



ФОТО САВЕЗ СРБИЈЕ
PHOTO ASSOCIATION OF SERBIA

The **Photo Association Of Serbia (PAS)** was founded in 1946. as a public organization. PAS is independent, non-governmental, non-partisan organization, which pools organization associating photographers, as well as individually subscribed photographers, amateurs and professionals for the purpose of organized and professional pursuit of common interests in the art of photography.



**FEDERATION INTERNATIONALE DE L'ART
PHOTOGRAPHIQUE**
The International Federation of Photographic Art

Its purpose is **the promotion of photographic art** under all its aspects and by all kinds of photographic events. All considerations of political, ideological or racial order are absolutely banned from the activities of **FIAP**.

La **FIAP** was founded by **Dr M. Van de Wijer**, belgian, who has established links between different national photographic associations through the world, since 1946.

The first Congress, the official act of the fondation of **FIAP**, took place in Bern (Switzerland) in 1950, with the participation of delegates from ten countries.

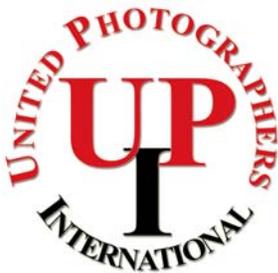
The **FIAP** is an **international federation** which affiliates as operational members, the national associations of photography. FIAP counts more than **85 national associations** in the five continents and represents the benefits of nearly **one million individual photographers**. Since September 2004, camera-clubs and regional groups of clubs can join FIAP, under some conditions.

The official languages of FIAP are French and English. The official texts are also translated in German and Spanish.



About PSA The Photographic Society of America (PSA)

is a worldwide organization providing a wide range of services that promotes photography and benefits its members. Individual members can participate in competitions, study groups and on-line education programs designed to advance photographic knowledge and skill. Competitions are also held for clubs, councils, federations and chapter members. Member image galleries are always available for viewing. An annual youth photography showcase that is open to all students of high school age is conducted. Opportunities for image analysis and critique as well as discounts for both hardware and software products are available for all members. In addition to special access to a Member's Only area on this dynamic and informative website, every member receives the high-quality **PSA Journal** each month.



"United Photographers International",

shortened as **UPI**

UPI is a truly international photographic organization - with **UPI** inspired and managed BY photographers and managed FOR photographers.

At the outset, it must be said that **UPI** is not a replacement for local "club" photography where photographers attend on a regular basis and take a full and active role in their "club" or for regional, federation or national level photography.

UPI is formed for those photographers who wish to take part in a truly international organisation where photographic art allows and encourages cultural exchange.

UPI does not seek to replicate the work of PSA or FIAP - both organisations do a valuable job in the promotion of photography. **UPI** operate its own distinctions scheme where photographers collect points from acceptances, mentions and awards in international exhibitions ; members can apply for **UPI** "crowns" without further submission of work or gaining more "acceptances".

A different system of **UPI** titles, based on stunning photo collections, are: Aphrodite, Hermes and Zeus.