

Welcome to join the International Union of Tenants!



The IUT welcomes national and regional tenant organisations from all countries to join the only international organisation with the purpose of safeguarding the interests of tenants!

IUT is a non-party political organisation, working along democratic lines. As of today, January 2016, the IUT has 66 members in 44 countries. There is room for more! IUT is in consultative status with the UN Economic and Social Council, Geneva, and with participatory status with European Council, Strasbourg. IUT liaison office in Brussels coordinates EU oriented activities. The IUT Board meets twice a year. Congress is every third year.

Our objectives include:

- Co-operation between tenants through shearing information
- Aiming to realise the right of everyone, both to good housing, and to a sound and healthy residential environment, to an affordably and fair rent
- Residential/tenants' democracy and a right to participation
- No discrimination regarding sex, racial, ethnic, religious and tribal grounds
- Secure tenure
- The right to organise

Our activities include:

- Information through www.iut.nu and our magazine The Global Tenant;
- The Global Tenant quarterly magazine in English, with French and Russian translation
- Seminars
- Activities for the International Tenant's Day, every year first Monday in October
- Partnership with UN agencies, such as the UN Economic Commission for Europe, UN-ECE, and the UN Centre for Human Settlements – Habitat, Nairobi, Kenya.
- Partnership with the European Network for Housing studies ENHR and the Asia-Pacific Network for Housing Research, APNHR, Hong Kong.
- Partnership in the EU network, European Housing Forum, EHF, Brussels.
Bi-lateral projects with IUT members in the CEE-region

IUT considers housing as one of the fundamental rights in society, and therefore needs to be addressed locally, nationally and internationally. Adequate housing is also one of the safeguards for peace and security in Europe and elsewhere in the world. Homelessness is one of the ingredients for social exclusion.

Membership categories:

A: Board Member: For national organisations only. Minimum fee of € 1,500 / year

B: Members: Minimum fee of 60 Euro / year.

C: Associated Members: No fee

Please, read more about the categories in the IUT Statues

www.iut.nu/AboutIUT/IUTstatutes2013_ENG.pdf

IUT official language is English

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**Application for membership of the
International Union of Tenants, IUT**

Please print

Date:

A. Communication

1. Name of organisation – in original language:

2. Name of organisation – in English:

3. Postal address:

Visiting address – if different from above:

4. Telephone: country code: + area code: number:

5. Fax number: country code: + area code: number:

6. E-mail address:

7. Website:

8. Name of Chief Executive Officer/President:

Family name:

First name:

Mr / Ms (please circle)

Title (President / Director etc.):

Speaks/Reads English? **Yes / No** (Please circle!)

9. Contact person, if different from 8:

Family name: _____ First name: _____ **Mr / Ms** (please circle)

Address, if different from 3

Telephone: country code: + _____ area code: _____ number: _____

E-mail: _____

10. International contact person – person who speaks/reads English:

Family name: _____ First name: _____ **Mr / Ms** (please circle)

Address, if different from 3

Telephone: country code: + _____ area code: _____ number: _____

E-mail: _____

B. About the organisation

1. Type of organisation: **National / Regional** (Please, circle)

2. Founded, year:

3. Number of individual members - permanent:

3b. Number of individual members - from time to time:

4. Associated member organisations. Please list – or submit.

5. Individual annual membership fee:

C. About Funding

1. The overall budget for previous year (2016, or current year)

2. Main sources of funding:

Please tick which apply, If possible, please mark percentage %)

- Membership fees
- Grants from national government / local authorities
- Foundations
- Funding from other NGOs - Non Governmental Organizations
- Donations
- Fees from training, subscriptions, consultations, etc
- Others, please specify:

D. About the constitution

Please, submit to the application (compulsory):

- List of Board members
- The last Report of the Board or Annual Report (2015, or most recent)
- A copy of the national registration certificate of the organisation
- The statutes/constitution of your organisation

I, as a representative of my organisation, have read the Statutes of the IUT, and hereby commit my organisation to act accordingly to these statutes.

Our organisation wishes to join the IUT as category ... member.

This application was submitted by:

Signature and position/title

Clarification of signature, and stamp

Please, send to:

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