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# Participation

- National Bodies: Australia, Austria, Canada, China, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Republic of Korea, The Netherlands, Norway, South Africa, Spain, United Kingdom, United States
- JTC 1 Subcommittees: SC 7, SC 29, SC 35, SC 36
- ISO and IEC TCs: ISO/TC 159, ISO/TC 100
- ITU-T SGs: ITU-T SG 16
- Regional standard development and support organizations: CEN/ISSS, CEN TC 224 WG 6, DATSCG, ETSI/HF, ETSI HF STF 333, EUAIN, ITI
- Consortia/fora: Linux Foundation, W3C/Web Accessibility Initiative (WAI)
- Consumer Organizations, User Representatives and other interested parties: AFB Tech, Altairum Institute/Accessibility Forum, ANEC, Japanese Society for Rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities (via the Japanese National Body), JIS Committee on Web Accessibility, Royal National Institute of the Blind (via the UK National Body), US Access Board, US Department of Education, University of Wisconsin (Trace R&D Center), Visual Impairment Knowledge Centre, WGBH National Center for Accessible Media

# Ad Hoc groups

- Ad Hoc 15 – Evolution of Database Definition for the Accessibility Standards Inventory (Leader: Dr. Jim Carter – Canada)
- Ad Hoc 16 – Guidance for Accessible Production of Documents in Accessible Formats (Leader Dr. Kate Grant, UK)
- Ad Hoc 17 – Individualization/Personalization for or Related to Accessibility (Dr. Chris Francis, UK)
- Ad Hoc 18 – User Needs Summary Refresh (Leader: Dr. Jim Carter – Canada)

# Accessibility Guidance on JTC 1 SDs

In response to JTC 1 November 2013 Perros-Guirec Resolution 25, the JTC 1 SWG on Accessibility developed a contribution ([SWG-A N 562](#)) at its February 2014 meeting on SDs 1, 7 and 12 for consideration at the May 2014 SWG-Directives meeting in Sydney, Australia.

# Past Plenary Meetings

- 17 February 2014 (WebEx / teleconference)
- 24 June 2014 (WebEx / teleconference)

# Upcoming Plenary Meetings

- 14-16 October 2014 (WebEx / teleconference)
- 3-5 February 2015 (F-2-F with WebEx / teleconference access) – location/host TBD

# Transition of TR 29138 to ISO/IEC JTC 1 Publications

Following JTC 1 resolution 23 from San Diego:

- ISO/IEC 29138-2 is transitioned as an ISO publication “Inventory of accessibility and accessibility-related information technology standards and specifications”, which is now available at OBP. – **Status:** updates requested via [SWG-A N 579](#) for consideration at October 2014 meeting
- Timing of TR 29138-1 and TR29138-3 transition depends on Guide 71 development. – **Status:** additional user needs requested via [SWG-A N 580](#) for consideration at October 2014 meeting