

NEWSLETTER N° 1

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We are pleased to send you enclosed all the latest news regarding the preparations for the Paris Congress.

DATES

- 1 June: General Assembly, reserved to FIAF affiliates.
- 2-4 June: Symposium
- 5 June: Excursion
- 6 June: Departure of the delegates (except those participating in UNESCO Round Table)

REGISTRATION FORM

Attached to this newsletter is a registration form for the Congress. We would appreciate it if the delegates who have not yet sent it back, could forward a completed form as soon as possible, **and at the latest before March 15.** We sincerely hope that every FIAF archive will be represented at the Congress, but if you really cannot make it, please let us know. This information will assist in planning for numbers at the various functions.

ACCOMODATION

We are enclosing the list of all hotels in which we have booked rooms so that you can more easily make your choice, provided you have not yet done so. We'll do the utmost to fulfill your wishes but cannot guarantee that there will be enough rooms in each category. You'll be informed in good time of your staying place.

You should be aware that some prices have already changed and might even increase of about 6% by June and that breakfast is not always included in the price mentioned.

Registration of the delegates and distribution of the first documents will take place on May 31st between 3 and 8 p.m. at a place still to be determined for the delegates to the General Assembly, and on June 1st at the Musée d'Orsay for those attending the Symposium only.

Lunch will be provided each day for the delegates through a system of restaurant tickets.

VISAS

Delegates should ensure that applications for visas are lodged as soon as possible. Processing delays from 2 to 3 months can occur, so delegates should avoid leaving visa applications to the last minute.

SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

At least two evening receptions are foreseen.

The excursion planned for Sunday June 5th will take you first to Versailles in the morning and then to a riverside "guinguette" for a late lunch and a pleasant afternoon. There will be opportunity for dancing as well as for those last minute conversations. The venue will be rustic and the dress casual.

FEES FOR SPOUSES AND VISITORS

The following fees for spouses of members and observers and visitors (i.e. not members and observers of FIAF) will be applied at the Congress.

Spouses fees

1. Includes cost of receptions, the excursion and all lunches held during the days of the General Assembly and the Symposium FF 1,000
2. Includes cost of receptions, the excursion and no lunches held during the days of the General Assembly and the Symposium FF 800

Visitors fees

1. Attendance at General Assembly and Symposium (incl. lunches and receptions) FF 1,000
2. Attendance at Symposium / 3 days (incl. lunches + receptions) FF 900
3. Attendance at Symposium only (3 days, without meals) FF 250
(per day, without meals) FF 100
4. Excursion fee FF 500

SYMPOSIUM NEWS

You will soon receive a detailed program of the Symposium FRENCH SILENT CINEMA: NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL INTERFACES, together with a list of the speakers. Raymond Borde and Robert Daudelin are busily working at this.