**Membership Registration and Mandate**

To become an official registered member, this registration and mandate form must be completed.

After INOFO received the comprehensive completed form in English, INOFO will vet the application and get back to you within 14 days with the registration.

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| **Contact Details** | |
| Name of Organic Farmer Organisation OFO |  |
| Region | Africa (West, East, South)  Asia (South, East, South East)  Europe  Latin America/Caribbean  North America  Others (indicate) |
| Address |  |
| Country |  |
| Email |  |
| Phone |  |
| Name Main Representative |  |
| Webpage/Facebook etc. |  |
| OFO logo (to be used on INOFO Directory webpage) |  |

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| Number of members within OFO |  |
| Main commodity |  |
| Area (Hectare) under Group |  |
| Gender/Youth/Indigenous |  |
| Markets |  |
| Any other comments |  |
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| **History of the OFO** |
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| **Core purpose or mission** |
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| **Areas of intervention or main activities** |
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| **What is the main reason for your OFO interest to join INOFO ?**  **What benefits you see in joining INOFO ?** |
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| **Membership : who are your members and what are the strength and competencies of your group?**  **What are the group’s expertise which can be shared within INOFO network (e.g. technical expertise ; training center ; etc.)** |
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| **Would you like to be a member of IFOAM Organics International, the umbrella organisation where INOFO is a Self Organised Structure.**  **(Yes/N0)** |
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| **Would you like to become a trial member (without fee) of IFOAM organics International where you can benefit to be a member but without voting rights in IFOAM GA for next two years and then decide to become a full member by paying a membership fee. For details please see** [**https://www.ifoam.bio/en/get-involved/become-affiliate**](https://www.ifoam.bio/en/get-involved/become-affiliate) |
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Signature

Date

Location

**MANDATE for DELEGATE to INOFO General Assembly**

Please mandate hereunder your DELEGATE to GA. If you cannot send a delegate, your mandate can be given to another OFO that is represented.

One delegate can use up to 5 votes.

A voting card is issued for each mandate presented at registration desk during the next GA.

We, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, (OFO in registration form) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (name & address of organisation) have delegated \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (first name + family name) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who is \_\_\_\_\_(farmer or staff/function) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to speak and vote on our behalf at INOFO GA.

If the organisations in your region that have consented to participate in the network have already mandated a CONVENOR

for your regional Network of OFOs, please put hereunder the name of the Convenor and his or her organisation. In any case, the delegates of your region will elect or confirm one or more Convenors in regional session on the morning of the GA. Please understand that a Convenor can be effective only if the OFOs in the region have consented to this role.

The GA will vote in plenary session on the final composition of INOFO Convenors Council.

CONVENOR'S MANDATE :\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (member / employee) of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is duly mandated as Convenor for the regional network of OFOs by the participating organisations. In addition to the above organisation to which your Convenor belongs and who is your link to INOFO, please list here the other OFOs of your region known to have also mandated this same convenor.

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There is no obligation for an Organic farmers organisation to pay membership fee before exercising the right to participate in INOFO GA or to participate via the regional network in INOFO consultations but, donations are accepted.

In exchange for each mandate presented at registration, the delegate receives a voting card : GREEN card for organisations affiliated to IFOAM, RED card for organisations not affiliated to IFOAM. Each delegate can use 5 votes in total (his or her own OFO's vote plus 4 others not otherwise represented at INOFO GA).

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