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DIRECTORY OF  
FRIENDSHIP AND CULTURAL SOCIETIES

PART I  
COMMUNIST COUNTRIES

July 1961

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EAST GERMANY (GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC)(GDR)

Society for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries (Gesellschaft für Kulturelle Verbindungen mit dem Ausland)(GKVA)

- a. Date established: 7 June 1952.
- b. Address: Berlin W 8, Thälmannplatz 8/9.
- c. Officers: (1961)

Chairman

(Prof) Robert ALT

(this is a purely honorary position filled through election by the Secretariat; has also been referred to by the title 'President')

Vice Chairman

Horst ANSPACH

(his position has been given as Deputy Director-General of the Society)

Secretariat

Secy General

Herbert MEYER

(MEYER is responsible for the activities of Departments Ia, Ib, Ic, and Id of the Secretariat)

D/Secys Gen

Kurt KANN

(KANN is D/Secy for non-Socialist countries and is thus responsible for Departments IIa, IIb, and IIc as well as IIe)

(fnu) HENTSCHEL

(HENTSCHEL is D/Secy for Socialist countries and is thus responsible for Department IIId)

Herbert SCHÖNFELD

(SCHÖNFELD is D/Secy for Publications and Coordination and responsible for the activities of Departments IIIa and IIIId of the Secretariat)

(fnu) TRUEFELDT

(TRUEFELDT is D/Secy for Fairs, Exhibitions and Film and thus responsible for Departments IIIb and IIIc)

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Departments

Ia: Office of the Secretariat

Chief

Ib: Personnel

Chief (fnu) STEIR (female)

Members (fnu) RAUCH  
(responsible for personnel matters  
in the Publications Department)  
Erich RATAJASKI  
(in charge of personnel training)

Ic: Finance

Chief (fnu) BALZ  
(also head of the Kampfgruppe of  
the Society)

Id: Press and Information

Chief Guenter LOOCH  
(this department is primarily con-  
cerned with liaison between the  
Society and press organ)

IIa: Western Countries, Europe

Chief (fnu) DECKERS  
(his special field of responsibility  
is England)

Scandinavian Area Desk(?)

Danish Specialist  
(fnu) TIPPNER

Finnish specialist  
Lotte WOLFF (F)

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IIc: German-Arabian Society

(discussed separately; it may be that IIc has been changed to include the African Area Desk and the German-African Society)

IIId: Socialist Countries

Chief (fnu) NEUMANN

IIe: General Administration

Chief (fnu) LAPPASCHEWSKI (female)

IIIa: Publications

Chief Bruno LEHMANN

D/Chief Manfred FEIST

Bulletins and Articles Section

Chief Manfred LOBEDA

D/Chief Wolf-Dieter GRUNBERGER

Editorial Section

Chief Manfred FEIST

Editor Gerhard RUDOLPH\*

The Publications Department services requests for articles on East Germany for use in information bulletins published by East German representatives abroad, and provides propaganda guidance for use of these representatives. It also provides articles to reporters contributing to foreign publications. The Bulletins and Articles Section also writes bi-monthly commentaries dealing with specific themes which receive world-wide distribution.

IIIb: Fairs and Exhibitions

Chief (fnu) SCHNEIDER

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The Fairs and Exhibitions Department prepares all the propaganda work in connection with fairs, particularly those held abroad. It is also responsible for preparing exhibitions such as the one on West German militarism which was shown in Poland and Czechoslovakia.

IIIc: Photo and Sound

Chief Gerda WILLERDING

IIIId: Printing and Distribution

Chief (fnu) KIENAST

Printing Section

Chief Werner BRIEGE

Distribution Section

Chief (fnu) SCHAEFER

This department is also the custodian of the Society's archives.

GKVA Officials (posts unidentified)

(Prof)(fnu) CORRENS

Hans GEREKE

(fnu) HENNING (female)

(fnu) STEMLER (female)

d. Publications:

GDR Review

Description: A monthly magazine published in English and French; price, 20 cents US; contains articles with accompanying photos or drawings; also uses short fiction and poetry.

Editor Herbert SCHÖNFELD

Editor's office address: Dresden A 20, Wiener Strasse 82; telephone 4 09 27.

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Publishing house: Verlag 'Zeit im Bild,' Dresden A 19,  
Bergmannstrasse 46; telephone 3 41 15.

Printer: 'Sachsische Zeitung,' Dresden N 23, Riesaer  
Strasse 32.

DDR in Wort und Bild (GDR in Words and Pictures)

Nothing further is known about this publication.

German Democratic Report

Nothing further is known about this publication.

The Society also published special pamphlets and 'themes' on different subjects and in a variety of languages.

- e. Remarks: Access to the offices of the society is severely limited. Foreign visitors are received in specially designated offices by the Deputy Secretaries General and Department heads. There is information which indicates that the society provides financial assistance to German cultural and friendship organizations in Western countries.

German-African Society

- a. Date established: 17 March 1961.  
b. Address: East Berlin.  
c. Officers:

Chairman (Prof Dr) Walter MARKOV

Presidium (about 70 members)  
Gerald GOETTING  
Sepp SCHWAB  
Peter FLORIN

- d. Publications:  
e. Remarks: Although ostensibly a separate organization, the German-African Society is subordinate to, staffed and financed by the GKVA. The actual day-to-day responsibility for the operation of the Society rests with the GKVA which transmits the orders of the SED Central Committee and the Ministry of

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Foreign Affairs. Preliminary steps for the establishment of an African headquarters of the Society in Accra were being taken in March 1961 by Herbert REISENWEBER, GKVA African specialist. This headquarters will be headed by the current chief of the GKVA African Area Desk, Gerhard WETZEL.

German-Arabian Society (Deutsche-Arabische Gesellschaft)

- a. Date established: 10 October 1958.
- b. Address: The German-Arabian Society has its headquarters in East Berlin, Thälmannstrasse, in the same building formerly used by the Goebbels propaganda organization (probably identical with the address of the GKVA, see above).
- c. Officers:

President	Ernst SCHOLZ
Vice Presidents	(Prof Dr) Werner HARTKE Gerhard WEISS Herbert MEYER Rudolf KIRCHNER
Secretary	(Dr) Burchard BRENIJES*

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PART I

COMMUNIST COUNTRIES

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(Note: This directory is based upon information  
received by 1 July 1961)

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DIRECTORY OF FRIENDSHIP AND CULTURAL SOCIETIES

PART I

COMMUNIST COUNTRIES

Introductory notes. This directory covers the thirteen countries in which the Communist party is in power--that is, the usual twelve of the Communist bloc plus Yugoslavia. The directory is arranged alphabetically by country and, under each country, the organizations appear in alphabetical sequence within three general categories, as follows: nationally oriented roof organizations (such as the Union of Soviet Societies for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries) are discussed first; regionally oriented organizations (such as the Armenian Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries or the Soviet Association of Friendship with the Peoples of Africa) are covered next; and nation-to-nation bilateral organizations (such as the USSR-Japan Society) appear last. Throughout the directory the most recent date of information appears in a parenthesis. Known members of the local Communist party are marked by an asterisk. Double asterisks indicate known members of the central committee of the Communist party or persons known to be members of an organ of the central committee.

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ALBANIA

Albanian Committee for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

a. Date established:

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960)

Misto TRESKA

(the post was formerly filled by  
Fadil PACRAMI)

Secy Gen (1955)

Gjovalin LUKA

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Albanian-Arab East Friendship Association (Shoqëria e Miqësisë Shqiperi-Vendet Arabe)

a. Date established: 3 May 1958.

b. Address:

c. Officers: (1959)

President

Bilbil KLOSI \*

Vice President

Kahreman YLLI \*\*

Secretary

Javer MALO

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Albanian-Chinese Friendship Society (Shoqëria e Miqësisë Kine-Shqiperi)

a. Date established: 29 September 1959.

b. Address:

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c. Officers: (1960)

President Abdyl KELLEZI \*\*

Member Jordan PANO \*

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Albanian-Soviet Friendship Association (Shogëria e Miqësisë Shqiptari-Bashkimi Sovietik)

a. Date established: September 1945.

b. Address: Tirana (telephones, 1955: Secy Gen - 22 56; Administration - 26 92).

c. Officers: (1960)

President Hysni KAPO \*\*

Vice Presidents (Mrs.) Nexhmije HOXHA \*\*  
Misto TRESKA  
Ramiz ALIJA \*\*

Secretary Nasho NATHANAILLI

There is a 23-member presidium, an 85-member general council, and a three-man revision commission.

General Council

Members Sadik BOCAJ \*\*  
Pipi MITROJORGJI

Branches

Berat

Chairman Pano ANDONI

Delvine

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Elbasan

Fier

Gjirokaster

Korce

Lushnje

Secretary

Petra MAXHISTARI

Shkoder

Tirana

Chairman

Figrete SHEHU \*\*

Vlore

d. Publications:

Miqësija (Friendship)

Editorial Board (1955)

Editor-in-Chief

Gjovalin LUKA

Others

Faik BAJRAKTARI  
Zejnulla BALLANCA  
Cun JANUZI  
Zeqir LIKA  
Hasan PETRELA  
Zihni SAKO

e. Remarks: In 1958 the Korce branch alone claimed 40,000 members.

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BULGARIA

Committee for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries  
(Komitet za Priyatelstvo i Kulturni Vruzki s Chuzhbina)

- a. Date established:
- b. Address: Boulevard Ruski 5, Sofia, Bulgaria.
- c. Officers: (1959, unless otherwise indicated)

Chairman (1960)	Ekaterina (Katya) Stefanova AVRAMOVA **
Vice Chairmen	Chudomir Nikolov PETROV Stefan STANCHEV
Albania Section	
President	Georgi STANKULOV
Czech Section	
President	Georgi MIKHAYLOV
India Section	
President (1960)	Angel TODOROV **
Mongolia Section	
President	Kiril Tsochev BRATANOV
Vietnam Section	
President	
Vice Pres	Bogomil NONEV *
Secretary	Andrey ANDREEV
Others	Avram MITEV Georgi KOMOV Rada TODOROVA Noeva ** Aleksandr DELKOVSKI Marin TOSHEV

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d. Publications:

Bulgaria Today, a monthly in the English language; published in Sofia.

Editorial Board (1960)

Editor-in-Chief      Nikolay P. TODOROV

Art editors            Pencho KULEKOV  
                         Dimitur KARTALEV

Members                Erik ANDREYCHIN  
                         Valentina GANCHOVSKA  
                         Dimitur KOLEV  
                         Sasha KHADZHIKHRISTOV  
                         Simeon KOLAROV

e. Remarks:

Bulgarian-Italian Society

- a. Date established: Reported in October 1958.
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

Bulgarian-Polish Friendship Society

- a. Date established: Reported as early as April 1955.
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

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Nationwide Committee for Bulgarian-Soviet Friendship

- a. Date established: In 1955 it was decided that the Union of Bulgarian-Soviet Societies would be dissolved and its functions taken over by the Fatherland Front. Existence of the present organization was first reported in May 1957.
- b. Address: Not specifically known, but a House of Bulgarian-Soviet Friendship was opened in Sofia at 4 Boulevard Klement Gottwald on 6 April 1958.
- c. Officers: (1959, unless otherwise indicated).

Executive Committee

President (1960) Tsola Nincheva DRAGOYCHEVA \*\*

Vice presidents Dimitur PAMUKOV  
Nikolay GEORGIEV Ivanov  
Manol VELKOV (1958)  
Manol STOYNOV (1958)  
Karlo LUKANOV (1958)

Responsible Secy (1960) Mikhail MANEV Mikhaylov

Secy Petko IVANOV

Members Veselin Mikhail DASHIN (DASHIN)  
(Dr) Pencho Stoyanov KOSTURKOV  
(Prof)(fnu) GANEV

Cultural Education Department

Chief (fnu) KARAFIYAN

Assistants Krum ANDREEV  
(fnu) ANDREEVA

Cultural Relations with the USSR and Foreign Countries Department

Chief Svobo Svoboda KASABOVA \*

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Finance and Accounting Department

Chief Bonka CHIRPANLIEVA \*

Agricultural Department

Chief (1958) Georgi DIMITROV

Exhibit Service

Chief Iliya KHRISTOV

Physical Culture and Sports Section (Department?)

Chief (Lt Gen) Krum LEKARSKI

Administration Department

Chief

Member Dimitur ATANASOV \*  
(chief electrician; also serves as  
a motion picture projector operator)

Museum of Bulgarian-Soviet Friendship

Director (fnu) KRUMOV

Other

Atanas YANCHEV (1957)  
Georgi KULISHEV Gugov (1956)  
Angel TODOROV Shishkov \* (1957)  
Borislav LAZAROV (1957)  
Toma Mitsev DINEV (1957)  
Stoyan Yordanov ABADZHIEV (1957)  
Tsvetana Staneva KIRANOVA (1957)  
(Dr) Petur Vasilev KOLAROV \*\* (1958)  
(Lt Gen) Zakhari ZAKHARIEV (1958)  
Angel Todorov VIDENOV (1958)  
Georgi Ivanov MANEV \*\* (1958)  
Kiril PRIVLOV  
Vulkan Angelov SHOPOV \*

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Branches

There are branches located in okrug (district) and grad (city) areas. In addition, in 1958, there were 107 Town and Rayon committees and 4,470 Village committees.

Asenovgrad

Blagoevgrad okrug

President Petur ANGELOV

Burgas okrug

Member Stavri MORFOV

Khaskovo okrug

President Boris NAKOV

Kotel

Kurdzhali okrug

President Vulko DELCHEV

Lukovit

Pleven okrug

President Boris ALEKSIEV (1960)

Secretary Ivan Nikolov BESHEV \*

Plovdiv okrug

President Iliya TANEV (1958)

Razgrad

Ruse okrug

President Georgi TSENDOV

Sofia okrug

President Todor TODOROV (1960)

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Sofia grad

President Sava Tsolov GANOVSKI \*\*  
Vice Presidents (Dr) Pencho Stoyanov KOSTURKOV  
Nikola VISHOVGRADSKI (1957)  
Secretary Bana KOVACHEVA

Stara Zagora okrug

President Tsvetana KAVALDZHIEVA

Tergovishte

Turnovo okrug

President Rusi STEFANOV

Varnagrad

President Veselina (Valya) Bodganova VICHEVA

Yambol okrug

President P. PANAYOTOV

d. Publications:

Bulgaro-Suvetska Druzha (Bulgarian-Soviet Friendship), a semi-monthly magazine.

Editorial Board (1959, unless otherwise indicated)

Editor (1960) Veselin Mikhail DACHIN (DASHIN)

Asst Ed (1960) Evgeniya KIRANOVA \*  
(reported as Emiliya KIRANOVA in 1959)

Responsible Secretary  
Khristo TRAYANOV

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Community and Political Affairs Section

Chief Vasil NEDKOV \*  
Asst Margarita GEORGIEVA  
Member Boris STEFANOV

Cultural Affairs Section

Chief Ivan SESTRIMSKI  
Asst Emiliya GERGOVA \*

Science and Technology Section

Chief Misho GORINOV

Reproduction Department (Section?)

Chief

Members Georgi ZHOSEV  
Khristo TODOROV  
Naycho PALLYSKI

- e. Remarks: It has been reported that Tsola DRAGOYCHEVA is only the titular head of the organization, the actual head being Mikhail MANEV Mikhailov.

Bulgarian-Vietnamese Friendship Society

- a. Date established: March 1959.  
b. Address: Sofia, Bulgaria.  
c. Officers:  
d. Publications:  
e. Remarks:

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CHINA (CHINESE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC)

Chinese People's Association for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries  
(ACRFC) (Chungkuo Jenmin Tuiwai Wenhua Hsiehhui)

- a. Date established: 3 May 1954
- b. Address: No. 9, T'ai Chi Ch'ang (0669/1015/1681), Peiping.
- c. Officers: (elected 15 April 1959)

Chairman	CH'U T'u-nan	(2806/0956/0589)
Vice Chairmen	TING Hsi-lin	(0002/6007/2651)
	YANG Han-sheng	(7122/5060/4563)
	CHANG Chih-hsiang	(1728/5268/4382)
	HSIA Yen*	(1115/5888)
	aka SHEN Tuan-hsien	(3088/4551/0341)
	CHOU Erh-fu	(0719/3643/1788)
Added July 1961	TSOU Ta-p'eng	(6760/1129/7720)
	CHU Kuang	(2612/0342)
	CH'EN Chung-Ching*	(7115/1813/4842)
Secy Gen	CHOU Erh-fu	(0719/3643/1788)
D/Secys Gen	WU Hua-chih	(0702/0553/0037)
	CHU Po-shen	(2612/0130/3234)
	SUN P'ing-hua*	(1327/1627/0553)
	CHIN Tzu-ming	(6855/1311/2494)
	LIN Lin	(2651/2651)
Added July 1961	JEN Ying-lun	
	CH'EN Kung-ch'i	(7115/0361/3825)

Standing Committee of the Executive Council (45 members)

CHANG Chih-hsiang	(1728/5268/4382)
CHANG Hsi-jo	(1728/1153/5387)
CHANG Keng	(1728/1649)
CHAO Feng	(6392/8676)
CHAO I-min**	(6392/3015/2404)
aka I-min	(0001/3046)
CH'EN Chung-Ching*	(7115/1813/4842)
CH'EN Han-sheng	(7115/5060/4563)
CH'EN Ping*	(7115/0393)
CHI Chao-ting	(0370/2600/7844)
CHOU Chien-jen	(0719/1696/0086)

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CHOU Erh-fu	(0719/5079/1788)
CHOU Shu-chia	(0719/0647/6609)
CHU K'o-chen	(4555/0668/2823)
aka Coching CHU	
CH'U T'u-nan	(2806/0956/0589)
FAN Ch'ang-chiang*	(5400/7022/3068)
aka FAN Hsi-t'ien	
HOU Te-pang	(0186/1795/2831)
HSIA Yen *	(1115/5888)
HSIAO San	(5135/0005)
HSIN Kuan-chieh	(6580/0385/3381)
HSU P'ing-yu*	(1776/1627/5038)
HU Yu-chih	(5170/1937/0037)
HUA Chun-wu	(5478/0689/2976)
JUNG Kao-t'ang*	(2837/7559/2768)
KAN Ling	(3927/7117)
LIAO Ch'eng-chih**	(1675/2110/1807)
LIU Ch'ang-sheng**	(0491/7022/0524)
LIU Hsi-yuan	(0491/6007/0337)
LIU Ko-p'ing**	(0491/2706/1627)
LIU Ning-i**	(0491/1380/0001)
LO Chun	(5012/0193)
MA Shao-po	(7456/1421/3134)
OU T'ang-liang (F)	(0575/2768/0081)
PAO Erh-han	(7637/3643/3352)
aka Burhan; aka Burhan Shahidi	
SA K'ung-liao	(5646/4500/0055)
SHAO Ch'uan-lin	(6730/5425/7792)
SHU She-yu	(5289/5287/0056)
TA P'u-sheng	(6671/3184/3932)
aka Sheikh Nur Mohammed TA P'u-sheng	
TING Hsi-lin	(0002/6007/2651)
TING Ying	(0002/7336)
TS'AI Ch'u-sheng	(5591/2806/3932)
TS'AO Meng-chun (F)	(2580/1322/0689)
TSOU Ta-p'eng	(6760/1129/7720)
WU Yao-tsung	(0702/5069/1350)
YANG Han-sheng	(7122/5060/4563)
YAO Chen	(1202/3308)

Executive Council (237 members)

While some members of the Executive Council are known, it is felt that a complete listing of their names is unnecessary at this time.

