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The
International
Federation for
Information
Processing



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- is a non-governmental, not-for-profit umbrella organisation of national societies working in the field of Information Technology
- was established in 1960 under the auspices of UNESCO as a result of the first World Computer Congress held in Paris in 1959



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- is the leading multinational, apolitical organisation in Information & Communications Technologies and Sciences, recognised by United Nations and other world bodies
- represents **IT Societies** from 52 countries or regions, covering all 5 continents with a total membership of over half a million
- links more than 3500 scientists from Academia and Industry, organised in 97 **Working Groups** reporting to 13 **Technical Committees**
- sponsors 80 conferences yearly providing unparalleled coverage from theoretical informatics to the relationship between informatics and society including hardware and software technologies, and networked information systems



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Members

IT Societies from 52 countries or regions

Andorra	Cyprus	Japan	Slovakia
Argentina	Czech Republic	Korea	Slovenia
Australia	Denmark	Lithuania	South Africa
Austria	Finland	Malaysia	Spain
Belgium	France	Netherlands	Sri Lanka
Botswana	Germany	New Zealand	Sweden
Brazil	Greece	Nigeria	Switzerland
Bulgaria	Hungary	Norway	Syria
Canada	Iceland	Oman	Thailand
Chile	India	Poland	United Kingdom
China	Ireland	Portugal	USA based / ACM
CLEI	Israel	Russia	USA based / IEEE
Croatia	Italy	Singapore	Zimbabwe

Affiliate IT international or regional organisations

CEPIS	IASC	IMIA	SEARCHC
FACE	IJCAII	INFORMS	VLDB
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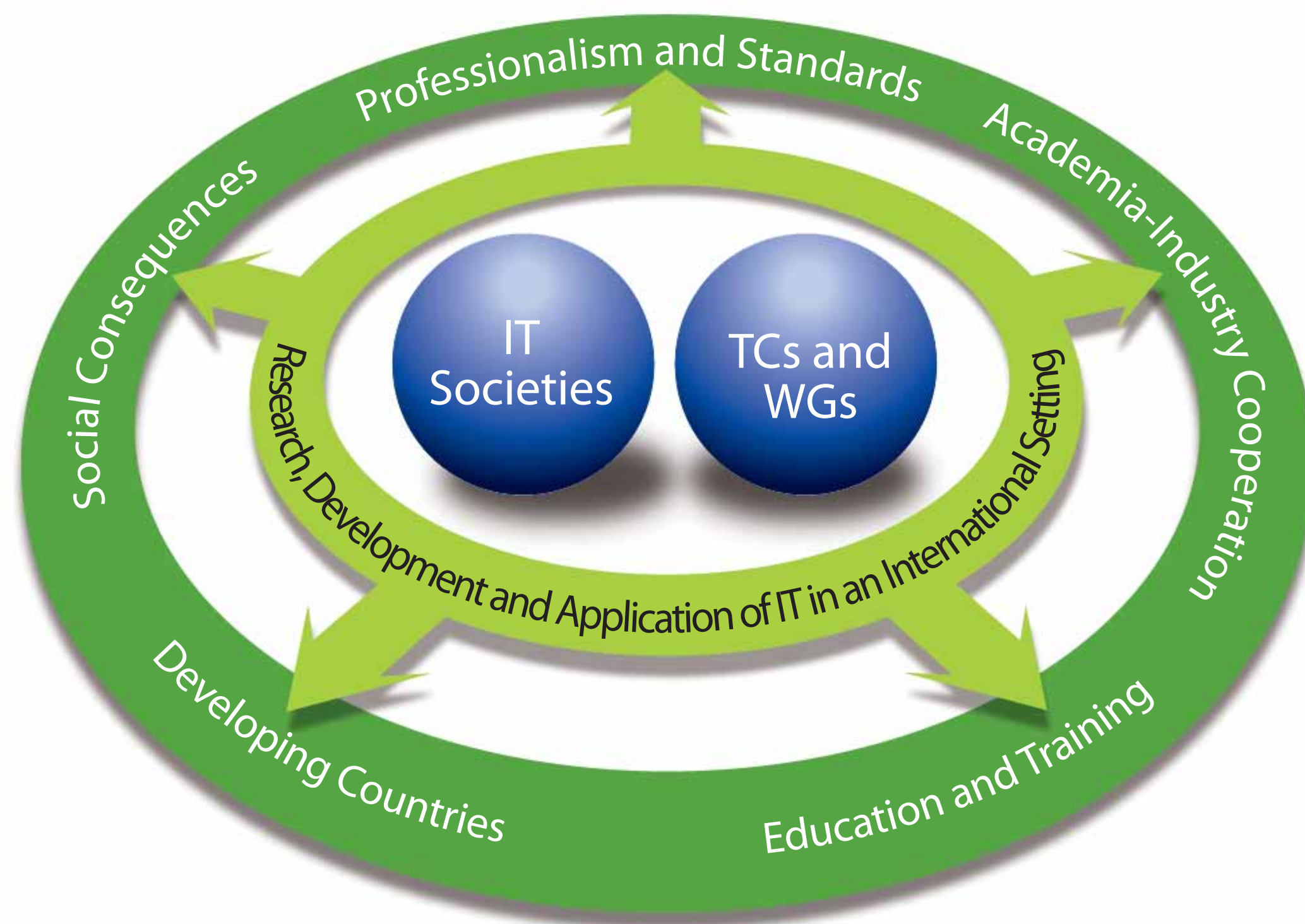
Technical Committees

