members should notify the Secretary-General of any substantive changes in status, i.e., a change of name, territory, or anything affecting the basic membership requirements set out in Constitution articles 6 and 7(a). The Secretary-General will communicate any such change in status to the General Assembly, which may take action as it deems appropriate.
- 2017–1 Board Action 2016–4 is amended to read as follows: The territory of Members is listed to reflect the geographic status under which each Member was admitted to FIAV. Four Members were admitted as having a territory containing more than one country: GSI, NF, NAVA, and SAVA. FOTW was admitted as a Member with the understanding that its territory would correspond to the country in which its director resides (see *Info-FIAV* number 19, page 22 (2001)). A Member's territory is relevant for determining the effect of FIAV Constitution article 12(b). The Board will communicate unresolved issues regarding FIAV Constitution article 12(b) to the General Assembly, which may take action as it deems appropriate.

A Member's address is generally listed given in the standard format of the addressee's country, except in this list all country names are given in English. Information on standard address formats is available on the Universal Postal Union's web site at www.upu.int.

Members are specifically encouraged to obtain an ISSN or ISSN-L for all past and present periodical publications (information on obtaining an ISSN or ISSN-L is available online from the International Centre for the Registration of Serial Publications at www.issn.org).

The distinction between full and associate membership, first introduced in 1989, was abolished in 2001. Unless otherwise noted, all Members admitted between 1989 and 2001 were admitted as Full Members.

Asociación Argentina de Vexilología (AAV)

c/o Alberto Rubén Perazzo
25 de Mayo 276 PB Dpto. 4
1824 LANÚS OESTE
Pcia. de Buenos Aires
Argentina

Type:	association
President/Other:	Francisco Gregoric, president
Secretary/Other:	Mario Paulise, secretary
Telephone:	54 11 4241 0975 (Alberto Rubén Perazzo)
E-mail:	asociacionargentinadevexilologia@yahoo.com.ar (Francisco Gregoric)
Website:	none
Established:	February 16, 1988
Member Since:	August 23, 1993 (number 33)
Territory:	Argentina
Periodical Publication:	<i>Estandarte</i> (Spanish; since 1991)

Associació Catalana de Vexil·lologia (ACV)

c/o Anna-Maria Galán i Pla
Carrer de la Minería, 17, 3r, 9ª
08038 BARCELONA
Spain
Type: association
President/Other: Anna-Maria Galán i Pla, president
Secretary/Other: Sebastià Herreros i Agüí, secretary-general
Telephone: 34 3 33 23 898 (Anna-Maria Galán i Pla)
E-mail: acv@vexi.cat
Website: <http://www.vexi.cat>
Established: September 26, 1981
Member Since: May 28, 1985 (number 22)
Territory: Spain: Catalonia
Periodical Publication: *Vexil·la Catalana* (Catalan; since 1985)

Bandiere Storiche (BS)

c/o Flavio Livio Marchetto
Piazza Martiri della Libertà, 4
20021 BOLLATE (MILANO)
Italy
Type: association
President/Other: Flavio Livio Marchetto, president
Secretary/Other: none
Telephone: 39 347 892 0754
E-mail: info@bandierestoriche.it
Website: <http://www.bandierestoriche.it>
Established: April 14, 2008
Member Since: August 6, 2013 (number 70)
Territory: Italy
Periodical Publication: none

Българско хералдическо и вексилолошко общество (BHVS)**Bulgarian Heraldry and Vexillology Society**

Stoyan Antonov
Faculty of Philosophy and History
"Paisiy Hilendarski" Plovdiv University
24, Tsar Assen St.
PLOVDIV 4000
Bulgaria
Type: association
President/Other: Stoyan Antonov, chairman
Secretary/Other: Aleksandar Aleksiev, secretary
Telephone: 359 885 643930
E-mail: bg herald@gmail.com
Website: <http://heraldika-bg.org>
Established: December 14, 2004; March 18, 2005 (legal registration)
Member Since: August 6, 2013 (number 68)
Territory: Bulgaria
Periodical Publication: *Herold* (ISSN 1313-4809; Bulgarian and English; annual; since 2008)

The Burgee Data Archives (BDA)

Type: institution
President/Other: none
Secretary/Other: none
Telephone: none
E-mail: none
Website: none
Established: October 31, 1978
Member Since: August 14, 1997 (number 47)
Territory: Canada
Periodical Publication: *The Private Signal* (English; irregular; since 1996 January)
Notes: changed name on August 31, 1993 from Canadian Flag Institute; founder Peter Edwards died on July 15, 2019

The Canadian Flag Association (CFA)

L'Association canadienne de vexillologie

1515-730 Dovercourt Rd.
TORONTO ON M6H 2W9
Canada

Type: association
President/Other: Kevin Harrington, president emeritus
Secretary/Other: Linda J. Dean, secretary
Telephone: 1 519 307 1515 (Kevin Harrington)
E-mail: cfa.acv@gmail.com
Website: <http://cfa-acv.tripod.com/>
Established: February 6, 1985
Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 30)
Territory: Canada
Periodical Publication: *Flagscan* (ISSN 0833-1510; English/French; quarterly; 1986 to ?)
Supplements: *Banderín* (ISSN 1492-8256; English; 1999 to ?)
Band.lt (ISSN ?; English; ? to ?)
Dragonflags (ISSN 1492-840X; English; 1999 to ?)
Ensign & Jack (ISSN 1492-8477; English; 1998 to ?)
Flag City (ISSN 1492-837X; English; 1998 to ?)
Flagnaut (ISSN 1492-8396; English; 1998 to ?)
Flagguru (ISSN ?; English; ? to ?)
FlagsAm (ISSN 1492-8388; English; 1998 to ?)
Heraldo (ISSN ?; English; ? to ?)
Ifulegi (ISSN 1492-823X; English; 1998 to ?)
Pavillonnerie (ISSN 1492-8248; French; 1998 to ?)

Centre Belgo-Européen d'Études des Drapeaux (CEBED)

c/o Michel R. Lupant
Clos de la Pasture 6
1340 OTTIGNIES-LOUVAIN-LA-NEUVE
Belgium

Type: institution
President/Other: Michel R. Lupant, president
Secretary/Other: none
Telephone: 32 10 41 43 85 (Michel R. Lupant)
E-mail: cebedr@gmail.com
Website: none
Established: April 1, 1990
Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 31)
Territory: Belgium
Periodical Publication: *Gaceta de Banderas* (Spanish/French/English; eight times a year; since 1979 (in collaboration with Sociedad Española de Vexilología))

Centro Italiano Studi Vessillologici (CISV)

c/o Roberto Breschi
Via Mammini, 66
55100 LUCCA
Italy

Type: association
President/Other: Roberto Breschi, president
Secretary/Other: Pier Paolo Lugli, secretary/librarian
Telephone: 39 583 953249 (Roberto Breschi)
E-mail: breschirob@libero.it (Roberto Breschi)
Website: <http://www.cisv.it>
Established: 1972
Member Since: September 14, 1973 (number 14)
Territory: Italy
Periodical Publications: *Vexilla Italica* (Italian; since 1974)
Vexilla Notizie (Italian; since 2002)

Česká vexilologická společnost z. s. (CVS)

Matúškova 14/796
149 00 PRAHA 4 - Háje
Czech Republic

Type: association
President/Other: Petr Holas, president
Secretary/Other: Jiří Eichler, secretary
Telephone: none
E-mail: vexilologie@centrum.cz
Website: <http://www.vexilologie.cz>
Established: January 29, 1972
Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 29)
Territory: Czech Republic
Periodical Publications: *Vexilologie* (ISSN 1211-2615; Czech (English translations of articles available); since 1972)
Vexillological Letters (Czech; irregular 1976 to 1989)
Vexilokontakt (Czech; irregular; since 1989 (in collaboration with Středisko vexilologických informací / Flag Data Centre))
Vexilokontakt - Special Issue (English; annually; since 1997 (in collaboration with Středisko vexilologických informací / Flag Data Centre))
Proceedings of the Czech National Congress on Vexillology (Czech; every four years; since 1996) (in collaboration with Středisko vexilologických informací / Flag Data Centre))

Notes: recognized July 1, 1991 as "Honorary Affiliate"; changed name on April 2, 2005 from Vexilologický Klub (VK)

Chesapeake Bay Flag Association (CBFA)

c/o John A. Lowe
4909 Hampden Ln. #303
BETHESDA MD 20814-2920
USA

Type: association
President/Other: John A. Lowe, president
Secretary/Other: vacant
Telephone: 1 301 468 9202 (John A. Lowe)
E-mail: cbfamail@gmail.com
Website: <http://cbfa.vexillology.info>
Established: November 6, 1982 (informal), November 13, 1993 (formal)
Member Since: July 3, 1995 (number 38)
Territory: United States: Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and West Virginia
Periodical Publication: *The Flagship* (English; since 1993)

Corporación Nacional de Vexilología de Chile (CONAVEX)

Vargas Buston 1051
Department 1411
8930210 San Miguel
SANTIAGO
Chile

Type: association
President/Other: Steffan Giadach Axt, president
Secretary/Other: Cristóbal Barra Cisterna, secretary
Telephone: 56 9942618084
E-mail: conavexchile@gmail.com
Website: <https://conavexcl.wordpress.com>
Established: November 3, 2017
Member Since: July 16, 2019 (number 73)
Territory: Chile
Periodical Publications: none

**Cumann Geinealais na hÉireann Teoranta (Brateolaíocht Éireann branch) (GSI)
Genealogical Society of Ireland Limited (Vexillology Ireland branch)**

11, Desmond Avenue
DÚN LAOGHAIRE
Co. Dublin
Ireland

Type: association
President/Other: Gerry Hayden, cathaoirleach
Secretary/Other: Michael Merrigan, general secretary
Other: Stanislav Zamyatin, chief executive officer of Brateolaíocht Éireann branch / Vexillology Ireland
Telephone: 353 1 284 2711
E-mail: bratachaeire@gmail.com
Websites: www.familyhistory.ie and <https://flagsireland.wordpress.com>
Established: October 25, 1990
Member Since: August 6, 2013 (number 71)
Territory: Ireland and United Kingdom: Northern Ireland
Periodical Publications: *The Genie Gazette* (ISSN 1393-3183; English; monthly; 1996 to 2005)
Ireland's Genealogical Gazette (ISSN 1649-7937; English; monthly; since 2006)
VIBE—Vexillology Ireland: Brateolaíocht Éireann (ISSN 2009-6437; English; quarterly; since 2013)

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Flaggenkunde e.V. (DGF)

c/o Jörg Majewski
Albaxer Straße 33 B
37671 HÖXTER
Germany

Type: association
President/Other: Jörg Majewski, president
Secretary/Other: Falko Schmidt, secretary
Telephone: ?
E-mail: pres@flaggenkunde.de
Website: <http://www.flaggenkunde.de>
Established: February 4, 1995
Member Since: August 12, 1997 (number 43)
Territory: Germany
Periodical Publications: *Der Flaggenkurier* (ISSN 0949-6173; German; semiannual; since 1995)
DGF-Nachrichten (German; 1995 to 2004)
DGF-Informationen (German; bimonthly; since 2004)

Flag Heritage Foundation (FHF)

301 Newbury St. Ste. 11 #108
DANVERS MA 01923-5297
USA

Type: institution
President/Other: Kirby A. Baker, chair
Secretary/Other: ?
Telephone: 1 424 272 0701
E-mail: info@flagheritagefoundation.org
Website: <http://www.flagheritagefoundation.org>
Established: July 30, 1971
Member Since: July 28, 2003 (number 58)
Territory: United States
Periodical Publications: *The Standard* (English; irregular; since 2002)
Monograph and Translation Series (English; irregular, since 2010)

The Flag Institute (FI)

HQS Wellington
Victoria Embankment
LONDON WC2R 2PN
United Kingdom

Type: association
President/Other: Malcolm Farrow, president
Secretary/Other: John Hall, chairman
Telephone: 44 20 7060 9660
E-mail: chairman@flaginstitute.org
Website: <http://www.flaginstitute.org>
Established: April 23, 1971; November 17, 2012 (legal registration)
Member Since: June 24, 1971 (number 13)
Territory: United Kingdom
Periodical Publications: *Flagmaster* (ISSN 0142-1271; English; quarterly; since 1978)
Flag Institute Bulletin (ISSN 0309-085X; English; irregular 1977 to 1978)
Flagmaster (ISSN 0142-5129; English; quarterly 1971 to 1975)
eFlags (no ISSN; English; irregular since 2006)
Notes: formed from the Heraldry Society, Flag Section (HSFS), which was removed as a Member in 1987

The Flag Research Center (FRC)

c/o Charles A. Spain
504 Branard St.
HOUSTON TX 77006-5018
USA

Type: institution
President/Other: Scot Guenter, Hugh Brady, and Charles Spain, directors
Secretary/Other: none
Telephone: 1 781 729 9410
E-mail: cspain@vexillology.org
Website: <https://flagresearchcenter.org>
Established: February 1, 1962
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Territory: United States
Periodical Publications: *The Flag Bulletin* (ISSN 0015-3370; English; bimonthly; October 1, 1961 to present)
Supplements:
Flag Bulletin Newsletter / Courier de drapeau / Flaggenmitteilungen (English; bimonthly; 1967 to 1973)
Flag Information Sources (English; 1970 to 1973)
The Vexillo-File (English; irregular; 2002 to 2011)
Flag Specification Sheets (English; irregular; 1960 to 2011)
Flag Data Archives (English; 1969 to 1975)
End of the Year Review (English; annual; 1976 to 2011)
News from the Vexillarium (English; irregular; 1982 to 2011)
Flag Etiquette & Usage Standards (English; irregular; 1996 to 2011)
FlagInform (English; irregular; 2001 to 2012)
Flag Facts (English; irregular; 2012)
Notes: part of The Trust for Vexillology (a Texas nonprofit corporation) since March 15, 2014

Flag Society of Australia Inc. (doing business as Flags Australia) (FSA)

Post Office Box 233
MILSONS POINT NSW 1565
Australia

Type: association
President/Other: Ralph D. Kelly, president
Secretary/Other: Ralph G.C. Bartlett
Telephone: 61 2 9481 0978 (Ralph D. Kelly)
E-mail: ralphkelly@flagsaustralia.com.au (Ralph D. Kelly)
Website: <http://www.flagsaustralia.com.au>
Established: August 20, 1983
Member Since: May 28, 1985 (number 23)
Territory: Australia
Periodical Publication: *Crux Australis* (ISSN 0814-5008; English; quarterly; since 1984)

Flags of the World (FOTW)

c/o Rob Raeside
2 Gloosecap Terrace
WOLFVILLE NS B4P 1S7
Canada

Type: association
President/Other: Rob Raeside, director
Secretary/Other: Dirk Schönberger, list master
Telephone: 1 902 542 7767 (Rob Raeside)
E-mail: rob.raeside@gmail.com (Rob Raeside)
Website: <http://www.flagspot.net>
Established: September 1993
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 56)
Territory: Canada
Periodical Publication: *Flags of the World* website (ISSN 1712-9842; English; continuous; since 1993; available online at <http://www.flagspot.net>)

Fundación Centro Interdisciplinario de Estudios Culturales (CIDECA)

c/o Aníbal Gotelli
Calle Marcelo T. de Alvear 2171 - Piso 1°
C1122AAG BUENOS AIRES
Argentina

Type: institution
President/Other: Aníbal Gotelli
Secretary/Other: María Laura Arnejo, secretary-general
Telephone: 549 11 5828 6382
E-mail: info@cidecargentina.com
Website: www.cidecargentina.com
Established: March 7, 1990; 1992 (legal registration)
Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 36)
Territory: Argentina
Periodical Publications: *Boletín CIDECA* (Spanish; bimonthly; since 1992)
La Page Française (French; since 1992)
Anglo-American Journal (English; since 1995)
C.I.D.E.C. en Acción: Boletín Informativo Virtual (Spanish; since 2001)
Notes: originally admitted as Associate Member; became Full Member August 27, 1993; temporarily known as Asociación de Profesionales del Ceremonial de la República Argentina (APCRA)

Great Waters Association of Vexillology (GWAV)

c/o David Breitenbach
7457 N. Sheridan Rd.
CHICAGO IL 60626-6800
USA

Type: association
President/Other: David Breitenbach, president
Secretary/Other: William Belanich, Jr., secretary
Telephone: 1 773 465 7530 (David Breitenbach)
E-mail: flaggsusa@prodigy.net
Website: <http://gwav.tripod.com>
Established: May 11, 1991
Member Since: July 29, 1999 (number 49)
Territory: United States: Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, and Ohio
Periodical Publication: *FaGWAVer* (English; semiannual; since 1996)
Notes: changed name on November 6, 1996 from Great Waters Chapter (GWC) after NAVA voted not to establish chapters

