

Application for "At-Large Structure" (ALS) Designation



Applications should be submitted electronically to als@alac.icann.org. Please address any questions about the applications process to this address.

The form can be downloaded from <http://www.alac.icann.org/correspondence/structures-app.txt>.

Contact information

1. Organization's Name: [Association for Studies and Academic Research in Law, Economic and Business in Brazil's Information Society] (AGEIA DENSI BRASIL)
2. Organization's email address: contato@br.ageiadensi.org
3. Organization's phone number (include country/city codes): # 55 11 36375593
4. Organization's address (location and postal address, if different):

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5. Organization's website (URL) (if available): br.ageiadensi.org
6. Organization's contact for ALS application (email, phone, address):
Dr. Aislan Vargas Basílio, Rua Frei Caneca, 922, Cj. 21, Bairro Consolação, São Paulo, State of São Paulo, República Federativa do Brasil, celular #55 11 76686504, email address: aislan@br.ageiadensi.org

Description

1. Is your organization constituted so that participation by individual Internet users who are citizens or residents of countries within the Geographic Region in which your organization is based will predominate in your organization's operation?

Yes, because AGEIA DENSI Brasil was established with the objective of enabling users to actively participate in carrying out work projects.

2. Describe your organization's constituents/membership (number, citizenship/location, defining characteristic - e.g. profession for professional societies):

The organization is comprised of professionals and students interested in studying Law, Economics and Business in the Information Society, including many prominent attorneys and professors. At the present time, about 15 persons are directly involved in the organization, and an unspecified number of persons are involved indirectly.

3. Explain the eligibility requirements (if any) for your organization's constituents/membership (if you provide a written application for admission as

a member, you may attach a copy):

Yes, there is a written application, which is submitted to the Executive Committee which decides whether to approve a person's participation as a member of the organization (http://www.densi.com.br/?page_id=8)

4. In what language/s does your organization conduct its business?

Portuguese, Spanish and English.

5. Provide support for the statement that your organization is self-supporting (by answering "yes" you confirm that it will not rely on ICANN for funding):

The organization is nonprofit. It is financed through funds provided by its members and persons who wish to contribute and who agree with its principles and objectives. It does not and will not depend on financial assistance from the ICANN.

6. Describe your organization's structure (e.g. governing and decision-making bodies and processes):

The Association is comprised of: Active Members: the founders and those individuals or legal entities that are in agreement with the principles and objectives of the Association. They participate on an ongoing basis and take part in the activities that the Association undertakes. They will have the rights provided by the Bylaws and they may belong to the different bodies that comprise the Association. The Founding members are (Dr. Aislan Vargas Basílio, Dra. Carolina Aguiar Teixeira Mendes, Dr. Marcelo Lotze, Dr. Leonardo Tavares Siqueira, Dra. Gisele Karassawa, Dr. Luciano Alvarez, Dra. Claudia Roberta de Souza Inoue and Dra. Andrea Gabelini Queiroz); Honorary Members: persons upon whom Honorary Membership is conferred by the Board of the Association, due to their well-known merit, and; Regular Members: all those individuals or legal entities that endorse the principles and objectives of the Association. The Association is governed by a Management Board, comprised of 5 (five) titled members, who hold the following positions: Chairman, Secretary and 3 (three) Regular Members. There are also 3 (three) Alternate Members. In order to belong to the Management Board, you must be in the category of Active Member or be a member of the institution for at least 2 (two) years (when that becomes possible in the course of the institution's existence). All positions are volunteer in nature. Complete information can be found at http://www.densi.com.br/?page_id=6

7. Does your organization commit to supporting its individual constituents'/membership's informed participation in ICANN? **Yes.**

8. Describe how your organization keeps its constituents/membership informed about, and enables them to participate in, decisions regarding issues of interest:

Through the publication of reports, research studies and papers on its website, in addition to meetings and participation in mail-group discussions.

9. Does your organization post on the Internet publicly-accessible, current information about your organization's goals, structure, description of constituent group(s)/membership, working mechanisms, leadership, and contact(s) (if this information currently is available, provide URLs)?

Yes. All information can be found at www.densi.com.br

10. Provide information on your organization's leadership (leaders' names, positions, emails):

The Management Board is presently comprised of Dr. Aislan Vargas Basílio -

avb@densi.com.br (Chairman), Dr. Carolina Aguiar Teixeira Mendes - catm@densi.com.br (Secretary), Dr. Gisele Karassawa - gk@densi.com.br, Dr. Leonardo Tavares Siqueira - lts@densi.com.br and Dr. Claudia Roberta de Souza Inoue - crsi@densi.com.br (Regular Members), Dr. Marcelo Lotze - ml@densi.com.br, Dr. Luciano Alvarez - la@densi.com.br, and Dr. Andrea Gabelini Queiroz - agq@densi.com.br (Alternate Members).

Objectives

1. What is your organization's primary goal or mission (please attach any mission or policy statement for your organization, if in writing, or provide a URL, if posted):

The objective of the Association is to provide support and encouragement to its members with respect to proposed training programs, teaching, research, publication and continuing education, as well as the possibility of providing legal, economic and business consulting services on topics related to the Information Society and the Internet to third parties who so request. Actions to attain the objective are as follows: To encourage and support legal, economic and business research, encouraging and supporting studies and research in the following areas of its objective: I) Teaching: proposal for conducting courses by electronic means, conferences, round-table discussions, seminars, symposia and panel discussions; II) Consulting: engaged in providing consulting in all areas of Law, Economics and Business, in-person, through correspondence or via other media; III) Community Outreach: providing information and consulting by third parties, facilitating the transfer of knowledge through technological media to which they have access, seeking to bridge the gap between nongovernmental organizations and users and consumers. Development of publications that are important for the progress of jurisprudence, economics and business in the Information Society; Supporting and encouraging bases of material support for the best execution of the Association's programs and functions, in close collaboration with the University Extension Center (Portuguese acronym CEU), an institution of higher learning based in the city of São Paulo; Contributing to the continuing education and professional improvement of the Association's members and the population of its area or the region for which it is responsible; Encouraging basic and applied research, giving priority to that which is related to local, regional and national problems in the Information Society; Serving, instructing and supporting all interested parties in producing materials that are relevant to members; Seeking to obtain from the business sector contributions and possible solutions for implementing ideas and conducting research.

2. What ICANN-related issues currently are of interest to your organization's constituents/membership:

The organization shares the visions and interests of ICANN, among which it is worth emphasizing: carrying out consulting activities, providing information and education to the community in general, continuing the education of members, fulfilling a bridge (or connection) function between ICANN and 'final users', studies and research on issues related to the Internet and new problems that its increasing use entails, making proposals and discussing alternatives and different points of view for resolution of disputes, and implementing plans for regulatory frameworks.

3. If formed, will your organization commit to assisting the Regional At-Large Organization (RALO) for the region in which your organization is based in performing its function? Yes

Signature

(Include the name, and title, if applicable, of the individual who is authorized by your organization to sign this application and commit your organization to comply with ALS criteria.)

Aislan Vargas Basilio (Chairman)