# Affiliated International Organization Agreement
# ISAWR – EATAW

Agreement between the **International Society for the Advancement of Writing Research [ISAWR]** and the **European Association for the Teaching of Academic Writing [EATAW]**. This document establishes the following general agreements between ISAWR and EATAW.

1. Information and exchange

    1a. ISAWR and EATAW will publicise each other's events at their annual, biennial, or triennial conferences and through their electronic media (websites, listservs, etc.)

    1b. ISAWR and EATAW will encourage members to communicate and collaborate with each other through appropriate channels.

    1c. ISAWR and EATAW will invite one sponsored panel session at each other's conferences. EATAW-sponsored panels at ISAWR's conference, Writing Research across Borders [WRAB], will be assembled (by invitation or open call) by the EATAW board and ISAWR-sponsored panels at EATAW's conferences will be assembled by the ISAWR board. Sponsored panels will be arranged in consultation with members of the conference planning committees of the respective organisations. Should these planning committees change from conference to conference, each organisation will be responsible for informing the planning committees of the agreement for sponsored panels. Panels will be designated as "sponsored by" the respective organisation.

2. Membership benefits

    Members of ISAWR and EATAW will have mutual access to the following benefits:

    2a. Participants in ISAWR and EATAW conferences shall be eligible for membership rates (should such rates be applicable in the future). EATAW members do not need to hold ISAWR membership, and similarly, ISAWR members are not required to join EATAW. Instead, members from one organisation will be recognized as Affiliate members in the other, provided they maintain their original organisational membership.

    2b. EATAW members are entitled to attend ISAWR-sponsored events, at membership rates (if and when such fees are introduced). This privilege is reciprocally extended to ISAWR members for participation in EATAW-sponsored events or activities, subject to the same conditions regarding fees.

3. Representation and relationship between organisations

3a. EATAW will be known as an Affiliated Organization of ISAWR and vice versa. Each organisation's name and logo will be included at the other organisation's website in an appropriate section where affiliates or partners are listed, and will be included in any organisational print materials, reports, websites, newsletters, etc., in appropriate sections.

3b. The contact persons of both organisations will act as liaisons, receiving information from and reporting to each other. For ISAWR, this will be the Chair or Vice Chair. For EATAW, this will be the Chair or Deputy chair. Both contact persons will have the opportunity to participate in meetings, if any, at each other's annual or biennial conference.

4. Further provisions

4a. Intellectual property: All documents and other materials produced under the auspices of each organisation will remain its intellectual property (or the property of the respective authors) unless otherwise indicated (such as with documents coproduced by both organisations).

4b. This agreement can be terminated by the governing entity of either party. The intent to terminate or reassign this agreement will be made at least six months in advance of a proposed termination date.

5. Writing in mutual and respective regional areas

5a. Promote research and teaching of writing in mutually shared and respective regional languages.

5b. Support and improve methods of teaching and researching writing in the context of translingualism.

5c. Advocate for funding and mentorship on topics specifically related to further developing and supporting our mutual and respective regions and organisational goals.

This agreement constitutes the complete understanding of two organisations, and no waiver or modification of any provision shall be valid unless in a written addendum signed by ISAWR and EATAW.

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Chair of ISAWR, for the Executive Board

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Chair of EATAW, for the Executive Board

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Date