



CAREC Federation of Carrier & Forwarder Associations (CFCFA) Working Groups Meeting

FIATA Organization



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About FIATA...



About FIATA... “International Federation of Freight Forwarders Associations”

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The "International Federation of
Freight Forwarders Associations"

"Fédération Internationale des
Associations de Transitaires et
Assimilés"

"Internationale Föderation der
Spediteurorganisationen"



About FIATA...



History :

- founded in Vienna (Austria)
31st May 1926 by National Associations
- represents an industry covering approx.
40,000 forwarding firms, employing
over 8 to 10 million people in 150 countries
- recognized as representing the freight
forwarding industry by govt. authorities
and international organizations like the
WTO, WCO, ICC, IATA, UIC, IRU...



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History :

- has consultative status with ECOSOC, UNCTAD, UN/ECE, UN/ESCWA, UNESCAP and UNCITRAL
- is the LARGEST non-governmental organization in the field of transportation
- renowned for its worldwide influence...!





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Main Objectives :

- to unite the freight forwarding industry worldwide...
- to represent, promote & protect the interests of the industry...
- to familiarize trade, industry and the public with the services rendered by freight forwarders...
- to improve the quality of services rendered by freight forwarders...
- to assist with vocational training...



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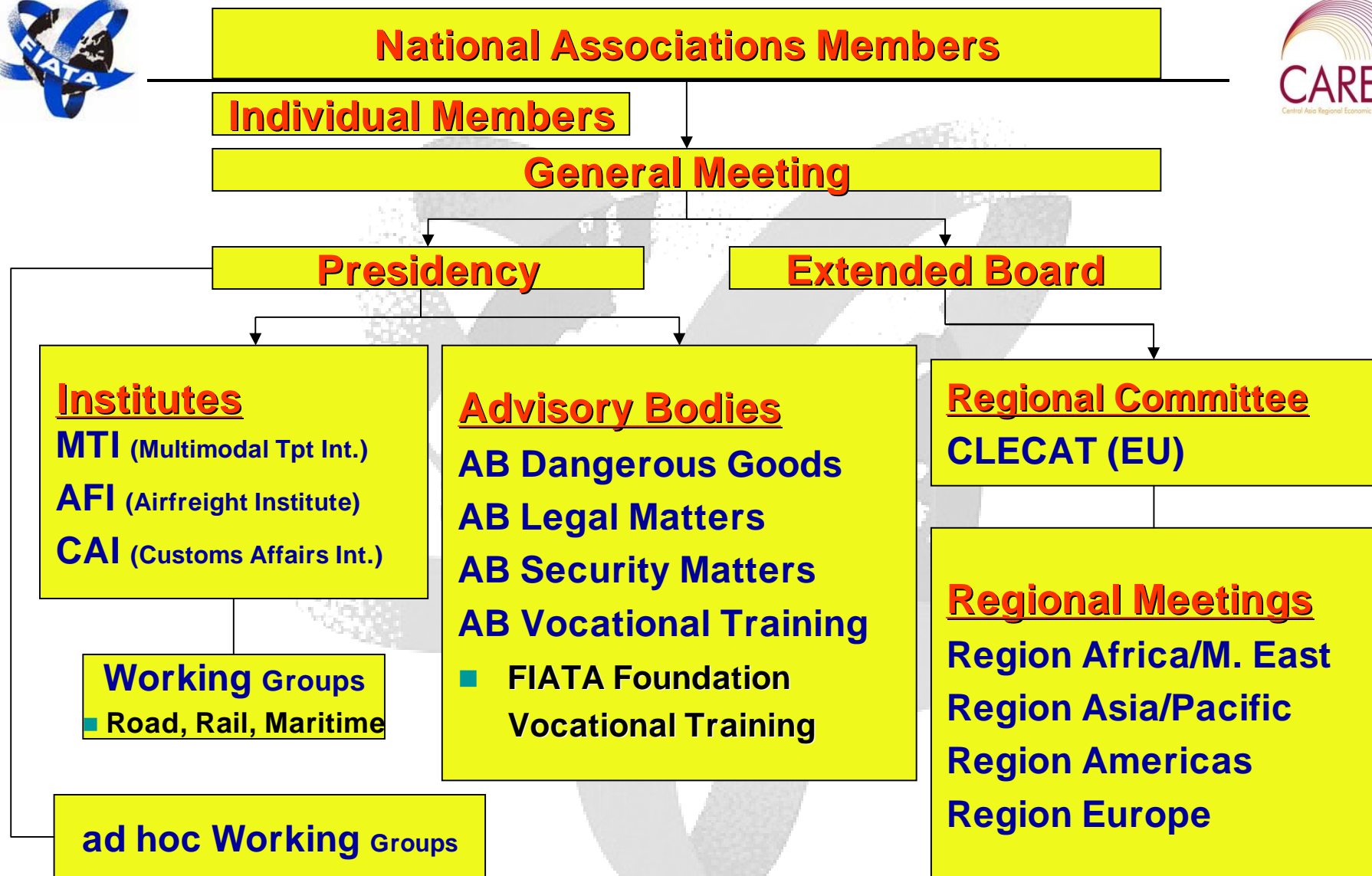


