

How to become a member of FIPLV

Types of membership

According to Article 4 in the Statutes, there are four categories of membership:

- national multilingual associations
- international unilingual associations
- national unilingual associations (where there is no existing national multilingual association that is already a member of FIPLV)
- associate members (for further information: [Associate Membership of FIPLV](#))

Steps

- 1 The association wishing to become a member should contact FIPLV. Often this is done by consulting the FIPLV website, which contains the email addresses of the Executive Committee officers (<https://fiplv.com/who-we-are/fipltv-executive-committee>)
- 2 FIPLV provides a description of its philosophy and activities, including the Statutes and Profile.
- 3 The potential member association completes the [Membership Application Form](#) and provides a copy of its constitution or statutes.
- 4 The FIPLV Executive Committee verifies that the philosophy, policies and practices of the potential member is not in conflict with the FIPLV Statutes.
- 5 The FIPLV Executive Committee votes to recommend the potential member association's request for membership to the FIPLV World Assembly.
- 6 The FIPLV World Assembly votes on the request for membership.
- 7 Once the request is ratified, FIPLV contacts the potential member association to organise the payment of the appropriate annual membership fee.
- 8 The potential member pays the appropriate annual membership fee to become a member of FIPLV.

Annual Membership Costs (last revised 2010) according to Article 5 of the FIPLV Regulations

- national (multilingual and unilingual) associations
0,25 € per paying member of the association, up to a maximum of 500 €
- international unilingual associations
230 €
- associate members
170 €

FIPLV Statutes

Article 4. Membership

There are four categories of membership.

- 4.1 national multilingual associations of teachers of living languages;
- 4.2 international unilingual associations of teachers of languages;
- 4.3 national unilingual associations where there is no existing national multilingual association, which is a member of FIPLV and where the language is not represented by an international unilingual federation which is a member of FIPLV;
- 4.4 associate members, including institutes, language centres and other organisations with a similar philosophy.

The conditions of membership are:

- 4.5 member associations are legally and financially autonomous.
- 4.6 member associations promote the teaching and learning of living languages and encourage positive attitudes towards different languages, cultures and nations, and do not discriminate against any person on the grounds of colour, race, sex, language, political opinion, creed or religious conviction;
- 4.7 member associations have a democratic constitution;
- 4.8 applications for membership are approved by the World Assembly on the recommendation of the Executive Committee;
- 4.9 membership fees are paid annually;
- 4.10 members are expected to send the association's annual report to the Secretary-General to be placed on the website.

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