Heraldicno, genealoško in veksilološko društvo Heraldica Slovenica (HS)

P.P. 1526

1001 LJUBLJANA

Slovenia

Type: association
President/Other: Aleksander Hribovšek, president
Secretary/Other: Uroš Žižmund, secretary
Telephone: 386 41 597 821
E-mail: pisarna@heraldica-slovenica.si
Website: <http://www.heraldica-slovenica.si/>
Established: 1991
Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 32)
Territory: Slovenia
Periodical Publication: none
Notes: changed name in 1995 from Slovenski Ščit - HGV Club (SS)

Heraldischer Verein "Zum Kleeblatt" von 1888 zu Hannover e. V. (HVK)

c/o Hans-Peter Dege

Spandauer Weg 59

31141 HILDESHEIM

Germany

Type: institution
President/Other: Hans-Peter Dege, chairman
Secretary/Other: Volkmar Tonnies, secretary
Telephone: ?
E-mail: info@zum-kleeblatt.de
Website: <http://www.zum-kleeblatt.de>
Established: December 4, 1888
Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 35)
Territory: Germany
Periodical Publications: *Kleeblatt: Zeitschrift für Heraldik und verwandte Wissenschaften* (German; since 1984)
Jahrbuch—Heraldischer Verein "Zum Kleeblatt" von 1888 zu Hannover e.V. (ISSN 0341-9908; German; annual; since 1963)
Notes: originally admitted as Associate Member; became Full Member August 27, 1993

Hrvatsko grboslovno i zastavoslovno društvo (HGZD)**Croatian Heraldic and Vexillological Association**

Pazinska 50

10110 ZAGREB

Croatia

Type: association
President/Other: Željko Heimer, president
Secretary/Other: Matea Brstilo Rešetar, secretary
Telephone: 385 91 56 39 391 (Željko Heimer)
E-mail: hgzd@hgzd.hr
Website: <http://www.hgzd.hr>
Established: May 4, 2006
Member Since: August 7, 2007 (number 62)
Territory: Croatia
Periodical Publication: *Grb i Zastava* (ISSN 1846-3827; Croatian and English; semiannual; since 2006)
Notes: changed name on July 18, 2015 from Hrvatsko grboslovno i zastavoslovno društvo / Croatian Heraldic and Vexillologic Association

Indian Vexillological Association (IVA)

Sanjeeva Rao Kambhampati
#C1 Grand Residency
Road No. 2
Vijayanagar Colony
Khammam Bypass Road
KHAMMAM 507002
Telangana
India

Type: association
President/Other: Sanjeeva Rao, president
Secretary/Other: D. Lingaraju, general secretary
Telephone: 91 9949778428 (Sanjeeva Rao)
E-mail: sanjeevarao1963@yahoo.com
Website: none
Established: November 14, 2002
Member Since: August 7, 2007 (number 63)
Territory: India
Periodical Publication: none

Instytut Heraldyczno-Weksylologiczny (IHW)

ul. Turystyczna 70
43-436 GÓRKI WIELKIE
Poland

Type: institution
President/Other: Beata Znamierowska, director
Secretary/Other: ?
Telephone: 48 33 853 99 28
E-mail: info@instytutheraldyczny.pl
Website: http://www.albumpolski.pl/IHW_WWW/index.php
Established: September 1, 1997
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 51)
Territory: Poland
Periodical Publication: *Flagi miast polskich* (Polish; bimonthly; since 2000)
Weksylia (Polish and English; bimonthly; since 2015)

Kevarzhe Vannielouriezh Vreizh (KVV)**Société Bretonne de Vexillologie**

c/o Alain Raullet
47 rue de Gascogne
22000 ST BRIEUC
Breizh
France

Type: association
President/Other: Alain Raullet, president
Secretary/Other: Hervé Prat, secretary
Telephone: 33 0 2 96 94 34 82 (Alain Raullet)
E-mail: alain.raullet@wanadoo.fr (Alain Raullet)
Website: http://drapeauxbretagne.canalblog.com/archives/accueil_degemer/index.html
Established: June 23, 1996
Member Since: August 12, 1997 (number 45)
Territory: France: Brittany
Periodical Publication: *Ar Banniel* (ISSN 1274-5596; Breton/French; biannual; since 1996)
Notes: previously know by abbreviation SBV

Magyarországi Zászló Társaság (MZT)**Hungarian Flag Society**

c/o László Balogh

Ifjúság útca 30

2040 BUDAÖRS

Hungary

Type: association

President/Other: László Balogh, chairman

Secretary/Other: ?

Telephone: 36 23 421 362 (László Balogh)

E-mail: zaszlomuzeum@freemail.hu (László Balogh)

Website: none

Established: January 6, 1994

Member Since: July 5, 1995 (number 42)

Territory: Hungary

Periodical Publication: *Zászlóvilág / Flagworld* (Hungarian; since ?)

Notes: changed name on ? 2000 from Zászlókutató Intézet (ZI); changed name on ? 1997 from Magyar Vexillológiai Társaság / Hungarian Vexillological Association (HUVA)

Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde (NVvV)

c/o Marcel van Westerhoven

Willemsbos 89

2134 EC HOOFDORP

Netherlands

Type: association

President/Other: Davied van Berlo, president

Secretary/Other: Marcel van Westerhoven, secretary

Telephone: 31 06 15250653 (Marcel van Westerhoven)

E-mail: secretaris@vlaggenkunde.nl

Website: <http://vlaggenkunde.nl/>

Established: March 19, 1966

Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)

Territory: Netherlands

Periodical Publication: *Vexilla Nostra* (ISSN 1382-2497; Dutch; monthly/bimonthly; 1966 to 1998)
Vlaggenijdschrift Vexilla Nostra (ISSN 1382-2497; Dutch; quarterly; 1998 to 2008)
Vlag! (ISSN 1877-167X; Dutch; triannually; since 2008 (until 2018, in collaboration with Stichting Vlaggenparade Rotterdam and the former Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Nederland))**New England Vexillological Association (NEVA)**

c/o Carl S. Gurtman

34 Brave Boat Harbor Rd.

YORK ME 03909-5027

USA

Type: association

President/Other: Carl S. Gurtman, president

Secretary/Other: David B. Martucci, secretary/treasurer

Telephone: 1 207 363 4920 (Carl S. Gurtman)

E-mail: cgurtman@maine.rr.com (Carl S. Gurtman)

Website: <http://nejv.org>

Established: April 21, 1991

Member Since: July 29, 1999 (number 50)

Territory: United States: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont

Periodical Publication: *New England Journal of Vexillology* (English; semiannual; since 1995)

New Zealand Flag Association (NZFA)

c/o John Moody
244 Williams Street
KAIAPOI 7630, Canterbury
New Zealand

Type: association
President/Other: John Moody, chairman
Secretary/Other: Dianne Gray, acting secretary
Telephone: 64 3 327 8060 (John Moody)
E-mail: johnmoody431@hotmail.com (John Moody)
Website: none
Established: January 16, 1994
Member Since: July 3, 1995 (number 39)
Territory: New Zealand
Periodical Publication: *Masthead* (ISSN 1173-1850; English; since 1994)
Notes: changed name on June 2, 1999 from The Flag Association of New Zealand / Te Roopu Haki Matua o Aotearoa (FANZ)

日本旗章学協会 (JAVA)

Nihon Kishōgaku Kyōkai Japanese Vexillological Association

c/o Nozomi Kariyasu
Tsukushino 4-19-7
Machida-shi
TŌKYŌ 194-0001
Japan

Type: association
President/Other: Nozomi Kariyasu, president
Secretary/Other: Yoshinori Koshikawa, secretary-general
Telephone: 81 42 799 1529 (Nozomi Kariyasu)
E-mail: melnk@s04.itscom.net (Nozomi Kariyasu)
Website: <http://j-flags-java.iimdo.com/>
Established: January 1, 2000
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 52)
Territory: Japan
Periodical Publication: none

Nordisk Flagselskap (NF)
Nordisk Flagselskab
Nordiska Flagsällskapet
Norræna Fánafélagið
Pohjoismaiden Lippuseura

no mailing address

Type: association
President/Other: Peter Østerbye, president
Secretary/Other: Ulla Petrell, secretary
Telephone: 45 72 21 72 07 (Peter Østerbye)
E-mail: formand@nordicflagsociety.org
Website: <http://www.nordicflagsociety.org>
Established: January 27, 1973
Member Since: September 14, 1973 (number 15)
Territory: Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway, and Sweden
Periodical Publications: *Nordisk Flaggkontakt* (ISSN 0109-7539; multilingual; semiannual; since 1984; variant title is *Nordisk Flagkontakt*)
Nordisk Flagskrift (ISSN 0108-7916; Danish; irregular; 1975 to 1991)
Notes: Nordisk Flagselskap (Norwegian), Nordisk Flagselskab (Danish), Nordiska Flagsällskapet (Swedish), Norræna Fánafélagið (Icelandic), and Pohjoismaiden Lippuseura (Finnish)

North American Vexillological Association-Association nord-américaine de vexillologie (NAVA)

Post Office Box 55071 #58049

BOSTON MA 02205-5071

USA

Type: association
President/Other: Peter A. Ansoff, president
Secretary/Other: Edward B. Kaye, secretary
Telephone: 1 703 941 0494 (Peter A. Ansoff)
E-mail: pres@nava.org
Website: <http://www.nava.org>
Established: June 3, 1967 (organized), March 19, 1968 (legal registration)
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Territory: Canada and United States
Periodical Publications: *Vexillum* (ISSN pending; English; quarterly; since 2018)
Raven: A Journal of Vexillology (ISSN 1071-0043 (print) and ISSN 2376-8592 (online); English; annual; since 1994)
Flag Research Quarterly (ISSN 2334-4407 (print) and ISSN 2474-1884 (online)); English; quarterly; 2013 to 2017)
NAVA News (ISSN 1053-3338 (print) and ISSN 2372-1332 (online); English; quarterly; 1967 to 2017)
NAVA Yearbook (English; annual 1973 to 1983)
NAVA Handbook (English; 1986 and 1989)
Notes: changed name from North American Vexillological Association on October 7, 2012

Partioheraldikot r.y. (PH)

Jarmo Heinonen
Klovinrinne 5
21280 ESPOO
Finland

Type: association
President/Other: Jarmo Heinonen, president
Secretary/Other: ?
Telephone: 358 40 536 1437
E-mail: jarmo.heinonen@laurea.fi
Website: <http://heraldikot.partio.net>
Established: November 22, 1972
Member Since: May 28, 1985 (number 24)
Territory: Finland
Periodical Publication: *Liehuvat Värät* (ISSN 0357-1432; Finnish; quarterly; since 1970)
Notes: previously know by abbreviation PR

Polskie Towarzystwo Weksylogiczne (PTW)

ul. Raclawicka 103
02-634 WARSZAWA
Poland

Type: association
President/Other: Krzysztof Jasieński, president
Secretary/Other: Wojciech Szczerba, secretary
Telephone: 48 22 844 41 58 (Andrzej Beblowski)
E-mail: biuro@weksylogia.pl
Website: <http://www.weksylogia.pl>
Established: October 10, 1992
Member Since: July 3, 1995 (number 40)
Territory: Poland
Periodical Publication: *Flaga* (ISSN 1509-2429; Polish; quarterly; since 1999, revived 2014)

The Portland Flag Association (PFA)

c/o Max Liberman
7290 S.W. Ashdale Dr.
PORTLAND Oregon 97223-9385
USA

Type: association
President/Other: Max Liberman, FIAV representative
Secretary/Other: Edward B. Kaye, newsletter editor
Telephone: 1 503 452 0101 (Max Liberman)
E-mail: info@portlandflag.org
Website: <http://www.portlandflag.org>
Established: March ? 1995
Member Since: August 6, 2013 (number 69)
Territory: United States: Portland, Oregon
Periodical Publication: *The Vexilloid Tabloid* (ISSN ?; English; bimonthly; since 1999)
Notes: changed name on January ?, 2001 from Portland Flag Group (PFG); no formal leadership structure

Русский центр флаговедения и геральдики (RCVH)**Russian Centre of Vexillology and Heraldry**

P.O. Box 20
413111 ENGELS
Saratov Oblast
Russia

Type: institution
President/Other: Victor Lomantsov, co-chairman
Secretary/Other: Serge Bubnov, secretary
Telephone: ?
E-mail: flagoved@russovex.org
Website: <http://www.vexilloграфия.ru/>
Established: September 11, 1975
Member Since: July 28, 2003 (number 59)
Territory: Russia
Periodical Publications: *The Flag* (Russian; 1976 to 1977; Russian and English since 2003)
Notes: changed name on September 11, 1991 from Volga Vexillology Club (VVC)

Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Fahnen- und Flaggenkunde (SSV)**Société Suisse de Vexillologie****Società Svizzera di Vessillologia**

c/o Emil Dreyer
Flurweg 43
3052 ZOLLIKOFEN
Switzerland

Type: association
President/Other: Emil Dreyer, president
Secretary/Other: Harald Müller, secretary
Telephone: 41 31 911 60 18 (Emil Dreyer)
E-mail: info@vexilla.ch
Website: <http://www.vexilla.ch>
Established: January 21, 1967
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Territory: Switzerland
Periodical Publication: *Vexilla Helvetica* (ISSN 1424-5841; German and French; since 1969)

Sociedad Española de Vexilología (SEV)

Carretera de Loeches, 13-D, 4º-C
28850 TORREJÓN DE ARDOZ (Madrid)
Spain

Type: association
President/Other: José Carlos Alegría Díaz, president
Secretary/Other: José Manuel Erbez Rodríguez, secretary
Telephone: 34 985 332 411 (José Carlos Alegría Díaz)
E-mail: info@vexilologia.org
Website: <http://www.vexilologia.org>
Established: October 31, 1977
Member Since: June 29, 1979 (number 19)
Territory: Spain
Periodical Publications: *Banderas* (ISSN 0213-0955; Spanish; quarterly; since 1979)
Gaceta de Banderas (Spanish/French/English; eight times a year; since 1992 (in collaboration with Centre Belgo-Européen d'Études des Drapeaux))

Societas Vexillologica Belgica (SVB)

c/o Roger Baert
Place du Chant de l'Alouette, 8
1080 MOLENBEEK-SAINT-JEAN (BRUXELLES)
Belgium
Type: association
President/Other: ?
Secretary/Other: Roger Baert, secretary
Telephone: ?
E-mail: roger.baert.svb@skynet.be (Roger Baert)
Website: none
Established: August 30, 1977
Member Since: June 29, 1979 (number 20)
Territory: Belgium
Periodical Publications: *Vexilla Belgica* (ISSN 0772-3261; multilingual; annual; 1977 to 1993)
Vexillinfo (ISSN 0772-3253; multilingual; irregular; 1980 to 1990)

Societatea de Genealogie, Heraldică și Arhivistică "Paul Gore" (SGHAPG)

c/o Silviu Andrieș-Tabac
Strada Florifor 12/3, ap. 76
MD-2068 CHIȘINĂU
Republic of Moldova
Type: association
President/Other: Silviu Andrieș-Tabac, chairman
Secretary/Other: Silvia Corlateanu, secretary
Telephone: 373 22 44 31 69 (Silviu Andrieș-Tabac)
E-mail: silviu_tabac@yahoo.fr (Silviu Andrieș-Tabac)
Website: none
Established: October 22, 1997
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 55)
Territory: Moldova
Periodical Publication: none
Notes: originally admitted as Associate Member; became voting Member July 23, 2001

Société française de vexillologie (SFV)

c/o Montbel libraire & éditeur
8 rue de Courcelles
75008 PARIS
France
Type: association
President/Other: Cédric de Fougerolle, president
Secretary/Other: Pierre-Henri Schecter, secretary-general - treasurer
Telephone: 33 01 81 69 87 50 (Cédric de Fougerolle)
E-mail: president@drapeaux-sfv.org
Website: <http://www.drapeaux-sfv.org>
Established: March 16, 1985
Member Since: July 1, 1991 (number 27)
Territory: France
Periodical Publications: *Drapeaux & Pavillons* (ISSN 0769-7864; French; quarterly; since 2018)
Franciae Vexilla (ISSN 1270-0096; French; quarterly; 1996 to 2018)
Emblèmes et pavillons (ISSN 0769-7864; French; quarterly 1985 to 1996)
Annuaire de la Société française de vexillologie (ISSN 0981-2180; French; 1986, 1991, and 2005)

Southern African Vexillological Association (SAVA)