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Organization :

- INSTITUTES
- ADVISORY BODIES
- WORKING GROUPS



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FIATA Institutes :

- Carry out technical work for the Federation

Working Groups

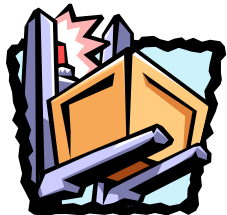


Airfreight Institute
(AFI)

IFCC
IFDG
IFMG



Customs Affairs
Institute (CAI)



Multimodal Transport
Institute (MTI)

Rail Transport
Road Transport
Sea Transport



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FIATA Advisory Bodies :

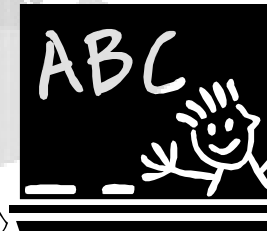
➤ Dangerous Goods



➤ Legal Matters



➤ Vocational Training



➤ Security Matters





About FIATA Regions...



Regional Meetings – 4 Regions

- Africa-Middle East - RAME
 - Americas - RAMNS
 - Asia-Pacific - RAP
 - Europe - REU
- Regional meetings : to bring forward specific issues of regional concern and interest,
 - if necessary, submit them to the Institutes & Advisory Bodies of FIATA
 - Intention : to identify and assist regional members in resolving the local difficulties



FIATA DOCUMENTS

FIATA has created several documents & forms to establish a uniform standard for use by freight forwarders worldwide

- conform with the UNCTAD-ICC Rules for Multimodal Transport Documents published by the ICC
- universally accepted by the Banking Institutions for purpose of documentary credit transactions in the execution of international trade (ICC-UCP600)



About FIATA Documents...



Types of FIATA Documents

FIATA FCR	(Forwarders Certificate of Receipt)
FIATA FCT	(Forwarders Certificate of Transport)
FWR	(FIATA Warehouse Receipt)
FBL	(negotiable FIATA Multimodal Transport Bill of Lading)
FWB	(non-negotiable FIATA Multimodal Transport Waybill)
FIATA SDT	(Shippers Declaration for the Transport of Dangerous Goods)
FIATA SIC	(Shippers Intermodal Weight Certificate)
FFI	(FIATA Forwarding Instructions)



FIATA has adopted
an official description of
“freight forwarding
and logistics services”

- Doc. CL04/06 29th Oct 2004



FIATA – Services Definition



"Freight Forwarding and Logistic Services"
means services of any kind relating to the carriage (performed by single mode or multimodal transport means), consolidation, storage, handling, packing or distribution of the goods as well as ancillary & advisory services in connection therewith, including but not limited to customs and fiscal matters, declaring the goods for official purposes, procuring insurance of the goods & collecting or procuring payment or documents relating to the goods...



FIATA – Services Definition



“Freight Forwarding Services” also include logistical services with modern information and communication technology in connection with the carriage, handling or storage of the goods, and de facto total supply chain management. These services can be tailored to meet the flexible application of the services provided.

- description can also be found when visiting the FIATA website : www.fiata.com Downloads.