- TC1** Foundations of Computer Science
- TC2** Software: Theory and Practice
- TC3** Education
- TC5** Computer Applications in Technology
- TC6** Communication Systems
- TC7** System Modelling and Optimization
- TC8** Information Systems
- TC9** Relationship between Computers and Society
- TC10** Computer Systems Technology
- TC11** Security and Protection in Information Processing Systems
- TC12** Artificial Intelligence
- TC13** Human-Computer Interaction
- SG16** Specialist Group on Entertainment Computing



Within ifip

- IT societies members find a meeting place for sharing experience, and discussing challenges and opportunities
- TCs and WGs contribute to, and often lead, progresses in the state-of-knowledge and state-of-the-art

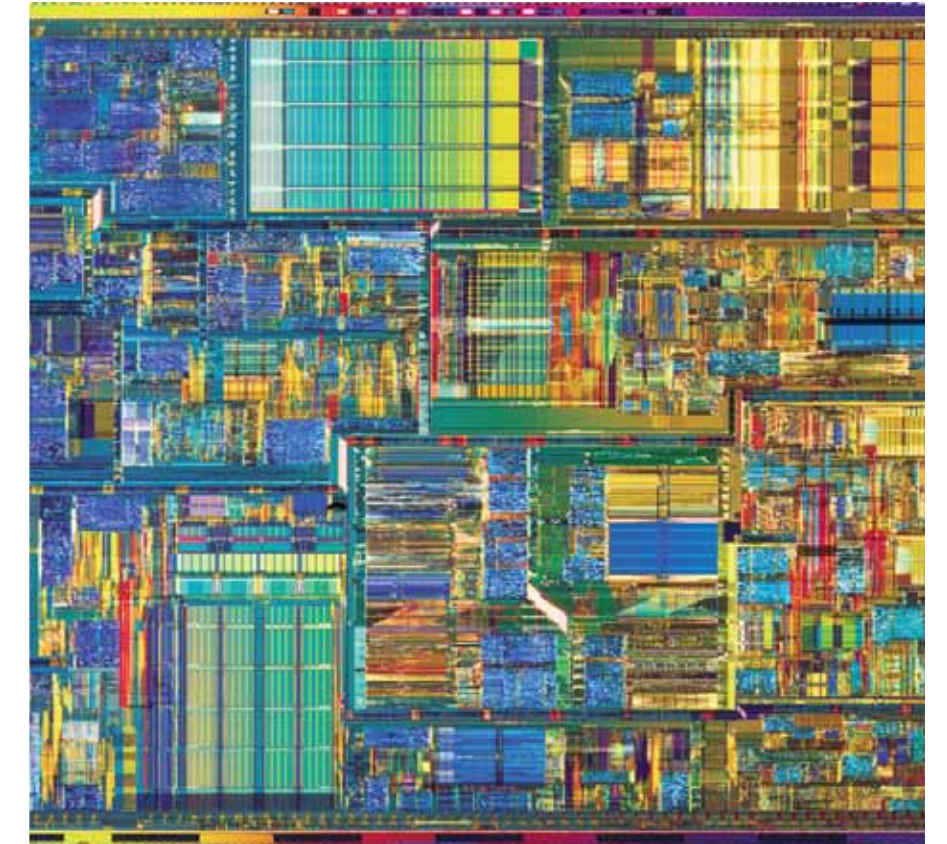




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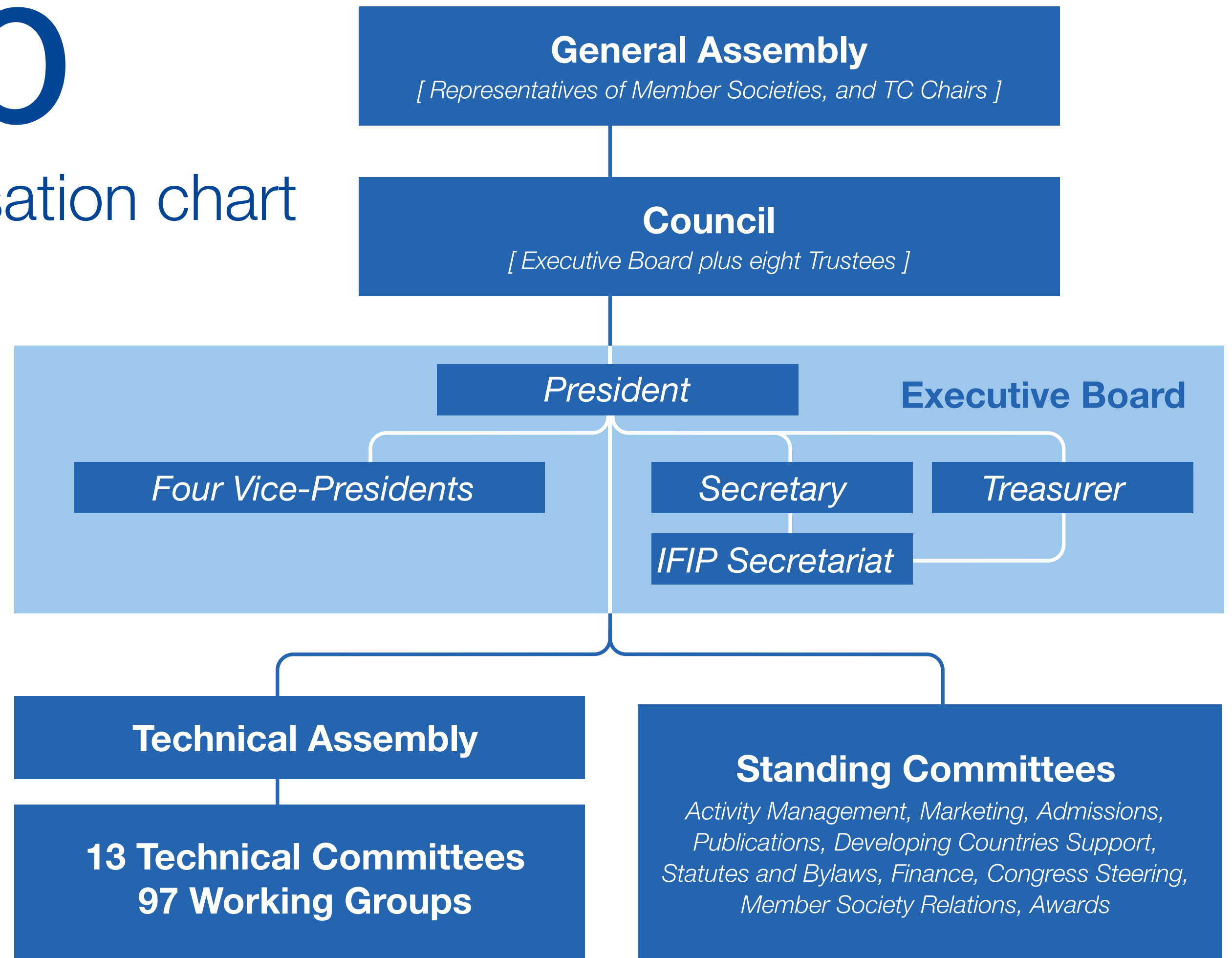
- is warranted by WG membership, based solely on individual excellence
- is asserted by the organisation of some 80 highest quality international events, and the publication of some 30 new books annually that are distributed worldwide





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organisation chart





How to get involved ?

- visit the **ifip** web site (www.ifip.org), where you will find links to your Member Society and to the Working Groups of **ifip**
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