P.O. Box 836
PINEGOWRIE
2123

South Africa

Type: association

President/Other: Peter Whitehead, chairman

Secretary/Other: Bruce B. Berry, secretary/treasurer

Telephone: 27 11 313 3502 (Bruce B. Berry)

E-mail: secretary@savaflags.org.za

Website: <http://www.savaflags.org.za>

Established: November 26, 1990

Member Since: July 2, 1991 (number 28)

Territory: Angola, Botswana, Lesotho, Madagascar, Malawi, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa, Swaziland, Zambia, and Zimbabwe

Periodical Publications: SAVA *Journal* (no ISSN; English; irregular; since 1992)
SAVA *Newsletter* (English; triannual; since 1991)

საქართველოს პარლამენტთან არსებული ჰერალდიკის სახელმწიფო საბჭო (SCHG)**The State Council of Heraldry at the Parliament of Georgia**

4, Sanapiro str

0114 TBILISI

Georgia

Type: institution

President/Other: Eldar Shengelaia, chairman

Secretary/Other: Mamuka Gongadze, deputy chairman

Telephone: 995 32 293 20 97

E-mail: georgianheraldry@gmail.com and info@heraldika.ge

Website: <http://www.heraldika.ge>

Established: February 29, 2008

Member Since: August 2, 2011 (number 65)

Territory: Georgia

Periodical Publication: *Heroldi* (Georgian; annual; since 2012)

Stichting Vlaggenparade Rotterdam (SVPR)

Rochussenstraat 67a

3015 ED ROTTERDAM

Netherlands

Type: institution

President/Other: Kees Vrijdag, chairman

Secretary/Other: Jos van de Sandt, secretary

Telephone: 31 6 467 480 63

E-mail: info@vlaggenparade.nl

Website: <http://www.vlaggenparade.nl>

Established: June 6, 1997

Member Since: August 2, 2011 (number 66)

Territory: Netherlands

Periodical Publications: *Vlaggenlijn* (Dutch; 1998 to 2008) (in collaboration with Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Nederland)

Vlag! (ISSN 1877-167X; Dutch; triannually; 2008 to 2018 (in collaboration with Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde and Stichting Vlaggenparade Rotterdam))
Notes: changed name on November 26, 2007 as successor (with Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Nederland) to Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Rotterdam (SVR)

Středisko vexilologických informací (SVI)**Flag Data Centre**

c/o Petr Exner
Havlíčková 294
500 02 HRADEC KRÁLOVÉ
Czech Republic

Type: Institution
President/Other: Petr Exner, director
Secretary/Other: Jaroslav Martykán
Telephone: ?
E-mail: petr.exner@centrum.cz (Petr Exner)
Website: <http://www.vexi.info>
Established: March 1994
Member Since: July 28, 2003 (number 60)
Territory: Czech Republic
Periodical Publications: *Vexilokontakt* (Czech; irregular; since 1989 (in collaboration with Česká vexilologická společnost o. s.))
vexil.info (Czech with English summary; bimonthly; since 1994; changed name in January 2005 from *vexilINFO*)
Vexilologický lexikon (Czech; semiannual; annual since 1996)

Українське Геральдичне Товариство (UHT)**Ukrayins'ke Heral'dychne Tovarystvo****The Ukrainian Heraldry Society**

c/o Andriy Grechylo
P.O. Box 1569
79013 L'VIV
Ukraine

Type: association
President/Other: Andriy Grechylo, president
Vice-President: Ivan Svarnyk, vice-president; Serhiy Lysenko, vice-president
Telephone: 380 50 6654583 (Andriy Grechylo—mobile)
380 32 238 15 01 (Andriy Grechylo—home)director
Secretary/Other: none
E-mail: uht1990@gmail.com (Andriy Grechylo)
Website: <http://uht.org.ua>
Established: July 9, 1990 (organized); December 7, 1993 (legal registration)
Member Since: July 3, 1995 (number 41)
Territory: Ukraine
Periodical Publications: *Знак (Znak)* (in English *The Sign*) (ISSN 1998-1651; Ukrainian; since 1993)
Генеалогічні записки УГТ (in English *Genealogical Notes of the UHT*) (ISBN 978-966-02-4713-0; Ukrainian; since 2000)
Notes: originally admitted as Associate Member; became Full Member later same day

Vexillological Association of the State of Texas (VAST)

c/o Charles A. Spain
504 Branard St.
HOUSTON TX 77006-5018
USA

Type: association
President/Other: Hugh L. Brady, president
Secretary/Other: Charles A. Spain, secretary/treasurer
Telephone: 1 713 529 2545 (Charles A. Spain)
E-mail: info@texflags.org
Website: <http://www.texflags.org>
Established: February 16, 1991 (organized); March 8, 2000 (legal registration)
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 57)
Territory: United States: Texas
Periodical Publication: *The National Standard* (ISSN 2165-0101 (print) and ISSN 2165-011X (online); English; semiannual; since 2012; continuing *VAST News* (ISSN 1531-1783; English; irregular; since 2001))

中国旗帜学研究中心 (VRCC)

Vexillological Research Center of China

Xinfeng Flag Center
31 Haoyuan
Haihuxilil
Fengtai District
BEIJING
China

Type: association
President/Other: Zhao Xinfeng, chairman
Secretary/Other: Liu Jin
Telephone: 86 10 6351 4523 (Liu Jin)
E-mail: xfqz98@163.com (Zhao Xinfeng)
Website: www.vrcc.org.cn
Established: March 23, 2019
Member Since: July 16, 2019 (number 74)
Territory: China
Periodical Publications: none

World Vexillological Research Institute (WVRI)

c/o Roman Klimeš
Sklenká 35
198 00 PRAHA 9
Czech Republic

Type: institution
President/Other: Roman Klimeš, executive director
Secretary/Other: Kay Kopeck, executive board member
Telephone: 420 281 86 05 48 (Roman Klimeš)
E-mail: romanklimes.flawas@email.cz
Website: none
Established: November 30, 1992
Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 34)
Territory: Germany
Periodical Publication: *Flaggen, Wappen und Siegel* (ISSN 0948-3748; German; since 1986 (since 1992 as publication of WVRI))

**Здружение за хералдика и вексилологија и фалеристика Македонско грбсловно друштво Скопје (MGD)
Zdruzenie za heraldika i veksilologija i faleristika Makedonsko grbslovno društvo Skopje**

Macedonian Heraldic Society

Petar Mandzukov 113/6

1010 SKOPJE

Macedonia

Type: association

President/Other: Jovan Jonovski, president

Secretary/Other: Pavle Arsoski, secretary

Telephone: 389 70 252 989 (Jovan Jonovski)

E-mail: info@heraldika.org.mk

Website: <http://heraldika.org.mk>

Established: July 15, 2018

Member Since: July 16, 2019 (number 72)

Territory: Macedonia

Periodical Publications: *Македонски Хералд / Macedonian Herald* (Macedonian and English; annual; since 2005)

Notes: successor to Македонско Хералдичко Здружение (MHZ) / Makedonsko Heraldičko Zdruzenie / Macedonian Heraldry Society, which dissolved on July 15, 2018 due to inability to elect executive board members

FORMER MEMBERS

Accademia di San Marciano, Sezione Vessillologica (ASM)

Type: institution

Established: summer 1967

Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)

Membership Ended: removed August 13, 1987

Territory: Italy

Periodical Publication: *Armi Antiche* (ISSN 0403-2268; multilingual; annual; since 1954)

Notes: Sezione Vessillologica ceased to be active 1975 after the creation of CISOV

Asociación Venezolana de Simbología (AVS)

VENEZIMBOL

Type: association

Established: 2001

Member Since: August 1, 2005 (number 61)

Membership Ended: resigned September 1, 2015 (Constitution art. 8(a))

Territory: Venezuela

Periodical Publication: none

Notes: ceased to be active after Raúl Jesús Orta Pardo's death on July 17, 2010

Association française d'études internationale de vexillologie (AFEIV)

Type: association

Established: December 2, 1966

Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)

Membership Ended: resigned 1987

Territory: France

Periodical Publication: *Vexillologia* (French; 1967 to 1975)

Notes: changed name on July 28, 1969 from Association internationale d'études vexillologique (AIEV); ceased to be active in late 1975 or early 1976

Centrum Flagi Ziemi (CFZ)

Earth Flag Centre

Type: institution
Established: October 24, 1978
Member Since: July 3, 1995 (number 37)
Membership Ended: resigned July 16, 2019 (Constitution art. 8(a))
Territory: Poland
Periodical Publication: *Weksyli@na: Biuletyn informacyjny rynku flagowo - heraldycznego* (ISSN 1505-3784; Polish, with selected texts in English and Spanish; since 1997)
Notes: originally admitted as Associate Member; became voting Member July 23, 2001; last active in FIAV in 2013

Confederate States Vexillological Association (CSVA)

Type: association
Established: December 29, 2000
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 54)
Membership Ended: resigned November 27, 2008
Territory: United States: Alabama, Arizona, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, Missouri, New Mexico, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia
Periodical Publication: *Stars and Bars* (ISSN 1535-6779; English; quarterly; 2001 to 2007)
Notes: ceased to be active after Devereaux Cannon's death on December 29, 2007

Cumann Vexilleolaíoch na hÉireann (CVE)

Vexillological Society of Ireland

Type: association
Established: March 3, 1984
Member Since: May 28, 1985 (number 25)
Membership Ended: resigned 1992
Territory: Ireland
Periodical Publication: *Irish Vexillology Newsletter* (?; 1984 to 1987)
Notes: last active in FIAV in 1991

The Flag Design Center (FDC)

Type: institution
Established: September 30, 1978
Member Since: August 27, 1981 (number 21)
Membership Ended: resigned August 7, 2007
Territory: Poland
Periodical Publication: none
Notes: Alfred Znamierowski was the director; last active in FIAV in 2003; FDC's work was taken over by IHW

Flag Research Centre of Sri Lanka (FRCSL)

Type: institution
Established: July 1, 1975
Member Since: June 12, 1977 (provisional); September 8, 1977 (full) (number 18)
Membership Ended: resigned August 8, 2017 (Constitution art. 8(a))
Territory: Sri Lanka
Periodical Publication: *Flag* (1982 only)
Notes: ceased to be active after Kumaran Fernando's death on March 21, 2010; last active in FIAV in 2011

Gesellschaft für Österreichische Heereskunde (GOH)

Type: institution
Established: ? 1972 (established as “study circle”), ? 1975 (became “constituted association”)
Member Since: April 17, 1975 (number 17)
Membership Ended: resigned January 3, 1997
Territory: Austria
Periodical Publication: *Militaria Austriaca* (German; since 1977)
Notes: ICV 8 (Wein 1979) organizer; last active in FIAV in 1991

The Heraldry and Vexilology Society of Malta (HAVSOM)

Type: association
Established: January 23, 1995
Member Since: August 12, 1997 (number 46)
Membership Ended: resigned September 1, 2015 (Constitution art. 8(a))
Territory: Malta
Periodical Publication: *It-Tarka u 'l-Bandiera / The Shield and the Flag* (English; since 1996)
Notes: ceased to be active around 2004

Heraldry Society, Flag Section (HSFS)

Type: association
Established: September 7, 1967
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Membership Ended: removed August 13, 1987
Territory: United Kingdom
Periodical Publications: *Newsletter* (English; 1969 to ?)
The Coat of Arms (English; quarterly; since ?)
The Heraldry Gazette (English; quarterly; since ?)
Notes: Flag Section ceased to be active in April 1, 1972 after creation of FI in 1971

Македонско Хералдичко Здружение (MHZ)

Makedonsko Heraldičko Združenie

Macedonian Heraldry Society

Type: association
Established: August 15, 2003
Member Since: August 2, 2011 (number 67)
Membership Ended: resigned December 8, 2018
Territory: Macedonia
Periodical Publications: *Македонски Хералд / Macedonian Herald* (Macedonian and English; annual; 2005 to 2015)
Notes: existing society dissolved on July 15, 2018 due to inability to elect executive board members

Mauritius Buch Verlag GmbH (MBV)

Type: institution
Established: April 11, 1991
Member Since: August 12, 1997 (number 44)
Membership Ended: resigned September 1, 2015 (Constitution art. 8(a))
Territory: Germany
Periodical Publication: none
Notes: originally admitted as Associate Member; became voting Member July 23, 2001; publisher of the 1992 reprint of Ottfried Neubecker's 1939 *Flaggenbuch*; last active in FIAV in 1997

National Flag Foundation (NFF)

Type: association
Established: March 26, 1968
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Membership Ended: resigned September 1, 2015 (Constitution art. 8(a))
Territory: United States
Periodical Publications: *The New Constellation* (ISSN 1048-7980; English; triannual; 1990 to ?)
Flag Plaza Standard (ISSN 0882-2220; English; triannual 1970 to 1990)
Notes: changed name on April 12, 1972 from Flag Plaza Foundation (FPF); last active in FIAV in 2005

Office Généalogique et Héraldique de Belgique (OGHB)

Type: institution
Established: May 4, 1942
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Membership Ended: resigned after GA 9 (Madrid 1985)
Territory: Belgium
Periodical Publications: *Le Parchemin* (?; 1937–1940 (published by Tony Cardon de Lichtbuer), published by OGBH 1957
Le Héraut (irregular; since ?)
Le Recueil (?; since 1954)
Notes: last active in FIAV in 1985

Societatea Română de Vexilologie (SRV)

Type: association
Established: April 3, 1998
Member Since: July 29, 1999 (number 48)
Membership Ended: resigned September 1, 2015 (Constitution art. 8(a))
Territory: Romania
Periodical Publication: *Societatea Română de Vexilologie* (Romanian; annual; since 1998)
Notes: ceased to be active after Maria Dogaru's death on January 2, 2006

Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Nederland (SVN)

Type: institution
Established: June 6, 1997
Member Since: July 14, 2009 (number 64)
Membership Ended: resigned March 12, 2017
Territory: Netherlands
Periodical Publications: *Vlaggenlijn* (Dutch; 1998 to 2008)
Vlag! (ISSN 1877-167X; Dutch; triannually; 2008 to 2017 (in collaboration with Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde and Stichting Vlaggenparade Rotterdam))
Notes: changed name on November 26, 2007 from Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Rotterdam (SVR); voluntarily resigned after efforts to find funding and housing for SVN were unsuccessful

Stichting voor Banistiek en Heraldiek (SBH)

Type: institution
Established: June 30, 1964
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Membership Ended: resigned 1981 following ICV 9
Territory: Netherlands)
Notes: see GA 7 minutes, *Info-FIAV* number 16, pages 30–31; the location of SBH's resignation letter is unknown

Tumbling Waters Museum of Flags (TWMF)

Type: institution
Established: July 1, 1974
Member Since: April 17, 1975 (number 16)
Membership Ended: resigned September 1, 2015 (Constitution art. 8(a))
Territory: United States
Periodical Publication: *Flags* (English; 1975 to 1978)
Notes: last active in FIAV in 2007

United States Flag Foundation (USFF)

Type: association
Established: December 31, 1942
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Membership Ended: resigned April 28, 2003
Territory: United States
Periodical Publication: none
Notes: successor to the American Flag Association (AFA), which was established February 18, 1898 and changed name on April 10, 1924 to the United States Flag Association (USFA); last active in FIAV in 2001

Västra Sveriges Heraldiska Sällskap (VSHS)

Type: association
Established: December 14, 1960 (branch of Societas Heraldica Scandinavica), ? 1963 (established as independent organization)
Member Since: May 31, 1985 (number 26)
Membership Ended: resigned September 1, 2015 (Constitution art. 8(a))
Territory: Sweden
Periodical Publication: *Meddelande från VSHS* (Swedish; irregular; since ?)
Notes: last active in FIAV in 2001

Vlaggen Dokumentatie Centrum Nederland (VDCN)

Flag Documentation Centre Netherlands

Type: institution
Established: November 1, 1978
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 53)
Membership Ended: removed August 1, 2005
Territory: Netherlands
Periodical Publications: *Info-Bulletin* (ISSN 1383-312X; Dutch/English; semiannual 1978 to 1999)
Vlaggen-Info (Dutch/English; quarterly; since 2000)
Notes: ceased to be active after Derkwillem Visser, Jr.'s death on November 24, 2001

Wappen-Herold, Deutsche Heraldische Gesellschaft e.V. (WH)

Type: institution
Established: November 6, 1963
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Membership Ended: removed July 3, 1995
Territory: Germany
Periodical Publication: *Der Tappert* (ISSN 0082-1705; German; irregular; 1964 to 1981)
Notes: ceased to be active in FIAV after Ottfried Neubecker's death on July 8, 1992

CONSTITUTION

The FIAV provisional council adopted provisional statutes on September 3, 1967. The FIAV statutes were formally adopted on September 7, 1969 and amended on September 29, 1983. The statutes were replaced by the current FIAV Constitution, which was adopted on September 27, 1989. The Constitution has been amended on August 12, 1997, July 29, 1999, July 23, 2001, August 7, 2007, July 14, 2009, and August 8, 2017.