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International Liaison Department

Interpreter (1960) LIN Li-yun

Country Sections

It is apparent that the headquarters of the ACRFC is broken down into sections dealing with various countries. So far, the chief of only one such section is known:

Japan Section

Chief (1958) LIU Po-kang (0491/0130/0474)

Provincial Branches

The ACRFC maintains branches in each of the provinces. Branches are apparently also maintained in certain cities. The leaders of a city branch (when the city is a capital of a province) apparently may double as leaders of the provincial branch of the ACRFC.

Kwangtung Province

Canton City Branch (possibly also the Kwangtung Province Branch)

Chairman	TU Kuo-hsiang *	(2629/0948/1651)
D/Chmn	FENG Nai-ch'ao	(7458/0035/6389)
D/Secgen	YANG Kuei-chang	

Hupei Province

Wuhan City Branch (possibly also the Hupei Province Branch)

Vice-pres YU Wei-ting

- d. Publications: None identified. Chinese Communist cultural publications are published by the Foreign Languages Press, Peiping.
- e. Remarks: The ACRFC was formed to conduct the Chinese Communist cultural offensive, principally in non-Communist nations. The ACRFC is believed to be subordinate to the United Front Work Department and to the Propaganda Department of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China. It should

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not be confused with the Commission for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries (formerly the Liaison Bureau for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries), which is under the State Council.

Chinese-African Peoples Friendship Association (Chungkuo Feichou Jenmin Yuhao Hsiehhui)

- a. Date Established: April 1960  
 b. Address: Peiping, China  
 c. Officers:

President	LIU Ch'ang-sheng**	(0491/7022/0524)
Vice Pres	PAO Erh-han aka Burhan	(7637/3643/3352)
	CH'U Wu	(1448/2976)
	NAN Han-ch'en	(0589/3352/1368)
	HSU Kuang-p'ing (F)	(6079/1684/1627)
	LIU Tzu-tsai *	(0491/1311/6528)
	HSU P'ing-yu *	(1776/1627/5038)
	LIU Hsi-yuan	(0491/6007/0337)
	CHANG T'ieh-sheng*	(1728/6993/3932)

Standing Committee (40 members):

TING Hsi-lin	(0002/6007/2651)
aka TING Hsieh-lin	(0002/3610/2651)
PAO Erh-han	(7637/3643/3352)
aka Burhan	
PAI Yang	(4101/2254)
LIU Ch'ang-sheng**	(0491/7022/0524)
LIU Tzu-tsai*	(0491/1311/6528)
LIU Hsi-yuan	(0491/6007/0337)
LIU Pai-yu	(0491/4101/5038)
TA P'u-sheng	(6671/3184/3932)
aka Sheikh Nur Mohammed TA P'u-sheng	
CHU Mu-chih	(2612/4476/0037)
CHU Tzu-chi	(2612/1311/1142)
aka CHU Tzu-ch'i	
CH'ENG Fang-wu	(2052/0119/0710)
HSIAO Fang-chou	(5135/2455/3166)



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LI Ch'i-hsin	(2621/0796/2450)
WU Mao-sun	(0702/5399/5549)
WU Ch'ing	(0702/7230)
HO Ying	(0149/5391)
CH'U Wu	(1448/2976)
LO Chun	(5012/0193)
aka LO Tsun	
CHOU Erh-fu	(0719/5079/1788)
LIN Lin	(2651/2651)
CHIN Tzu-ming	(6855/1311/2494)
NAN Han-ch'en	(0589/3352/1368)
CHANG Chih-hsiang	(1728/5268/4382)
CHANG T'ieh-sheng*	(1728/6993/3932)
CHANG Chieh	(1728/2638)
aka Mohammed Ali CHANG Chieh	
YAO Chung-ming	(1202/0112/2494)
YAO Chung-k'ang	(1202/0112/1660)
HSU P'ing-yu*	(1776/1627/5038)
CH' IEN Ta-wei	(6929/1129/5898)
HSU Kuang-p'ing (F)	(6079/1684/1627)
aka Mme LU Hsun	
MEI I	(2734/4135)
aka MEI Yi	
MEI Ian-fang	2734/5695/5364)
HAN Ming	(7281/2494)
CH'U T'u-nan	(2806/0956/0589)
YANG Yun-yu	(2799/5686/3768)
YANG Shuo	(2799/2592)
LIAO Ch'eng-chih**	(1675/2110/1807)
TSAI Ying-p'ing	(5591/5391/1627)
SA K'ung-liao	(5646/4500/0055)

Council (133 members):

TING Hsi-lin	(0002/6007/2651)
aka TING Hsieh-lin	(0002/3610/2651)
YU Lin	(0060/2651)
OU T'ang-liang (F)	(0575/2768/0081)
K'UNG Yuan	(1313/0626)
FANG Ming	(2455/2494)
WANG Chih-chieh	(3769/1807/2638)
WANG Ming-yuan	(3769/2494/6678)
PAO Erh-han	(7637/3643/3352)
aka Burhan	

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MA Yu-huai (7456/3768/2849)  
 aka Yussef MA Yu-huai  
 MA Cho-chou (7456/0587/3166)  
 aka MA Tso-chou  
 PAI Yang (4101/2254)  
 SUN I-ch'ing (1327/6522/7230)  
 aka SUN Yi-ch'ing  
 T'UNG Yun (0104/0061)  
 SHIH Lu (4258/7627)  
 TSO Ha-la (1563/0761/2139)  
 aka TSOHARA  
 LIU Ning-i\*\* (0491/1380/0001)  
 aka LIU Ning-yi  
 LIU Ch'ang-sheng\*\* (0491/7022/0524)  
 LIU Tzu-tsai\* (0491/1311/6528)  
 LIU Hsi-yuan (0491/6007/0337)  
 LIU Ch'ing-yang(F) (0491/3237/2254)  
 aka Mme CHANG Shan-fu  
 LIU Yung-ju (0491/1066/1172)  
 LIU Hung-wen (0491/7703/2429)  
 LIU Hsi-wen (0491/1585/2429)  
 LIU Pai-yu (0491/4101/5038)  
 LIU Hsi-lin (0491/6007/2651)  
 LIU Shu-te (0491/3412/1795)  
 aka LIU Shu-teh  
 LIU Lin-jui (0491/7792/3843)  
 CH'I Wei-li (7871/4850/4409)  
 YUAN K'o-ming (7086/0344/2494)  
 aka YUAN Ke-ming  
 TA P'u-sheng (6671/3184/3932)  
 aka Sheikh Nur Mohammed TA P'u-sheng  
 CHU Mu-chih (2612/4476/0037)  
 CHU Tzu-chi (2612/1311/1142)  
 aka CHU Tzu-ch'i  
 CH'ENG Fang-wu (2052/0119/0710)  
 ANNIWAERHHENBABA Yuehfu  
 (1344/1441/3907/1422/3352/  
 1572)  
 aka Aniwari Hanbaba (4766/1133)  
 YASHENG Hutapaierti (0068/3932)(5170/6671/  
 2157/1422/4104)  
 aka Yasen Hudaberdi  
 JEN Ch'ing (0117/3237)  
 CHLANG Ching-ho (3068/2529/3109)

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LI Ch'i-hsin	(2621/0796/2450)
LI T'ai-ch'eng	(2621/1132/2052)
LI Yen-mo	(2621/1750/2307)
LI Hua-mung	(2621/5478/6593)
LI Hou	(2621/1775)
LI Yuan-ch'ing	(2621/0337/1987)
LI Ho-tseng	(2621/0735/2582)
aka LI Ho-ts'eng	
LI Ping	(2621/0393)
LI Shih-tseng	(2621/1102/2582)
aka LI Shih-ts'eng	
WU Mao-sun	(0702/5399/5549)
WU Hhiao-ta	(0702/2556/6671)
WU Hua-chih	(0702/0553/0037)
WU Chung-lun	(0702/0112/0243)
WU Ch'ing	(0702/7230)
WU Hsueh-ch'ien	(0702/1331/6197)
YU Feng-ch'i	(3730/7685/1477)
HSLAO Fang-chou	(5135/2455/3166)
HSLAO Kang	(5135/1511)
SHEN Tzu-chiu (F)	(3088/5417/0046)
aka Mme HU Yu-chih	
SHEN Han	(3088/3211)
HO Ying	(0149/5391)
HSIN I	(6580/3015)
aka HSIN Yi	
LU Ching	(7120/7234)
TU Chin-fang	(2629/6602/5364)
SU Sheng-lan	(5685/4141/5695)
WANG Hsiao-ch'uan	(3076/1420/1557)
CH'U Wu	(1448/2976)
LO Chun	(5012/0193)
aka LO Tsun	
LO Tsung-hsien	(5012/1350/6343)
LO P'ei-yuan	(5012/1014/0337)
CHOU Erh-fu	(0719/5079/1788)
CHOU P'ei-yuan	(0719/1014/3293)
CHOU Lin	(0719/2651)
CHIN Tzu-ming	(6855/1311/2494)
LIN Lin	(2651/2651)
LIN Meng	(2651/5536)
CHIN Chung-hua	(6855/0112/5478)
CHIN Chih-fu	(6855/4160/1133)
P'ENG Yen	(1756/3508)
FAN Yuan	(5400/3293)

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SHAO Kung-wen	(6730/0361/2429)
P'ENG Szu-k'o	(2590/2448/0344)
aka P'ENG Ssu-k'o	
aka PUNCHUK	
aka PENGSK	
aka PONSEG	
CH'EN Chung-ching	(7115/1813/4842)
CH'EN T'ieh-min	(7115/6993/3046)
CH'EN Kung-ch'i	(7115/0361/3825)
CH'EN Pai-ch'en	(7115/4101/1057) or (7115/4101/7775)
	(both are correct)
CH'EN Hsien	(7115/0341)
CH'EN Chun	(7115/3182)
NAN Han-ch'en	(0589/3352/1368)
CHANG Yen	(1728/1750)
CHANG Chih-hsiang	(1728/5268/4382)
CHANG T'ieh-sheng*	(1728/6993/3932)
CHANG Chieh	(1728/2638)
aka Mohammed Ali CHANG Chieh	
CHANG Te-lung	(1728/1795/7127)
aka CHANG Teh-lung	
CHANG Yao-hui	(1728/5069/6540)
CHANG Li-hsing	(1728/0500/5887)
CHANG Hsiao-mei	(1728/2556/2734)
CHANG Wang	(1728/2598)
YAO Chung-k'ang	(1202/0112/1660)
YAO Chung-ming	(1202/0112/2494)
HU Ch'i-li	(5170/0796/4539)
HU T'ien-ming	(5170/1131/2494)
K'O Po-nien	(2688/2672/1628)
aka K'O Pai-nien	
CHAO Yun-ch'ing	(6392/0061/3237)
CHAO Ping-nan	(6392/3521/0589)
CHENG K'ang	(6774/1660)
HSU P'ing-yu	(1776/1627/5038)
CH'IENT Hsin-chung	(6929/0207/1813)
CH'IENT Ch'ung-shu	(6929/1504/3412)
CH'IENT Ching-jen	(6929/3228/0086)
CH'IENT Ta-wei	(6929/1129/5898)
YUAN Pao-hua	(5913/5508/5478)
T'ANG Hung-kuang	(0781/1347/0342)
HSIA Tun	(1115/1908)
CH'IN I	(4440/1837)
aka CH'IN Yi	

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HOU I-min	(0186/6654/3046)
aka HOU Yi-min	
HSU Kuang-p'ing (F)	(6079/1684/1627)
aka Mme LU Hsun	
MEI I	(2734/4135)
aka MEI Yi	
MEI Lan-fang	(2734/5695/5364)
K'ANG Yung-ho	(1660/3057/0735)
TS'UI Hsiung-K'un	(1508/7160/1507)
KUO Hsiao-ch'uan	(6753/1420/1557)
KUO Lan-ying	(6753/5695/5391)
CH'ANG Chih-ch'ing	(1603/5347/7230)
HAN Ming	(7281/2494)
CH'U T'u-nan	(2806/0956/0589)
YANG Ching-jen	(2799/7234/0088)
YANG Yun-yu	(2799/5686/3768)
YANG Shuo	(2799/2592)
MENG Ting-chun	(5536/1353/6511)
LIAO Ch'eng-chih**	(1675/2110/1807)
TS'AI Ying-p'ing	(5591/5391/1627)
LAI Shao-ch'i	(6351/1421/0366)
CHI Chao-ting	(0370/2600/7844)
HSIEH Ping-hsin	(6200/0393/1800)
SA K'ung-liao	(5646/4500/0055)

Secretary General:

(Mme) WU Ch'ing (0702/7230)

Deputy Secretaries General:

SHEN Wen (3088/2429)  
LI Chin (2621/6651)  
HSU Chun-ting

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-Latin America Friendship Association (Chungkuo Lating Meichou Yuhao Hsiehhui)

a. Date established: 16 March 1960

b. Address: 14 Tung Ssu San Tiao Hutung, Peiping, China.

c. Officers:

President CH'U T'u-nan (2806/0956/0589)

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Vice-Pres	HU Yu-chih	(5170/1937/0037)
	WU Leng-hsi	(0702/0397/6007)
	CHI Chao-ting	(0307/2600/7844)
	YAO Chen	(1202/3308)
	TUNG Chun-ts'ai	(5516/4783/2088)
	aka TUNG Ch'un-ts'ai	
	CHOU Erh-fu	(0719/5079/1788)

Standing Committee (30 members):

WANG Li	(3769/0500)
SHEN Chien	(3947/0256)
CHU Po-shen	(2612/0130/3234)
WU Yun-fu	(0124/0061/3940)
CHANG Chih-hsiang	(1728/5268/4382)
CHANG Lien-hua	(1728/5114/5478)
SHAO Kung-wen	(6730/0361/2429)
CH'EN Kung-ch'i	(7115/0361/3825)
CH'EN Yu	(7115/1342)
WU Leng-hsi	(0702/0397/6007)
WU Hsiao-ta	(0702/2556/6671)
LIN Chih-yuan	(2651/0037/0626)
CHIN Tzu-ming	(6855/1311/2494)
CHIN Chung-hua	(6855/0112/5478)
CHOU Erh-fu	(0719/5079/1788)
LO Shu-Chang (F)	(5012/0647/4545)
FAN Ch'ang-chiang*	(5400/7022/3068)
aka FAN Hsi-t'ien	
HUNG Tsang	(3163/5661)
aka HUNG Ts'ang	
HU Yu-chih	(5170/1937/0037)
YAO Chen	(1202/3308)
HSU P'ing-yu*	(1776/1627/5038)
HSU Tan-lu	(1776/3225/1687)
MEI I	(2734/4135)
aka MEI Yi	
HUANG Chia-szu	(7806/1367/7475)
TSENG T'ao	(2582/3447)
TUNG Chun-ts'ai	(5516/4783/2088)
CH'U T'u-nan	(2806/0956/0589)
CHAO Feng	(6392/8676)
CH'IEH Li-jen	(6929/2621/0088)
CHI Chao-ting	(0370/2600/7844)
JEN Ying-lun	

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TING Hsueh-sung	(0002/7185/2646)
WANG Li	(3769/0500)
WANG Tsai-t'ien	(3769/0375/1131)
WANG Ya-fan	(3769/0068/0416)
WANG Ming-yuan	(3769/2494/6678)
WANG Chin-ch'uan	(3769/6930/1557)
PAI Hua	of Canton (4101/2901)
K'UNG Mai	of Tientsin (1313/6701)
AN Po	(1344/3134)
ANNIWAERHHENBABA Yuehfu	of Liaoning (1344/1441/3907/ 1422/3352/1572/ 1572/4766/1133)
KU Yuan	of Sinkiang Uighur Autonomous Region (0657/0337)
TENG Kang	(6772/1511)
YEH K'o	(5509/0344)
T'LEN Han	of Chekiang (3944/3352)
SHEN Chien	(3947/0256)
CHU Ming	(2612/2494)
CHU Po-shen	(2612/0130/3234)
WU Yun-fu	(0124/0061/3940)
YA Ma	(0068/7456)
CHANG Pei-ch'en	of Chilin (1728/0554/2525)
CHANG Ting	of Honan (1728/0089)
CHANG Chih-hsiang	(1728/5268/4382)
CHANG Tung-ch'uan	(1728/2639/1557)
CHANG Lien-hua	(1728/5114/5478)
CHANG Wei	(1728/4850)
CHANG Ch'un-ch'iao	(1728/2504/2890)
CHANG Fan	(1728/1581)
CHANG Feng-po	(1728/6912/0130)
CHANG Hsi-ch'ou	of Shansi (1728/6932/0321)
SHAO Kung-wen	(6730/0361/2429)
LI Ping-ch'uan	(2621/3521/3123)
LI Wu	(2621/0124)

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LI Shao-ch'un	(2621/1421/2504)
LI Chin	(2621/6651)
	of Kiangsu
LI Ch'ao	(2621/6389)
	of Hupeh
LI Mao-chai	(2621/5399/7872)
LI P'ing	(2621/5493)
	of Yunan
LIU Shu-fang	(0491/3219/5364)
LIU Shou-ch'i	(0491/1108/4388)
	of Hunan
LIU Hsu-chi	(0491/5171/0679)
CH'EN Kung-ch'i	(7115/0361/3825)
CH'EN Ming	(7115/2494)
CH'EN Yu	(7115/1342)
CH'EN Chung-ching	(7115/1813/4842)
CH'EN Chin	(7115/6855)
CH'EN Shun-yao	(7115/5293/3852)
WU K'o-li	(0702/0344/0500)
	of Loyang
WU Leng-hsi	(0702/0397/6007)
WU Tso-jen	(0702/0155/0086)
WU Ying-k'ai	(0702/5391/1956)
WU Chieh-p'ing	(0702/7132/1627)
WU Chi-sheng	(0702/3444/3932)
WU Chiu	(0702/2806)
WU Hsiao-ta	(0702/2556/6671)
HO Ch'eng-hsiang	(0149/2052/3276)
HSHAO San	(5135/0005)
TU Chin-fang	(2629/6602/5364)
HSING I	(1630/3015)
aka HSING Yi	(5685/0344/0530)
SU K'o-ch'in	(2651/0037/0626)
LIN Chih-yuan	(2651/1627)
LIN P'ing	(2651/6846)
LIN Ts'ai	of Chengtu
	(6855/1311/2494)
CHIN Tzu-ming	(6855/0112/5478)
CHIN Chung-hua	(0719/5079/1788)
CHOU Erh-fu	(0719/7201/0022)
CHOU Chen-chung	(5012/0647/4545)
LO Shu-chang	(5012/7234/1355)
LO Ching-i	(7456/3536)
MA Feng	of Shensi
	(1327/2867/1355)
SUN Lo-i	of Canton

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OUYANG Shan-tsun	(2962/7122/1472/1415)
FAN Ch'ang-chiang*	(5400/7022/3068)
aka FAN Hsi-t'ien	
FAN Tung-shen	(5400/2767/3947)
HU Ch'i-li	(5170/0796/4539)
HU Yu-chih	(5170/1937/0037)
HU Chuan k'uei	(5170/0278/2247)
aka HU Ch'uan-k'uei	
HU Hsi-k'uei	(5170/6932/1145)
HUNG Tsang	(3163/5661)
aka HUNG Ts'ang	
YUNG Lung-kuei	(0516/7893/2710)
YAO Chen	(1202/3308)
MA Shao-po	(7456/1421/3134)
MA Szu-ts'ung	(7456/1835/5115)
NI Fei-chun	(0242/2431/0689)
HSU P'ing-yu*	(1776/1627/5038)
HSU Tan-lu	(1776/3225/1687)
CH'IN I	(4440/1837)
aka CH'IN Yi	
LIANG Hua-hsin	(4731/5478/2450)
	of the Kwangsi
	Chuang Autono-
	mous Region
KUO Shu-chen	(6753/3219/3791)
HSI Feng-chou	(1598/7685/3166)
HUA Chun-wu	(5478/0689/2976)
T'ANG Ming-chao	(0781/2494/3564)
TS'AO Yu	(2580/4417)
aka WAN Chia-pao	
MEI I	(2734/4135)
aka MEI Yi	
MEI Lan-fang	(2734/5695/5364)
HEI Po-li	(7815/0130/3810)
	of Ninghsia Hui
	Autonomous Region
YU I-hsuan	(0827/1355/5503)
aka YU Yi-hsuan	
HUANG Chia-szu	(7806/1367/7475)
TSENG T'ao	(2582/3447)
LU P'ing	(7120/1627)
FENG Ting	(7458/1353)
LEI Hsing	(7191/5887)
	of Hupeh
YANG Shuo	(2799/2592)
TUNG Chun-ts'ai	(5516/4783/2088)

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CH'U T'u-nan	(2806/0956/0589)
LIAO Chia-min	(1675/1367/1488) of Chengtu
P'EI Tung-li	(5952/2639/4713) of Chungking
CHAO Feng	(6392/8676)
CHAO Hua	(6392/5478) of Anhuai
CHAO Chi-wu	(6392/4949/2976)
CHENG I-p'ing	(6774/0181/1627) aka CHENG Yi-p'ing
CH' IEN Li-jen	(6929/2621/0088) of Harbin
CHI Chao-ting	(0370/2600/7844)
HSIEH Ping-hsin	(6200/0393/1800)
HSIEH Pang-chih	(6200/6721/3112) of Shanghai
TAI Ai-lien	(2071/1947/5571)
WEI Ch'i-hsien	(7614/0796/6343)

Secretary General:

JEN Ying-lun  
[as of July 1961 replacing  
CH'EN Chin (7115/6855)]

D/Secs. General:

LIU Hsu-chi	(0491/5171/0679)
WANG Chia-pin	(3769/1367/6333) (in 1961 held a diplomatic post in Cuba)
WANG P'u-ch'ing	(3076/2528/1987)
WU Jui	(0702/6904)

Added in July 1961

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-Albania Friendship Association

a. Date established: 30 September 1958

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman	CHIANG Nan-hsiang	(5592/0589/5046)
Vice Chairmen	HO Piao	(6320/1753)
	LIU Pai-yu	(0491/4101/5038)
Secretary General	LIU Tzu-yu	[as of July 1961 replaced LI Ch'ao (2621/6389)]

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-Algeria Friendship Society

- a. Date Established: 30 March 1958
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks: Nothing further has been heard of this society since its establishment.

