

Thank you for your interest in the Web Services Interoperability Organization (WS-I).

WS-I is an open, broadly based industry organization chartered to promote Web services interoperability across platforms, operating systems, and programming languages. The organization works in conjunction with the industry and standards organizations to respond to customer needs by providing guidance, best practices, and resources for developing Web services solutions.

As in all successful organizations, we rely on the participation and dedication of our members to accomplish our goals. The community of WS-I members includes software vendors of all sizes, enterprise customers, and many others interested in Web services. All community members are invited to actively participate in one or more WS-I Working Groups, based on their interest and expertise. Depending on the specific Working Group, contributions will come from a variety of individuals with a diverse set of skills – from developers, to testers, to business analysts and standards architects. All organizations interested in promoting Web services interoperability are encouraged to join the effort.

Please find enclosed the following documentation:

- Membership Agreement
- Bylaws (Attachment A)
- IPR Agreement (Attachment B)
- Member Contact Sheet
- Enrollment Instructions

The enclosed enrollment instructions will guide you through the steps you must complete to become a WS-I member. If you have any questions regarding this material, the membership process, or our organization, please feel free to contact us at membership@ws-i.org.

Thank you for your interest. We look forward to your participation in this effort.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures