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**Information on consultative status with the Economic
and Social Council (ECOSOC) of non-governmental
organizations having permanent observer status with
the Committee**

Note by the Secretariat

At its fifty-sixth session, in 2013, the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space requested the Secretariat to present to it, on an annual basis, information on the consultative status with ECOSOC of non-governmental organizations having permanent observer status with the Committee (see para. 345 of the report of the Committee in A/68/20).

The present conference room paper contains the updated information on the status vis-à-vis the Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) of

non-governmental organizations having permanent observer status with the Committee, as derived from the database contained on the website of the United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UNDESA), NGO Branch <http://esango.un.org>.

For ECOSOC NGO related Questions and Answers, please refer to:

<http://esango.un.org/paperless/Web?page=static&content=faqs>



No.	Name of the Organization	Year since becoming an observer with the Committee	ECOSOC Status
1.	African Organization of Cartography and Remote Sensing (AOCRS)	2007	<i>No search results found</i>
2.	Association of Space Explorers (ASE)	1993	<i>Entry found</i> <u>Consultative Status:</u> This organization is not in consultative status with ECOSOC
3.	African Association of Remote Sensing of the Environment (AARSE)	2014	<i>Entry found</i> <u>Consultative Status:</u> This organization is not in consultative status with ECOSOC
4.	Committee on Earth Observation Satellites (CEOS)	2002	<i>No search results found</i>
5.	Committee on Space Research (COSPAR)	1962	<i>Entry found</i> <u>Consultative Status:</u> ECOSOC A1 – Roster Consultative Status
6.	European Space Policy Institute (ESPI)	2005	<i>Entry found</i> <u>Consultative Status:</u> ECOSOC Special Consultative Status (Suspended)
7.	European Association for the International Space Year (EURISY)	2001	<i>Entry found</i> <u>Consultative Status:</u> This organization is not in consultative status with ECOSOC
8.	Ibero-American Institute of Aeronautic and Space Law and Commercial Aviation	2012	<i>Entry found</i> <u>Consultative Status:</u> ECOSOC Special Consultative Status
9.	International Academy of Astronautics (IAA)	1995	<i>Entry found</i> <u>Consultative Status:</u> This organization is not in consultative status with ECOSOC
10.	International Association for Advancement of Space Safety (IAASS)	2009	<i>Entry found</i> <u>Consultative Status:</u> In process

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11.	International Astronautical Federation (IAF)	1976	<p><i>Entry found</i></p> <p><u>Consultative Status:</u> This organization is not in consultative status with ECOSOC</p>
12.	International Astronomical Union (IAU)	1995	<p><i>Entry found</i></p> <p><u>Consultative Status:</u> This organization is not in consultative status with ECOSOC</p>
13.	International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis (IIASA)	2003	<p><i>Entry found</i></p> <p><u>Consultative Status:</u> ECOSOC General Consultative Status</p>
14.	International Institute of Space Law (IISL)	2008	<p><i>Entry found</i></p> <p><u>Consultative Status:</u> This organization is not in consultative status with ECOSOC</p> <p><i>IISL has informed OOSA that its application was formally submitted to ECOSOC in 2015</i></p>
15.	International Law Association (ILA)	1990	<p><i>Entry found</i></p> <p><u>Consultative Status:</u> ECOSOC Special Consultative Status</p>
16.	International Society for Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing (ISPRS)	1990	<p><i>Entry found</i></p> <p><u>Consultative Status:</u> ECOSOC A1 – Roster Consultative Status</p>
17.	International Space University (ISU)	1997	<p><i>Entry found</i></p> <p><u>Consultative Status:</u> ECOSOC Special Consultative Status</p>
18.	National Space Society (NSS)	2001	<p><i>Entry found</i></p> <p><u>Consultative Status:</u> ECOSOC Special Consultative Status</p>
19.	Prince Sultan Bin Abdulaziz International Prize for Water (PSIPW)	2008	<p><i>Entry found</i></p> <p><u>Consultative Status:</u> ECOSOC Special Consultative Status</p>

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20.	Scientific Committee on Solar-Terrestrial Physics (SCOSTEP)	2012	<i>Entry found</i> <u>Consultative Status:</u> This organization is not in consultative status with ECOSOC
21.	Space Generation Advisory Council (SGAC)	2001	<i>Entry found</i> <u>Consultative Status:</u> ECOSOC A1 – Roster Consultative Status
22.	Secure World Foundation (SWF)	2008	<i>Entry found</i> <u>Consultative Status:</u> ECOSOC Special Consultative Status
23.	The Planetary Society (TPS)	1996	<i>No search results found</i>
24.	World Space Week Association (WSWA)	2002	<i>Entry found</i> <u>Consultative Status:</u> ECOSOC Special Consultative Status