China-Bulgaria Friendship Association

- a. Date established: 30 September 1958
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:

Chairman	LIU Jui-lung	(0491/3843/7893)
Vice Chairmen	NIEH Chen TS'AI Jo-hung	(5119/4176) (5591/5387/5725)
Secy General	SHIH Yu-ts'ai [as of July 1961 replaced HSIA T'ing (1115/7200)]	

- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

China-Burma Friendship Association (Chung Mien Yuhao Hsieh-hui)

- a. Date established: Known to exist in January 1956.
- b. Address: Based separately in the same compound with the ACRFC.
- c. Officers:

Chairman	CHANG Yu-yu	(1728/0645/3342)
Vice Chairmen	CHAO P'u-ch'u CHIEN Po-tsan	(6392/2883/0443) (5054/0130/6363)
Secy General	TIEN Chia-nung [as of July 1961 replaced HSU Hung-chiu (1776/1347/0046)]	

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d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-Cambodia Friendship Association

a. Date established: 12 December 1960

b. Address: Peiping

c. Officers:

Chairman	CH'I Yen-ming*	(7871/3601/6900)
Vice Chairmen	WANG K'un-lun	(3769/2492/0178)
	CHANG Ch'ien (F)	(1728/5409)
	CHANG T'ien-min	(1728/1131/3046)
D/Secy General (1961)	SUNG Chi	

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: Possesses a council or board of 50 members.

China-Congo Friendship Society

a. Date established: Late 1960

b. Address: Peiping

c. Officers:

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: This may be a committee within the Chinese-African People's Friendship Association.

China-Czechoslovakia Friendship Association

a. Date established: 30 September 1958.

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman	HSIA Yen*	(1115/5888)
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Vice Chairmen	HSU Kuang-p'ing (F) aka Mme LU Hsun	(6079/1684/1627)
	TS'UI I-t'ien	(1508/5030/3944)
Secy General	SSU-T'U Hui-min	(0674/1776/1979/2404)
Member	TU Ai	

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-Finland Friendship Association

- a. Date established: 1958
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks: Nothing has been heard of it since its inception.

China-Germany Friendship Association

- a. Date established: 30 September 1958
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:

Chairman	CHU K'o-chen also given CHU Ko-chen	(4555/0668/2823) (6175/5514/2823)
Vice Chairmen	JUNG Kao-t'ang LIU Ai-feng MA Ssu-ts'ung aka Sitson MA	(2837/7559/2768) (0491/4114/7364) (7456/1835/5115)
Secy General	WANG Yuan-fang	(3769/0337/2455)
Other	KAO K'o-lin	(7559/0344/2651)

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China-Hungary Friendship Association

a. Date established: 1 October 1958

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman	CH'U Wu	(1448/2976)
Vice Chairmen	HO Lu-t'ing	(6320/4845/3060)
	HSIAO San	(5135/0005)
	also given HSIAO San	(5618/0005)
Secy General	CHANG Lien-hua	(1728/5114/5478)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-India Friendship Association (Chung Yin Yuhao Hsiehhui)

a. Date established: Known to exist as early as 1952.

b. Address: Housed separately in the same compound with the ACRFC.

c. Officers:

Chairman	TING Hsi-lin	(0002/6007/2651)
Vice Chairman	CH'EN Han-sheng	(7115/5060/4563)
Other  (Associated with the Assoc. in the past)	WU Hua-chih	(0702/0553/0037)
	HU Yu-chih	(5170/1937/0037)
	CHOU Wei-chih	(0719/1550/1492)
	CHU Ch'i-wen	(2612/0366/2429)
	CHANG Shui-hua	(1728/3055/5478)
	YUAN Shui-p'ai	(5913/3055/2143)
	aka YUAN Shui-p'o	
	penname: MA Fan-tuo	
	WU Ch'uan-heng (F)	(0702/0356/5899)
	WANG Chi-ch'i	(3076/1323/3823)
telecodes may be	(3076/1323/3825)	
WANG Hu-chen	(3076/5170/2823)	
TU Ch'ien	(2629/0467)	
LI Shao-ch'un	(2621/1421/2504)	

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CHAO P'u-ch'u (6392/2883/0443)  
HSIEH Ping-hsin\* (6200/0393/1800)  
SAI Fu-ting (6357/4395/7844)  
aka SAIFUDIN  
aka SEYFUDDIN AZIZOV  
LIU Pai-yu (0491/4101/5038)  
SA K'ung-liao (5646/4500/0055)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-Indonesia Friendship Association

a. Date established: June 1955

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman

PAO Erh-han (7637/3643/3352)

Vice Chairmen

HU Yu-chih (5170/1937/0037)  
MA Yu-huai (7456/3768/2849)

Secy General

FENG Pai-lu  
[as of July 1961; JEN  
Po-sheng (0117/3124/3932)  
and possibly LIN Lin  
previously held this post]

Mbrs. of Council

CHU Ming (2612/2494)  
TAI Ai-lien (F) (2071/1947/5571)  
WANG Jen-shu (3769/0117/0647)  
TA P'u-sheng (6671/3184/3932)  
CH'EN Po-tsan (6929/0130/4681)  
YANG Han-sheng (7122/5060/4563)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-Iraq Friendship Association

a. Date established: 29 September 1958

b. Address:

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c. Officers:

Chairman	LIU Ning-i**	(0491/1380/0001)
Vice Chairman	LO Chun	(5012/0193)
Secy General	WU Ch'ing	(0702/7230)
Council members	HOU Tse-pang probably HOU Te-pang (0186/1795/2831) K'ANG Yeng-ho probably K'ANG Yung-he (1660/3057/0735)	
	KUNG Ta-pei probably an error for KUNG Ta-fei	(1362/6671/7236)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-Japan Friendship Association

a. Date established:

b. Address:

c. Officers:

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: In March 1958 it was reported that such a society was to be organized in the spring of 1958. However no further information has been received.

China-Korea Friendship Association

a. Date established: 30 September 1958

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman	LI Te-ch'uan* (F) aka Mme FENG Yu-hsiang	(2621/1795/0356)
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Vice Chairmen WEI Ch'uan-t'ung (7614/0278/4827)  
SHU She-yu (5289/5287/0056)  
aka LAO She (5071/5287)

Secretary Gen OUYANG Ch'ing  
[as of July 1961 replaced  
LI Te-ch'i (2621/1779/1142)]

Board Members LI Chieh-po\*\* (2621/7327/0130)  
aka LI Hsieh-po (2621/7327/0130)  
HSIA Ting (1115/7844)  
WANG I (3769/4135)  
TSOU Fan-yang (2629/4423/4545)  
HUANG Lo-feng (7806/3157/1496)  
HSIEH Ping-yen (6200/0393/1484)

Branch:

Shenyang

Vice Chmn CHIN Chih-fu (6855/4160/1133)

Kirin (established Aug 1960)

Chmn FU Chen-sheng\* (1381/2182/5116)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-Laos Friendship Association

a. Date established:

b. Address:

c. Officers:

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: In mid-1959 it was reported that such an organization existed, but no information is available as to its membership or activities.

China-Mongolia Friendship Association

a. Date established: 30 September 1958

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Vice Chairmen

CHI Ya-t'ai (0679/7161/3141)  
MAO Chi-huan (3029/7871/5478)  
TS'AO Yu (2580/4417)  
telecodes also given as (2580/4416)  
aka WAN Chia-pao  
TS'AO Ti-ch'iu\* (2580/5441/4428)  
(2580/5441/4428)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-Nepal Friendship Association

a. Date established: 28 September 1956

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman	CHOU Chien-jen	(0719/1696/0086)
Vice Chairman	CHOU Shu-chia	(0719/0647/6609)
Secretary Gen	CHANG I-hua	(1728/0076/2901)
Member	WU Lan-fu** aka YUN Tse aka ULANFU	(3527/5695/1133) (7189/3419)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: At its inception in 1956, the Association possessed an Executive Council of 25 members. It is probable that WU Lan-fu is a member of that Council.

China-Pakistan Friendship Association (Chung Pa Yuhao Hsiehhui)

a. Date established: 25 May 1956

b. Address: In mid-1958 it was reported that the headquarters of the Association in Peip'ing was housed in a "magnificent new building," a three story affair with space for offices, reading rooms, conference rooms and transient dormitories. It also had a Muslim kitchen where everything served to Muslims was prepared according to the Islamic custom. In January 1957 was housed separately in the same compound with the ACRFC.

c. Officers:

Chairman	LIU Ko-p'ing*	(0491/2706/1627)
Vice Chairman	I-MIN-NO-FU* aka IMINOV	(0122/2404/6179/1133)
Secretary Gen	LO Ching-i	(5012/7234/1355)
Council member	WANG Chuan-pin CHANG-Ch'ien (F)	(3769/0278/2430) (1728/5409)
Other	CH'EN Ming SOONG Ch'ing-ling (F) aka Mme SUN Yat-sen	(7115/2494) (1345/1987/7881)
(Associated with the Assoc. in the past)	CH'IEN Tuan-sheng HUANG Kan-ying (F) FANG Shih-shan YANG Ching-jen	(6929/4551/0581) (7806/3927/5391) (2455/4258/3790) (2799/7234/0088)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-Poland Friendship Association

a. Date established: 30 September 1958

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman	SHEN Yen-ping aka MAO Tun	(3088/7159/0393) (5403/4163)
Vice Chairmen	HO Ch'eng-hsiang TENG T'ao TS'AI Ch'u-sheng	(0149/2052/3276) (6772/2148) (5591/2806/3932)
Secy General	HU Ying-shen [as of July 1961 replaced WANG I (3769/0308)]	
Council Members	LI Chien-feng WANG Wei-chou** WU Chiang	(3769/4850/5297)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-Rumania Friendship Association

a. Date established: 30 September 1958

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman	LIU Chih-ming	(0491/5347/2494)
Vice Chairmen	CHIN Chung-hua LU P'ing MEI I	(6855/0112/5478) (7120/1627) (2734/4135)
Secy General	CHU Ming	(2612/2494)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

China-United Arab Republic Friendship Association

a. Date established: The China-Egypt Friendship Association (formed in November 1956) and the China-Syria Friendship Association (formed on 30 September 1957) were amalgamated as the China-UAR Friendship Association on 28 February 1958.

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman	PAO Erh-han	(7637/3643/3352)
Vice Chairmen	CHANG Chieh CHANG T'ieh-sheng TA P'u-sheng YANG Ching-jen	(1728/2638) (1728/6993/3932) (6671/3184/3932) (2799/7234/0088)
Secy General	YANG Hui-lin	(2799/1979/3829)
D/Secy General	YUEH Tai-heng	(1471/1486/5899)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: At the time of its inception, the Association was broken down into Syrian, Egyptian and Yemeni regions and possessed a Council of 60 members.

China-United Kingdom Friendship Association (Sino-British Friendship Association)

- a. Date established:
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks: Reference has been made to such an organization, but no additional information is available on it at this time.

China-USSR Friendship Association (Sino-Soviet Friendship Association)

- a. Date established: 1949
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:

Chairman

SUNG Ch'ing-ling (F) (1345/1987/7881)  
aka SOONG  
aka Mme. SUN Yat-sen

Vice Chairmen

CH'ENG Ch'ien (4453/3383)  
HUANG Yen-p'ei (7806/3508/1014)  
KUO Mo-jo (6753/0463/3089)  
LI Chu-ch'en (2621/3608/1057)  
LI Ssu-kuang (2621/0934/0342)  
aka J. S. LEE  
aka LEE Jonquei S.  
LI Te-ch'uan (F) (2621/1795/0356)  
LIAO Ch'eng-chih\*\* (1675/2110/1807)  
LIN Piao\*\* (2651/1753)  
LIU Ning-i\*\* (0491/1380/0001)  
MA Hsu-lun (7456/0650/0243)  
SAI Fu-ting\* (6357/4395/7844)  
aka SAIFUDIN  
aka SEYFUDDIN AZIZOV  
SHAO Li-tzu (6730/0500/1311)  
SHEN Chun-ju (3088/6874/0320)  
SHEN Yen-ping (3088/7159/0393)  
aka MAO Tun  
WU Lan-fu\*\* (3527/5695/1133)  
WU Yu-chang\*\* (0702/3768/4545)  
MA Yin-ch'u (7456/1377/0443)  
LIN Po-chu\*\* (2651/0130/3255)  
aka LIN Tsu-han (2651/4371/3211)

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Secretary Gen	CH'IEN Chun-jui	(6929/0193/3843)
Acting Secy Gen (Feb 1961)	CHANG Chih-hsiang	(1728/5268/4382)
D/Secy General	LI Chan-wu	(2621/7205/0710)
	KO Pao-ch'uan	(2047/1405/2938)
	HU Wei-te	(5170/7279/1795)
	LI Hsi-Keng	
Council Members	CHANG Chih-chung	(1728/3112/0022)
	CHANG Hsi-chun	(1728/6932/6874)
(Executive Board)	CHANG Hsi-jóien**	(1728/1153/5387)
(Elected 2 May 1959)	CHANG Wen-t'ien**	(1728/5113/1131)
	aka LO Fu	
	CHAO Feng	(6392/3286)
	CH'EN Ch'i-yu	(7115/0366/1429)
	CH'EN Shu-t'ung	(7115/0647/6639)
	CHI Ch'ao-ting	(0370/2600/7844)
	aka CHI Chao-ting	
	CHOU Li-po	(0719/4539/3134)
	CHOU Shu-chia	(0719/0647/6609)
	CHU Hsi	(2612/3156)
	CHU Hsueh-fan	(2612/1331/4636)
	HO Hsiang-ning (F)	(0149/7449/0413)
	aka Mme. LIAO Chung-k'ai	
		(1675/0112/1956)
	HSLAO Ching-kuang**	(5618/0513/0342)
	HSLAO Hua	(5618/5478)
	HSLAO San	(5135/0005)
	HSU Kuang-p'ing (F)	(6079/1684/1627)
	HSU Te-heng	(6079/1795/3801)
	HU Yu-chih	(5170/1937/0037)
	HUA Lo-keng	(5478/5012/1649)
	KUNG Shou	(7895/4849)
	LI Chi-yeh	(2621/7221/6851)
	LI Wei-kuang	(2621/4850/0342)
	LIU Ch'ing-yang (F)	(0491/3237/2254)
	aka Mme. CHANG Shen-fu	
	LIU Hsiao**	(0491/2556)
	LIU Pai-yu	(0491/4101/5038)
	LIU Ya-lou	(0491/0068/2869)
	LIU Ting-i**	(7120/1353/0001)
	MA Yueh-han	(7456/4766/5060)
	MEI Lan-fang	(2734/5695/5364)
	MENG Yung-ch'ien	(1322/3938/3383)
	OU T'ang-liang (F)	(0575/2768/0081)
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	SHIH Liang (F)	(0670/5328)
	TENG T'o*	(6772/2148)
	TING Hsi-lin	(0002/6007/2651)
	TS'AI T'ing-k'ai	(5591/1694/6946)
	TS'AO Ching-hua	(2580/7231/5478)
	TS'AO Meng-chun (F)	(2580/1322/0689)
	TU Jun-sheng*	(2629/3387/3932)
	WANG Chia-hsiang**	(3769/4471/4382)
	WANG Chih-hsiang	(3769/0037/4161)
	WANG K'un-lun	(3769/2492/0178)
	also given as	(3769/1507/1510)
	WANG Ts'ao-li	(3769/2347/3680)
	WANG Yun-sheng	(3769/5366/3932)
	WEI Kuo-ch'ing	(7279/0948/3237)
	WU Yao-tsung	(0702/5069/1350)
Chief, Liaison Dept. (1955)	KO Pao-ch'uan	(2047/1405/2938)
Other	LO Shu-chang (F)	(5012/3219/4545)
	MAO I-sheng	(5403/0110/2573)
	aka MAO, Eason	
	HSU Kuang-ta	(6079/0342/6671)

Branches: The Sino-Soviet Friendship Association has branches in every major city and scattered throughout all the provinces of Communist China. In 1954 there were 1955 chapters and 613,160 local branches. At that time the Association's claimed membership was 68,000,000.

