

FIPF and FATFA

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Fédération des Associations de Professeurs de Français en Australie

FATFA's purpose is to:

- be a federal identity for the associations of teachers of French.
- be an international identity for associations of teachers of French for Australia and particularly within the **Fédération Internationale des Professeurs de Français**.
- foster the promotion of the teaching of French in Australia.
- foster links and the exchange of ideas between teachers of French across Australia at all levels and in all sectors of education by any means deemed appropriate by the committee.
- act as a conduit for the distribution of funds from the Embassy of France in Canberra to the members.

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Présentation

<http://fipf.org/>

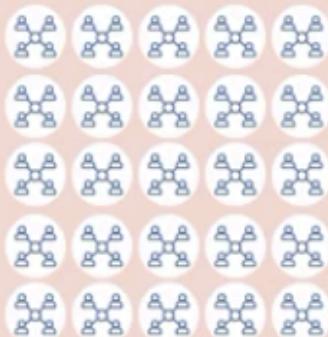
- Since 1969, the FIPF has been running the worldwide network of French Teacher Associations.
- It contributes to the development of its affiliated associations and, through them, to the promotion of the French language.
- Serving the international community of French teachers, FIPF is an important player in the Francophonie.
- Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=igKoMNvypO8>

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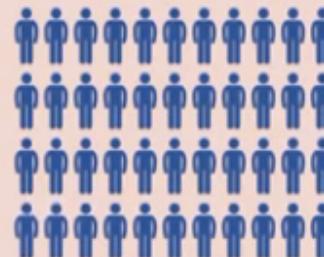
130 pays



200 associations



80 000 enseignants



8 commissions

- Français langue maternelle
- Monde Arabe
- Amérique du Nord
- Europe de l'Ouest
- Asie-Pacifique
- Amérique latine et Caraïbe
- Europe Centrale et Orientale
- Afrique et Océan Indien

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Liste des commissions dans le monde

Commission Asie Pacifique: <http://cap.fipf.org/organigramme>

Commission du Monde Arabe: <http://cma.fipf.org/organigramme>

Commission d'Amérique du Nord: <http://can.fipf.org/organigramme>

Association des Professeurs de Français d'Afrique et de l'Océan Indien: <http://apfa-oi.fipf.org/organigramme>

Commission de l'Europe Centrale et Orientale: <http://ceco.fipf.org/organigramme>

Commission de l'Europe de l'Ouest: <http://ceo.fipf.org/organigramme>

Commission Français Langue Maternelle: <http://cflm.fipf.org/organigramme>

Commission pour l'Amérique Latine et la Caraïbe : <http://copalc.fipf.org/organigramme>

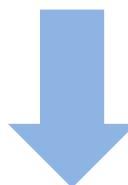


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Commission Asie Pacifique (CAP)

21 countries: Afghanistan, Australia, Bangladesh, Cambodia, China, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Japan, Laos, Malaysia, Mongolia, New Zealand, Philippines, Singapore, South Korea, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Taiwan, Vanuatu and Vietnam.



FATFA

Committee members

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President: [Diane De Saint Leger](#) (AFTV)
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Treasurer: [Colette Mrowa-Hopkins](#) (SAFTA)
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FIPF Committee

President: [Jean-Marc Defays](#) (Belgium)
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General Secretary: TBC (France)

How does FIPF concretely support French teachers?

It provides a set of benefits:

- offers training courses and summer schools to French teachers and association leaders at very reduced costs.
- helps to promote conferences of the associations, thus to have more participants and exhibitors.
- develops partnership agreements that are beneficial to the associations.
- members are entitled to a reduced rate to participate in regional and world conferences.
- members have access to preferential rates to the magazines of the FIPF in particular "Le français dans le monde" (50% of reduction on the digital subscription).
- offers grants to support selected associations projects (IRN).
- helps to organise competitions for teachers / students and to source prizes for laureates.
- Sends monthly newsletters with updates on activities, conferences, competitions in the francophone world.

Examples of support for FATFA

- FIPF helped to find plenary speakers for the 2018 FATFA-NAFT conference in Sydney

Jean-Marc Defays (FIPF President)

Michel Boiron (CAVILAM, Vichy)

Christian Ollivier (Université de La Réunion)

Cynthia Eid (FIPF Vice President)

- A language training course for French teachers in Nice in August 2019 was sourced via FIPF networks with one of its partner Francophonie (free training for up to 2 weeks)
- FIPF helped to promote and source prizes for the Asia-Pacific Francophone Song Competition in 2018 and for the Asia-Pacific Francophone Video contest in 2019



Examples of support for FATFA

- **Publication** : C. Mrowa-Hopkins and S. Kuuse (eds). Actions et réflexions du mouvement associatif des enseignants de français en Asie-Pacifique. *Dialogues et Cultures* (64) (FIPF), 2018
- **Singapore Journées de Formation de l'Association des Professeurs de Singapore** 16, 17, 18 November 2018 attended by Beatrice Atherton (QLD, FATFA committee member)
- **Tenth Asian-Pacific Francophone Forum 2017** attended by Lois Cutmore (QLD - FATFA President). Hosted by CREIPAC (Centre de Rencontres et d'Échanges Internationaux du Pacifique and the Government of New Caledonia)
- **Kyoto CAP-Asia-Pacific conference 2017** attended by Sabine Kuuse (WA - Vice President), Colette Mrowa-Hopkins (SA – Treasurer), Sonia Low (WA President)



FATFA in the FIPF PLATFORM



- Each national association has its page on the FIPF platform.
- All teachers of French can register and access resources, Newsletter, etc...
- You have a direct access to the FATFA page at <http://fatfa-aus.fipf.org/>
- The greater number of teachers registered, the more prominent and dynamic the association will be.
- Register now ☺

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