



FIT EUROPE

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INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF TRANSLATORS

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CPD FACTSHEET – AALST (Austria)

Name of association	AALST (Austrian Association of Literary and Scientific Translators)
Founded in	-
Country	Austria
Number of members	-
Translators, interpreters or both	-
Association has a CPD policy	-
Is CPD a professional requirement provided for by law	-
Brief description of CPD policy	-
Association organises CPD events	YES
Languages of CPD events	-
Type of events	-
Units of measurement in CPD policy	-
Which units	-
How many and envisaged timeframe:	-
Association offers record keeping:	NO
Pros of CPD policy	-
Cons of CPD policy	-
Same rates as members for FIT associations	-
Mutual recognition of attendance	NO
Recognition of attendance at CPD events run by non-FIT third parties in the T&I sector where CPD is relevant	NO
Recognition of attendance at CPD events run by third parties not in the T&I sector where CPD is relevant	NO
Interested in collaborating with other FIT associations to deliver CPD events	YES
Interested in hearing other FIT associations' experience	YES
Interested in identifying and exchanging best practices and how	YES Exchange, events, conferences, networking meetings, website
Harmonisation of CPD across Europe	Not sure. To a certain extent yes. Literary translators often do not have a formal professional training/education. Networking would be better
CPD events that are "approved/certified" by FIT Europe	Not a bad idea. Standardisation, but who decides criteria?
Two issues of particular concern	Copyright. Networking and cooperation.