## Peiping

Chairman (1960)	TING T'o	(6772/2148)
Vice Chairmen	YANG Shu	(2799/6615)
	SHAO Li-tzu	(6730/0500/1311)
	TS'AO Ching-hua	(2580/7231/5478)
	CHU Fu-tang	
	LIAO Mo-sha	
Secy General	TSENG P'ing	(2582/1627)
D/Secs General	KAO Chen-tung	
	CHLANG Yen	(3068/3601)

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Shanghai

Chairman	SHIH Hsi-min*	(4258/6007/3046)
Vice Chairmen	CHUNG Min PA Chin aka LI Fu-kan FENG Te-p'ei CHEN Wang-tao	(6945/3046) (1572/6855) (2621/5372/3927) (7458/1795/1014)
D/Secy Gen	LIU Szu-mu	(0491/1835/1970)

Shenyang

Chairman	CH'IAO Jo-yu	(3542/5387/1946)
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Chungking

Chairman	LI T'ang-pin*	(2621/0781/1755)
Vice Chairman	JEN Pai-ko*	(0117/4101/2047)

Fukien

Vice Chairman	CHEN Shao-K'uan	(7115/4801/1401)
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Hupei & Wuhan

Acting Chmn	TSENG Tun*	(2582/1908)
Vice Chmn	HSIEH Tzu-chun MI Chia-fan	

Harbin

Chairman	YU Lin*	(0060/2651)
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Liaoning (established, 15 May 1956)

Chairman	HUANG Ou-tung*	(7806/2962/2639)
Vice Chairman	LI T'ao*	(2621/3447)

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Kwantung Province

Chairman	CHEN Yu**	(7115/6735)
Vice Chairman	LIN Chiang-yun	(2651/6973/7189)

Canton

Vice Chairmen	TSENG Chih*	(2582/1807)(F)
	SUN Lo-i	(1327/2867/1355)

- d. Publications: A Russian-language fortnightly journal titled Druzhba (Friendship) which was founded on 15 April 1955. Beginning with a circulation of 2,000, by April 1956 this figure had reached 57,000 and it was planned that circulation would increase to 67,000 in May 1956. Recent information reflects that the publication was closed down as a result of the Sino-Soviet ideological altercations. In 1956 its chief editor was one LIN Lang (2651/2728). Although the text for Druzhba was prepared in Peiping, the Russian-language edition was primarily circulated in the Soviet Union through the Soviet-Chinese Friendship Society which printed it in Moscow for the Chinese. Similarly a Chinese-language publication of the same name (Su-chung Yu-hao) was printed and distributed in China from a text prepared in Moscow.

e. Remarks:

China-Vietnam Friendship Association

- a. Date established: 30 September 1958
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:

Chairman	YANG Hsiu-feng**	(2799/4423/1496)
Vice Chairmen	OUYANG Yu-ch'ien	(2962/7122/0056/0241)
	SUN Hsiao-ts'un	(1327/2556/6722)
		(last character also given as 2625)
Secy General (1961)	TS'UI Chung-yuan	

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Board members:	CHANG O	(1728/6166)
	CHIN Chao	(6855/3564)
	TENG Kang	(6772/1511)
	YANG Shao-jen	(2799/1421/0117)

Branch:

Kwángsi

Chairman CHIN Ying-chi

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

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CZECHOSLOVAKIA

Czechoslovak Institute for Contacts with Abroad (Ceskoslovensky Ustav pro Styky se Zahranicim)

- a. Date established: Early 1959
- b. Address: [redacted]
- c. Officers:

Director (Dr) Vladimír KAIGL\*

Foreign Schools

The so-called foreign schools in Czechoslovakia for students from Africa and Asia (those not connected with the Czech Communist Party (KSC) or with the trade unions) are reported to be under the jurisdiction of the Institute for Contacts with Abroad.

Special Department for Relations with Czech Citizens Living Abroad (Oddelení pro Styky s Krajany a Krajanskými Organizacemi v Zahranici) (otherwise known as the Czech Foreign Institute)

Address - Karmelitska 25, Prague.

Chairman (1960) Marie TROJANOVA

Secy Gen (1960) Karel OLIVA

This department handles relations with Czech citizens who live abroad or with foreigners of Czech or Slovak descent, and maintains contacts with their national organizations. It was earlier believed that the Czech Foreign Institute had been completely submerged within the Institute for Contacts with Abroad. It appears now, however, that the CFI retains a degree of autonomy. It is still listed by name and address in the Prague telephone directory. The CFI's activities appear to be under the direction and guidance of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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d. Publications:

Ceskoslovensko Svet (Czech World)

This is a weekly newspaper which bears the legend "Weekly of the Czechoslovak Foreign Institute" and thus would seem to be directed primarily at Czechs living abroad.

- e. Remarks: The Institute for Contacts with Abroad is said to be directly under the control of the Foreign Department of the Central Committee of the KSC, and is also under the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the Ministry of Foreign Trade which subsidize it. It has been reported that the Intelligence Department of the Ministry of Interior is in close contact with the Institute and also has some control over its activities. The Institute for Contacts with Abroad concerns itself with all international conferences and events which have no official or state character, but in which Czechoslovakia and especially the KSC have an interest. These events and conferences are those in which no official state organ or its missions abroad may become involved. The primary task of the Institute for Contacts with Abroad is the care of official or private persons (with the exception of those invited by the government) who have been asked to come to Czechoslovakia and in whom the Czechs have an interest.

Czechoslovakia-China Friendship Association

- a. Date established: Sometime in 1953, all sinology students in Prague were informed that they were automatically members of the Czech-Chinese Friendship Association, which was said to be connected with the Oriental Institute. Few of the students paid dues, however, and they did not know whether this association really functioned or merely existed on paper.
- b. Address: Prague.
- c. Officers:
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

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Czechoslovakia-Italy Friendship Association (Czech-Italian Association)

- a. Date established: First reported in October 1959.
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:  
President (1959) (Prof) F. TRAVNICEK\*
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

Czechoslovak-Soviet Friendship Society (Svaz Ceskoslovensko-Sovetskeho Pratelstvi)(SCSP) (Union of Czechoslovak - Soviet Friendship)

- a. Date established: An association of Friends of the Soviet Union (Svaz pratel SSSR Union) was established by the Communist Party of Czechoslovakia in 1933. It was a small organization with a headquarters in Prague and a few branches in major cities. After almost six years of inactivity during World War II, the association was revived in 1945. At the same time a new organization, the Society for Cultural Cooperation with the Soviet Union (Spolecnost pro kulturni styky se SSSR) was established. The two organizations merged after February 1948 to create the present Society.
- b. Address: The headquarters of the Central Committee (Ustredni Vybor) of the SCSP is in a five-story building at Smetanovo nabrezi 18, Prague. A headquarters for Slovakia, Slovensky Vybor SCSP, is at Tolsteho ulice 3, Bratislava. Branches of the Society exist in every region (kraj) and district (okres). In addition to the headquarters of the society, Prague has a regional committee for the Prague Region and a city committee for the city itself. Both of these committees have offices at Vaclavske namesti 36, Prague. Every district within the Prague Region has a committee, the addresses of which are listed in the Prague telephone book. The SCSP also has committees in industrial installations, commercial enterprises, government offices, schools, housing developments, etc.
- c. Officers: As of 1960 the SCSP was the second largest mass organization in Czechoslovakia with about 2,100,000 members, who made up 20 regional, 297 district, and about 22,000 local units. The society has two types of employees: a permanent staff of paid employees and unpaid workers. The

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permanent staff consists of political workers all of whom are party members, and of economic-administrative workers (Communists and non-Communists). The unpaid employees usually work on a voluntary basis (they are usually lecturers, teachers in small towns and villages, accountants in farmers' cooperatives, etc.) and are rewarded for their volunteer activities with occasional free trips to the Soviet Union or to one of the other Communist countries.

Central Committee of the SCSP (152 known members in 1959)

Chairman (1961)	Zdenek NEJEDLY**
(1959)	Rudolf STRECHAJ**
Vice Chairmen	Vaclav KOPECKY **
	Vaclav DAVID**
Members of the Presidium	Pavla BERTIKOVA
	Jaromir BERAK
	Rudolf BRDICKA
	Pavel DANKO
	Vaclav DAVID**
	Julius DOLANSKY
	Antonin FLALA
	Zdenek FIERLINGER**
	Jozef GAJDOSIK
	Jarmila GLAZARDOVA
	Alexander HORAK
	Jan HRUBEC
	Bohuslav ILEK
	Vaclav JAKOUBEK
	Ladislava KLENHOVA-BESSEROVA**
	(Dr) Karel KOMAREK
	Vaclav KOPECKY**
	Vaclav KOUKOL
	Julius LORINC (LOERINCZ)**
	Josef LUKAS
	Jiri MAJER
	Pavel MAJLING
	Andrej MARCINA
	Marie MATEJKOVA
	Vladimir MEISNER
	Karel MOZOLAK
	Alois NEUMAN
	Josef PLOJHAR
	Pavla FULKRABOVA

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Josef SAFARIK  
Emanuel SIECHTA  
Ludvik SVOBODA  
Frantisek VNOUCEK  
Andrej ZIAK  
Ludvik MAULE  
Oleg HOMOLA\*\*  
(Dr) Jan NEMEC\*  
Vilem BENDA\*  
Jozef TOKAR

Secretariat (Prague)

Secy General

Oleg HOMOLA\*\*  
(HOMOLA is also directly responsible for the activities of Branches I and V of the Secretariat.)

D/Secs Gen

(Dr) Jan NEMEC\*  
(NEMEC is also directly responsible for the activities of Branches IV, VI, and VII of the Secretariat.)

Vilem BENDA\*  
(BENDA is also directly responsible for the activities of Branches II and III of the Secretariat of the Central Committee.)

(Each of the above is assigned a full-time secretary and, in addition, there is an office worker attached to the Secretariat as a translator.)

Branch I: Organization and Instruction Activities

Chief

Zdenka KUDRNOVA\*  
(Manages the entire Central Committee apparatus and handles the publication of Friends of the USSR (Pritel-SSSR).)

(In addition there are a clerk-secretary, two instructors, an "organizational office worker" and the editor of PritelSSSR)

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Branch II: Agitation and Propaganda

Chief Olga GISSUBLOVA\*  
(Supervises all activities dealing with lectures, expositions, and showing of films.)

(In addition there are a clerk-secretary, two branch program-planning directors, a supervisor of office workers and his three subordinates.)

Branch III: Editorial

Chief Alois ROHLENA\*  
(Arranges for publication of all political material including the pamphlets Poznavame SSR and Sestina Sveta v Obrazech as well as various posters, slogans and other publicity items.)

(In addition there are a clerk-secretary, two administrative assistants, a librarian, five editors and two translators.)

Branch IV: Peoples' Russian Language Courses

Chief Antonin SNYDR\*  
(Takes care of the organization of all Russian language instruction throughout Czechoslovakia.)

(In addition there are a clerk-secretary, and four lecturers or "directors.")

Branch V: International Activities

Chief Ilse DOLANSKA\*  
(Handles all trips of Czechoslovak nationals to the USSR and visits of Soviet guests to Czechoslovakia.)

(In addition there are a clerk-secretary and four office workers with liaison functions.)

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Branch VI: Financial Affairs

Chief	Milos HANIS* (Handles all budget and fiscal activities for the SCSP and maintains control over financial expenditures in accordance with the annual budget. Works closely with the Central Auditing Commission of the SCSP.)
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(In addition there are a clerk-secretary, four accountants and an office worker.)

Branch VII: Administrative

Chief	Josef KOBITA (Takes care of purchase of supplies; cooperates closely with Branch VI on budgetary questions; organizes receptions; and makes all arrangements for meetings of the Central Committee of the Society and other important events.)
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(In addition there are a clerk-secretary, an administrative office worker, a supply room supervisor, an accountant, a shipping clerk, a telephone operator, a doorman-messenger, an office worker in charge of transportation, five drivers, and four charwomen.)

In addition to the Secretariat in Prague, there is also an identical body in Bratislava, Slovakia, which is called the Secretariat of the Slovak Committee of the SCSP (Slovensky Vybor). The following members of that Secretariat are known:

Secy General	Jozef TOKAR
D/Secs General	Michal BOSANSKY Gustav CECH

- d. Publications: As of June 1959 the SCSP and enterprises connected with it published the following publications:

Svet Sovietu (Soviet World)

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Address: Fifth floor of Smetanovo nabrezi 18, Prague  
(this office also publishes translations of  
Soviet books).

Chief administrator Jan NEMEC\*

Editor-in-Chief Jan BURES

Editors Vaclav KUDIK  
Frantisek SOUKUP

Description: A weekly picture magazine, sold on newsstands  
throughout Czechoslovakia and having a cir-  
culation of perhaps 250,000.

Praha-Moskva (Prague-Moscow)

Description: A monthly publication devoted to intellec-  
tual articles, obtainable in bookstores,  
but not very much in demand (having a cir-  
culation of only 5,000). Published by the  
Czech-Soviet Institute (qv).

Cteni o SSSR

Description: A bi-weekly magazine devoted to pictures  
and light reading. Sold to the public for  
two crowns. Circulation of about 30,000.

Pritel SSSR (Friends of the USSR)

Description: A bi-weekly magazine for SCSP officials.  
Published in the form of a small brochure  
of about 32 pages and with a circulation  
of approximately 22,000. Officials of  
district level and above receive it free  
of charge. Officials below the district  
level pay 20 crowns per year for it. Deals  
mostly with organizational questions.

Poznavame SSSR (We Get to Know the USSR)

Description: A bi-weekly brochure for SCSP officials who  
lecture on the USSR, containing directions  
to ensure that the lecturers do not deviate  
from the Party line. Distributed free of  
charge to anyone having need of it.

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Sestina Sveta v Obrazech (One Sixth of the World in Pictures)

Description: A monthly magazine containing twelve colored pictures on a specific subject relative to the USSR (kolkhozes, Lenin, etc.) suitable for exhibition in the showcases of various SCSP establishments. Has a circulation of about 12,000 and sells for two crowns.

LKR

Description: A monthly magazine published by the Lidove Kursy Rustine Section of the SCSP, which has charge of Russian Language courses (i.e., Branch IV). Distributed free of charge to the officials who organize these courses.

- e. Remarks: In January 1961 Rude Pravo claimed that the SCSP had more than 2.3 million members. Approximately one half to two thirds of the SCSP members, approximately three fourths of the SCSP officials and paid employees, and the majority of the members of the SCSP Central Committee are members of the Communist Party of Czechoslovakia. The SCSP is under the control of the Section for Mass Organizations of the Communist Party and all decisions of the leadership of the SCSP must be approved by the Communist Party. Liaison with the Mass Organization Section of the CP is apparently a function of the secretary general (sometimes referred to as the central secretary or the chief secretary of the SCSP Secretariat).

Czech-Soviet Institute (Ceskoslovensko-Sovetsky Institut)

- a. Date established:
- b. Address: Narodni 5, Prague 1.
- c. Officers:
- d. Publications: Praha-Moskva (see information on SCSP, section on publications).
- e. Remarks: Apparently an affiliate of the SCSP. Has sections for Social Sciences and Art, for Technical Sciences, for Agricultural Sciences, and for Propaganda.

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Czechoslovakia-British Parliamentary Friendship Group

- a. Date established: 1 May 1958
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

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EAST GERMANY (GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC)(GDR)

Society for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries (Gesellschaft für Kulturelle Verbindungen mit dem Ausland)(GKVA)

- a. Date established: 7 June 1952.
- b. Address: Berlin W 8, Thälmannplatz 8/9.
- c. Officers: (1959)

Chairman (Prof) Robert ALT  
(this is a purely honorary position filled through election by the Secretariat; has also been referred to by the title 'President')

Vice Chairman Horst ANSPACH  
(his position has been given as Deputy Director-General of the Society)

Secretariat

Secy General Herbert MEYER  
(MEYER is directly responsible for the activities of Departments Ia, Ib, Ic, and Id of the Secretariat)

D/Secys Gen Kurt KANN  
(KANN is directly responsible for the activities of Departments IIa, IIb, IIc, IId, and IIe of the Secretariat)  
Herbert SCHÖNFELD  
(SCHÖNFELD is directly responsible for the activities of Departments IIIa, IIIb, IIIc, and IIId of the Secretariat)

Departments

Ia: Office of the Secretariat

IB: Chief

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Ib: Personnel

Chief (fnu) STEIER (female)

Members (fnu) RAUCH  
(responsible for personnel matters  
in the Publications Department)  
Erich RATAJASKI  
(in charge of personnel training)

Ic: Finance

Chief (fnu) BALZ  
(also head of the Kampfgruppe of  
the Society)

Id: Press and Information

Chief Guenter LOOCH  
(this department is primarily con-  
cerned with liaison between the  
Society and press organs)

IIa: Western Countries, Europe

Chief (fnu) DECKERS  
(his special field of responsibility  
is England)

Members (fnu) KASWAN  
Rosel STUDENT  
(these two are responsible for France)

IIb: Western Countries, Overseas

Chief Wolfgang BENDIX

IIc: German-Arabian Society

(discussed separately)

IId: Socialist Countries

Chief (fnu) NEUMANN

IIe: General Administration

Chief (fnu) LAPPASCHEWSKI (female)

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IIIa: Publications

Chief Bruno LEHMANN

D/Chief Manfred FEIST

Bulletins and Articles Section

Chief Manfred LOBEDA

D/Chief Wolf-Dieter GRUNBERGER

Editorial Section

Chief Manfred FEIST

Editor Gerhard RUDOLPH\*

The Publications Department services requests for articles on East Germany for use in information bulletins published by East German representatives abroad, provides propaganda guidance for use of East German representatives abroad, and provides articles to reporters contributing to foreign publications. The Bulletins and Articles Section also writes bi-monthly commentaries dealing with specific themes which receive world-wide distribution.

IIIb: Fairs and Exhibitions

Chief (fmu) SCHNEIDER

The Fairs and Exhibitions Department prepares all the propaganda work in connection with fairs, particularly those held abroad. It is also responsible for preparing exhibitions such as the one on West German militarism which was shown in Poland and Czechoslovakia.

IIIc: Photo and Sound

Chief Gerda WILLERDING

IIId: Printing and Distribution

Chief (fmu) KIENAST

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Printing Section

Chief           Werner BRIEGE

Distribution Section

Chief           (fnu) SCHAEFER

The Printing and Distribution Department is also the custodian of the Society's archives.)

GKVA Officials (posts unidentified)

(Prof)(fnu) CORRENS  
Hans GEREKE  
(fnu) HENNING (female)  
(fnu) STEMLER (female)

d. Publications:

GDR Review

Description: A monthly magazine published in English and French; price, 20 cents US; contains articles with accompanying photos or drawings; also uses short fiction and poetry.

Editor           Herbert SCHÖNFELD

Editor's office address: Dresden A 20, Wiener Strasse 82; telephone 4 09 27.

Publishing house: Verlag 'Zeit im Bild,' Dresden A 19, Bergmannstrasse 46; telephone 3 41 15.

Printer: 'Sächsische Zeitung,' Dresden N 23, Riesaer Strasse 32.

DDR in Wort und Bild (GDR in Words and Pictures)

Nothing further is known about this publication.

German Democratic Report

Nothing further is known about this publication.



The Society also publishes special pamphlets and 'themes' on different subjects and in a variety of languages.

- e. Remarks: Access to the offices of the society is severely limited. Foreign visitors are received in specially designated offices by the deputy secretaries general and department heads. There is information which indicates that the society provides financial assistance to German cultural and friendship organizations in Western countries.

