



## **IWA on using ISO 26000 guidance on social responsibility in management systems**

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## **ISO International Workshop Agreement: Using ISO 26000 guidance on social responsibility in management systems**

### **Notice of meetings – Invitation to participate – Planned meetings and workshops**

Following the ISO/TMB approval to start the work on an ISO International Workshop Agreement on using ISO 26000 guidance on social responsibility in management systems, SIS has the pleasure to invite participants to this work.

The first workshop on the IWA will take place 9-11 March 2017 in Stockholm, Sweden. Ahead of the workshop, information meetings via the web as well as a preparatory meeting will be organized. See further details and how to register below.

#### **How to participate**

ISO member bodies are invited to participate with relevant experts from the seven defined stakeholder categories in the ISO Global Directory:

1. Industry and commerce;
2. Government;
3. Consumers;
4. Labor;
5. Academic and research bodies;
6. Standards application;
7. Non-governmental organizations (NGO).

International liaison organizations that were part of developing ISO 26000 or that could be classified as an international liaison organization<sup>i</sup> will also be invited. In addition, expertise on management system standards and experts on the use of such standards in small and medium-sized organizations are invited to take part in the work.

Registration of experts to the IWA work is not possible through the ISO Global Directory, instead please indicate your interest in following or participating in this work via the following [link](#). Ahead of each workshop, a separate registration will have to be made for those that wish to participate in the work.



## More information

Further information about the work on the IWA can be found on [www.sis.se/IWA-on-ISO-26000](http://www.sis.se/IWA-on-ISO-26000).

## Meetings and workshops

The planned meetings are listed below. If you wish to take part in a meeting, please register to each meeting via the links provided.

<b>Information meeting 1 (webmeeting)</b>	<p><b>Friday 2016-10-28 09.00 – 10.00 hours (CET)</b></p> <p>This webex-meeting is open for anyone who wishes to know more about the planned work to develop the IWA. Please note that two time options are available for the information meeting.</p> <p>No registration is needed ahead of the webex.</p> <p><u><a href="#">Join WebEx meeting</a></u> Meeting number (access code): 952 416 902</p> <p><u><a href="#">Join by phone</a></u> <b>+46 85051 3563</b> Sweden toll <u><a href="#">Global call-in numbers</a></u> <u><a href="#">Can't join the meeting?</a></u></p> <p><b>Friday 2016-10-28 14.00 – 15.00 hours (CET)</b></p> <p><u><a href="#">Join WebEx meeting</a></u> Meeting number (access code): 952 263 347</p> <p><u><a href="#">Join by phone</a></u> <b>+46 85051 3563</b> Sweden toll <u><a href="#">Global call-in numbers</a></u> <u><a href="#">Can't join the meeting?</a></u></p>
<b>Preparatory meeting</b>	<p><b>Monday 2016-11-21, 13.00 – 17.00 hours (CET)</b></p> <p>Venue: SIS, Sankt Paulsgatan 6, Stockholm, Sweden</p> <p>This meeting is open to experts nominated by an ISO National Member Body or an international organization that could be considered to be an international liaison.</p>



	<p>Main points to be discussed are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— discuss the plan and methodology for the first IWA-workshop;</li><li>— confirm the agenda of the first IWA-workshop;</li><li>— discuss possible background materials that would need to be distributed ahead of the first IWA-meeting;</li><li>— designate possible tasks needed to be carried out ahead of the first meeting.</li></ul> <p>See document N04 for the preliminary agenda of the meeting. To participate in the meeting, you would have to register in the following link <u>no later than 10 November</u>: <a href="#">Registration to meeting</a></p> <p>The meeting will take place 13-17 Swedish time and will be open via Webex. However, if anyone would like to participate in person, that is also possible. In that case, information on the venue can be found here: <a href="#">How to find SIS</a></p> <p><b><u>Join WebEx meeting</u></b> Meeting number (access code): 958 081 177</p> <p><b><u>Join by phone</u></b> <b>+46 85051 3563</b> Sweden toll</p> <p><b><u>Global call-in numbers</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Can't join the meeting?</u></b></p>
<b>Information meeting 2 (webmeeting)</b>	<p><b>Friday 2016-12-09, 13.00 – 14.00 hours (Stockholm time)</b></p> <p>This webex-meeting is open for anyone who wishes to know more about the planned work to develop the IWA. Please note that two time options are available for the information meeting.</p> <p>No registration is needed ahead of the webex.</p> <p><b><u>Join WebEx meeting</u></b> Meeting number (access code): 957 370 867</p> <p><b><u>Join by phone</u></b> <b>+46 85051 3563</b> Sweden toll</p> <p><b><u>Global call-in numbers</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Can't join the meeting?</u></b></p>



<b>First Workshop on IWA</b>	<b>Thursday – Friday 2017-03-09—10</b> Venue: SIS, Solnavägen 1E, Stockholm (SIS new office) <a href="#">Information on SIS new premises</a> Please register to the meeting in the following link <u>no later than 10 February</u> : <a href="#">Registration to first workshop</a>  See document N05 for the preliminary agenda of the meeting.
<b>Second Workshop on IWA</b>	<b>Thursday – Friday 2017-04-27—28 (tentatively)</b> Venue: to be confirmed Agenda and venue will be sent out closer to the meeting.

<sup>i</sup> An international liaison organization is an organization that makes a technical contribution to and participate actively in the work. It needs to meet the following eligibility criteria:

- it is not-for-profit;
- is a legal entity — the office of the CEO will request a copy of its statutes;
- it is membership-based and open to members worldwide or over a broad region;
- through its activities and membership demonstrates that it has the competence and expertise to contribute to the development of International Standards or the authority to promote their implementation;
- has a process for stakeholder engagement and consensus decision-making to develop the input it provides.