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founded in May 2012 in Alice Springs, Australia by members of the Network of Women's Museums, established 2008 in Merano "The Women Are The Ones Who Write The History Of The World! There Has To Be A Women's Museum In Every Country Of This World". Shirin Ebadi

Women's and gender museums are a mirror of society and social change. They show the roles of women worldwide and their living circumstances from a political, cultural, artistic, economic and social point of view. They present women's cultures from the past and present time and are committed to delivering a gender-democratic future.

Today there are more than 50 women's museums worldwide represented on all continents. Groups in fifteen countries have announced that they wish to found a new women's museum. It is time to get united. We invite you to join us. Group and individual memberships are available.

The main objectives of the Association are:

- 1. Exchange, network, global co-operation of the Women's Museums, and mutual support. We want to affirm female solidarity by affirming women's rights.
- 2. To promote women's and gender museums and to stand united for the advocacy of gender-democratic societies. Women's museums are important for women's education, empowerment and self-confidence. They provide awareness training, possibilities for independent actions and tools to overcome discrimination.
- 3. To achieve international recognition in the world of museums and to strengthen the acceptance of women's museums worldwide. It aims to advocate for necessary support (such as staff and finances) for museums within the Association.

Join us! You are welcome!



Women's Museums (I/	AWM):	
A. Full membership	)	
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B.a) Initiatives to	establish new museums	
B.b) Gender-orier	nted organizations and association	ns
B.c) Individual members		
B.d) Financial doi	nors	
Name of the museum	n / institution or individual:	
Contact person(s):		
Address:		
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The Museum/the organization/I want(s) to join the International Association of

Website:

Please provide the mission and eventually the last annual report of your museum or organization.

For individual members: please provide a short CV or a description of the main re search subjects or focus of your work.

## The membership-fee:

A. Full membership

A.a) Women's and Gender Museums in economically advantaged countries: 200 Euro (265  $\$  per year

A.b) Women's and Gender Museums that cannot afford the full membership fee might ask for a reduction and explain the reasons.

The Executive Board wird consider requests for a reduced fee.
Reasons for a reduction:

The museum has no budget or a very low budget
The living standard in my country is very low.

B. Afiliated membership

B.a) Initiatives to establish new museums: 50 Euro (65 \$) per year
B.b) Gender-oriented organizations and associations: 50 Euro (65 \$) per year

B.c) Individual members: 20 Euro (25 \$) per year

B.d) Financial donors: min. 50 Euros (65 \$) per year.

Banking Information: You can transfer via paypal: account of info @museia.it or via following account:

IAWM International Association Womens Museums Bank: RAIFFEISENKASSE MERAN – ITALY IT41J0813358593000040122282 BIC: ICRAITRR3PO

## Place, date

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Signature

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