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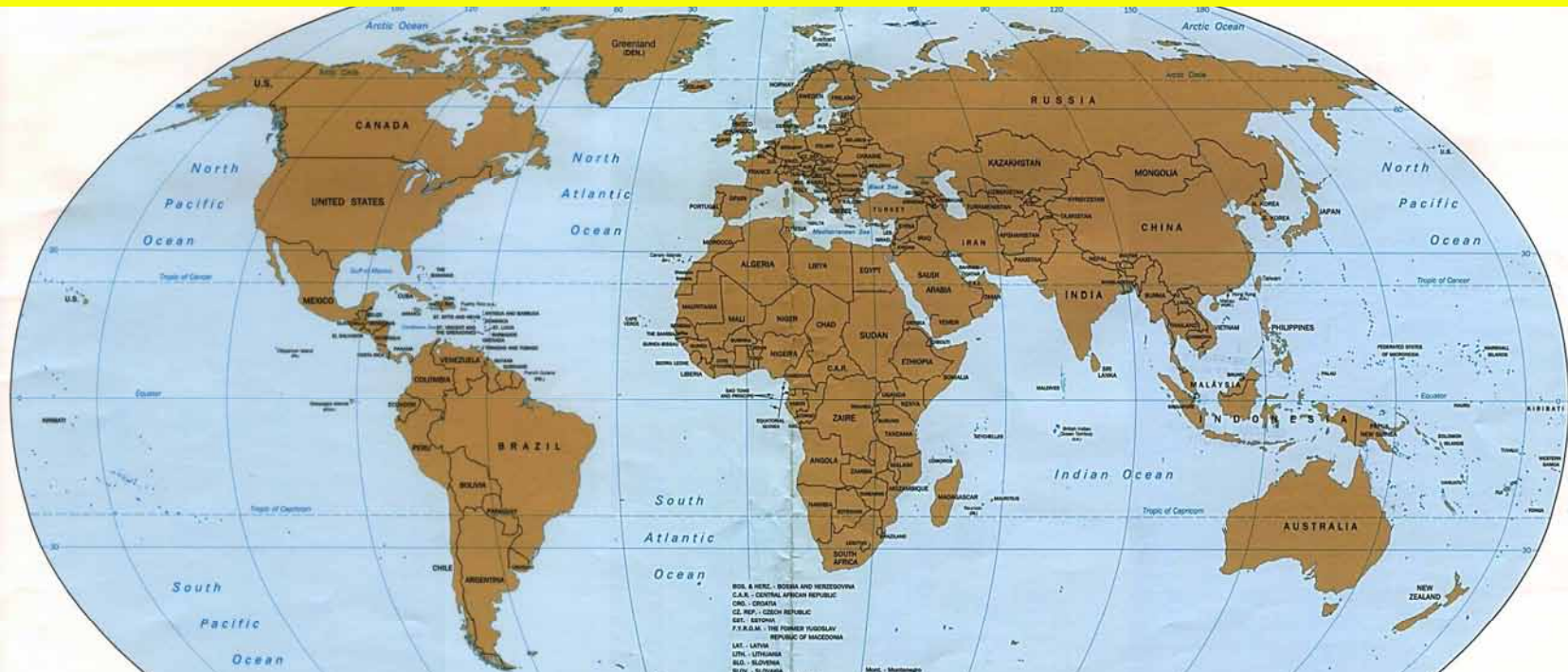


Membership Categories :

- National Associations
- Group Members
- Individual Members
- Honorary Members



- FIATA has over 118 National Associations Members in over 112 different countries...



- and over 6,500 Individual Members in over 155 countries...!



About FIATA Membership...





About FIATA Events...



- each year, FIATA holds a World Congress



- participation is between 800 to 1,500



Next FWC 2011 – Cairo, Egypt



**Register
online now !**

<http://www.fiata2011.org/>

Next Meeting : **October 2011**

Venue : **Cairo, Egypt**



About FIATA Events...



FIATA HQ Sessions Spring Working-Groups' Meeting



- convene in
Glattbrugg
(Switzerland)



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“The Global Voice
of
Freight Logistics”



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Screening...

"The World of FIATA"

(International Federation of Freight Forwarders Association-FIATA)
- 05:05 mins

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