German-African Society

- a. Date established: 17 March 1961.
- b. Address: East Berlin.
- c. Officers:

Chairman (Prof Dr) Walter MARKOV

Presidium (about 70 members)  
Gerald GOETTING  
Sepp SCHWAB  
Peter FLORIN

- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

German-Arabian Society (Deutsche Arabische Gesellschaft)

- a. Date established: 10 October 1958.
- b. Address: Has its headquarters in East Berlin, Thalmannstrasse, in the same building formerly used by the Goebbels propaganda organization. (Probably identical with the address of the Society for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries, see above.)
- c. Officers:

President Ernst SCHOLZ

Vice Presidents (Prof. Dr) Werner HARTKE  
Gerhard WEISS  
Herbert MEYER  
Rudolf KIRCHMER

Secretary (Dr) Burchard BRENTJES\*

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Presidium

Members

(Prof Dr) Kurt ALVERDES  
(Prof Dr) Anton ARLAND  
Horst ANSPACH  
Hans Walter AUST  
Kurth BARTHEL  
(Prof Dr Ing) Heinz BARWICH  
(Dr) Oskar BAUMGARTEN  
Wolfgang BENDIX  
(Dr) Lothar BOLZ  
(Dr) Burchard BRENTJES  
(Prof em Dr Dr h.c.) Theodor BRUGSCH  
Eduard CLAUDIUS  
(Prof) Fritz CREMER  
Franz DAHLEM  
Rudolf ENGEL  
Kurt ENKELMANN  
(Dr) Günter ERBACH  
Manfred EWALD  
(Dr) Otto FIRCHOW  
Kurt GREGOR  
(Prof Dr Ing) Werner GRUNER  
Richard GYPTNER  
(Prof) Käte HARIG  
(Prof Dr) Werner HARTKE  
Günter HEINTZE  
(Prof Dr) Fritz HINTZE  
Charlotte IBRAHIM  
(Prof Dr) Johannes IRMSCHER  
Rudolf KIRCHNER  
Fritz KOCH  
Kurt KOPLIN  
Alfred KURELLA  
Kurt Hermann KUHN  
Ilge LANGE  
(Prof Dr) Hermann LEY  
Helmut LEHMANN  
(Prof Dr) D. Johannes LEIPOLDT  
(Prof Dr) Arthur LÖSCHE  
Werner LORENZ  
(Dr) Werner LUDWIG  
Karl-Heinz MERKEL  
Karl MEWIS  
Herbert MEYER  
(Dr) G. Rudolf MEYER  
(Prof Dr) Dietfried MÜLLER-HEGEMANN

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(Prof) Otto NAGEL  
Hans PFLÜGER  
Heinrich RAU  
(Dr) Nikolaus Benjamin RICHTER  
Selman SELMANAGIC  
Ernst SAUERACKER  
Maximillian SCHEER  
(Dr) Kurt SCHEIDLER  
Ernst SCHOLZ  
Paul SCHOLZ  
Gerolf SCHÖNFELDER  
Joseph SCHWAB  
(Prof Dr) Hans STAMM  
(Dr) Heinz TILLMANN  
Fredo WEGMARSHAUS  
Walter WEIDAUER  
Gerhard WEISS  
Heinz WILLMANN  
Adolf ZINN

- d. Publications: In March 1959 it was reported that the Society would initiate publication of a bulletin beginning in April 1959, and an illustrated monthly in the Arab language beginning in July 1959. In April 1959 it was reported that the publication GDR Review (see section 'd' of the Society for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries, above), in Arabic, was sent to 10 countries and was published in 27,000 copies.
- e. Remarks: Branches of the Society are to be found in Leipzig and Dresden. Although the society is actually a department of the Society for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries, an effort is being made to give the appearance that it is an independent organization.

German Society for Cultural and Economic Exchange with Poland (Deutsche Gesellschaft fuer Kultur und Wirtschaftsaustausch mit Polen)

- a. Date established: Unofficially founded in East Germany in Fall 1949; officially constituted in December 1949. The original name of the society was "Helmut Von Gerlach Society." In April 1960 the name was changed to the "German-Polish Society for Freedom and Good Neighborliness." It is not known when the Society assumed its present name.

- b. Address: In late 1951 it was reported that the headquarters of the Society was located in East Berlin in the Haus des Friedens-Komitee, Jaegerstrasse.
- c. Officers: The present officers of the Society are unknown.
- d. Publications:

Mitteilungen de Deutschen Gesellschaft fuer Kultur und Wirtschaftsaustausch mit Polen e.V. (Information from the German Society for Cultural and Economic Exchange with Poland, registered society)

This publication was formerly known as Jenseits der Oder (Beyond the Oder). It appears monthly. Name changed in Jan. 1958.

Chief Editor (1958) Kurt HOTZEL

Warsaw Correspondent (1958)  
(Dr) Wladislaw SLIWKASZCZEBIC

Printer The firm Gebr. Storck B.m.b.H. in Oberhausen.

Deutsch-Polnische Hefte (German-Polish Periodicals)

First published in January 1958.

Publisher Kontakt Verlag, Uffing/Upper Bavaria.

- e. Remarks: This organization apparently controls a society by the same name in West Germany. In 1951 the Society possessed some 75,000 members in East Germany alone.

Society for German-Soviet Friendship (Gesellschaft für Deutsch-Sowjetische Freundschaft) (GDSF)

- a. Date established: June 1947.
- b. Address: Berlin W 8, Mauerstrasse 16/18, corner of Thälmannplatz.
- c. Officers:

Office of the President

President Georg HANDKE (also given as Oskar HANDKE)

Member Herbert HUMMITSCH\*

Presidium

Members	Johannes DIECKMANN Otto NUSCHKE Lothar BOLZ (Prof Dr) Erich CORRENS August BACH Ernst GOLDENBAUM Erich WIRTH
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Central Board (Zentralvorstand)(110 members; about 90 employees)

Secretariat

Chairman	Fritz BEYLING* (Has coordinating functions and is responsible for the International Relationship Department)
Members	Kurt HEUDEHAUS* (HEUTEHAUS; HOLTEHAUS) (Responsible for the Agitation and Propaganda Department) Gerhard ROLACK* (Responsible for the Organization Department and Finance Department) Gerhard KOERBEL* (Responsible for the Science and Culture Department) Gisela KLARE (BEYLING's secretary) Fritz SPRINGER (BEYLING's personal "referent") Inge DORN (HEUDEHAUS' secretary) Gerda SCHUMACHER (KOERBEL's secretary) (fnu) OTTO (Female) (HANDKE's secretary)

Bureau of the Secretariat

Chief	Siegfried THIEDE
Secy	Martha ROGALLA
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Others	Willi BOLDT* (described as "pressereferent") Edith SCHUENEMANN (postal clerk) (fnu) MEISEL (female) (stenotypist) (fnu) SCHREIBER (female)(stenotypist)

International Relationship Department

Chief Valery FISCHMANN  
(also described as a "partei-sekretar")

Secy Lotti LUSCHIN

Interpreters (fnu) BECKEL  
Wally ZIELSDORF  
(fnu) KRUSE (female)

Agitation and Propaganda Department (20 members in all)

Chief Gottfried HECKEL\*

D/Chief Hertha KLUMMP

Secy Erna FRGELICH (also given: Reni  
FRGELICH)

Editor Max-Rudolf BAUMANN

Instructors Guenther ASSMANN  
Hans DUNKEL (possibly id/w one Heinz  
DUNKE\*)  
(fnu) STIEHL (female)  
(fnu) WOLF  
Gerhard SCHMIDT  
Heini SCHMIDT

Social Engagements Section

Member Willi KOSSACK

German-Soviet Arrangements Section

Chief (fnu) PINKERT

Secy Hilde HEINRICH

Others Anna HORN  
(fnu) PILZ (female)  
Rudi ECKELMANN  
Erna BOLDT

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Organization Department

Chief	Karl HORN*
D/Chief	Kurt THEILE
Secy	(fnu) KUHN (female)
Instructors	Harry THEILE Franz KLINGER

Personnel Section

Chief	Karl REISS*
Secy	(fnu) KOSIRZEW (female)
Other	(fnu) BEHR (female)

Finance Department

Chief	Gregor BRUX* (also given as RUX)
D/Chief	Rudolf PELZ
Secy	Elsa FITZNER
Instructors	Hugo HILDEBRANDT Herbert MATTHEUS
Bookkeepers	Fred DOBRING Frieda HIRSCH
Specialist	(fnu) LUMPF (female)
Administration	Hans REICHOW
Accounting	Gertrud WERSICH

International Administration Section

Chief	Rudolf WACHHOLZ
Specialist	Fritz GUMMELT

Science and Culture Department (aka Arts and Sciences Dept.)

Chief	(fnu) MAJEWSKI (female)
D/Chief	Sigrid LEROY
Secy	Gisela SCHNEIDERREIT
Others	Walter SCHOLZ (fnu) KUENKE (fnu) ESCHBACH (possibly Gertrud ESCHBACH) (fnu) GRUNER (female) Gerhard ROESSLER (fnu) FUNKE

Central Revisions Commission

Chief	(fnu) KESLAU
Secy	Irma BEHR

Subordinate to the Central Board are the regional boards (Bezirksvorstaende) (16), composed of an average of 60 honorary members and six employees. The secretariat of a regional board is composed of a chief secretary, who has coordinating functions; a secretary who is in charge of the regional agitprop section; and, in larger regions, a secretary in charge of higher education institutes and a secretary for Science and Culture (Arts and Sciences).

Subordinate to the regional boards are the district boards (Kreisevorstaende), having an average of 30 honorary members, two paid secretaries and, in larger districts, one instructor.

Under each regional and district board there is a House of Friendship. In addition, Friendship Automobiles are used for propaganda in rural communities.

Subordinate to the district boards are the basic cells in plants and residential areas (Wohngruppen). In larger cities there are intermediate organizations between the district boards and the basic cells: these are the city district boards.



d. Publications:

Freundschaft und Aktion (Friendship and Action)

Editor-in-Chief	Josef SCHMIDT
Editor	(fmu) RADULOVICZ (female)
Secy	Ursula THOMAS

This publication is issued twice a month (since January 1960) and, since May 1960, has been circulated in 60,000 copies. It publishes decisions made by the Central Board and gives information on the organization's program.

Presse der Sowjetunion (Press of the Soviet Union)

This newspaper is issued twice a month and gives information on Soviet inventions and operating methods. Up to about April 1960 it had a circulation of about 80,000.

Freie Welt (Free World)

An illustrated magazine which, in 1957, possessed a circulation of about 100,000. It is for general public consumption and carries articles about the USSR, the satellites, and occasionally about Western countries. It appears weekly.

Other publications sponsored by the Society and known to exist in 1957 were: the bi-monthly journal Soviet Science, the monthly journal Soviet Literature, the "Book of the Month" (a translation of the work of some modern Soviet author), and the "Little Youth Series" (books in this series are published about every two weeks and run the gamut from fairy-tales to spy, adventure and detective stories of either Russian, German, or east-bloc origin.

Publishing Houses

Information obtained in 1957 stated that the Press of the Soviet Union was published by the Congress Publishing House, located on Thielmannplatz in Berlin in the Parliament House (Haus des Nationalrats). The publisher was the Press Office of the Minister President of the GDR. Another report obtained in 1957 reflected that another publishing house connected with the Society was Verlag Kultur und Fortschritt, Berlin W 8, Taubenstrasse. It is, perhaps, the publisher of Free World. It is directly under the authority of the Central Board.

- e. Remarks: A precursor of this society was the "Society of Friends of Soviet Russia," headed by Ernst THAELMANN (THALMANN) (presumably the one after whom Thalmannplatz is named). The official number of members of the society in April 1960 was 3.5 million. However, it has been reported that the actual number is closer to 1.8 million only. Membership in the individual regions varies from 60,000 to 140,000. According to 1957 information, direct connections with the Soviets can only be made via the Central Committee of the SED and only by the following persons: members of the Secretariat of the Central Board, the chairman of the Secretariat, or the president of the organization.

HUNGARY

Hungarian Institute for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries (Magyar Kulföldi Kulturális Kapcsolatok Intézete) (K.K.I.)

- a. Date established: Unknown. Known to have existed as early as 1956.
- b. Address: 5th District 8, Budapest; telephones: 183890, 185850
- c. Officers:
  - Chairman (1961) Iren ROZSA  
(Laszlo GYAROS, who recently held the position is known to have been appointed as ambassador to Guinea in November 1960.)
  - Vice Chmn (1958) (Dr) Leo DENES
  - Secy Gen (1960) Janos PATAKI  
(Iren ROZSA held this position from 1957<sub>x</sub>)
  - D/Secy Gen (1957) Frigyes LEDERER
  - A Director of the Institute (1958) Ila VOROS  
(apparently is in charge of guidance and direction of all Hungarian cultural centers in the western world<sub>x</sub>)
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks: This organization comes under the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and has four principal functions: (1) Popularize Hungarian culture abroad; (2) popularize foreign culture in Hungary; (3) assist in implementation of cultural agreements; and (4) foster scientific and artistic relations.

Hungarian-Chinese Friendship Association (Magyar-Kína Baráti Társaság)

- a. Date established:
- b. Address:

c. Officers:

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Chairman (1961) (Dr) Erik MOLNÁR

Secy Gen (1960) Endre GALLA

Presidium mbrs (1960) Istvan SIMON  
Janos PATAKI

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Hungarian-Greek Association (Magyar-Görögország Társaság)

a. Date established: It was reported in late 1958 or early 1959 that the organization of such an association was being contemplated. No further information is presently available.

b. Address:

c. Officers:

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Hungarian-Italian Society (Magyar-Itália Társaság)

a. Date established: May no longer exist. Reported in 1958 as the "former Hungarian-Italian Society."

b. Address: Budapest

c. Officers:

Chairman

Member of the Presidium (1958)  
Michele Andrea RONAI

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Hungarian-Rumanian Friendship Society (Magyar-Romania Baráti Társaság)

a. Date established: Believed to have been established in 1945 or 1946.

b. Address: Budapest

c. Officers:

Chairman

Member (about 1946) Nora ARADI

d. Publications: Sanitized - Approved For Release : CIA-RDP78-00915R001300060001-0

e. Remarks: May no longer exist.

Hungarian-Soviet Friendship Society (Magyar-Szovjet Baráti Társaság)

- a. Date established: Unknown, but probably 1945. The Hungarian-Soviet Friendship House (Magyar-Szovjet Barátság Háza) was inaugurated on 11 October 1957.
- b. Address: 5th District 8, Budapest (same as the Institute). The Hungarian-Soviet Friendship House is located at 7th District, Gorkij Fasor 45, Budapest (telephone: 225705).
- c. Officers:
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|----------------------|---|
| Chairman (1961)      | Sandor RONAI**<br>(replaced Geza KASSAI who was Chairman in 1959; in 1958 the Chairman was Elemer VADASZ)   |
| Vice Chairmen (1960) | Laszlo KARDOS<br>(Mrs) Andor KORKAI<br>Elemer VADASZ  |
| Presidium (1957)     | Gyorgy BOLONI<br>Endre DOMANOVSKY<br>(Mrs) Janos BUGAR<br>Geza GAZDA<br>Bela ILLES<br>Bela KELEN<br>Zsigmond Strobl KISFALUDY<br>Laszlo KOVACS<br>Laszlo NEMETH<br>(Maj Gen) Istvan OTTA<br>(Prof) Istvan RUSZNYAK<br>Ferenc SZABO<br>Arpad SZAKASITS**<br>Imre TRENCSENYI-WALDA PFEL,<br>Peter VERES |
| (1960)               | V. I. USTINOV<br>(Soviet Ambassador to Hungary)   |
| Secy Gen (1960)      | Sandor DEMETER*   |
| D/Secy Gen (1960)    | (Mrs) Mihaly LADANYI*   |

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Propaganda Department (1960)

Chief (Mrs) Mihaly LADANYI\*

D/Chief Lazlo KISS\*

Administrator Pal SIMONYI\*

Members (Mrs) Lazlo VARKONYI  
(Mrs) (fnu) BORSODI\*  
Radovan VRBICA  
(specializes in Fine Arts and Music)  
(Mrs) Vince HORVATH\*  
Laszlo HERNADI  
(responsible for the press)  
Istvan RUZICKA  
(his first name may not be Istvan)  
Miklos BARTFAI  
(responsible for circulation of films  
received from the Soviet Embassy)

Specialists (Mrs) Miklos BERNAT\*  
(she is also the "responsible" for  
the Pedagogical Department)  
Lajos POCANG (POCZANG)\*  
(is the "responsible" for personnel)  
(Mrs) Jozsef MAROCZY (Dr)  
(is the "responsible" for the Agri-  
cultural Department)  
(Mrs) Endre VALKO (Dr)  
(responsible for Soviet medical and  
legal propaganda)

Foreign Affairs Department

Chief Istvan HIDVEGI  
(maintains close official liaison  
with the Soviet Embassy)

Member Ferenc MARKANEK\*

Agricultural Department (1960)

Leading member (Mrs) Jozsef MAROCZY (Dr)

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Laszlo CSETE  
Peter TETENYI  
(Dr) Andras MAGYARI  
(Dr) Sandor RAJKI  
Lazlo TOTH  
Andras SOMOS  
Karoly GYORGY  
Rudolf NEMETH  
Laszlo LUKACS (Dr)  
Jozsef PAL  
Andras CSILLIK  
Matyas TOTH  
Janos VARGA  
(Dr) Sandor BELLAK  
Miklos GANCZNER  
Istvan TAMASSY  
Laszlo ACZEL  
Gabor ALMASSI  
Karoly BAITNER  
Istvan BAK  
Gyula BANHAZI  
(Dr) Toth Bertalan BASKAY  
(possibly Bertalan BASKAY-TOTH is  
correct)  
Ede BAJCSY  
Jozsef BEREND  
Imre BODOLAI  
Imre BORVENDEG  
Istvan BENCSIK  
Zoltan CSORBA  
Imre DIMENY  
(Dr) Karoly DOBOS  
Ferenc ERDEI  
Andras ELIAS  
(Dr) Laszlo FABIAN  
(Dr) Bela FEKETE  
(Dr) Zoltan FEKETE  
(Dr) Janos Di GLERIA  
Gabor GECZI  
(Dr) Ivan GONCZI  
Janos HONT  
Lajos HORVATH  
Paul IZINGER  
Janos IMREY  
(Dr) Jozsef JANKO  
(Dr) Sandor JERMY  
Pal JERNEY

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Laszlo KAPAS  
Janos KESERU  
(Dr) Albert KISS  
Karoly KOIBAI  
Istvan KOLTAI  
Sandor KULIN  
Lajos LASZLO  
Gyorgy LATKOVICS  
Gyula LORINCZ  
Janos LELLEY  
Andras MADAS  
Lajos MARKO  
Gyula MAROSUJVARI  
Jozsef MAJOROS  
Janos MATOLCSI  
(Dr) Gyula NAGY  
(Dr) Lorand NAGY  
Janos NAGY  
Karoly NEMETH  
Istvan NYEKES  
(Dr) Zoltan PALLAI  
Sandor PETOFI  
Gabor PETOHAZI  
Gyorgy POGACSAS  
Karoly ROSTA  
Vilmos SAGHY  
Lajos SZEMES  
(Dr) Jozsef SCHANDL  
Lazlo STENCZINGER  
Gabor SIPOS  
(Dr) Istvan SIN  
(Dr) Gabor SOOS  
Lajos SZABO  
Istvan SZABOLCS  
Erno SZEKANY  
(Dr) Lajos SZENIMARTONI  
Robert SZUCS  
(Dr) Herald TANGL  
Sandor TERLANDAY  
Istvan TOLNAI  
Gyorgy TIBORCZ  
Bela TOIH  
(Dr) Istvan TOIH  
(Dr) Tibor TOIH  
Mihaly TOIH  
Gyorgy MATOLCSI



Jozsef VARRO  
(Dr) Istvan VAGSELLYEI  
Jozsef VANYI  
Janos VARADI

Pedagogical Department (1960)