CONSTITUTION OF THE FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DES ASSOCIATIONS VEXILLOLOGIQUES

I. NAME AND PURPOSES

- Art. 1 The name of this association is the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques, which is abbreviated as "FIAV."
- Art. 2 FIAV unites those associations and institutions throughout the world whose object is the pursuit of vexillology, which is the creation and development of a body of knowledge about flags of all types, their forms and functions, and of scientific theories and principles based on that knowledge.
- Art. 3 FIAV has as its purposes:
- (a) To create a strong bond among those associations and institutions and to encourage and coordinate their work, studies, and research;
 - (b) to promote the organization of International Congresses of Vexillology and to lend its support to their organizers;
 - (c) to encourage the creation in all countries of associations and institutions dedicated to vexillology; and
 - (d) to recognize international standards facilitating the development of these activities.
- Art. 4 FIAV, being strictly scientific, has no commercial ends and renounces any political or religious activity or stand.

II. HEADQUARTERS

- Art. 5 The administrative headquarters of FIAV are located at the residences of its two Secretaries-General. If necessary, the General Assembly may establish a legal headquarters for FIAV.

III. MEMBERSHIP

- Art. 6 An applicant for membership in FIAV:
- (a) must be an organization of the type expressed in article 2;
 - (b) must be committed to the purposes of FIAV expressed in article 3; and
 - (c) must be constituted in conformity with the laws of the country where it is located.
- Art. 7
- (a) Membership in FIAV is open to any association or institution anywhere in the world having as a substantial purpose the scientific study of vexillology.
 - (b) The processing of membership applications is the responsibility of the Board. The procedure consists of the following:

- (1) The applicant shall submit a membership application, which must be received by the Board no later than six months before the convening of the next session of the General Assembly.
 - (2) The Board shall consider the application and inform the applicant and Members of its recommendation not later than one month before the convening of the next session of the General Assembly.
 - (3) The Board may recommend acceptance of the applicant as a Member, recommend rejection of the applicant, or make no recommendation.
 - (4) The General Assembly at its next session shall vote on the application. An authorized representative of the applicant must appear at the session to present its case. Unless excused by the General Assembly, the representative must serve an active role in conducting the applicant's affairs. If the applicant is an association, then the representative must also be a member of the association. A rejected applicant has the right to reapply for membership at any later session of the General Assembly.
- (c) The Board and the General Assembly, in making their decisions about an applicant, shall have regard to the following:
- (1) the existence of a written constitution and its provisions;
 - (2) the vexillological and non-vexillological activities of the applicant, including meetings, publications, and international relations;
 - (3) in the case of an association, the number of its active members (minimum of five);
 - (4) registration of its members or representatives in International Congresses of Vexillology; and
 - (5) the length of time it has existed.
- Art. 8
- (a) A Member voluntarily resigns if it does not send a delegate to three consecutive regular sessions of the General Assembly. The resignation is effective at the adjournment of the third consecutive regular session.
 - (b) A Member may voluntarily resign by writing to the President. The resignation is effective on the date of its receipt.
 - (c) FIAV cannot reject a Member's voluntary resignation.
- Art. 9
- At its discretion, the Board may require a Member to furnish evidence of its continued qualification for membership under the terms set forth in article 7 or to provide a written response to a potential violation of article 11. On the basis of this evidence, the Board may make a recommendation to the General Assembly on the continuation of the membership of the association or institution. If the recommendation is made to remove a Member from FIAV, the Member in question shall be notified at least three months before the convening of the next regular session of the General Assembly. The Member shall be invited to present its defense before the General Assembly and may participate in the vote on the matter.
- Art. 10
- Each Member regulates its own affairs in complete freedom, limited only by this

Constitution and the laws in effect in the territory where it functions. FIAV may not otherwise limit the rights of Members in this respect.

- Art. 11 Members shall not undertake any activities contrary to the interests of FIAV.
- Art. 12 (a) FIAV may not act on behalf of its Members without their authorization expressed in the General Assembly. Members may not make commitments nor act on behalf of FIAV.
- (b) Members may not hold international vexillological meetings outside of International Congresses of Vexillology. Notwithstanding this prohibition, a Member holding a vexillological meeting in any year in which no International Congress of Vexillology is held may invite participation by a Member from a contiguous country.
- Art. 13 (a) The General Assembly may name as "Laureates of the Federation" persons who have made outstanding, original contributions to the science of vexillology. The General Assembly may delegate this power to the Board.
- (b) The General Assembly may name as "Fellows of the Federation" persons who have made significant contributions to vexillology and/or rendered significant service to FIAV or a FIAV Member. The General Assembly may delegate this power to the Board.
- (c) Except as provided in article 19(d), Laureates and Fellows have no special rights in the General Assembly.
- IV. THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
- Art. 14 (a) The General Assembly is composed of the Officers together with a delegate from each of the Members. Each delegate shall present to the President written credentials from the Member represented. A Member may delegate any or all of its powers in writing to a delegate from any other Member or to an Officer.
- (b) A session of the General Assembly is not constituted unless delegates of at least half of the Members are present.
- (c) Each Member and each Officer is entitled to one vote in the General Assembly.
- Art. 15 Majorities in the General Assembly consist of the following fractions of those Members and Officers present:
- (a) A simple majority in the election of Officers or to excuse the absence of an Officer under article 19(d). If more than two candidates stand for election for an Office and no candidate receives a simple majority, then the candidate with the least votes shall be eliminated from the next ballot, and so on.
- (b) A simple majority for a motion to amend a motion under consideration, to proceed to the next item of business on the agenda, to defer consideration of a motion, to refer a motion to a Commission, to appeal a ruling of the chair, for a record vote, or to adjourn a session of the General Assembly.
- (c) Two-thirds for all other motions.

(d) Three-quarters for amendments to the Constitution or dissolution of FIAV.

Art. 16

The General Assembly:

- (a) elects Officers;
- (b) examines and approves the administration of the Board and the Commissions;
- (c) examines all questions concerning FIAV and in particular the organization of the International Congresses of Vexillology;
- (d) interprets the Constitution;
- (e) names Laureates and Fellows of the Federation pursuant to article 13 and awards such other distinctions as it deems appropriate to persons or institutions who have shown particular merit in the field of vexillology (this power may be delegated to the Board); and
- (f) establishes such Commissions as it deems necessary and appoints Commissioners.

Art. 17

The General Assembly holds a regular session every two years during each International Congress of Vexillology. If extraordinary circumstances exist, a special session may be called with the notice specified in article 18 by either the Board or upon written request to the President by at least two-thirds of the Members.

Art. 18

The Board convenes a session of the General Assembly. The Board shall give notice of (1) the date, time, and location of the session and (2) the agenda, including any membership applications, amendments to the Constitution, or a motion to dissolve FIAV, to all Members, at least three months before the convening of the next session.

V.

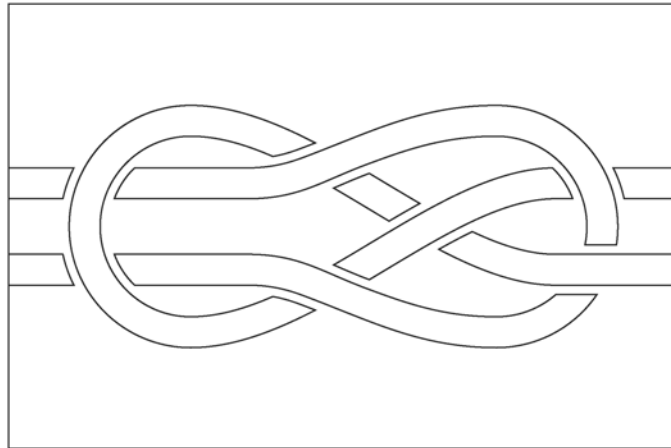
ADMINISTRATION

Art. 19

- (a) The administration of FIAV is entrusted to a Board which acts only by unanimous agreement. The Board is composed of three Officers: the President, the Secretary-General, and the Secretary-General for Congresses.
- (b) The Officers serve a term that commences after the final adjournment of the session of the General Assembly at which they are elected and ends at the final adjournment of the next session at which Officers are elected. The election of Officers shall be on the agenda of each regular session. Consent of the candidates for election is required. The Officers are eligible for re-election.
- (c) The Secretary-General and the Secretary-General for Congresses must reside on different continents. The Secretary-General manages the Permanent Secretariat of FIAV and the Secretary-General for Congresses manages the Permanent Secretariat of the International Congresses of Vexillology. The Board is considered to be in continuous session, conducted by correspondence.
- (d) A vacancy on the Board occurs if an Officer dies, resigns, or lacks mental capacity under the laws where the Officer resides. Absence of an Officer at a session of the General Assembly creates a vacancy on the Board unless excused by the General Assembly. The resignation of an Officer must be received in writing by another Officer, or if no Officer remains, then by the organizer of the next International Congress of Vexillology. The resignation is effective on the date of its receipt. If a vacancy occurs, the position shall remain vacant and the duties of that Officer shall be performed by the remaining Officers.

If no Officer remains to perform the duties of the Board, then the organizer of the next International Congress of Vexillology shall select an interim Secretary-General from among the Fellows of the Federation, if available, who shall have the limited authority to take those acts necessary to convene a session of the General Assembly pursuant to article 18 and preside until the General Assembly elects a presiding officer for the remainder of the session. Neither the interim Secretary-General nor the presiding officer serving under this article shall be considered as a voting Officer under articles 14 and 15.

- Art. 20 The Board:
- (a) manages the current affairs of FIAV and establishes the duties and obligations of its Officers;
 - (b) issues directives which it considers necessary to the success of the activities of FIAV, including the International Congresses of Vexillology;
 - (c) establishes such Commissions as it deems necessary and appoints Commissioners;
 - (d) convenes sessions of the General Assembly pursuant to article 18;
 - (e) represents FIAV in its relations with other national and international institutions; and
 - (f) manages membership procedures pursuant to article 7 and encourages vexillological associations and institutions to apply for FIAV membership.
- Art. 21 FIAV's assent to an agreement imposing a binding obligation on FIAV may only be given by a written document signed by all Officers. Current correspondence may be signed by any single Officer.
- VI. LANGUAGES
- Art. 22 The General Assembly may designate languages for use in FIAV and the International Congresses of Vexillology, taking into consideration the global nature of vexillology and the related practical and economic concerns, but may not require a delegate, applicant, Officer, or Congress attendee to use any specific language.
- VII. PUBLICATIONS
- Art. 23
- (a) FIAV shall publish a newsletter concerning its activities at least once a year for the benefit of its Members, which may be freely reproduced. The General Assembly may initiate or authorize other publications.
 - (b) The Proceedings of the International Congresses of Vexillology shall be published by the Congress organizer(s). Beginning with the Twenty-Ninth International Congress of Vexillology, Congress organizers shall grant a license to FIAV to provide an online version of the Proceedings.
- VIII. SYMBOLS
- Art. 24
- (a) FIAV's flag is described as follows: "On a blue field, extending horizontally from hoist to fly, two yellow halyards forming two interlaced loops." The color blue is defined as Pantone Matching System U293 and the color yellow is defined as Pantone Matching System U123. The flag is illustrated as follows:



(b) The General Assembly may adopt Officer flags and other symbols for FIAV.

IX. DISSOLUTION

- Art. 25
- (a) The General Assembly may dissolve FIAV and establish the terms of the dissolution.
- (b) If the General Assembly does not hold a session at which a quorum is present within six years from the final adjournment of the last session at which a quorum was present, then FIAV is dissolved.

Adopted September 27, 1989 by the Eleventh Session of the General Assembly held during the Thirteenth International Congress of Vexillology at Ballarat, Victoria, Australia.

Amended August 12, 1997 (article 14(a)) by the Fifteenth Session of the General Assembly held during the Seventeenth International Congress of Vexillology at Cape Town, Western Cape, South Africa.

Amended July 29, 1999 (adding new article 1 and renumbering and amending remaining articles) by the Sixteenth Session of the General Assembly held during the Eighteenth International Congress of Vexillology at Victoria, British Columbia, Canada.

Amended July 23, 2001 (eliminating the distinction between Full and Associate Members and amending articles 15 and 23) by the Seventeenth Session of the General Assembly held during the Nineteenth International Congress of Vexillology at York, England, United Kingdom.

Amended August 7, 2007 (articles 19(d) and 24) by the Twentieth Session of the General Assembly held during the Twenty-Second International Congress of Vexillology at Berlin, Germany.

Amended July 14, 2009 (article 8) by the Twenty-First Session of the General Assembly held during the Twenty-Third International Congress of Vexillology at Yokohama, Japan. **Note:** The first General Assembly session to which article 8 applied was the Twenty-Second Session in 2011. The first resignations under article 8(a) occurred at the adjournment of the Twenty-Fourth Session in 2015.

Amended August 8, 2017 (articles 1, 3(d), 7(b), (c), 8(a), 9, 10, 13, 14(a), (b), 15, 16(e), 17, 18, 19(b), (d), and 20(d), 22, 23(b), 24, and 25) by the Twentieth-Fifth Session of the General Assembly held during the Twenty-Seventh International Congress at London, England, United Kingdom.

PRESENCE OF FIAV MEMBER DELEGATES AND OTHERS AT GENERAL ASSEMBLY SESSIONS 1–20

Member	Join- ed	Left	1969 1	1971 2	1973 3	1975 4	1977 5	1979 6	1981 7	1983 8	1985 9	1987 10	1989 11	1991 12	1993 13	1995 14	1997 15	1999 16	2001 17	2003 18	2005 19	2007 20
NAVA charter	1969		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
FRC charter	1969		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
USFF charter	1969	2003			X			X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	-----	-----	-----
NFF (FPF) charter	1969	2015	X	X			X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
SSV charter	1969		X	X	X	X		X			X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
NVvV (NVV) charter	1969		X	X	X	X		X							X	X			X	X		X
SBH charter	1969	1981	X	X	X	X	X	X		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
HSFS charter	1969	1987	X	X		X							-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
ASM charter	1969	1987	X	X									-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
OGHB charter	1969	1985	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
WH charter	1969	1995	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				X			-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
AFEIV (AIEV) charter	1969	1987	X	X	X	X						-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
FI 13	1971		-----	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
CISV 14	1973		-----	-----	X	X		X						X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X
NF 15	1973		-----	-----		X	X	X			X		X	X			X	X	X	X	X	X
TWMF 16	1975	2015	-----	-----	-----	X	X			X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
GOH 17	1975	1997	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X			X			-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
FRCSL 18	1977		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----						X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

Member	Join- ed	Left	1969 1	1971 2	1973 3	1975 4	1977 5	1979 6	1981 7	1983 8	1985 9	1987 10	1989 11	1991 12	1993 13	1995 14	1997 15	1999 16	2001 17	2003 18	2005 19	2007 20
--------	-------------	------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------

SEV 19	1979		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
SVB 20	1979		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				X	X	X	X	X
FDC 21	1981	2007	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			-----
ACV 22	1985		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X		X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X
FSA 23	1985		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
PH (PR) 24	1985		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X							X					
CVE 25	1985	1992	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----		X		X	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
VSHS 26	1985	2015	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X			X	X	X	X		X				
SFV 27	1991		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X
SAVA 28	1991		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
CVS (VK) 29	1993		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
CFA 30	1993		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
CEBED 31	1993		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
HS (SS) 32	1993		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X							X	
AAV 33	1993		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X			X	X	X	X	X	X
WVRI 34	1993		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
HVK 35	1993		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X		X						X
CIDEC 36 (APCRA)	1993		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X				X	X	X	X
CFZ 37	1995		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X				X			
CBFA 38	1995		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X					
NZFA (FANZ) 39	1995		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
PTW 40	1995		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X		X		X			

Member	Join- ed	Left	1969 1	1971 2	1973 3	1975 4	1977 5	1979 6	1981 7	1983 8	1985 9	1987 10	1989 11	1991 12	1993 13	1995 14	1997 15	1999 16	2001 17	2003 18	2005 19	2007 20
--------	-------------	------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------

