

# PRESS ASSOCIATIONS IN GENEVA AND SWITZERLAND

## **ACANU - UNITED NATIONS CORRESPONDENTS ASSOCIATION**

The United Nations Correspondents Association (ACANU) in Geneva defends the professional interests of its members and supports their work with the United Nations. ACANU organizes press conferences, exhibitions and various events for its members.

### **JOINING THE ASSOCIATION**

If you hold a UN press accreditation and wish to join the Association, you can send an e-mail to ACANU's Secretary with your name, media outlet or freelance and contact details. The yearly subscription fee is CHF 120.

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## **APES - FOREIGN PRESS ASSOCIATION IN SWITZERLAND AND LIECHTENSTEIN**

The Foreign Press Association in Switzerland and Liechtenstein, known by its French acronym APES, was founded in Geneva in 1928 and now has over 120 members representing media from every continent, with the majority of members based in and around Geneva.

Through these contacts APES organizes a varied programme of activities for members including, each year, a themed visit to one of Switzerland's 26 cantons and a dinner or lunch with the Swiss President as guest of honour. Many other prominent Swiss are also invited.

### **JOINING THE ASSOCIATION**

To join the Association, a journalist must be a correspondent for a non-Swiss media organization and must fulfil the conditions set out in Article 4 of the Statutes.

The application form can be downloaded from the website and sent to APES together with:

- Copies of four recent media articles or, for radio and TV journalists, or recordings of recent broadcasts.
- A letter from the Editor-in-Chief or other senior official of the media organization represented confirming employment.

- An up-to-date copy of a Swiss residence permit and of a national passport or identity card.
- Two passport-sized photos.

Complete application should be sent to the address of the Association. Once advised the application has been successful, the journalist shall pay the one-time entry fee of 150 CHF and the annual membership fee of 100 CHF.

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### **GENEVA PRESS CLUB**

The Geneva Press Club (CSP), located in the International Organizations neighbourhood, allows International Organizations to organize press conferences and seminars in a fully equipped, modular press room that can hold 200 people. Press conferences can also be streamed live over the Internet. You can sign up for the CSP newsletter.

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