Chairman	Jozsef KOVACS
Leading Member	(Mrs) Miklos BERNAT*
Members	(Dr) Sandor NAGY Istvan GORDOS Jozsef SZARKA Karoly KOMAR (Mrs) Imre BOLYAI Pal BAKONYI Istvan TALASI (Dr) Ella HADABAS (Mrs) Istvan ACZEL Andras ROZSA Andras PETRO (Mrs) Lajos ILLES Kalman SZABO Istvan SZOKOLSZKY Imre HOROMPOLY Gyula CSOMA Gyula JULIASZ (Mrs) Sandor SZABO Laszlo CSILLAG Jozsef PASZTOR Sandor FULE Gusztav BARCZI (Mrs) Jozsef SIMON (Dr) (Mrs) Lajos OROSZ Pal SZUCS Ferenc SZABO Laszlo KAJAN Gyorgy TIMAR Erzsebet GAL Janos BARA Rezso KOVASZNAI (Mrs) Jozsef REVAI

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Teachers                   Istvan MOLNAR  
                              (Mrs) Istvan ROZANYAI  
                              (Mrs) Robert PETO  
                              Bela SZEKELY  
                              Gyula GULYAS  
                              (Mrs) Endre SZEKELY  
                              (Mrs) Sandor DEMETER  
                              (Mrs) Gyula HEGYI  
                              Gyula ARPASSY (Dr)  
                              Gabor VARSANYI  
                              (Mrs) Sandor PALASTI  
                              Ferenc PATAKI

Provincial Reps           (Dr) Janos NAGY  
                              Jozsef KEMENES  
                              Endre LEHOCZKY  
                              Gyorgy AGOSTON

Provincial Reps           (Dr) Janos NAGY  
                              Jozsef KEMENES  
                              Endre LEHOCZKY  
                              Gyorgy AGOSTON

Medical Department

Leading Member           (Mrs) Endre VALKO (Dr)

Technical Department (1960)

Member                   Lajos PACZANG\*

Legal Department

Leading Member           (Mrs) Endre VALKO (Dr)

Vice Chairman           (Dr) Laszlo NEVAI

Part-time workers

Visual Aids ( )         (Mrs) Gyorgy KALDOR\*

Russian Lang           (Mrs) Jozsef LESETAR

Secretarial help         (Several, including Erzsebet NADASDI,  
                              who works for the Propaganda Depart-  
                              ment)

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County Branches (1959)

Baranya

Secy Erzsebet VERES

Mbr Gyorgy KOVACS

Bacs

Secy Gyula BAKSA

Mbr Jeno AMBRUS

Bekes

Secy Istvan PANKOTAI

Borsod

Secy (Mrs) Lajos BONTA

Csongrad

Secy Jozsef NAGY

Mbr Istvan BODONOVICS

Fejer

Secy Karoly CSEDA

Mbr Ferenc HORVATH

Gyor

Secy Karoly BELOVICZ

Hajdu

Secy Jozsef KOZMA

Mbr (Dr) Jeno FLODERER

Heves

Secy Jozsef MESZAROS

Mbr Pal DANCZ

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Komarom

Address Tatabanya, I. Pruzsina M. ut 16,  
Komarom Megyei

Secy (1960) Gyula SOMOGYVARI

Mbrs Ferenc UJSZASZI  
Jozsef VAKAN  
Gyula KOVACS  
Antal NAGY

Nograd

Secy Mihaly FALATI

Mbr Jozsef KISS

Pest

Secy (Mrs) Istvan HEGEDUS

Somogy

Secy (Mrs) Jozsef KISS

Mbr Dezso ILLES

Szabolcs

Secy Istvan MAJER

Mbr Istvan SZAPLONCAI

Szolnok

Secy Tibor GYORI

Tolna

Secy Sandor SCHERER

Mbr Janos CSASZAR

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Vas

Secy Zoltan SZABO

Mbr Istvan VEGVARI

Veszprem

Address Veszprem, Bajcsy Zs, u. 28, Veszprem  
Megyei; telephone: 14-60

Secy Imre NYISZTOR (Feb. 1960)  
(conflicting information, believed  
of earlier date, alleges that one  
Jozsef NAGY is Secretary of the  
Veszprem County Branch)

Mbr Sandor SZLAVIK

Zala

Secy Antal NEMETH

Mbrs Istvan BORS  
Karoly POGACSICS

District Branches (1960)

Balassagyarmat District (Jarasi)

Address Balassagyarmat, Rakoczi F.U. 63,  
Balassagyarmat Jarasi; telephone:  
1-28

Secy Jozsef ESZMENYI

Women's Branch

Secy (Mrs) Jozsef IMRE

Budapest

First District (Kerulet)

Secy Tamas HERSENYI

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Second District

Address Kelet K 22; telephone: 158435

Secy Gabor VARSANYI

Third District

Secy Laszlo POLARECZKY

Fourth District

Secy Zsigmond BENYI

Fifth District

Secy Antal FRISS

Sixth District

Secy Istvan OSZLANCZI

Seventh District

Secy Laszlo FERENCZI

Eighth District

Address Rakoczi ter 2; telephone: 336179

Secy (Mrs) Lajos TOLDI

Ninth District

Secy (Mrs) Sandor LORANT

Tenth District

Secy Istvan PERJES

Eleventh District

Secy Gyorgy JANOSI

Twelfth District

Secy Kalman SANDOR

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Thirteenth District

Secy Laszlo SZERNECZ

Fourteenth District

Secy (Mrs) Karoly DRIEN

Fifteenth District

Secy Marton GOLD

Sixteenth District

Secy (Mrs) Laszlo SIMON

Seventeenth District

Secy Lajos POOR

Eighteenth District

Secy

Nineteenth District

Secy Frigyes DOMOTOR

Twentieth District

Secy Gyula FARKAS

Twenty-first District

Secy Ferenc LEISZTNER

Twenty-second District

Secy Jenő PAP

Representatives in large factories in Budapest

(Mrs) Zoltan ODLER

Dezso VARGA

Zoltan NADASDI

(Mrs) Kalman ARVAI

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Ferenc JANOSSA  
Lajos PASZTOR  
Zoltan CECZI  
Laszlo CSORBA  
Anna WAGNER

Hungarian-Soviet Friendship Circles

Several thousand of these circles have been formed. In Szolnok and Veszprem Counties, for example, circles have been formed in nearly all districts in 1957. In that same year there were known to be 30 such circles in Sztalinvaros and 40 in Eger.

- d. Publications: Orszag Vilag (Our Country and the World) Formerly called Uj Vilag (New World) appearing weekly. It was reported in late 1957 that it's circulation had dropped to 2,000 from a past high of 60,000. Szovjet Kultura (Soviet Culture), once published, was discontinued in 1956.
- e. Remarks: At the end of June 1957, the Society, which used to be a state organization, was converted into a 'private' association.

Hungarian-Yugoslav Friendship Society

- a. Date established: Soon after World War II, by Dr. Leo DENES.
- b. Address: Szeged, Hungary.
- c. Officers:
- Chairman (probably 1945 - )  
(Dr) Leo DENES
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks: In all probability this organization no longer exists. During the anti-Tito campaign of 1948 DENES was forced to subject himself to self-criticism.

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MONGOLIA (MONGOLIAN PEOPLES REPUBLIC)

Mongolian Committee for Friendship and Cultural Relations Abroad

Aka: Department for Friendship Associations of the Mongolian Peace and Friendship Association

Aka: Executive Committee of Mongolian Organizations for Peace and Friendship with Foreign Countries

(It is not known which of the above reported titles is correct)

a. Date established:

b. Address: Ulan Bator

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960) (fnu) RENCHIN (possibly B. RINCHIN)

Chairman (1959) (fnu) DAKA

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Mongolian-Bulgarian Friendship Society

a. Date established: 10 September 1960.

b. Address: Ulan Bator

c. Officers:

Chairman T. LOKHUZ

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Mongolian-Chinese Friendship Society

a. Date established: 30 September 1958

b. Address: Ulan Bator

c. Officers:

Chairman D. BALJINYAM\*\*  
aka BAL'ZHINYAM

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Vice Chairman

S. NATSAGDORJ  
aka NATSAKDORZHI; Na-chu-ko-tao-erh-chi  
(6719/2806/0344/6670/3643/0669)

Other

Sonomin LUBSAN  
D. SHIRAB

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Mongolia-Czechoslovakia Friendship Association

a. Date established: First noted in October 1960.

b. Address: Ulan Bator

c. Officers: (1961)

Chairman

O. SERETER

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Mongolian-Hungarian Friendship Association

a. Date established: 1 April 1960.

b. Address: Ulan Bator

c. Officers:

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Society for Mongolian-Indian Cultural Relations

a. Date established: First noted in February 1959.

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman

(fnu) PETSEMARAL

Vice Chairman

(fnu) SHURTU

Secretary

(fnu) DAMBA

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Mongolian-Rumanian Friendship Society

a. Date established: 23 August 1960

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman

G. GONCHIG

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Mongolian-Soviet Friendship Association

Aka: Mongolian Society for Cultural Relations with the Soviet Union

Aka: MONGOLIAN Society for Cultural Ties with the Soviet Union

Aka: Mongolian-Soviet Cultural Alliance

Aka: Mongolian-Soviet Cultural Association

Aka: Mongolian-Soviet Cultural Federation

a. Date established: 22 January 1947

b. Address: Ulan Bator

c. Officers:

Chairman

L. TSENDE\*\*

Vice Chairmen

B. LHAMSUREN

(possibly Namtaysirin LHAMSUREN\*\*)

B. BADARACH

L. DUGERSUREN\*\*

aka DOGORSERENG

Presidium (17 persons)

Members

Bazaryn SHIRENDYB\*\*

B. BATARJIIN

Auditing Commission

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Ulan Bator City Council of the Association

Chairman (fnu) JAMBALSUREN

Members (1952) (fnu) ZANBADON  
(fnu) ZAHARDUR  
(fnu) SOZAN  
(fnu) DASTAGBORG  
(fnu) SODNA

Ukhaltai (Gobi Altai?) Aimak Branch

Chairman (1952) (fnu) LATCHAN

Obor Hangay Aimak Branch

Other (Prof)(fnu) DUGURSURUN  
(fnu) IHAKIM

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: In June 1960 there were 365 branches and 25,400 members in Ulan Bator alone.

Mongolia-Vietnam Friendship Association

a. Date established: 21 September 1960

b. Address: Ulan Bator

c. Officers:

Chairman L. BALDANDAUH

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

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NORTH KOREA (DEMOCRATIC PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF KOREA)

Committee for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

- a. Date established: Set up on 4 July 1958 under the direct control of the Cabinet. It apparently absorbed the Association for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries (see below).
- b. Address: Pyongyang, Korea.
- c. Officers: (1960)

Chairman	SONG Yong	(1345/1758)	
Vice Chairmen	CH'OE Ki-ch'ol	(1508/1015/0772)	
	PAK Yong-son*	(2613/1369/0810)	
	HAN Chi-song	(2781/1807/2052)	
	PAK Chae-sop	(2613/0961/3610)	
	KIM Yong-nam	(6855/5391/0589)	
	CH'OE Song-hwan	(1508/2052/3562)	
	YI Ho-ku	(2621/6079/0046)	
	CH'OE Song-suk		
	(possibly CH'OE Song-su)		
Committee members	PAEK Il-kun	(4101/0001/2704)	
	HO Chong-suk	(6079/6297/3219)	
	HAN Sol-ya**	(7281/7185/6851)	
	CHIN Pan-su	(7115/3382/4423)	
	PAEK Nam-un	(4101/0589/7189)	
	YI Tong-kon	(2621/2639/0256)	
	PAK Yong-ku	(2613/1369/0948)	
	HYON P'il-hun	(3763/1801/0534)	
	YI Ki-yong*	(2621/5487/3057) or (2621/4614/3057)	
		KIM To-man	(6855/6670/3341)
		KIM Yong-su	(6855/5391/3178)
		YI Myon-sang	(2621/0380/4161)
		CHONG Kwan-ch'ol	(6774/1401/3400)
		PAK Tok-hwa	(2613/1795/5478)
		SO Man'il	
		YI Sung-chun	(2621/2573/0193)
	CHU Mun-sun	(2612/0589/7311)	
	YU Yong-p'yo	(2692/5391/2626)	

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

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Association for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

- a. Date established: Organized 3 April 1956. May no longer exist.
- b. Address: Pyongyang, Korea.
- c. Officers: (source gave no date; presumably 1956)

Chairman	SONG Yong	(1345/1758)
Vice Chairmen	HONG Sun-ch'ol	(3163/8642/0772)
	PAK Pyong-yul	(2613/3521/1774)
	PAK Wang-sop	(2613/3769/3610)
	YI Ho-ku	(2621/6079/0046)
	CH'OE Ki-ch'ol	(1508/1015/0772)
	HAN Chi-song	(2781/1807/2052)
	KIM To-man	(6855/6670/3341)
	KIM T'aek-yong	(6855/3419/2837)

Cultural Department

Chief	YI Tong-nam	(2621/2639/0589)
Other	CH'OE Tal-on	(1508/6671/1750)
	HO Myong-kye	(6079/2494/0796)
	KIM Myong	(6855/2494)
	CHANG So-chin	(1728/3843/6966)
	PAEK Il-kun	(4101/0001/2704)

- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

Korea-China Friendship Society

- a. Date established: 3 October 1958.
- b. Address: Pyongyang.
- c. Officers: (1960)

Chairman	HA Ang-ch'on**	(3109/0111/1131)
Vice Chairmen	HYON P'il-hun	(3763/1732/0534)
	SO Ch'ol**	(1776/0772)

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Standing Committee	HAN Sol-ya**	(7281/7185/6851)
	HYON P'il-hun	(3763/1732/0534)
	SO Ch'ol**	(1776/0772)
	HA Ang-ch'on**	(3109/0111/1131)
	HO Chong-suk**	(6079/6297/3219)
	YI Il-kyong**	(2621/0001/0615)
	YI Hyo-sun**	(2621/1321/8642)
	PAK Yong-kuk**	(2613/1369/0948)
	PAK Yong-sin (F)	(2613/3057/0207)
	YI Myon-sang	(2621/0380/4161)
Other	PAK Chang-son	
	CHONG Kwan-ch'ol	(6774/1401/1796)
	KIM Chong-hang	
	CH'OE Ki-ch'ol	(1508/1015/0772)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Korea-France Friendship Society

a. Date established: 20 June 1958.

b. Address: Pyongyang.

c. Officers: (1959)

Chairman	HYON P'il-hun	(3763/1732/0534)
Vice Chairmen	YI Myon-sang	(2621/0380/4161)
	KYE Ung-sang	(2710/2019/4161)
Standing Committee	YI Il-kyong**	(2621/0001/0615)
	HAN Sol-ya**	(7281/7185/6851)
	HO Chung-suk**	(6079/6297/3219)
	HYON P'il-hun	(3763/1732/0534)
	YI Myon-sang	(2621/0380/4161)
	KYE Ung-sang	(2710/2019/4161)
	PAK Yong-sin (F)	(2613/3057/0207)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

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Korea-India Cultural Society

- a. Date established: 8 May 1957.
- b. Address: Pyongyang.
- c. Officers: (1959)

Chairman	SO Man-il (former chairman was HAN Sol-ya**)	
Vice Chairmen	HWANG Ch'ol KIM Hae-chin	(7806/3400) (6855/3189/6966)
Secy Gen	HONG Kyong-sik	
Chief Clerk (1958)	PAK Pyong-yul	(2613/3521/1774)

- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

Korea-Indonesia Friendship Society

- a. Date established: 10 November 1958.
- b. Address: Pyongyang.
- c. Officers: (1959)

Chairman	SONG Yong (former chairman was HAN Sol-ya**)	(1345/2837) or (1345/1758)
Vice Chairmen	YIM Tu-song PAK Pyong-yul	(2651/2435/2502) (2613/3521/1774)

The Society possesses an Executive Committee with 19 members.

- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

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Korea-Nepal Friendship Society

- a. Date established: 9 November 1959.
- b. Address: Pyongyang.
- c. Officers: (1960)

Chairman	YI Myon-sang	(2621/0380/4161)
Vice Chairmen	CH'OE Ki-ch'ol YI Puk-myong	(1508/1015/0772) (2621/0554/7686)

The Society has a 15-member Executive Committee.

- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

Korean-Soviet Friendship Society (aka: Korean-Soviet Cultural Association)

- a. Date established: 11 November 1945. Reorganized on 14 January 1958. ~~1958~~. Apparently the Society changed its name from "Korean-Soviet Cultural Association" at a meeting on 16 July 1958.
- b. Address: Pyongyang.
- c. Officers: (1960)

Chairman	YI Ki-yong*	(2621/5487/3057) or (2621/5487/2837) or (2621/4614/3057)
Vice Chairmen	YI Ho-ku PAK Yong-son* HAN Chi-song	(2621/6079/0046) (2613/1369/0810) (7281/1807/2052)
Standing Committee		
Chairman	CH'OE Chin-hae	(1508/6966/3189)
Members	PAEK Nam-un** CH'OE Won-t'aek** YI Kuk-no HONG Myong-hui HYON P'il-hun	(4101/0589/7189) (1508/0337/3419) (2621/0344/7627) (3163/0730/3588) (3763/1732/0534)

KIM Si-hwan (6855/2514/3562)  
 KIM Chang-man\*\* (6855/2490/3341)  
 YI Il-kyong\*\* (2621/0001/0615)  
 YI Ho-ku (2621/6079/0046)  
 YI Ki-yong\* (2621/4614/3057)  
 HAN Sol-ya\*\* (7281/7185/6851)  
 HONG Chung-sik (3163/2582/2784)  
 PAK Yong-son\* (2613/1369/0810)  
 KIM Sun-ch'ol (6855/8642/0772)

Central Committee

SONG Yong (1345/2837)  
 HAN Chi-song (7281/1807/2052)  
 PAK P'al-yang (2613/0360/7122)  
 CHONG Kwan-ch'ol (6774/1401/3400)  
 SIN To-sŏn (3947/6670/0810)  
 SIN Ko-song (3947/7849/7313)  
 HONG Tong-ch'ol (3163/2639/0772)  
 HAN Sang-tu\*\* (7281/4161/2435)  
 YI Chu-yon\*\* (2621/0719/8673)  
 KIM Man-kum\*\* (6855/3341/6855)  
 CH'OE Chong-hak\*\* (1508/6945/1331)  
 KIM Yong-su (6855/5391/3178)  
 YI Myon-sang (2621/0380/4161)  
 HYON Hun (3763/0534)  
 KIM Ch'un-sam (1438/2052/2798)  
 YUN Song-pok (0337/3163/3061)  
 WON Hong-ku (0589/2480)  
 NAM Il\*\* (1660/5328/3558)  
 KANG Yang-uk (1508/2490/6832)  
 CH'OE Ch'ang-sok (6855/3141/2704)  
 PAK Yong-kuk\*\* (2613/1369/0948)  
 KIM Se-yul (6855/0013/1774)  
 PAK Mu\*\* (2613/5399)  
 CHANG Ik-hwan (1728/4135/3562)  
 KIM Chong-hui (6855/2973/3556)  
 SONG Ch'ang-hon (1345/2490/2009)  
 PAK Si-hyong (2613/2514/0077)  
 HONG Ki-hwang (3109/0111/1131)  
 HA Ang-ch'on\*\* (1203/6966/0051)  
 YI Song-sol\* (1728/3189/7183)  
 KANG Chin-kon\*\* (6855/6670/2494)  
 CHANG Hae-wu (6392/1738/3556)  
 KIM To-myong (2621/0581/2573)  
 CHO Hong-hui  
 YI Sung-ki

KYE Ung-sang (2710/2019/4161)  
CHO Kum-song (6392/0093/2646)  
AN Ki-ok (1344/1015/3768)  
YI Puk-myong\*\* (2621/0554/7686)  
KIM Pong-ye (6855/7685/4409)  
YU Kwang-yol (0491/0342/3525)  
KIM Won-pom (6855/0337/4636)  
SON Yong-pae (1327/5391/1014)  
HO On (6079/3306)  
YOM Ui-sik (1670/5030/2784)  
HWANG Han-sok (7806/3352/6932)  
KIM Sok-hwan (6855/6932/3562)  
PAK Yong-sin (F) (2613/3057/0207)  
PAK Se-yong (2613/0013/2837)  
YI Sung-chun (2621/2573/0193)  
YONG Pok-kil (1661/2798/0679)  
YI Mun-hae (2621/2429/3189)  
CH'OE Pong-kyu (1508/1144/0964)  
KIM Hyon-mo (6855/6343/2875)  
PAK Yong-ho (2613/2837/3185)  
HWANG Ch'ol (7806/3400)  
MUN Ye-pong (2429/5669/1496)  
SO Man-il  
CH'OE Song-su (1508/2052/3178)  
KIM Won-kyu (6855/0337/0964)  
CHONG Nam-yon (6774/0589/8673)  
CHO Maeng-yon (6392/1322/8673)  
AN Kong-chu (1344/0361/0719)  
SONG Il-san (1345/0001/1472)  
KANG To-ku (1203/6670/0046)  
KIM Chong-su (6855/6945/3178)  
CH'OE Sung-hi (F)  
SON U-tam (7639/0060/3422)  
YI Song-un\*\* (2621/2646/7189)

Inspection Committee CH'OE Chin-hae (1508/6966/3189)  
YUN Hyong-sik (1438/5899/2784)  
CHO Hong-hui (6392/1738/3556)  
SIN Ko-song (3947/7849/7313)  
CH'OE Song-su (1508/2052/3178)

Chief Clerk's Office

Composed in 1955 of a chief clerk (assigned by the KLP Central Committee), three organizational instructors, and a confidential documents officer.