UHT 41	1995		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X		X		X		
MZT (ZI & HUVA) 42	1995		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X		X	X	X	X	X
DGF 43	1997		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X
MBV 44	1997	2015	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X					
KVV (SBV) 45	1997		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X
HAVSOM 46	1997	2015	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X		X	
BDA 47	1997		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X
SRV 48	1999	2015	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X		X	X	X
GWAV 49	1999		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X
NEVA 50	1999		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X		X	X
IHW 51	2001		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X
JAVA 52	2001		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X
VDCN 53	2001	2005	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X			-----
CSVA 54	2001	2008	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X
SGHAPG 55	2001		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X		X
FOTW 56	2001		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X
VAST 57	2001		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X
FHF 58	2003		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X
RCVH 59	2003		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X
SVI 60	2003		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X
AVS 61	2005	2015	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X
HGZD 62	2007		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X
IVA 63	2007		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X

Member	Join- ed	Left	1969 1	1971 2	1973 3	1975 4	1977 5	1979 6	1981 7	1983 8	1985 9	1987 10	1989 11	1991 12	1993 13	1995 14	1997 15	1999 16	2001 17	2003 18	2005 19	2007 20
--------	-------------	------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	-----------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------

FIAV Asso- ciates				X	X	X	X	X	X		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
President				X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	†	X	X	X	X	X
Secretary- General			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Secretary- General for Con- gresses				X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

PRESENCE OF FIAV MEMBER DELEGATES AND OTHERS AT GENERAL ASSEMBLY SESSIONS 21–PRESENT

Member	Join- ed	Left	2009 21	2011 22	2013 23	2015 24	2017 25	2019 26	2021 27	2023 28	2025 29	2027 30	2029 31	2031 32	2033 33	2035 34	2037 35	2039 36	2041 37	2043 38	2045 39	2047 40
NAVA charter	1969		X	X	X	X	X	X														
FRC charter	1969		X	X	X	X	X	X														
USFF charter	1969	2003	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
NFF (FPF) charter	1969	2015		[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
SSV charter	1969		X	X	X	X	X	X														
NVvV (NVV) charter	1969		X	X	X	X	X	X														
SBH charter	1969	1981	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
HSFS charter	1969	1987	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
ASM charter	1969	1987	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
OGHB charter	1969	1985	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
WH charter	1969	1995	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
AFEIV (AIEV) charter	1969	1987	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
FI 13	1971		X	X	X	X	X	X														
CISV 14	1973		X	X	X	X	X	X														
NF 15	1973		X	X			X	[1]														
TWMF 16	1975	2015		[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
GOH 17	1975	1997	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

Member	Join- ed	Left	2009 21	2011 22	2013 23	2015 24	2017 25	2019 26	2021 27	2023 28	2025 29	2027 30	2029 31	2031 32	2033 33	2035 34	2037 35	2039 36	2041 37	2043 38	2045 39	2047 40
--------	-------------	------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------

FRCSL 18	1977	2017	X	X	[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
SEV 19	1979		X	X	X	X	X	X														
SVB 20	1979		X	X	X	X	X	X														
FDC 21	1981	2007	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
ACV 22	1985		X	X	X	X	X	X														
FSA 23	1985		X	X	X	X	X	X														
PH (PR) 24	1985				X		X	[1]														
CVE 25	1985	1992	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
VSHS 26	1985	2015		[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
SFV 27	1991		X	X	X	X	X	X														
SAVA 28	1991		X	X	X	X	X	X														
CVS (VK) 29	1993		X	X	X	X	X	X														
CFA 30	1993		X		X			X														
CEBED 31	1993		X	X	X	X	X	X														
HS (SS) 32	1993		X	X	X	X	X	X														
AAV 33	1993		X	X	X	X	X	X														
WVRI 34	1993		X	X	X	X	X	X														
HVK 35	1993		X			X	X	[1]														
CIDEC (APCRA) 36	1993		X		X	X	X	X														
CFZ 37	1995	2019			X	[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
CBFA 38	1995		X	X	X	X	X	X														
NZFA (FANZ) 39	1995		X		X	X	X	X														

Member	Join- ed	Left	2009 21	2011 22	2013 23	2015 24	2017 25	2019 26	2021 27	2023 28	2025 29	2027 30	2029 31	2031 32	2033 33	2035 34	2037 35	2039 36	2041 37	2043 38	2045 39	2047 40
--------	-------------	------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------

PTW 40	1995				X		X	X														
UHT 41	1995		X	X	X		X	X														
MZT (ZI & HUVA) 42	1995		X			X	[1]	[2]														
DGF 43	1997		X	X	X	X	X	X														
MBV 44	1997	2015		[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
KVV (SBV) 45	1997		X	X	X	X	X	X														
HAVSOM 46	1997	2015		[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
BDA 47	1997		X	X	X	X	X	X														
SRV 48	1999	2015		[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
GWAV 49	1999		X	X	X	X	X	X														
NEVA 50	1999			X		X	X	X														
IHW 51	2001			X	X		X	X														
JAVA 52	2001		X	X	X	X	X	X														
VDCN 53	2001	2005	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
CSVA 54	2001	2008	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
SGHAPG 55	2001		X	X	X	X	X	X														
FOTW 56	2001		X	X	X	X	X	X														
VAST 57	2001		X	X	X	X	X	X														
FHF 58	2003		X	X	X	X	X	X														
RCVH 59	2003		X		X		X	[1]														
SVI 60	2003		X	X	X	X	X	X														
AVS 61	2005	2015	X	[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

Member	Join- ed	Left	2009 21	2011 22	2013 23	2015 24	2017 25	2019 26	2021 27	2023 28	2025 29	2027 30	2029 31	2031 32	2033 33	2035 34	2037 35	2039 36	2041 37	2043 38	2045 39	2047 40
--------	-------------	------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------	------------

HGZD 62	2007		X	X	X	X	X	X														
IVA 63	2007		X			X		X														
SVN 64	2009	2017	X	X	X	X	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
SCHG 65	2011		-----	X	X	X	X	X														
SVPR 66	2011		-----	X	X	X	X	X														
MHZ 67	2011	2019	-----	X	X	X	X	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
BHVS 68	2013		-----	-----	X	X	X	X														
PFA 69	2013		-----	-----	X	X	X	X														
BS 70	2013		-----	-----	X	X	X	X														
GSI 71	2013		-----	-----	X		X	X														
MGD 72	2019		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X														
CONAVEX 73	2019		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X														
VRCC 74	2019		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X														
FIAV Associates		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
President			X	X	X	X	X	X														
Secretary- General			X	X	X	X	X	X														
Secretary- General for Con- gresses			X	X	X	X	X	X														

[1] = Members without a delegate for only one General Assembly session (effective GA 22, 2011)

[2] = Members without a delegate for two consecutive General Assembly sessions (effective GA 22, 2011)

[3] = Members without a delegate for three consecutive General Assembly sessions; under FIAV Constitution article 8(a) these Members voluntarily resign (effective GA 22, 2011)

DELEGATES TO FIAV GENERAL ASSEMBLY SESSIONS 1-10

Member	Joined	Left	1969 1	1971 2	1973 3	1975 4	1977 5	1979 6	1981 7	1983 8	1985 9	1987 10
NAVA charter	1969		Whitney Smith	Kenneth Huff and Harold Diceman	Newton Blakeslee	Whitney Smith	Hugh McClellan	Ralph Spence	John Purcell	James Marill	John Purcell	Doreen Braverman
FRC charter	1969		Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	David Heisser and David Phillips	Whitney Smith
USFF charter	1969	2003			Lawrence Tower			Muriel Cahill	Muriel Cahill	Randolph Beard	Randolph Beard	Bill Christiansen
NFF (FPF) charter	1969	2015	George Cahill	Newton Blakeslee			Hugh McClellan	George Cahill	George Cahill	George Cahill	George Cahill	George Cahill
SSV charter	1969		Peter Mäder	Peter Mäder	Peter Mäder	Louis Mühlemann		Louis Mühlemann			Günter Mattern	Casimir de Rham
NVVV (NVV) charter	1969		Peter Mäder	Otto Wiering	W.A. van Ham	W.A. van Ham and Johannes Hendrik Rombach		C.H. de Koning				
SBH charter	1969	1981	Whitney Smith	Berber Sierksma-Zeeff	Klaes Sierksma	Klaes Sierksma	Klaes Sierksma	Klaes Sierksma		-----	-----	-----
HSFS charter	1969	1987	E.M.C. Barraclough	E.M.C. Barraclough		E.M.C. Barraclough						
ASM charter	1969	1987	Peter Mäder	Aldo Ziggio								
OGHB charter	1969	1985	Roger Lachenal	René Wattiez	Roger Harmignies	René Wattiez		René Wattiez	Roger Baert	René Wattiez	René Wattiez	-----
WH charter	1969	1995	Peter Mäder	Ottfried Neubecker	Ottfried Neubecker	Ottfried Neubecker	Ottfried Neubecker	Ottfried Neubecker	Ottfried Neubecker	Ottfried Neubecker	Ottfried Neubecker	
AFEIV (AIEV) charter	1969	1987	Whitney Smith	Georges Pasch	Georges Pasch	Georges Pasch						-----
FI 13	1971		-----	William Crampton	William Crampton	E.M.C. Barraclough	Christian Fogd Pedersen	William Crampton		William Crampton	William Crampton	John Hall
CISV 14	1973		-----	-----	Vezio Melegari	Aldo Ziggio		Vezio Melegari				

Member	Joined	Left	1969 1	1971 2	1973 3	1975 4	1977 5	1979 6	1981 7	1983 8	1985 9	1987 10
NF 15	1973		-----	-----		Atle Grahl-Madsen	Christian Fogd Pedersen	Christian Fogd Pedersen			Christian Fogd Pedersen	
TWMF 16	1975	2015	-----	-----	-----	Paul Mills	Charles Brannon			Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	
GOH 17	1975	1997	-----	-----	-----	Franz Kaindl	Franz Kaindl	Franz Kaindl	Franz Kaindl	Franz Kaindl	Franz Kaindl	
FRCSL 18	1977		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----					
SEV 19	1979		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	Tomás Rodríguez Peñas	Tomás Rodríguez Peñas	Adolfo Durán	Sebastià Herreros i Agüí
SVB 20	1979		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Hugh Boudin	Hugh Boudin	Roger Baert	Roger Harmignies	Roger Baert
FDC 21	1981	2007	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Alfred Znamierowski	Alfred Znamierowski	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith
ACV 22	1985		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Josep Porter	Anna Maria Galán i Pla
FSA 23	1985		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Bartlett
PH (PR) 24	1985		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Tero Vaarna	
CVE 25	1985	1992	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----		William Crampton
VSHS 26	1985	2015	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Leif Pålsson	
FIAV Associates				Gunnar Scheffer	Franz Kaindl	Paul Warming	Paul Warming	Paul Warming	V.A. Sokolov		-----	-----
President				Louis Mühlemann		Ottfried Neubecker	Ottfried Neubecker	Ottfried Neubecker	Ottfried Neubecker	Hugh Boudin	Hugh Boudin	
Secretary-General			Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Ottfried Neubecker	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith
Secretary-General for Congresses				Klaes Sierksma	Klaes Sierksma	Klaes Sierksma	Klaes Sierksma	Klaes Sierksma	Klaes Sierksma	Whitney Smith	William Crampton	William Crampton

DELEGATES TO FIAV GENERAL ASSEMBLY SESSIONS 11–20

Member	Joined	Left	1989 11	1991 12	1993 13	1995 14	1997 15	1999 16	2001 17	2003 18	2005 19	2007 20
NAVA charter	1969		Grace Cooper	Grace Cooper	Scot Guenter	Donald Healy	Charles Spain	David Martucci	David Martucci	Mason Kaye	Edward Kaye	Edward Kaye
FRC charter	1969		John Purcell	Peter Orenski	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	James Croft	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith
USFF charter	1969	2003		Randolph Beard	William Spangler	Charles Spain	Peter Orenski	Edward Kaye	Edward Kaye	-----	-----	-----
NFF (FPF) charter	1969	2015		George Cahill	George Cahill	Bruce Druckenmiller	John Lowe	Peter Orenski	Peter Orenski	Edward Kaye	Charles Spain	
SSV charter	1969			Emil Dreyer	Emil Dreyer	Harald Müller	Emil Dreyer	Günter Mattern	Emil Dreyer	Emil Dreyer	Pascal Gross	Emil Dreyer
NVVV (NVV) charter	1969				Gerrit ten Hoeve	Thijs van Leeuwen			Daniel van Leeuwen	Mariska Pool		Marcel van Westerhoven
SBH charter	1969	1981	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
HSFS charter	1969	1987	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
ASM charter	1969	1987	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
OGHB charter	1969	1985	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
WH charter	1969	1995		William Crampton			-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
AFEIV (AIEV) charter	1969	1987	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
FI 13	1971		John Hall	Michael Faul	Michael Faul	Michael Faul	Michael Faul	Graham Bartram	Robin Ashburner	Ian Sumner	Graham Bartram	John Ford
CISV 14	1973			Silvio Giberti	Alfredo Betocchi	Mario Fabretto	Mario Fabretto		Roberto Breschi	Roberto Breschi	Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	Roberto Breschi
NF 15	1973		Lisbeth Langkilde	Emil Dreyer			Sten Dahlström	Michael Krag-Juel-Vind-Frijs	Michael Krag-Juel-Vind-Frijs	Michael Krag-Juel-Vind-Frijs	Michael Krag-Juel-Vind-Frijs	Michael Krag-Juel-Vind-Frijs

Member	Joined	Left	1989 11	1991 12	1993 13	1995 14	1997 15	1999 16	2001 17	2003 18	2005 19	2007 20
TWMF 16	1975	2015	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Arthur Etchells	Whitney Smith	Scot Guenter	John Purcell		Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith
GOH 17	1975	1997		William Crampton			-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
FRCSL 18	1977		Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Bartlett	Charles Spain	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant
SEV 19	1979		Carlos Fernández Espeso	Anna Maria Galán i Pla	Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	Carlos Fernández Espeso	Tomás Rodríguez Peñas	Tomás Rodríguez Peñas	Tomás Rodríguez Peñas	José Alegría Díaz	José Alegría Díaz	José Alegría Díaz
SVB 20	1979		Hugh Boudin	Hugh Boudin	Hugh Boudin				Roger Baert	Roger Baert	Roger Baert	Roger Baert
FDC 21	1981	2007	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Alfred Znamierowski	Alfred Znamierowski	Whitney Smith	Alfred Znamierowski	Alfred Znamierowski	Alfred Znamierowski		-----
ACV 22	1985			Anna Maria Galán i Pla	Jordi Pérez	Carlos Fernández Espeso	José Luis Brugués		Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	Anna Maria Galán i Pla	Sebastià Herreros i Agüí
FSA 23	1985		Ronald Strachan	Ronald Strachan	Ronald Strachan	Ronald Strachan	Ralph Kelly	Ralph Kelly	Ralph Kelly	Anthony Burton	Anthony Burton	Ralph Bartlett
PH (PR) 24	1985							Gustav Söderlund				
CVE 25	1985	1992		John Hall	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
VSHS 26	1985	2015		Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	Leif Pålsson	Lars Stolt		Sten Dahlström			
SFV 27	1991		-----	Pierre Berry	Michel Sicard	Alain Raullet	Alain Raullet	Michel Lupant		Alain Raullet	Alain Raullet	Michel Sicard
SAVA 28	1991		-----	Daniel de Waal	Bruce Berry	Bruce Berry	Theo Stylianides	Frederick Brownell	Bruce Berry	Bruce Berry	Bruce Berry	Michael Clingman
CVS (VK) 29	1993		-----	-----	Aleš Brožek	Aleš Brožek	Jaroslav Martykán	Jiří Tenora	Aleš Brožek	Aleš Brožek	Jiří Tenora	Jaroslav Martykán

Member	Joined	Left	1989 11	1991 12	1993 13	1995 14	1997 15	1999 16	2001 17	2003 18	2005 19	2007 20
CFA 30	1993		-----	-----	Kevin Harrington	Kevin Harrington	Kevin Harrington	Kevin Harrington	Kevin Harrington	Kevin Harrington	Kevin Harrington	Kevin Harrington
CEBED 31	1993		-----	-----	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Rudi Longueville	Michel Lupant	Rudi Longueville
HS (SS) 32	1993		-----	-----	Walt Jurečič						Michel Lupant	
AAV 33	1993		-----	-----	Gustav Tracchia			Gustav Tracchia	Gustav Tracchia	Gustav Tracchia	Alberto Perazzo	Gustav Tracchia
WVRI 34	1993		-----	-----	Roman Klimeš	Roman Klimeš	Roman Klimeš	Jiří Tenora	Alfred Znamierowski	Aleš Brožek	Roman Klimeš	Roman Klimeš
HVK 35	1993		-----	-----	Günter Mattern		Emil Dreyer					Günter Mattern
CIDEC (APCRA) 36	1993		-----	-----	Gustav Tracchia	Aníbal Gotelli			Gustav Tracchia	Gustav Tracchia	Aníbal Gotelli	Gustav Tracchia
CFZ 37	1995		-----	-----	-----	Władysław Serwatowski				Władysław Serwatowski		
CBFA 38	1995		-----	-----	-----	Grace Cooper	Donald Healy	Whitney Smith				
NZFA (FANZ) 39	1995		-----	-----	-----	Ralph Bartlett	John Moody	John Moody	John Moody	John Moody	Michel Lupant	John Moody
PTW 40	1995		-----	-----	-----	Andrzej Bebłowski		Alfred Znamierowski		Władysław Serwatowski		
UHT 41	1995		-----	-----	-----	Andriy Grechylo		Jiří Tenora		Andriy Grechylo		
MZT (ZI & HUVA) 42	1995		-----	-----	-----	Tamás Rumi		Gerd Vehres	Gerd Vehres	Gerd Vehres	Gerd Vehres	Lászlo Balogh
DGF 43	1997		-----	-----	-----	-----	Andreas Herzfeld	Andreas Herzfeld	Andreas Herzfeld	Andreas Herzfeld	Andreas Herzfeld	Andreas Herzfeld

