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- **Northern Ireland** - The Insolvency Service
- **Scotland** - Accountant in Bankruptcy
- **USA** - Administrative Office of the US Courts (Bankruptcy Judges Division)



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## IAIR Purposes and Membership

The IAIR was established in 1995. Its principal purposes are:

- To promote liaison, co-operation and discussion amongst government insolvency regulators; and
- To be recognised as an international body with the knowledge and credibility to promote fair, effective and efficient systems for the administration of insolvencies.

**Membership of the IAIR** is open to:

- Government Departments/Ministries
- Government Agencies
- Public Authorities

with responsibility in their country for:

- Insolvency Policy and Legislation
- Insolvency Regulation
- Insolvency Practice and Administration

**Membership costs** US\$1,000 a year.

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## IAIR Annual Conferences and Studies

IAIR members meet annually, combined with the formal Annual General meeting, to exchange information on the latest developments and thinking on insolvency issues, at both national and international levels; and to co-operate in studies of particular topics.

### Published Studies on the IAIR Website:

- Regulation of phoenix companies
- No asset insolvencies
- E-filing
- Student loans
- Consumer debtors
- Mutual recognition of sanctions
- Revenue and user fees

Projects undertaken include:

- Employee Entitlements and Wage Guarantee Funds
- The development of an insolvency profession and standards
- Legal status of secured creditors

Observers from non-member governments are invited to attend and participate. Observer status is currently granted to Argentina, Bangladesh, Belarus, Bermuda, Colombia, Hungary, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Lithuania, Macedonia, Nepal, Norway, Papua New Guinea, Sri Lanka, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uganda, Ukraine, Uruguay, Executive Office of the US Trustees and Uzbekistan. The IAIR has contacts in a further forty countries.

## Regulatory Frameworks

The IAIR works with the World Bank, INSOL and other multilateral bodies in developing and implementing regulatory frameworks for effective insolvency systems.

It also holds Workshops from time to time to provide the opportunity to discuss the implementation of insolvency frameworks in new market economies.

### IAIR Conference/Workshops 2008-2009

➤ The next IAIR Conference will be held in Dublin, Ireland in September 2010

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