



Jus Gentium International

Statutes and Standing Orders

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Article 1: Name of the Association

- 1.1 The international non-profit, non-governmental and apolitical association, regulated by the provisions of ...(reference to the associations code)..., is called “Jus Gentium International” in English.
- 1.2 It is abbreviated to the short name “Jus Gentium” and “JG”.

Article 2: Registered Office of the Association

- 2.1 The office of the association is registered in the Paris - Ile de France Region under the following address: 61 Avenue de Suffren, 71500 Paris, France.

Article 3 - Duration

- 3.1 Duration of the association is unlimited.

Article 4: Objectives of the Association

- 4.1 Jus Gentium is a non-governmental, non-profit, non-political, international public law organization.
- 4.2 We value internationalism, globalism, and the protection of fundamental rights. The vital role of law in responding to processes of world peace, order, globalization, and the growing importance of developing a shared understanding in relation to a wide range of international legal issues, underscore the need for a forum that facilitates greater interaction among international lawyers and legal servants.
- 4.3 Jus Gentium is independent from all political parties and ideologies and pursues its objectives autonomously.
- 4.4 Jus Gentium provides a platform for its network to develop legal, intellectual, and political influence. The aim is to connect people with outstanding opportunities in human rights and civil liberties, and to promote these concepts through the use of international law. Jus Gentium operates across the world, hosting international events, attending meetings and organizing practical, effective and intellectual projects.
- 4.5 The organization focuses its work on the Rule of Law, UNSDGs, International Law, Diplomacy Law, Human Rights, Crimes Against Humanity and Civil liberties. Jus Gentium shall pursue its objectives in effective, intellectual and practical ways.

Article 5: Structure of Jus Gentium International

- 5.1 Jus Gentium’s governing bodies are:

The Executive Board,
The Honorary Board,
The Committee of Assistance

and the Committee of Directorship.

5.2 The Executive Board may only set out and amend Statutes and Standing Orders of Jus Gentium International. Rest of the bodies and committees can present and offer amendment of changes of the Statutes and Standing Orders.

5.3 The Honorary Board is concluded by the two founding presidents of Jus Gentium International. The Honorary Board is in charge of supervision over the governing bodies. Moreover, the Honorary Board hold the power to veto all the amendments made by the committees and boards and also may change the statutes if it is necessary. The Board represents the continuity and the vision of the association.

Article 6: Executive Board

6.1 The board elected by the members is composed by the following positions:

1. President(s)
2. Secretary General(s)
3. Treasurer(s)
4. Vice President(s)

Article 7: Financial Benefits

7.1 All functions, including those of the Board, are free and voluntary. Only the costs incurred in the fulfillment of their mandate may be reimbursed.

Article 8: Internal Regulations

8.1 Internal regulations may be established by all of the governing bodies, which then makes it approved by the executive board and the honorary board.

8.2 This possible settlement is intended to fix the various points not provided for by the present statutes, in particular those which relate to the internal administration of the association.

Article 9: Criteria of Membership

9.1 Members of Jus Gentium International are physical persons who join the association by yearly sending their membership fee to the Executive Board of Jus Gentium.

9.2 Membership is open to everyone from every profession and age.

9.3 Members shall fill in the application form and pay the annual membership fee in order to join in the association.

9.4 Executive Board shall evaluate application form. The result of the evaluation will be notified to the applicant in 30 days. In case of rejection, the annual fee will be returned to the applicant.

9.5 The annual membership fee is 25€.

Article 10: Membership Status

10.1 Jus Gentium members lose their active and passive all rights in all Jus Gentium bodies after one passive year. One passive year may happen in occasions where the member does not join in any of Jus Gentium's activities.

10.2 Should a member do not act in accordance to aims, vision, mission and the statutes of the association, the executive board shall have the right to expel the member immediately by the two-thirds of the votes of the Executive Board.

Article 11: Cessation of Membership

11.1 Members leave the association by resignation, by non-payment of the subscription or by expulsion. Members who cease to take part in the association have no right to use the association's name or assets.

11.2 A member can resign from the organization by voluntary suspension of membership. The member will have to notify the executive board.

Article 12: Calling of the Annual Council Meeting

12.1 The Jus Gentium Annual Council meets at least once a year by convocation of the Executive Board communicated by e-mail and by publication on the website of the organization.

12.2 An extraordinary Council may be called at the request of, at least, two thirds of the members of the all members of the governing body or unanimous votes of the Presidents of the board.

Article 13: International Executive Board Elections

13.1 The member shall elect the Executive Board members during the Annual Council for a period of two years, starting the 1st of August in the year of election and terminating 31st of July of the two years later.

Article 14: Source of Funding

14.1 The costs of running the activities of Jus Gentium are to be funded by annual membership fees, special activity fees, sales and advertisement revenues, fundraising from private and public bodies and organizations, public subsidies and donations whether in cash or in kind, provided however that such funds must not be accepted if they are tied to conditions contrary to the aims and principles of Jus Gentium or if they are otherwise not in the interests of Jus Gentium.

14.2 Each Member of Jus Gentium is obliged to pay an annual membership fee for each financial year of membership to Jus Gentium, the amount of which is decided by the executive board from time to time.

Article 15 – Dissolution

15.1 Jus Gentium may be dissolved by unanimous decision of the Executive Board and the Honorary Board.

Article 16 – General Procedure

16.1 The President of the International Board shall open and close the Annual Council Meeting.

16.2 After the opening of the Annual Council Meeting and at the beginning of every plenary session, the Secretary General of the International Board shall announce the Members present or represented by proxy, and shall announce those Members duly authorized and, therefore, entitled to vote. Should any member subsequently join or leave the session, it shall inform the Chair of its presence or absence respectively and this shall be recorded in the minutes.

Article 17: Miscellaneous

17.1 Peace in the world through the power of justice; for happy, free and developed societies.