Member	Joined	Left	1989 11	1991 12	1993 13	1995 14	1997 15	1999 16	2001 17	2003 18	2005 19	2007 20
MBV 44	1997	2015	-----	-----	-----	-----	Jiří Tenora					
KVV (SBV) 45	1997		-----	-----	-----	-----	Philippe Rault	Philippe Rault	Alain Raullet	Alain Raullet	Alain Raullet	Alain Raullet
HAVSOM 46	1997	2015	-----	-----	-----	-----	Adrian Strickland	Adrian Strickland	Graham Bartram		Michel Lupant	
BDA 47	1997		-----	-----	-----	-----	Peter Edwards	Peter Edwards	Kevin Harrington	Kevin Harrington	Kevin Harrington	Peter Edwards
SRV 48	1999	2015	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Michel Lupant		Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Alexandru Dan Mândru
GWAV 49	1999		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Peter Kinderman	John Purcell	John Purcell	John Purcell	David Breitenbach
NEVA 50	1999		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	David Martucci	David Martucci		Mason Kaye	Whitney Smith
IHW 51	2001		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Alfred Znamierowski	Alfred Znamierowski	Roman Klimeš	Alfred Znamierowski
JAVA 52	2001		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Nozomi Kariyasu	Nozomi Kariyasu	Ralph Bartlett	Yoshinori Koshikawa
VDCN 53	2001	2005	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Michel Lupant			-----
CSVA 54	2001	2008	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Clay Moss	Philippe Rault	Philippe Rault	Philippe Rault
SGHAPG 55	2001		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant		Michel Lupant
FOTW 56	2001		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Rob Raeside	Rob Raeside	Željko Heimer	Rob Raeside
VAST 57	2001		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Scot Guenter	Charles Spain	Scot Guenter	Scot Guenter
FHF 58	2003		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith

Member	Joined	Left	1989 11	1991 12	1993 13	1995 14	1997 15	1999 16	2001 17	2003 18	2005 19	2007 20
RCVH 59	2003		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Victor Lomantsov	Roman Klimeš	Petr Exner
SVI 60	2003		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Michel Lupant	Jiří Tenora	Petr Exner
AVS 61	2005	2015	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Gustav Tracchia	Gustav Tracchia
HGZD 62	2007		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Željko Heimer
IVA 63	2007		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Sanjeeva Rao
FIAV Associates			-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
President			Hugh Boudin	Hugh Boudin	Hugh Boudin	William Crampton	vacant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant
Secretary-General			Whitney Smith	Whitney Smith	Emil Dreyer	Emil Dreyer	Emil Dreyer	Charles Spain	Charles Spain	Charles Spain	Charles Spain	Charles Spain
Secretary-General for Congresses			William Crampton	Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Bartlett	Bruce Berry	Graham Bartram	Graham Bartram	Graham Bartram	Graham Bartram

DELEGATES TO FIAV GENERAL ASSEMBLY SESSIONS 21–PRESENT

Member	Joined	Left	2009 21	2011 22	2013 23	2015 24	2017 25	2019 26	2021 27	2023 28	2025 29	2027 30
NAVA charter	1969		Edward Kaye	Hugh Brady	Hugh Brady	Anne Platoff	John Hartvigsen	Peter Ansoff				
FRC charter	1969		Charles Spain	Scot Guenter	Scot Guenter	Scot Guenter	Scot Guenter	Hugh Brady				
USFF charter	1969	2003	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
NFF (FPF) charter	1969	2015		[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
SSV charter	1969		Emil Dreyer	Emil Dreyer	Emil Dreyer	Michel Lupant	Emil Dreyer	Michel Lupant				
NVvV (NVV) charter	1969		Joost Schokken- broek	Marcel van Westerhoven	Marcel van Westerhoven	Marcel van Westerhoven	Marcel van Westerhoven	Marcel van Westerhoven				
SBH charter	1969	1981	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
HSFS charter	1969	1987	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
ASM charter	1969	1987	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
OGHB charter	1969	1985	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
WH charter	1969	1995	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
AFEIV (AIEV) charter	1969	1987	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
FI 13	1971		Graham Bartram	Geoffrey Parsons	Geoffrey Parsons	Geoffrey Parsons	John Hall	Graham Bartram				
CISV 14	1973		Peter Orenski	Emil Dreyer	Roberto Breschi	Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	Roberto Breschi	Alfred Znamierowski				

Member	Joined	Left	2009 21	2011 22	2013 23	2015 24	2017 25	2019 26	2021 27	2023 28	2025 29	2027 30
NF 15	1973		Jan Oskar Engene	Jan Oskar Engene			Rold Lindquist	[1]				
TWMF 16	1975	2015		[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
GOH 17	1975	1997	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
FRCSL 18	1977	2017	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
SEV 19	1979		Gustav Tracchia	José Alegría Díaz	José Alegría Díaz	Tomás Rodríguez Peñas	Tomás Rodríguez Peñas	Michel Lupant				
SVB 20	1979		Michel Lupant	Roger Baert	Roger Baert	Michel Lupant	Roger Baert	Michel Lupant				
FDC 21	1981	2007	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
ACV 22	1985		Edward Kaye	Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	Sebastià Herreros i Agüí	Charles Spain				
FSA 23	1985		Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Kelly	Ralph Kelly	Ralph Bartlett				
PH (PR) 24	1985				Henrik Söderman		Michel Lupant	[1]				
CVE 25	1985	1992	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
VSHS 26	1985	2015		[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
SFV 27	1991		Alain Raullet	Jean-Paul Billault	Hervé Calvarin	Nicolas Hugot	Hervé Calvarin	Nicolas Hugot				
SAVA 28	1991		Joan Merrington	Bruce Berry	Bruce Berry	Bruce Berry	Bruce Berry	Bruce Berry				

Member	Joined	Left	2009 21	2011 22	2013 23	2015 24	2017 25	2019 26	2021 27	2023 28	2025 29	2027 30
CVS (VK) 29	1993		Michel Lupant	Aleš Brožek	Jaroslav Martykán	Josef Hubka	Aleš Brožek	Josef Hubka				
CFA 30	1993		Kevin Harrington		Kevin Harrington			Kevin Harrington				
CEBED 31	1993		Jan Mertens	Rudi Longueville	Rudi Longueville	Michel Lupant	Rudi Longueville	Michel Lupant				
HS (SS) 32	1993		Michel Lupant	Jožef Lajeve	Aleksander Hribovšek	Aleksander Hribovšek	Aleksander Hribovšek	Aleksander Hribovšek				
AAV 33	1993		Gustav Tracchia	Francisco Gregoric	Gustav Tracchia	Tomás Rodríguez Peñas	Gustav Tracchia	Gustav Tracchia				
WVRI 34	1993		Andreas Herzfeld	Roman Klimeš	Roman Klimeš	Charles Spain	Roman Klimeš	Alfred Znamierowski				
HVK 35	1993		Emil Dreyer			Andreas Herzfeld	Roman Klimeš	[1]				
CIDEC (APCRA) 36	1993		Gustav Tracchia		Gustav Tracchia	Charles Spain	Gustav Tracchia	Gustav Tracchia				
CFZ 37	1995	2019			Roman Klimeš	[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----
CBFA 38	1995		Edward Kaye	Christopher Maddish	Christopher Maddish	John Lowe	Gustav Tracchia	John Lowe				
NZFA (FANZ) 39	1995		Ralph Bartlett		Ralph Bartlett	John Moody	Ralph Bartlett	Ralph Bartlett				
PTW 40	1995				Roman Klimeš		Alfred Znamierowski	Alfred Znamierowski				
UHT 41	1995		Michel Lupant	Roman Klimeš	Roman Klimeš		Roman Klimeš	Željko Heimer				

Member	Joined	Left	2009 21	2011 22	2013 23	2015 24	2017 25	2019 26	2021 27	2023 28	2025 29	2027 30
MZT (ZI & HUVA) 42	1995		Gerd Vehres			Nozomi Kariyasu	[1]	[2]				
DGF 43	1997		Gerd Vehres	Andreas Herzfeld	Heiko Probst	Andreas Herzfeld	Falko Schmidt	Andreas Herzfeld				
MBV 44	1997	2015		[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
KVV (SBV) 45	1997		Alain Raullet	Alain Raullet	Alain Raullet	Alain Raullet	Michel Lupant	Alain Raullet				
HAVSOM 46	1997	2015		[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
BDA 47	1997		Kevin Harrington	Peter Edwards	Charles Spain	Charles Spain	Charles Spain	Gustav Tracchia				
SRV 48	1999	2015		[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
GWAV 49	1999		Kevin Harrington	David Breitenbach	David Breitenbach	Scot Guenter	Kevin Harrington	Anne Platoff				
NEVA 50	1999			Carl Gurtman		Edward Kaye	Edward Kaye	Edward Kaye				
IHW 51	2001			Roman Klimeš	Roman Klimeš		Alfred Znamierowski	Alfred Znamierowski				
JAVA 52	2001		Nozomi Kariyasu	Edward Kaye	Edward Kaye	Nozomi Kariyasu	Edward Kaye	Nozomi Kariyasu				
VDCN 53	2001	2005	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
CSVA 54	2001	2008	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
SGHAPG 55	2001		Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant				
FOTW 56	2001		Jonathan Dixon	Rob Raeside	Rob Raeside	Jonathan Dixon	Rob Raeside	Bruce Berry				

Member	Joined	Left	2009 21	2011 22	2013 23	2015 24	2017 25	2019 26	2021 27	2023 28	2025 29	2027 30
VAST 57	2001		Charles Spain	Hugh Brady	Hugh Brady	Scot Guenter	Hugh Brady	Hugh Brady				
FHF 58	2003		Charles Spain	Scot Guenter	Scot Guenter	Scot Guenter	Anne Platoff	Anne Platoff				
RCVH 59	2003		Victor Lomantsov		Joost Schokkenbroek		Victor Lomantsov	[1]				
SVI 60	2003		Gerd Vehres	Petr Exner	Petr Exner	Petr Exner	Aleš Brožek	Petr Exner				
AVS 61	2005	2015	Gustav Tracchia	[1]	[2]	[3]	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
HGZD 62	2007		Željko Heimer	Željko Heimer	Željko Heimer	Željko Heimer	Željko Heimer	Željko Heimer				
IVA 63	2007		Sanjeeva Rao			Shivar Kumar		Michel Lupant				
SVN 64	2009	2017	Marcel van Westerhoven	Marcel van Westerhoven	Marcel van Westerhoven	Marcel van Westerhoven	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
SCHG 65	2011		-----	Tamta Melelashvili	Eldar Shengelaia	Michel Lupant	Mamuka Gongadze	Michel Lupant				
SVPR 66	2011		-----	Marcel van Westerhoven	Joost Schokkenbroek	Marcel van Westerhoven	Marcel van Westerhoven	Marcel van Westerhoven				
MHZ 67	2011	2018	-----	Jovan Jonovski	Željko Heimer	Željko Heimer	Stoyan Antonov	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
BHVS 68	2013		-----	-----	Roumiana Popova	Željko Heimer	Stoyan Antonov	Željko Heimer				
PFA 69	2013		-----	-----	Max Liberman	Max Liberman	Max Liberman	Max Liberman				
BS 70	2013		-----	-----	Flavio Marchetto	Nicolas Hugot	Marco Mecacci	Nicolas Hugot				
GSI 71	2013		-----	-----	Tom Conlon	Stanislav Zamyatin	Stanislav Zamyatin	Graham Bartram				

Member	Joined	Left	2009 21	2011 22	2013 23	2015 24	2017 25	2019 26	2021 27	2023 28	2025 29	2027 30
MGD 72	2019		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Željko Heimer				
CONAVEX 73	2019		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Gustav Tracchia				
VRCC 74	2019		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Zhao Xinfeng				
FIAV Associates			-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
President			Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant	Michel Lupant				
Secretary- General			Charles Spain	Charles Spain	Charles Spain	Charles Spain	Charles Spain	Charles Spain				
Secretary- General for Con- gresses			Graham Bartram	Graham Bartram	Graham Bartram	Graham Bartram	Graham Bartram	Graham Bartram				

[1] = Members without a delegate for only one General Assembly session (effective GA 22, 2011)

[2] = Members without a delegate for two consecutive General Assembly sessions (effective GA 22, 2011)

[3] = Members without a delegate for three consecutive General Assembly sessions; under FIAV Constitution article 8(a) these Members voluntarily resign (effective GA 22, 2011)

FIAV People Index

Note: This list covers people who received awards, served as an officer or delegate to the General Assembly or were present at the 1965 or 1967 meetings when the organization of vexillology was discussed.

José Alegría Díaz	GA 18, GA 19, GA 20, GA 22, GA 23
Teodoro Amerlinck y Zírion	Fellow
Peter Ansoff	GA 26
Stoyan Antonov	GA 25
Robin Ashburner	Fellow GA 17
Roger Baert	Fellow GA 7, GA 8, GA 10, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 20, GA 22, GA 23, GA 25
Lászlo Balogh	GA 20
E.M.C. Barraclough	Laureate Provisional council Councillor 1965 International Congress of Vexillology 1967 Organizational Meeting GA 1, GA 2, GA 4
Ralph Bartlett	Secretary-General Emeritus Secretary-General for Congresses Fellow GA 9, GA 10, GA 11, GA 12, GA 13, GA 14, GA 15, GA 16, GA 17, GA 19, GA 20, GA 21, GA 22, GA 23, GA 25, GA 26
Graham Bartram	Secretary-General for Congresses GA 16, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 20, GA 21, GA 22, GA 23, GA 24, GA 25, GA 26
Randolph Beard	GA 8, GA 9, GA 12
Andrzej Bebłowski	GA 14
A.J. Beenhakker	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
Bruce Berry	Secretary-General Secretary-General Emeritus Secretary-General for Congresses Fellow GA 13, GA 14, GA 16, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 22, GA 23, GA 24, GA 25, GA 26
Pierre Berry	GA 12
Alfredo Betocchi	GA 13
Jean-Paul Billault	GA 22
Newton Blakeslee	1967 Organizational Meeting GA 2, GA 3
Hugh Boudin	President Emeritus President Fellow GA 6, GA 7, GA 8, GA 9, GA 11, GA 12, GA 13
Hugh Brady	Fellow GA 22, GA 23, GA 25, GA 26
Charles Brannon	GA 5
Doreen Braverman	GA 10

David Breitenbach	GA 20, GA 22, GA 23
Roberto Breschi	Fellow GA 17, GA 18, GA 20, GA 23, GA 25
Frederick Brownell	Laureate Fellow Vexillon GA 16
Aleš Brožek	Fellow Vexillon GA 13, GA 14, GA 17, GA 18, GA 22, GA 25
José Luis Brugués	GA 15
Andries Burgers	Fellow Vexillon
Anthony Burton	Fellow GA 18, GA 19
George Cahill	GA 1, GA 6, GA 7, GA 8, GA 9, GA 10, GA 12, GA 13
Muriel Cahill	GA 6, GA 7
Hervé Calvarin	Fellow GA 23, GA 25
Hipólito Rafael Chacón	Whitney Smith Award
Bill Christiansen	GA 10
Michael Clingman	GA 20
Tom Conlon	GA 23
Grace Cooper	GA 11, GA 12, GA 14
William Crampton	Laureate President Emeritus Secretary-General Emeritus President Secretary-General for Congresses Fellow Vexillon Councillor GA 2, GA 3, GA 6, GA 8, GA 9, GA 10, GA 11, GA 12, GA 14
James Croft	GA 15
Sten Dahlström	GA 15, GA 17
Arne Danielsson	Provisional council
G. de Graaf	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
C.H. de Koning	GA 6
Patrice de la Condamine	Best Paper Award (now Whitney Smith Award)
Casimir de Rham	GA 10
Daniel de Waal	GA 12
Harold Diceman	Councillor GA 2
Jonathan Dixon	GA 21, GA 24