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Propaganda Department

Chief (assigned by CC/KLP)

Lecture Section

Composed of a Chief and two instructors in 1955.

Research Section

Composed of a chief and two research instructors in late 1955. This section is mainly concerned with the organization and direction of all the special sub-committees designed to perform various research activities regarding the USSR and holding meetings to present research results to the public. As of late 1955 the society possessed ten such sub-committees:

- Social Science Sub-Committee
- Philosophical Sub-Committee
- Natural Science Sub-Committee
- Literature Sub-Committee
- Music Sub-Committee
- Fine Arts Sub-Committee
- Drama Sub-Committee
- Agricultural Science Sub-Committee
- Politics and Economics Sub-Committee
- Medical Sub-Committee

Each of the above sub-committees, which operated under the direction of the Research Section, was comprised of a chairman, a vice-chairman, and 30 to 40 members including a standing committee.

Popular Culture Department

Chief (assigned by the Chairman of the Society)

Russian language instructors

In 1955 this department possessed two Russian language instructors.

Exhibits Manufacturing Section

Composed of one section chief and two instructors.

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Motion Picture Instructor

This individual was responsible in 1955 for the operation of the Pyongyang Popular Motion Picture House.

Publishing Section

Composed of one section chief and two instructors in 1955, this section was charged with the control of the Korean-Soviet Friendship Company, particularly concerning its work plan and management. This company was divided into an Editing Department (including an editor-in-chief and 20 to 25 personnel) and a Printing Factory.

Accounting Department

Chief (normally assigned by the KLP)

Bookkeeping Section

Composed in 1955 of a section chief and at least two bookkeepers.

Administrative Accountant

In 1955 there was only one individual in this post.

Local Motion Picture Houses Section

Comprised of one section chief and two instructors.

Staff Instructor

In 1955 the society had one staff instructor, assigned by the KLP. He handled all personnel affairs concerning employees of the society who were employed by order of the Central Committee chairman of the society, including section chiefs and other minor officers working with the Central Committee and local committees.

Library

Operated by a chief and about three instructors in 1955.

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KLP Committee

The chairman of this committee (in 1955) was assigned to his post by the Central Committee of the KLP and he was responsible for organizing, directing and indoctrinating activities concerning all KLP members employed by the Central Committee of the society and its subordinate local committees.

Below the national level, the society possesses provincial committees, city committees, county committees and, at the lowest level, teams.

d. Publications:

Korean Soviet Friendship (Chosso Ch'inson)

Editor-in-Chief (1955)

PAK Chae-song\*

In 1955 this was a four-page weekly paper carrying features regarding the USSR and the activities of the Society.

Korean-Soviet Culture (Chosso Munhwa)

Editor-in-Chief (1955)

PAK Chae-song\*

Printer (1955)

Labor Press Company

In 1955 this was a monthly magazine running stories and research activities about the USSR.

- e. Remarks: In 1955 it was reported that the chairman and vice chairmen of the society were assigned to their posts by the Central Committee of the KLP (Korean Labor Party, Communist). In mid 1960 the society allegedly possessed more than four-and-a-half million members and had close to 28,000 primary organizations at factories, mills, agricultural cooperatives, educational establishments and offices.

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NORTH VIETNAM (DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM)(DRV)

Vietnam Fatherland Front (Mat-tran To-quoc Viet-nam)

- a. Date established: Founded on 5 September 1955, replacing the Lien Viet Front which had been established on 3 March 1951.
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:

Honorary Chmn	HO Chi Minh**
Central Committee	
Chairman	TON Duc Thang**
Vice Chairmen	BUI Ky HOANG Minh Giam
Secy General	NGUYEN Xuan Thuy** aka Xuan THUY
Secretaries	NGUYEN Chan PHAN Tu Nghia
Members	BO Xuan Luat BUI Hung Gia CA Van Tinh DOAN Ke Thien DUONG Bach Mai DUONG Duc Hien HO Dac Diem HOAI Thanh HOANG Quoc Viet** LE Dinh Tham LE Ngoc Tien NGUYEN Huy Man NGUYEN Cong Phuong NGUYEN Trung Khiem NGUYEN Van Minh NGUYEN Xien PHAN Van Chuong TRAN Cong Tuong TRAN Cung TRAN Van Lai

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VU Cong Hoe  
TRUONG Xuan Mai  
VU Dinh Hoe

Presidium

Chairman TON Duc Thang\*\*

Members  
BUI Ky  
CHU Van Tan\*\*  
DUONG Duc Hien  
HOANG Quoc Viet\*\*  
HUYNH Van Tri  
LE Dinh Tham  
NGUYEN Chi Thanh\*\*  
NGUYEN Thi Thap\*\*  
NGUYEN Van Minh  
NGUYEN Xien  
TRUONG Chinh\*\*  
VU Xuan Ky

Secretariat

Members  
NGUYEN Chan  
NGUYEN Van Minh  
PHAM Huy Thong  
PHAN Tu Nghia  
TRAN Cung

- d. Publications: Cuu Quoc
- e. Remarks: The Fatherland Front apparently is a coordinating body for all mass organizations in North Vietnam, including the bi-lateral friendship societies (both in North Vietnam and their Nambo branches). One of the functions of the Fatherland Front (found under "Culture and Education" in its statutes) is to "...expand cultural exchanges with foreign countries." It is believed that the Fatherland Front is controlled by the United Front Work Department of the Lao Dong Party. Note that the Secretary General of the Fatherland Front, NGUYEN Xuan Thuy (aka Xuan THUY), is the Chief of the United Front Work Department. At one time it was thought that the Department of Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries was the directing body for bi-lateral cultural and friendship organizations in North Vietnam. However, this department has been reported to be a government

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body within either the Ministry of Culture or (possibly) the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and, as such, probably does not control the friendship societies. It is noteworthy that PHAM Huy Thong, of the Secretariat of the Fatherland Front, is a member of the department.

Vietnam-China Friendship Association (Hoi Viet Trung Huu Nghi)

- a. Date established: 6 February 1950
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:

Chairman	NGUYEN Xuan Thuy (aka Xuan THUY)** (also given as a Vice Chairman)
Vice Chairmen	TRAN Huy Lieu NGUYEN Xien
Secretary General	TON Quang Phiet
Asst. Secs (1955)	TRAN Cung LE Quy Van
Members, Executive Committee (1955)	HOANG Quoc Viet** HOANG Van Duc LE Huy Van NGUYEN Van Huynh TRUONG Thoi PHAN An CHU Van Tan** CA Van Thinh SA Van Minh NGUYEN Quoc Tri HOANG Hanh

In 1955 the Central Committee of the association was composed of 35 members. The association possesses branches all over North Vietnam and even possesses a Nambo (Southern Region) Committee, which controls its affiliates in South Vietnam. In the branch organizations in 1953 the secretary or secretary general of the branch was usually also the head of the local Chinese Affairs Bureau and a member of the Lao Dong Party. A branch of the association was established

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in 1956 in Haiphong. On 10 September 1956 a branch was established in Namdinh and it was reported that branches were to be set up in Langsong, Hongay, Quayen and Vinh Linh during 1956.

- d. Publications: China-Vietnam, established May 1950. Chief editor in 1953 was LY Ban.
- e. Remarks: This organization is probably controlled by the United Front Department of the Lao Dong Party through the Fatherland Front. Note that NGUYEN Xuan Thuy is secy gen of the Fatherland Front and chief of the UF Dept.

Vietnam-France Friendship Association (Hoi Viet Phap Huu Nghi)

- a. Date established: Known to be in existence as early as January 1957.
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:

Chairman	(Dr) HO Dac Di
Vice Chairman	PHAM Van Chuong
Secretary	TRAN Van Khuong
Treasurer	PHAM Van Chuong

Members of the Permanent Committee  
(Mme) PHAM Thi An  
NGUY Nhu Kontum  
NGUYEN Manh Tuong  
NGUYEN Xuan Tram  
HUYNH Van Tieng  
PHAM Huy Thong  
TRUONG Uyen

- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

Vietnam-Indonesia Friendship Association

- a. Date established: 6 June 1959
- b. Address: Hanoi

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c. Officers:

Chairman	HOANG Minh Giam
Vice Chairmen	CA Van Thinh NGUYEN Duc Quy
Secretaries	TRAN Mai PHAM Hong

Members of the Executive Committee

(Mme) PHAN Thi An  
PHAN Ke An  
BUI The Duong  
DUONG Van Dam  
LA Xuan Dinh  
TRAN Van Giap  
NGUYEN Son Ha  
NGUYEN Hoan  
NGUYEN Manh Hong  
(Mme) THANH Huong  
NGUY Nhu Kontum  
LUU Trong Lu  
TU Mo  
TRAN Quang Nghiem  
(Mme) LE Ngoc Nghi  
(nee NHU Quynh)  
NGUYEN Xuan Nguyen  
TAM Nguyet  
LAM Phai  
LUU Huu Phuoc  
(Mme) LE Chan Phuong  
(Miss) NGUYEN Ky Minh  
TRAN Trong Quat  
NGUYEN Xuan Sanh  
PHUNG Bao Tach  
NGUYEN Van Thu  
(Mme) BUI Boi Thinh

d. Publications:

- e. Remarks: HOANG Minh Giam is not only vice chairman of the Central Committee of the Fatherland Front, he is also minister of Culture of the DRV.

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Vietnam-USSR Friendship Association (Hoi Huu-nghi Viet-nam Xo-viet)  
(aka: Hoi Viet Xo Huu-nghi)

- a. Date established: Established throughout the DRV in 1950. A Nambo Committee also established that year.
- b. Address: Headquarters in Hanoi; branches exist in Haiphong, Namdinh, Hongquang, Nghean, Thanhhoa and Langson.
- c. Officers:

Chairman (honorary)      TON Duc Thang\*\*

Vice Chairmen            DUONG Bach Mai  
                                  (Mme) NGUYEN Thi Thap  
                                  NGUYEN Khanh Toan  
                                  NGUYEN Xien

Secretary General        TRAN Van Giau

Secretary                NGUYEN Van Minh

Members of the Central (Executive) Committee (43 in all)  
                                  NGUYEN Van Kinh\*\*  
                                  (Dr) HO Duc Di  
                                  GIANG Van Khanh  
                                  DO Duc Duc

Hong Gai-Quang Yen Mining Area Branch

Vice Chairman            BUI Xuan Thoi

Nghean Provincial Branch

Chairman                 LE Nhu

- d. Publications:

- e. Remarks: TON Duc Thang is chairman of the Fatherland Front. LE Nhu is chairman of the Nghean Province Fatherland Front Committee. It is believed that this organization is controlled by the United Front Work Department of the Laodong Party through the Fatherland Front.

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Bureau for Cultural Exchange with Foreign Countries (Biuro Wspolpracy  
Kulturalnej z Zagranica)

- a. Date established: In November 1954 this Bureau was referred to as a Department of the "Ministry of Education and Arts." At present it is a Bureau within the Ministry of Culture and Art.
- b. Address: Unknown, but may be located within the building housing the Ministry of Culture and Art. The 1960-61 Warsaw telephone directory lists the following numbers for sections within the bureau.

Director	618 96
D/Director	601 36
Secretariat	618 96
Section ( <u>wydzial</u> ) for the USSR and Socialist Countries	601 67 673 31
Section for Matters Concerning Western and Other Countries	673 31
Section for Assistance to Foreigners	601 67 673 31
Section for Documentation of International Organizations and for General Affairs	673 31
Financial Section	619 22

- c. Officers: Sections I and II have not yet been identified, but are possibly identical with the Section for the USSR and Socialist Countries and the Section for Matters Concerning Western and Other Countries.

Section I

Director (1960)	Eugeniusz MARKOWSKI
D/Dir (1959)	B. PLAZA

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Section II

Director (1959)            Ziemizlaw ZIENKIEWICZ

- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks: There was at one time a Committee for Foreign Cultural Cooperation (Komitet Wspolpracy Kulturalnej z Zagranica), directly subordinate to the Department of Foreign Affairs of the Central Committee of the PZPR, which was responsible for the arrangement of unofficial contacts with agencies and societies in non-orbit countries (although it also dealt with orbit countries from time to time). The committee was apparently liquidated in January 1957 and its duties are believed to have been taken over by the bureau, which has doubled its sections in recent years.

Polish-Albanian Friendship Society

- a. Date established: First noticed in April 1960.
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:  

President (1960)            Stefan DYBOWSKI
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

Polish-Austrian Society

- a. Date established: 29 December 1959.
- b. Address: Warsaw.
- c. Officers: (1960)  

Chairman                            (Prof) Stanislaw TURSKI\*\*

Members of the Executive Board  
Franceszek MODRZEWSKI  
(Dr) Jan FRANKOWSKI  
(Prof) Tadeusz CIESLAK  
(Prof) Kazimierz PIWARSKI  
Boleslaw GEBERT

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d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Polish-Brazilian Friendship Society

a. Date established: 1 March 1960.

b. Address: Warsaw.

c. Officers: (1960)

President	Jozef OZGA-MICHALSKI
Vice Presidents	Michal RUSINEK Wojciech WRZOSEK
Secretary General	Antoni OLCHA
Treasurer	Mieczyslaw LEPECKI
Board members	Jaroslaw IWASZKIEWICZ Jan SZKOP Kazimierz KUMANIECKI Jan WROBLEWSKI

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Polish-British Friendship Society

a. Date established: Founded in Gdansk on 24 May 1958 at a ceremony attended by British diplomatic representatives. It was understood at that time that the society had no relationship with the former Communist-front society which foundered in 1956.

b. Address: Gdansk, Poland.

c. Officers:

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

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Polish-Bulgarian Friendship Society (Towarzystwo Przyjazni Polsko-Bulgarskiej)

a. Date established: Unknown. First noticed in 1960.

b. Address: Krakow, ul. Golebia 20.

c. Officers: (1960)

President Franciszek SLAWSKI

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Polish-Chinese Friendship Society (Towarzystwo Przyjazni Polsko-Chinskiej)

a. Date established: Preparations for the establishment of the society were inaugurated 9 April 1957. The society was formally recognized on 19 February 1958 and held its first general meeting on 17 May 1958.

b. Address: Palace of Culture and Science, Ul. Senatorska 35, Warsaw.

c. Officers: (1958, unless otherwise indicated)

President (1960) Stefan JEDRYCHOWSKI\*\*

Vice Presidents Kazimierz BANACH  
Jan Karol WENDE

Secy Gen (1960) Juliusz BURGIN

Secretary (1960) Janusz SOKOLOWSKI

In all, the Presidium of the Central Board of the society is composed of fifteen members.

Central Board

Members Tadeusz BARUCKI  
Wladyslaw CHACINSKI  
Janusz CHMIELEWSKI  
Adolf CIBOROWSKI  
Marian DUDEK  
Dyzma GALAJ



Janusz GASTOROWSKI\*  
Henryk GOLANSKI  
Czeslaw GRODZKI  
Mieczyslaw HORODYNSKI  
Jerzy HRYNIEWIECKI  
Franciszek JAGUSZTYN  
Piotr JAROSZEWICZ\*\*  
Leon KASMAN\*\*  
Tadeusz KULISIEWICZ  
Stanislaw KWOCZEK  
Anna LANOTA  
Mieczyslaw LESZ\*\*  
Ignacy LOGA-SOWINSKI\*\*  
Stanislaw MOJKOWSKI\*  
Igor NEWERLY  
Edward OBERTYNSKI  
Stanislaw OCHAB  
Teobold OLEJNIK  
Jozef OLSZEWSKI\*\*  
Andrzej PIERZCHALA  
Stanislaw PIETRUSIEWICZ  
Felicja RAPAPORT  
Grzegorz Leopold SEIDLER\*\*  
Wlodzimierz SOKORSKI\*\*  
Edward STATKIEWICZ\*  
Eugeniusz STAWINSKI\*\*  
Boleslaw STROZEK  
Ewa SZEIBURG-ZAREMBINA  
Wladyslaw WIERZBICKI  
Maria WINIARZOWA  
Wladyslaw WIRSKI  
Andrzej ZAKI  
Piotr ZAREMBA  
Maksymilian ZIOMEK  
Stefan ZOLKIEWSKI (1959)\*\*

In 1958 the Central Board of the Society possessed three commissions:

Commission for Propaganda-Publication,  
Commission for Cultural Communications and Events,  
(and one other as yet unidentified).

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Branches

Chojny (reported in 1961)

Poznan (reported in 1958)

Chairman Teobold OLEJNIK

Vice Chmn Stanislaw WASZKO

Starogard (reported in 1961)

Szczecin (founded in the Spring of 1958)

Chairman (Prof Dr) Piotr ZAREMBA

Vice Chairmen Zofia KOZLOWSKA  
Jerzy WASSERMAN

Wolin Powiats

- d. Publications: The society publishes China, a monthly magazine and also a weekly bulletin.
- e. Remarks: By 1960 the society had 300,000 members, 17 provincial (voivodship) branches and over 100 district (powiat) groups.

Polish-Cuban Friendship Society

- a. Date established: Plans for its establishment were reported in October 1960.
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

Polish-Danish Friendship Society

- a. Date established: First reported in July 1959.
- b. Address:

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c. Officers: (1960)

President	Stanislaw GUCWA
Vice Presidents	Stanislaw KELLES-KRAUS Kazimierz MAJ
Secretary	F. PIASCIK
Treasurer	J. JASZUNSKI

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Polish-Egyptian Friendship Society

a. Date established: 17 December 1956.

b. Address: Warsaw.

c. Officers: (1956)

Chairman	(Dr) Kazimierz MICHALOWSKI
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d. Publications:

e. Remarks: It is not known whether or not the Society was in any way reorganized following the establishment of the United Arab Republic.

