***Exploring and documenting diversity in Nature***

##### CETAF - Consortium of European Taxonomic Facilities, AISBL

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***CETAF Membership Application Form***

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**Name of Institution:**

Postal Address:

Tel: +

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**Name of Director:**

Office tel: +

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Office tel: +

Office fax: +

Office e-mail:

***Type of Institution***

**O** Zoological Museum **O** Botanical Garden **O** Culture collection

**O** Paleontological, mineralogical, Geological Museum **O** Herbarium

**O** Other

Main source of income from

**O** State **O** City **O** Private

**O** Regional **O** University **O** Other :

***Collections***

Size of collections: **………………………..**million individual specimens

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| *Expected order of magnitude* | *Known or estimated number* |
| Zoology > 6,000000 |  |
| Palaeontology/Mineralogy/Geology > 1,000000 |  |
| Herbarium > 1,000000 |  |
| Mycological etc. culture collections > 10,000 |  |
| Other (please specify) |  |

No. of primary types:

Existing registration system:

% in filing cards or related paper-based system:

% in digital system:

Loans *Expected values*

No. of outgoing loans (parcels) / year : ……… (more than 100)

No. of scientific visitors / year: ……… (more than 100)

No. of visitors days / year: ………

No. of accessions / year: ………

Why are your collections of importance within Europe? Please add an explanation of your collection and its special features.

# Staff

(min. of 20 acad. staff / postdocs expected)

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **A) *Scientifical Staff*** | *Number* |
| **1**. Tenured scientific staff |  |
| **2**. Post-docs |  |
| **3**. PhD students |  |
| **4**. Curators (if different from 1) |  |
| **5**. Collection managers / technicians |  |
| **6.** Others (Associates, etc.) |  |
| **TOTAL** (1+2+3+4+5+6) |  |

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| --- | --- |
| **B) *Other Staff (exhibitions, etc. not scientists)*** | ***Number*** |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| TOTAL |  |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| TOTAL NUMBERS (A + B) | Nº |

***Research***

Formal review system? YES/NO

Research facilities (laboratories with details on the major equipment available):

No. of research publications over the last 3 years:

(Expected: min. 100)

Journals/Series published by the Institution:

(Please, add *either* your last annual report *or* a one-page summary of the research programme and key publications to the application)

## Statement

\* I, Director of (add name of Institution) endorse the Statues of the CETAF consortium.

\* I am prepared to commit myself to the objectives of CETAF, and to contribute to its joint activities.

\* I am prepared to pay a yearly membership for CETAF, according to the CETAF Business Model \*

Signature of the Director:

Place:

Date:

\* Please, indicate any reasons why you may not reasons why you may/may not fulfil this financial statement.