Emil Dreyer	Secretary-General Emeritus Secretary-General Fellow Best Paper Award (now Whitney Smith Award) GA 12, GA 13, GA 14, GA 15, GA 17, GA 18, GA 20, GA 21, GA 22, GA 23, GA 25
Bruce Druckenmiller	GA 14
Armand du Payrat	Vexillon
Gerhard Dumke	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
Adolfo Durán	GA 9
Peter Edwards	GA 15, GA 16, GA 20, GA 22
Jan Oskar Engene	Fellow GA 21, GA 22
Arthur Etchells	GA 14
Petr Exner	Fellow Vexillon GA 20, GA 22, GA 23, GA 24, GA 26
Mario Fabretto	GA 14, GA 15
Karl Fachinger	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
Malcolm Farrow	Fellow
Michael Faul	Fellow GA 12, GA 13, GA 14, GA 15
Carlos Fernández Espeso	GA 11, GA 14
John Ford	GA 20
Anna Maria Galán I Pla	GA 10, GA 12, GA 19
Mario Gibellini	Councillor
Silvio Giberti	GA 12
Mamuka Gongadze	GA 25
Aníbal Gotelli	Fellow GA 14, GA 19
Atle Grahl-Madsen	Councillor GA 4
Andriy Grechylo	Fellow GA 14, GA 18
Francisco Gregoric	GA 22
Martin Grieve	Fellow
Pascal Gross	GA 19
Scot Guenter	Laureate Fellow GA 13, GA 16, GA 17, GA 19, GA 20, GA 22, GA 23, GA 24, GA 25
Pierre-Jean Guionin	Vexillon
Carl Gurtman	GA 22
John Hall	Fellow GA 10, GA 11, GA 12, GA 25

Zachary Harden	Fellow
Roger Harmignies	Provisional council Councillor 1967 Organizational Meeting GA 3, GA 9
Kevin Harrington	Fellow GA 13, GA 14, GA 15, GA 16, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 20, GA 21, GA 23, GA 25, GA 26
John Hartvigsen	Fellow GA 25
Donald Healy	Vexillon GA 14, GA 15
Željko Heimer	President Laureate Fellow GA 19, GA 20, GA 21, GA 22, GA 23, GA 24, GA 25, GA 26
David Heisser	GA 9
Sebastià Herreros I Agüí	Fellow Councillor GA 6, GA 10, GA 12, GA 13, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 20, GA 22, GA 23, GA 24, GA 25
Andreas Herzfeld	Fellow Vexillon GA 15, GA 16, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 20, GA 21, GA 22, GA 24, GA 26
Hans Horsting	Fellow
Hans Horstman	Provisional council 1965 International Congress of Vexillology
Aleksander Hribovšek	GA 23, GA 24, GA 25, GA 26
Josef Hubka	GA 24, GA 26
Kenneth Huff	GA 2
Nicolas Hugot	GA 24, GA 26
A. Jansen	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
A.J. Jónás	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
M. Jónás-Kajtar	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
Jovan Jonovski	GA 22
Walt Jurečić	GA 13
Franz Kaindl	Councillor GA 3, GA 4, GA 5, GA 6, GA 7, GA 8, GA 9
Nozomi Kariyasu	Fellow Vexillon GA 17, GA 18, GA 21, GA 24, GA 26
Edward Kaye	Fellow GA 16, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 20, GA 21, GA 22, GA 23, GA 24, GA 25, GA 26
Mason Kaye	GA 18, GA 19
Katheryn Kearney	Fellow
Ralph Kelly	Fellow Best Paper Award (now Whitney Smith Award) GA 15, GA 16, GA 17, GA 24, GA 25
E.C. Kemp	1965 International Congress of Vexillology

Barrie Kent	Fellow
J. Kessler	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
Peter Kinderman	GA 16
Johannes Klein	Councillor
Roman Klimeš	Fellow GA 13, GA 14, GA 15, GA 19, GA 20, GA 22, GA 23, GA 25
Yoshinori Koshikawa	GA 20
Michael Krag-Juel-Vind-Frijs	Fellow GA 16, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 20
Akira Kumagai	Best Paper Award (now Whitney Smith Award)
Shivar Kumar	GA 24
Roger Lachenal	GA 1
Jošef Lajeve	GA 22
Lisbeth Langkilde	GA 11
Max Liberman	GA 23, GA 24, GA 25, GA 26
Rold Lindquist	GA 25
Victor Lomantsov	GA 18, GA 21, GA 25
Rudi Longueville	GA 18, GA 20, GA 22, GA 23, GA 25
John Lowe	Fellow GA 15, GA 24, GA 26
Michel Lupant	President Emeritus President Fellow GA 13, GA 14, GA 15, GA 16, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 20, GA 21, GA 22, GA 23, GA 24, GA 25, GA 26
Pierre Lux-Wurm	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
Howard Madaus	Vexillon
Peter Mäder	Councillor GA 1, GA 2, GA 3
Christopher Maddish	GA 22, GA 23
Alexandru Dan Mândru	GA 20
Flavio Marchetto	GA 23
James Marill	GA 8
Jaroslav Martykán	GA 15, GA 20, GA 23
Günter Mattern	GA 9, GA 13, GA 16, GA 20
David Martucci	GA 16, GA 17
Hugh McClellan	GA 5
Marco Mecacci	GA 25
Tracey Mee	Laureate
Vezio Melegari	GA 3, GA 6

Tamta Melelashvili	GA 22
Joan Merrington	GA 21
Jan Mertens	GA 21
Paul Mills	GA 4
John Moody	GA 15, GA 16, GA 17, GA 18, GA 20, GA 24
Clay Moss	GA 17
Ludvík Mucha	Fellow
Louis Mühlemann	Honorary President Governing board Provisional council President Councillor Fellow 1965 International Congress of Vexillology 1967 Organizational Meeting GA 2, GA 4, GA 6
Harald Müller	GA 14
Jan Henrik Munksgaard	Fellow
Raffaele Natta-Soleri	Provisional council Councillor 1967 Organizational Meeting
Gerald Naughton	Fellow
Ottfried Neubecker	Laureate President Emeritus Secretary-General Emeritus Councillor President Secretary-General Fellow 1965 International Congress of Vexillology 1967 Organizational Meeting GA 2, GA 3, GA 4, GA 5, GA 6, GA 7, GA 8
Bruce Nicholls	Fellow Vexillon
Theun Okkerse	Fellow
Peter Orenski	GA 12, GA 15, GA 16, GA 17, GA 21
Harry Oswald	Fellow
Leif Påhlsson	Councillor GA 9, GA 14
Geoffrey Parsons	GA 22, GA 23, GA 24
Georges Pasch	Provisional council Councillor 1965 International Congress of Vexillology GA 2, GA 3, GA 4
Christian Fogd Pedersen	Fellow Councillor GA 5, GA 6, GA 9
Alberto Perazzo	Fellow GA 19
Jordi Pérez	GA 13

Rachel Phelan	Whitney Smith Award
Lucien Philippe	Fellow Councillor
David Phillips	GA 9
Hervé Pinoteau	1967 Organizational Meeting
Anne Platoff	Fellow Vexillon Best Paper Award (now Whitney Smith Award) GA 24, GA 25, GA 26
Jos Poels	Fellow
Roumiana Popova	GA 23
Josep Porter	GA 9
Art Proaño Gaibor-de Vries	Best Paper Award (now Whitney Smith Award)
Heiko Probst	GA 23
John Purcell	Fellow Vexillon GA 7, GA 9, GA 11, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19
Mariska Pool	GA 18
W.H.J. Punt	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
Arnold Rabbow	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
Rob Raaside	Fellow GA 17, GA 18, GA 20, GA 22, GA 23, GA 25
Sanjeeva Rao	GA 20, GA 21
Alain Raullet	Fellow GA 14, GA 15, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 20, GA 21, GA 22, GA 23, GA 24, GA 25, GA 26
Philippe Rault	GA 15, GA 16, GA 18, GA 19, GA 20
Kenneth Reynolds	Fellow
Tomás Rodríguez Peñas	Fellow GA 7, GA 8, GA 15, GA 16, GA 17, GA 24, GA 25
Johannes Rombach	Councillor 1965 International Congress of Vexillology GA 4
Tamás Rumi	GA 14
Walter Rydberg	Councillor
María José Sastre y Arribas	Vexillon
Gunnar Scheffer	1967 Organizational Meeting GA 2
A.I.J.M. Schellart	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
Falko Schmidt	GA 25
Joost Schokkenbroek	Fellow GA 21, GA 23
J.H. Schuilenga	1965 International Congress of Vexillology 1967 Organizational Meeting

Wladyslaw Serwatowski	GA 14, GA 18
Eldar Shengelaia	GA 23
Michel Sicard	GA 13, GA 20
Klaes Sierksma	Secretary-General Emeritus Governing board Provisional council Secretary-General for Congresses Fellow 1965 International Congress of Vexillology 1967 Organizational Meeting GA 2, GA 3, GA 4, GA 5, GA 6, GA 7
Berber Sierksma-Zeeff	1965 International Congress of Vexillology GA 2
F.J. Simons	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
Whitney Smith	Laureate Secretary-General Emeritus Governing board Provisional council Secretary-General Secretary-General for Congresses Fellow Vexillon 1965 International Congress of Vexillology 1967 Organizational Meeting GA 1, GA 2, GA 3, GA 4, GA 5, GA 6, GA 7, GA 8, GA 9, GA 10, GA 11, GA 12, GA 13, GA 14, GA 15, GA 16, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 20
Gustav Söderlund	Fellow GA 16
Henrik Söderman	GA 23
V.A. Sokolov	GA 7
Charles Spain	Secretary-General Emeritus Fellow Secretary-General GA 14, GA 15, GA 16, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 20, GA 21, GA 22, GA 23, GA 24, GA 25, GA 26
William Spangler	Councillor GA 13
Ralph Spence	Councillor GA 6
Lars Stolt	GA 15
Ronald Strachan	Fellow GA 11, GA 12, GA 13, GA 14
Adrian Strickland	GA 15, GA 16
Theo Stylianides	GA 15
Ian Sumner	Fellow GA 18
Maggie Sumner	Fellow
Miru Takano	Fellow
Bo Tennberg	Councillor
Gerrit ten Hoeve	GA 13
Jiří Tenora	GA 15, GA 16, GA 19

Lawrence Tower	1967 Organizational Meeting GA 3
Gustav Tracchia	Fellow GA 13, GA 16, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 20, GA 21, GA 23, GA 25, GA 26
Tero Vaarna	GA 9
Peter Van de Putte	Fellow
Vanessa Van de Putte	Fellow
W.A. van Ham	1965 International Congress of Vexillology GA 3, GA 4
D. van Leeuwen (possibly Daniel van Leeuwen)	1965 International Congress of Vexillology
Daniel van Leeuwen	GA 17
Thijs van Leeuwen	GA 14
Marcel van Westerhoven	Fellow GA 20, GA 21, GA 22, GA 23, GA 24, GA 25, GA 26
Gerd Vehres	Fellow GA 16, GA 17, GA 18, GA 19, GA 21
Paul Warming	1967 Organizational Meeting GA 4, GA 5, GA 6
René Wattiez	GA 2, GA 4, GA 6, GA 8, GA 9
Leigh Wetherall	Fellow
Otto Wiering	GA 2
Stanislav Zamyatin	GA 24, GA 25
Zhao Xinfeng	GA 26
Aldo Ziggioto	Fellow GA 2, GA 4
Alfred Znamierowski	Fellow Vexillon GA 7, GA 8, GA 13, GA 14, GA 16, GA 17, GA 18, GA 20, GA 25, GA 26

WHATEVER HAPPENED TO THE ORIGINAL 1967 FIAV FLAG?

If you have been reading *Info-FIAV* for the past 20 years, then you have read that the whereabouts of the original 1967 FIAV flag are unknown:

Info-FIAV number 19 (August 2001), at page 41:

FIAV FLAG MISSING

Sometime after the closing luncheon of the Eighteenth International Congress of Vexillology (Victoria, British Columbia, Canada 1999) and before the opening ceremonies of the Nineteenth International Congress of Vexillology (York, England, United Kingdom 2001), the FIAV flag disappeared. Anyone with any knowledge of the flag's whereabouts is asked to contact the Secretary-General for Congresses (see page one for contact information).

Info-FIAV number 20 (June 2003), at page 4:

COMMENTS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AGENDA

Item 14: The Board is extremely concerned by the disappearance of the FIAV Congress flag sometime after the closing luncheon of ICV 18 (Victoria, British Columbia, Canada 1999) and before the opening ceremonies of ICV 19 (York, England, United Kingdom 2001). Then-Secretary General for Congresses Bruce Berry passed the flag from the ICV 18 hosts (CFA and NAVA) to the ICV 19 host (FI) in Victoria, but its location since that time is unknown. The Board believes the flag must either be found or replaced.

Info-FIAV number 21 (July 2005), at page 9:

MINUTES OF THE EIGHTEENTH SESSION OF THE FIAV GENERAL ASSEMBLY JULY 28, 2003 STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN

14. Disappearance of FIAV flag The SG discussed the disappearance of the FIAV flag presented to FIAV at the Second International Congress of Vexillology (Zürich, Switzerland 1967). This is the flag that is traditionally passed—along with the FIAV gavel—at the closing ceremonies from the current Congress organizer to the organizer of the next Congress. The flag disappeared sometime after the closing luncheon of the Eighteenth International Congress of Vexillology (Victoria, British Columbia, Canada 1999) and before the opening ceremonies of the Nineteenth International Congress of Vexillology (York, England, United Kingdom 2001). In addition, the FIAV gavel has disappeared sometime after the closing dinner of the Nineteenth International Congress of Vexillology (York, England, United Kingdom 2001) and the current Congress. Other than the 3 small officer flags presented in Victoria in 1999 by the Flag Shop and the SG's records, the FIAV flag and gavel are the only property that belong to FIAV. Accordingly, the Board expressed its extreme concern and its wish that the relevant parties conduct an investigation into the disappearance of the flag and gavel. NF pledged to find the gavel. No commitment was made to find the flag. Ronald Strachan of National Flag Darwin offered to replace the flag and gavel if they were not found, and the GA applauded his generous offer. [Note: NF informed the SG on August 25, 2003 that it found the gavel.]

Info-FIAV number 22 (July 2007), at pages 19, 20–21:

MINUTES OF THE NINETEENTH SESSION OF THE FIAV GENERAL ASSEMBLY AUGUST 1, 2005 BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA

13. Disappearance of FIAV flag The SG discussed the disappearance of the FIAV flag presented to FIAV at the Second International Congress of Vexillology (Zürich, Switzerland 1967). This is the flag that is traditionally passed—along with the FIAV gavel—at the closing ceremonies from the current Congress organizer to the organizer of the next Congress.

The Board thanked NAVA for bringing to Buenos Aires the FIAV flag that was used at the Eighteenth International Congress of Vexillology (Victoria, British Columbia, Canada, 1999).

A general discussion occurred about replacing the ceremonial FIAV flag. The SG suggested that streamers could be produced for each Congress, but FRC suggested that an individual Congress streamer should not be displayed on the ceremonial FIAV flag until the proceedings for that Congress are published. FSA indicated its aesthetic opposition to the use of streamers.

.....

APPENDIX TO THE MINUTES

.....

DISAPPEARANCE OF THE FIAV FLAG

After examining photographs from past Congresses, the Board has determined that the FIAV flag presented to FIAV at the Second International Congress of Vexillology (Zürich, Switzerland, 1967) disappeared before the Eighteenth International Congress of Vexillology (Victoria, British Columbia, Canada, 1999). The Board does not know when the Zürich flag disappeared, although past Secretary-General for Congresses Ralph Bartlett^{FF} believes it was last seen at the Eleventh International Congress of Vexillology (Madrid, Spain, 1985). Past Secretary-General Emil Dreyer^{FF} confirmed that a new FIAV flag was manufactured for the Fifteenth International

Congress of Vexillology (Zürich, Switzerland, 1993).

Past Secretary-General Whitney Smith ^{LF, FF} gave the Board the following description of the original Zürich flag:

I cannot remember for certain, but to the best of my recollection the original FIAV flag had the following characteristics. It was 1 meter wide by 1.67 m long and had metal spring clips at top and bottom for attaching it to halyards. It was of heavy blue fabric with the yellow emblem appliquéd on. The workmanship was excellent (e.g. no loose threads or uneven stitches). I believe it bore on the heading a manufacturer's label from the Swiss company that constructed it.

Past Secretary-General Emil Dreyer ^{FF} confirmed that the original manufacturer was "Schaltegger & Co."

Secretary-General for Congresses Graham Bartram has arranged for the manufacture of a new ceremonial FIAV flag, which will be used at the Twenty-Second International Congress of Vexillology (Berlin, Germany, 2007).

While the Board realizes the importance of recovering, if possible, the original Zürich FIAV flag, the Board has not suggested, and will never suggest, that any Congress organizer or individual has acted improperly. It is, however, the Board's responsibility to be a good steward of the few physical items that belong to FIAV. Finally, the Board deeply appreciates the assistance of the past Secretaries-General in this matter.

Reading between the lines, you can guess that the ICV 18 and ICV 19 organizers were less than totally happy at the suggestion that the original 1967 FIAV flag disappeared on their watch. The FIAV Board concluded that the original 1967 FIAV flag had not been displayed at an International Congress of Vexillology for some time, perhaps not since ICV 3 (Boston 1969), and after ICV 21 (Buenos Aires 2005), the Secretary-General for Congresses had a FIAV flag made that was brought to ICVs beginning with ICV 22 (Berlin 2007). *Info-FIAV* number 22 (July 2007), at page 21. [The current official FIAV flag set—organizational flag and three officer flags—was manufactured by Dixie Flag & Banner Company of San Antonio, Texas and purchased by the Vexillological Association of the State of Texas for presentation to FIAV at ICV 26 (Sydney 2015). *Info-FIAV* number 40 (February 2016), at page 6.]

Jon Radel initially acquired the domain www.FIAV.org on September 17, 1997. A limited FIAV website was authorized at GA 16 (Victoria 1999). *Info-FIAV* number 15 (November 2000), at page 22 (those limitations currently still apply). However, lack of funds resulted in the domain for a decade being used only for e-mail addresses for the FIAV Board. *Info-FIAV* number 24 (October 2007), at page 21. Finally, beginning in July 2007, the Board provided the funds to establish a website. *Info-FIAV* number 24 (October 2007), at page 4. It was also in July 2007 that the Secretary-General completed publishing all past General Assembly minutes in *Info-FIAV* and made all the past issues of *Info-FIAV* available on the website. *Info-FIAV* number 23 (August 2007), at page 1. At that time, the distribution of *Info-FIAV* shifted from mailing paper copies to e-mailing PDF copies. *Info-FIAV* number 24 (October 2007), at page 4.

After all the past issues of *Info-FIAV* became available online, an incredible thing happened. Someone actually read them! In July 2007, the Secretary-General received an e-mail pointing out the following item in *Info-FIAV* number 12 (April 1999), at page 19, which was a comment to a reprint of the description of the original 1967 FIAV flag in the *Recueil du I^e Congrès International de Vexillologie Zurich 1967* [*The Proceedings of the Second International Congress of Vexillology*], at pages 143 and 145:

HISTORY OF FIAV'S FLAG

The FIAV flag was introduced on Sunday, September 3, 1967 at l'Institut Gottlieb Duttweiler in Rüschiikon (Zürich), Switzerland. The flag was presented by the then six-year old Guido Mühlemann, son of Louis Mühlemann, the secretary-general of ICV 2 and president of the FIAV provisional council.

In 1967, President Mühlemann presented the original FIAV flag to Whitney Smith. The flag is now a part of the collection of the Flag Research Center.

While the Secretary-General typed those comments, he has no memory of the source. Presumably it was Dr. Smith. And clearly the Secretary-General had other things on his mind because he completely forgot about the original 1967 FIAV flag being in The Flag Research Center Collection.

After pondering that the answer had been in plain sight since 1999, the Secretary-General contacted Dr. Smith in July 2007, who acknowledged that the original 1967 FIAV flag indeed had been given to The Flag Research Center at ICV 3 (Boston 1969). Dr. Smith indicated that he would consider donating the flag to FIAV, but there also a discussion whether the better course of action would be for the flag to remain with the FRC and end up in a university archive as was Dr. Smith's plan for the FRC Collection. Because the flag belonged to the FRC, the FIAV Board decided to defer to Dr. Smith.

And so things stood, with VAST separately working with Dr. Smith to place the FRC Collection at the Dolph Briscoe Center for American History at The University of Texas at Austin, which was publically announced by Dr. Smith on October 10, 2010. See Hugh L. Brady, "Gone to Texas: One Account of the Flag Research Center's Transfer to The University of Texas," *Flag Research Quarterly*, number 3, at pages 13–15 (October 2013). By 2010, the assumption was that the original 1967 FIAV flag would go to the Briscoe Center.

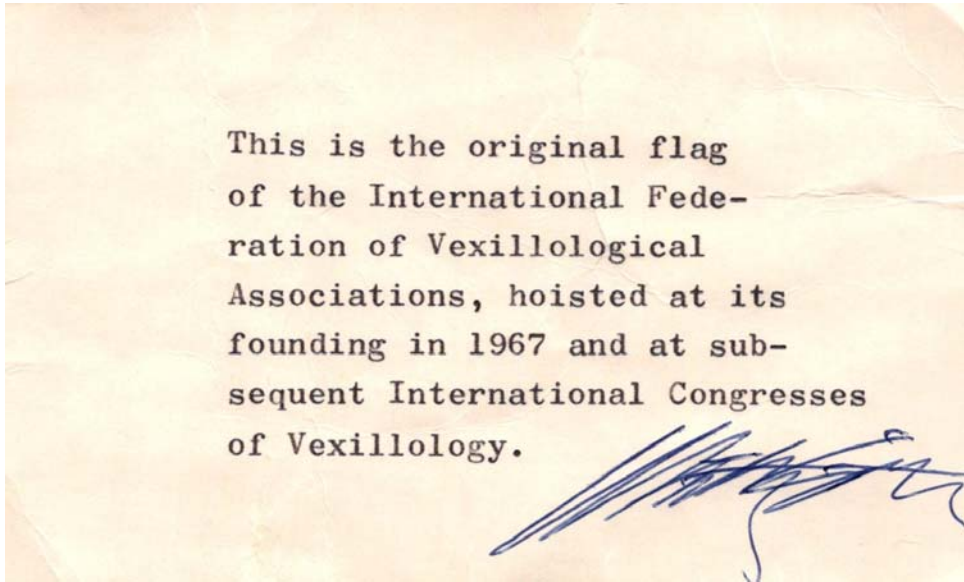
On October 23, 2011, Dr. Smith invited a small group of about 25 people—including family and people who worked for him—to a lunch in Boston for the 50th anniversary of The Flag Research Center. The Secretary-General was one of those people, and it's probably best to change to first person at this point. We had a lovely lunch at an event location north of Winchester, and when the lunch was winding down, I became curious about the contents of the gift bag that had been placed at my assigned seat. I asked Carol Salvo, one of Whitney's assistants, what it was, and she told me, "Whitney wanted you to have it." When the table had cleared out a bit, I looked in the bag and found a folded flag, with a 3" x 5" typed note card signed by Dr. Smith: "This is the original flag of the International Federation

of Vexillological Associations, hoisted at its founding in 1967 and at subsequent International Congresses of Vexillology." I was shocked and deeply moved at Whitney's trust in me to take care of this object. Later that afternoon at 3 Edgehill Road, I thanked him.

There is not a lot else to say. The flag has been at my house for the past 8 years. My husband John Adcock and I have paid Jonathan Lehmann of Cambium Creative in St. Louis, Missouri, to professionally photograph the flag and paid Gwen Spicer of Spicer Art Conservation in Delmar, New York, to evaluate, clean, and conserve the flag, as well as place a magnetic mount on the canvas header so that the flag may be displayed vertically. For the rest of my service as a justice on the Court of Appeals for the Fourteenth District of Texas, the flag will be in my chambers in the majestic 1910 Harris County Courthouse in Houston, Texas. I have made arrangements to donate the flag to the Whitney Smith Flag Research Center Collection at the Briscoe Center, where it can become part of the world's greatest vexillological collection. I know it's what Whitney would have wanted.

So now you know what really happened to the original 1967 FIAV flag, and here are the photos:





THE LAST WORD(S) BY YOUR OUTGOING EDITOR
Charles A. Spain

First, I'm a data person. Surely that's obvious from the 40 issues of *Info-FIAV* I edited.

So here's a new data set:

THE FIAV BOARD

	<i>Elected</i>	<i>President</i>	<i>Secretary-General</i>	<i>Secretary-General for Congresses</i>
1	1969 1971	Louis Mühlemann Louis Mühlemann	Whitney Smith Whitney Smith	Klaes Sierksma Klaes Sierksma
2	1973 1975 1977 1979	Ottfried Neubecker Ottfried Neubecker Ottfried Neubecker Ottfried Neubecker	Whitney Smith Whitney Smith Whitney Smith Whitney Smith	Klaes Sierksma Klaes Sierksma Klaes Sierksma Klaes Sierksma
3	1981	R. Hugh Boudin	Ottfried Neubecker	Whitney Smith
4	1983 1985 1987	R. Hugh Boudin R. Hugh Boudin R. Hugh Boudin	Whitney Smith Whitney Smith Whitney Smith	William G. Crampton William G. Crampton William G. Crampton
5	1989	R. Hugh Boudin	Whitney Smith	Ralph G.C. Bartlett
6	1991	R. Hugh Boudin	Emil Dreyer	Ralph G.C. Bartlett
7	1993 1995	William G. Crampton William G. Crampton ¹	Emil Dreyer Emil Dreyer	Ralph G.C. Bartlett Ralph G.C. Bartlett
8	1997	Michel R. Lupant	Charles A. Spain	Bruce B. Berry

¹ Died in office.

9	1999	Michel R. Lupant	Charles A. Spain	Graham M.P. Bartram
	2001	Michel R. Lupant	Charles A. Spain	Graham M.P. Bartram
	2003	Michel R. Lupant	Charles A. Spain	Graham M.P. Bartram
	2005	Michel R. Lupant	Charles A. Spain	Graham M.P. Bartram
	2007	Michel R. Lupant	Charles A. Spain	Graham M.P. Bartram
	2009	Michel R. Lupant	Charles A. Spain	Graham M.P. Bartram
	2011	Michel R. Lupant	Charles A. Spain	Graham M.P. Bartram
	2013	Michel R. Lupant	Charles A. Spain	Graham M.P. Bartram
	2015	Michel R. Lupant	Charles A. Spain	Graham M.P. Bartram
	2017	Michel R. Lupant	Charles A. Spain	Graham M.P. Bartram
10	2019	Željko Heimer	Bruce B. Berry	Graham M.P. Bartram

And here's an updated list of *Info-FIAV* editors, originally published in *Info-FIAV* number 24 (October 2007), at page 50 (note that the dates for being editor do not correspond to the term of office as Secretary-General):

INFO-FIAV

FIAV's newsletter, *Info-FIAV*, first appeared in May 1987. It is authorized by FIAV Constitution article 23(a), and it took over official publication of FIAV news from *The Flag Bulletin*.

Info-FIAV is published by the Permanent Secretariat of FIAV and has been edited by the following Secretaries-General:

Whitney Smith ^{LF, FF}	May 1987 to May 1991	Issues 1–3
Emil Dreyer ^{FF}	May 1993 to May 1998	Issues 4–10
Charles A. Spain ^{FF, WSF}	February 1999 to December 2019	Issues 11 to 50

All previous issues of *Info-FIAV* are available at FIAV's website, www.FIAV.org.

Second, thank you to my predecessor as Secretary-General, Emil Dreyer. Emil created the expectation of what *Info-FIAV* should be, and I modeled my issues after his work. He has always been a good friend and mentor.

Emil, don't know if I ever bought you that drink we have discussed over so many years. But in any event, it will be my pleasure to do so, or do so again!

As for my successor as Secretary-General, my dear friend Bruce Berry, I can think of no one who will do a better job. Bruce, Michel Lupant, and I served on the FIAV Board from 1997 to 1999, and for FIAV's sake I hope Bruce will stick around longer this time.

Third, my farewell speech was made last July in San Antonio. It's reprinted on pages 5 and 6. Michel Lupant's farewell speech is printed on pages 4 and 5, and Graham Bartram's speech is printed on pages 6 and 7. What you won't get from reading the speeches is the overwhelming emotion that each experienced when delivering those speeches. I jokingly referred to us as "The Immortal Board," and while not true, it sure seemed that way.

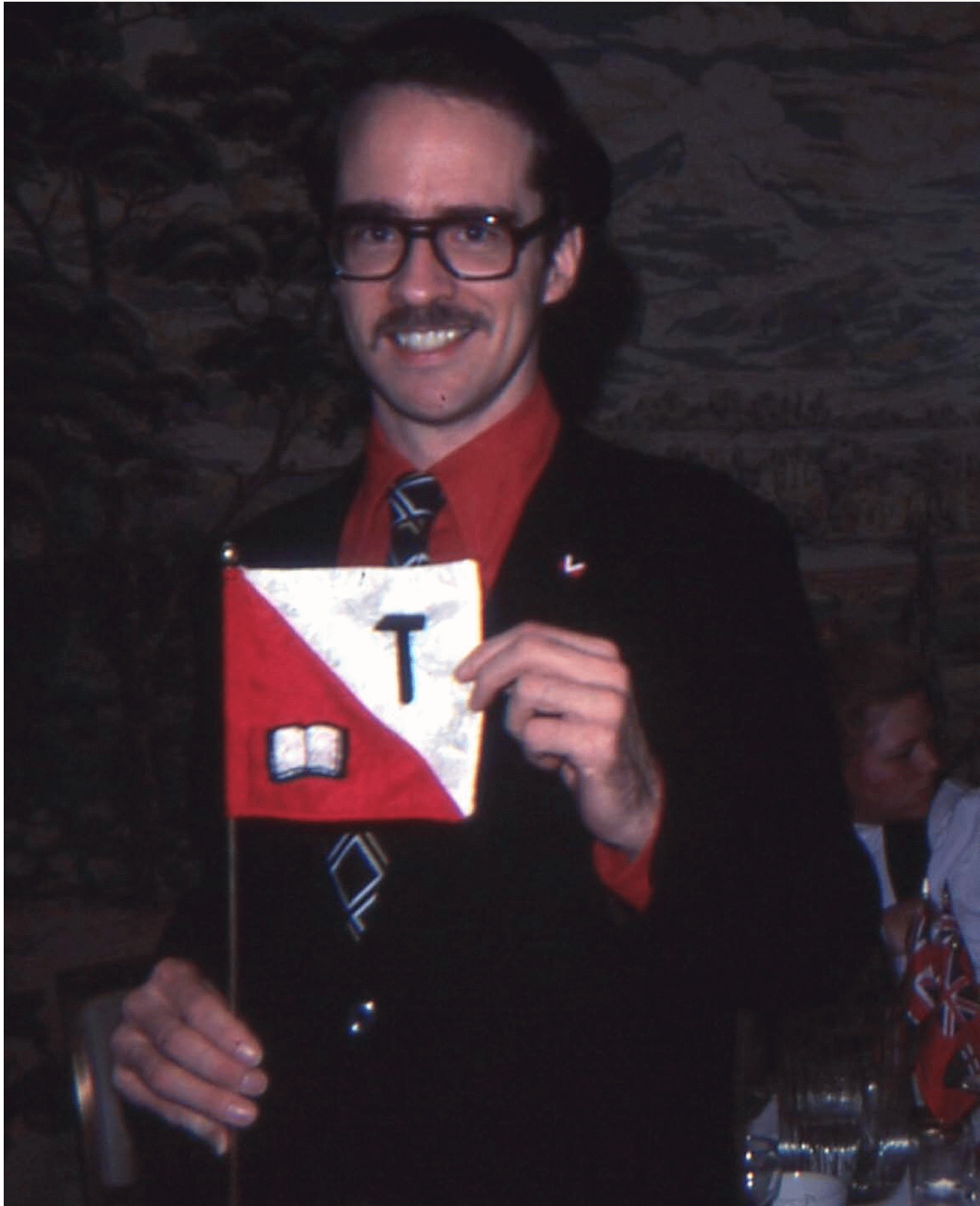
But all good things must come to an end. I don't think we got everything perfect, but we took the job seriously. When the storms came—and they did—the three of us were determined to be the adults in the room. I think we were, but history will truly have the last word. And we had fun, even during the non-fun work.

Fourth, to everyone who supported me, whether colleagues, friends, or family (especially my husband John Adcock), thank you. Twenty-two years as Secretary-General is a long time, and I met many wonderful people.

But at the end, there is the one person, who in my opinion was the indispensable person.

Thank you, Whitney.

For everything.



-30-