Polish-Finnish Friendship Society (Towarzystwo Przyjazni Polsko-Finskiej)

a. Date established: Reported as early as October 1957.

b. Address: Warsaw, Ul. Wiejska 6/8.

c. Officers: (1957, unless otherwise specified)

Chairman	(Dr) Jerzy JODLOWSKI (1959)
Vice Chairmen	Stanislaw TURSki** Jerzy SZTACHELSKI**
Secy General	Jerzy WIERBOWSKI (1959)

Board members

Zofia DEMBINSKA  
Antoni KORZYCKI  
Wladyslaw SPYCHALSKI (1960)  
Jan WIERZBOWSKI (1960)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Polish-Hungarian Friendship Society (Towarzystwo Przyjazni Polsko-Węgierskiej)

a. Date established: First noted in 1957.

b. Address: Krakow, Ul. Warszawska 24.

c. Officers (1960)

President

Elzbieta SHEYBAL

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Polish-Icelandic Friendship Society

a. Date established: Organizing meeting held on 13 May 1959.

b. Address: Warsaw.

c. Officers: (1959)

Chairman

(Prof) Margaret SCHLAUCH

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Polish-Indian Friendship Society (Towarzystwo Przyjazni Polsko-Indyjskiej)

a. Date established: Organizing meeting held on 25 June 1957.

b. Address: Warsaw, Ul. Dworkowa 3.

c. Officers: (1960)

Chairman

Oskar LANGE\*\*

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d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Polish-Norwegian Friendship Society

a. Date established: 7 May 1958.

b. Address: Warsaw.

c. Officers:

Chairman (1959)	(Prof) Stanislaw DARSKI
Vice Chairman (1960)	(Dr) Arwid HANSEN
Secretary (1960)	K. DABROWSKI (possibly Kazimierz DABROWSKI)
Others (1958)	(Prof) Julian HOCHFELD Alina CENIKIEWCZOWA (Ing) Kazimierz MUSZYNSKI Witold NOWICKI

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Polish-Soviet Friendship Society (Towarzystwo Przyjazni Polsko-Radzieckiej)

a. Date established: 1945.

b. Address: Warsaw, Ul. Kredytowa 7. (National Headquarters)

c. Officers: (1960, unless otherwise specified)

Chairman	Czeslaw WYCECH
Vice Chairmen	Mieczyslaw WAGROWSKI** Jozef OZGA-MICHALSKI Ignacy LOGA-SOWINSKI**
Secretariat	
Secretaries	Tadeusz KSIAZEK Edwarda ORLOWSKA**

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Members                   Mieczyslaw WAGROWSKI\*\*  
                              Aleksander SZANIAWSKI  
                              Stanislaw LEWANDOWSKI  
                              Stanislaw JUNG  
                              Henryk HOCHMAN

Presidium

Members                   Witold JAROSINSKI\*\*  
                              Zygmunt GARSTECKI  
                              Janusz GROSZKOWSKI  
                              Dionizy GAJEWSKI  
                              Ferdynand HEROK  
                              Tadeusz JANCZYK  
                              Leon KURCZKOWSKI\*\*  
                              Antoni KORZYCKI  
                              Tadeusz KSIĄZEK  
                              Edwarda ORLOWSKA\*\*  
                              Zofia ZAKRZEWSKA\*\*  
                              Stanisława ZAWADECKA

Audit Commission

Chairman (1956)           Wacław BARCIKOWSKI

Other (possibly members of the Central Board)

(1959)                    J. SKOWRONSKI  
(1959)                    Danuta WOZNICA

Branches

Warsaw Province

Main Office: Aleja Stalina 11. (1960)

Chairman (1958)        Igor JACKOWSKI

Secretary (1959)      (fnu) STRZEMECKI

Subsidiaries

Warsaw City Branch

Chm (1959)            A. KLESZCZYCKI

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Starowka: Swierszczewskiego 77. (1960)  
Wola Ochota: Mlynarska 16. (1960)  
Srodmiescie: Al. Roz 2. (1960)  
Mikotow: 8-10 Wollowa. (1960)  
Zoliborz: Inwalidow 10. (1960)  
Praga: Targowa 63. (1955; not listed in 1960)  
Brodno: Bialolecka 27. (1955; not listed in 1960)

Bydgoszcz City

Chairman (1959) A. KACZOROWSKI  
Vice Chmn (1960) Marion WOSCIECHOWSKI  
Secretary (1960) Alina CHAJECKA

Gdansk Province

Chairman (1960) Edmund LEWANDOWSKI

Katowice Province

Chairman (1959) Emil PRZYCZYNEK

Krakow City

Chairman (1959) T. MANDECKI

Lublin Province

Chairman (1959) Pawel DABEK\*\*

Lublin City

Chmn (1959) Stanislaw KRZYKALA

Secy (1959) Ryszard BOGUSZ

Poznan Province

Chairman (1959) (fmu) SZCZANIECKI

Rzeszow Province

Chairman Jan MIREK\*

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d. Publications:

Przyjazn (Friendship) - weekly organ of the Society.

Chief Editor (1959) Stanislaw JUNG

Editor (1958) Sylwia GWIZDALOWA

Two other publications, Gazetka Scienna (a wall newspaper carrying news of Soviet technological progress and scientific achievements), and Opinie (a quarterly which first appeared in 1957), have not been reported recently.

e. Remarks: In 1959 it was reported that the society's three main offices were in Warsaw, Wroclaw and Krakow. It was added that the society was funded by both the government and the party.

Polish-Swedish Friendship Society

a. Date established: Unknown. The activities of this society were discontinued about 1957 and resumed in early 1959.

b. Address:

c. Officers: (1960, unless otherwise specified)

President	Stanislaw TOLOWINSKI
Vice Presidents	Adam OSTROWSKI (1959) W. NOWIERSKI
Secretary	Helena OLI
Treasurer	(Ing) S. KUCZBORSKI
Board members (1959)	Wojciech ZUKROWSKI Lucjan WOLANOWSKI (and others)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

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RUMANIA

Rumanian Institute for Foreign Cultural Relations (Institutul Român pentru Relațiile Culturale cu Străinătatea)

a. Date established:

b. Address: 35 Boulevard Dacia, Bucharest.

c. Officers:

Chairman	Mihail RAIEA
Vice Chairmen	Octav LIVEZEANU Ilie MURGULESCU** Alexandru BUCAN (1961)
Other	Aurel BARANGA Iosif BOGDAN Mihail MACAVEI (honorary chairman) Horia PANAITESCU Alexandra ROSIANU Mihail ROSIANU** (Chairman, 1954-1956)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Rumanian League for Friendship with Afro-Asian Peoples

a. Date established: 18 December 1957.

b. Address:

c. Officers: (1960)

Chairman	
Vice Chairmen	Mihail CHELMEGEANU Ilie MURGULESCU**
Secy Gen	Stanciu STOLIAN

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: Still active in July 1960.

Rumanian-Belgian Parliamentary Friendship Group

a. Date established: 19 April 1960.

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman	Nicolae Gheorghe LUPU
Vice Chairmen	Nicolae BADESCU Alexandru BOABA
Secretary	Costache ANTONIU
Members	Petre LUPU** Stefan LUNGU Ludovic TAKACS Mihai MUJIC** Gabriela BERNACHI

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: Founded by Grand National Assembly deputies.

Rumanian-British Parliamentary Friendship Group

a. Date established: 19 April 1960.

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman	Grigore BENETATO
Vice Chairmen	Simion BUGHICI** Andrei OTETEA
Secretary	Raluca RIPAN
Members	Vida GHEZA Nicolae GIOSAN Justin MOISESCU Paul NICOLESCU-MIZIL*** Georghe STAN Nicolae VASU

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Rumanian-French Parliamentary Friendship Group

a. Date established: Has been in existence at least since 1957.

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman (Simon STOILOV, Chairman in 1960,  
recently died.)

Secretary (1957) Barbu SOLOMAN\*\*

Board mbr (1957) Gheorghe VASILICHI\*\*

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Rumanian-Icelandic Friendship Society

a. Date established: Reported in 1957.

b. Address:

c. Officers:

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Rumanian-Italian Parliamentary Friendship Group

a. Date established: 24 September 1959.

b. Address:

c. Officers: (1959)

Chairman Mihai BENIUC

Vice Chairman Constantin MATEESCU\*\*

Members Ion PAS  
Gheorghe RADOI  
Stefan MILOU  
Gheorghe CALINESCU

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: Founded by Grand National Assembly deputies.

Rumanian Association for Relations with the Soviet Union (Asociata Romana pentru Legaturile de prietenie cu Uniunea Sovietica)(ARLUS)

a. Date established:

b. Address: Ion Ghica #5, Bucharest (1960). In 1953 the Management Office of ARLUS was located in a building which formerly belonged to the Ardeleana Bank; reception rooms and the ARLUS Music Section were in the Palais Catargi; and a Central School for ARLUS agitators was located at #5, C.A. Rossetti Street.

c. Officers: (1960, unless otherwise specified)

Chairman                      Unknown  
(Constantin I. PHARHON, the former chairman, is dead)

Vice Chairmen              Octav LIVEZEANU (1959)  
Marin FLOREA-IONESCU  
Paul CONSTANTINESCU-IASI  
Ilie MURGULESCU\*\*

Secy Gen                      Virgil MANOLIU

Secys                          Ion MORARU  
Eugen RODAN (1959)

Bureau of the General Council

Members                      Gheorghe HOSSU\*\*  
Ion PAS  
Filip GELTZ\*\*

General Council

Members                      Anton BREITENHOFER\*\*  
Avram BUNACIU  
(Lt Gen) Mihail BURCA\*\*  
Nicolae CATANA\*\*  
Constanta CRACIU  
Mihai DALEA\*\*  
Aurel DUMA  
Vasile DUMITRESCU\*\*

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Maria GROZA  
Gyorgy KOVACS  
Paul NICULESCU-MIZIL\*\*  
Ion NICULI  
Raluca RIPAN  
Sorin TOMA\*\*  
Virgil TROFIN\*\*  
Pavel TUGUI\*\*  
Ghizela VASS\*\*

Branches

Bucharest City

Secy

Bulete SPIRIDON

Iasi Region

Chairman

Ion NICULI

In the Management Office of ARLUS there were, in 1957, two persons responsible for the documentation center; one responsible for the press department; one responsible for the "Russian Book" (Cartea Rusa) (in 1952 this was Constantin BALMUS); and one responsible for the ARLUS Library.

There are branches of ARLUS in each district capital and in each important town of the region. There are sub-branches in each main village of the raion; and in public institutions, high schools, and factories. There are ARLUS clubs in each village or state agricultural enterprise and in a great number of agricultural collectives. In 1948 ARLUS possessed 12,000 branches.

The headquarters of ARLUS in Bucharest, in 1956, maintained liaison with the department of "schools." This liaison controlled the schools belonging to ARLUS and at the same time controlled by inspection all schools in Rumania as regards the effective teaching of Marxism-Leninism and of the Russian language.

d. Publications:

Veac Nou, official organ of ARLUS. This journal, in 1956, published the following editions:

- (1) A weekly in the Rumanian language with a circulation of about 300,000.

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(2) A weekly in Hungarian, German, Serbo-Croat, Ukrainian and Yiddish.

(3) A monthly illustrated edition in Rumanian with a circulation of about 500,000.

e. Remarks: In 1956 ARIUS possessed a claimed membership of 3,000,000.

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UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS (USSR)

Union of Soviet Societies for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries (Soyuz Sovetskikh Obshchestvo Druzhy i Kulturnoy Svyazi s Zarubezhnyimi Stranami)

- a. Date established: 17 February 1958, replacing the former organization known as the All-Union Society for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries (Vsesoyuznoye Obshchestvo Kulturnoy Svyazi s Zagranitsey) (VOKS) which was created on 8 August 1925. The union actually controls and coordinates the activities of all the organizations for friendship and cultural relations in the Soviet Union, whether regional or bi-lateral in nature. These societies share with the union not only their address (in the case of Moscow-based organizations), but also a common organizational structure (i.e.: chairman, presidium, board, collective membership and individual membership - collective membership being given to clubs, factories and other groups). Friendship House, located at the same address as the union, is used by the various societies and cultural groups for meetings and exhibitions.
- b. Address: Moscow - Kalinin 14-16, Moscow K-9.<sup>1</sup>  
Leningrad - A mansion on Pyotr Lavrov St. in Leningrad.
- c. Officers: (elected in February 1958)

Presidium (12 members in 1958, but apparently now numbers 13)

Chairman	Nina Vasilyevna POPOVA**
1st Vice Chmn	Viktor I. GORSHKOV
Vice Chairmen	Yevgeniy V. IVANOV Grigoriy M. KALISHYAN Nikolay T. SIZOV Nikolay A. VIZZHILIN Tatyana Mikhaylovna ZUEVA (ZUYEVA) (not listed in 1958, but reported as a Vice Chairman in 1960)

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1. It is apparent that all of the Moscow-based friendship societies use this address.

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Members

I. I. ARTOBOLEVSKIY  
Sergey Apollinariyevich GERASIMOV\*  
Lidiya Dmitriyevna KISLOVA  
Nikolay Vasilyevich TSITSIN\*  
(Dr) Ye. VASYUKOVA  
Georgiy A. ZHUKOV\*\*1  
(aka Yuriy ZHUKOV)

The Union possesses a Board (or Council) composed of 180 members in 1958 (including Aleksandr Semenovich PANYUSHKIN\*\*) and a 30-member Auditing Committee. The Deputy Director of Friendship House in 1959 was Anatoliy OBROSOV.

Regional Departments (unknown number)

American Countries

Chief (1959) Lidiya Dmitriyevna KISLOVA

US Section (may total 15 persons)

Chief (1961) Igor G. ALEKSANDROV

Member (fnu) BAKAYEV  
(may be identical with one Viktor BUKAYEV, known to be in this section in 1957)

Possible members

Aleksey ULIYANOV  
(known to be in this section of VOKS in 1957 as an interpreter)  
(fnu) TULISOV  
(known to be in this section of VOKS in 1956)  
(fnu) VASILYEV  
(known to be in this section of VOKS in 1956)

Latin American Section

Chief Vladimir A. KUZMICHIEV (probably)  
(Note that KUZMICHIEV is Secretary General of the Soviet Association of Friendship and Cultural Cooperation with the Latin American countries)

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1. Chairman of the State Committee for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries (not to be confused with the non-governmental Union).



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Near, Middle Eastern and African Countries

Chief	Unknown (in 1956 under VOKS the chief was one Shater HASSANGHOLIOV)
D/Chief (1959)	Pavel CHMELKOV (may be in charge of the African Section; note his position as Secretary General of the Soviet Association for Friendship with the Peoples of Africa)
Secy	Svetlana KOLMAKOVA (possibly in the African Section)

Anglo-Saxon Countries

This department was known to exist under VOKS, but it is uncertain whether it exists now, Since a British Section is known to exist, however, it is possible that it is an element of such a department--possibly along with sections for Australia, Canada and New Zealand. The chief of this department in July 1957 was A. VERTOGRADOV.

British Section

Chief	Vasilii I. GROMEKA (note GROMEKA's position as secretary general of the USSR-Great Britain Society)
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Scandinavian Countries (1958)

Chief	Valentin KURENISOV (probably identical with K. KURENISOV, reported as Secretary of the USSR-Sweden Society)
Members	Leo GOGOL (probably identical with Leonid GOGOL, in late 1958 reported as secretary of the USSR-Finland Society)

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(fnu) KOSTROV  
(known to be in this department in  
December 1958, probably in the  
Swedish Section)  
Yaroslav Pavlovich KAPUSTIN  
(known to be a Norwegian interpreter  
with VOKS in August 1957; may be  
in the Norwegian Section)

Possible mbr Larisa NIKOLAYEVA  
(was with VOKS Scandinavian Depart-  
ment in 1954-1956)

Western European Countries

Chief (1958) (fnu) SHISTUNOV (SVISTUNOV)

Member Aleksandra Petrovna ZATSEPILOVA  
(known to be attached to this  
department of VOKS in 1957)

Central European Countries

This department was known to exist under VOKS, but  
it is uncertain whether it exists now.

Chief (1955) Tamara Yu. SOLOVYEVA

Possible mbr Vladimir SHAKHOV  
(described as a secretary of the  
union in October 1960 when he  
attended the congress of the Swiss-  
USSR Society)

Eastern Socialist Countries (may just be called 'Eastern  
Countries')

Chief V. I. DANILOV

D/Chief (fnu) ALDABAYEV (probable)  
(ALDABAYEV, when he visited North  
Vietnam in 1958, was described as  
deputy chief of the 'Eastern Coun-  
tries Section' of the union)

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Southeast Asian Countries

This department was known to exist under VOKS, but it is uncertain whether it exists now.

Chief (1957) Y. F. KOSYAKINA  
(known to be a director of the union)

Socialist Countries

Chief (1961) Nikolay PASHKOV  
(it is possible that PASHKOV specializes in Eastern Europe)

Special Sections (have also been called departments)(15 in 1960)

Architecture

Chief<sup>1</sup> N. Y. COLLEY  
Scientific Secy<sup>2</sup> Y. S. YARALOV  
Possible mbr I. I. LOVEYKO\*

Fine Arts

Chief Nikolay Vasilyevich TOMSKIY\*  
D/Chief D. SHMARINOV  
Sci Secy Y. D. KOPLINSKIY

Theatre

Chief Yuriy Aleksandrovich ZAVADSKIY\*  
D/Chiefs Pavel MARKOV (1959)  
(1960) Georgy TOVSTONOGOV  
Ilmar TAMMUR  
Akaky KHORAVA

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1. Chiefs of these sections are usually called 'president' or 'chairman.'
  2. The function of the 'scientific secretary' in these sections is not clear. They are sometimes referred to as 'academic secretaries.'

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Nikolay OKHLOPKOV  
Mikhail TSARYOV  
Igor MOISEYEV  
Sergey Vladimirovich OBRAZTSOV

Sci Secys           A. L. SHAPS (1959)  
                      Viktor G. KOMISSARZHEVSKIY

Members            R. SIMONOV  
                      M. KODROV  
                      G. ULANOVA

Possible mbrs (1959)  
(based on the fact that they repeatedly write about  
the theatre in the Union's publication, Moscow News)  
                      G. KOMISSAROVA  
                      Y. YAKOVLEV

Film

Chief               Sergey Apollinariyevich GERASIMOV\*  
Sci Secy            L. P. POGOZHEVA  
Member             S. V. KOMAROV (1961)

Music

Chief               Tikhon Nikolayevich KHRENNIKOV\* (1961)

D/Chiefs            Igor BELZA  
                      Mikhail Ivanovich CHULAKI\*  
                      Konstantin F. DANKEVICH\*  
                      Eugen A. KAPP\*\*1  
                      Shalva Mikhaylovich MSHEVELIDZE\*  
                      Anatoliy Grigoryevich NOVIKOV\*  
                      (and others)

Exec Secy           N. SIBIRYAKOV (SYBYRYAKOV)

Sci Secys           Ivan Ivanovich MARTYNOV (1961)  
                      L. S. GINSBURG (1961)

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1. Central Committee, Estonian CP.

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The Music Section unites over 200 Soviet composers, musicians, and musicologists including:

SHOSTAKOVICH  
KHACHATURYAN  
KABALEVSKIY  
Emil GILELS  
OISTRAKH  
L. KOGAN  
S. ROSTROPOVICH  
Y. SHAPORIN

Medicine

Chief (Prof) S. A. SARKISOV

D/Chief N. N. BLOKHIN

Sci Secy I. D. KARANYUZOV  
(was formerly G. E. OSTROVORCHOV)

Members (Prof) L. A. KOREYSHA  
(Prof) A. L. MYASNIKOV  
(Prof) V. A. NEGOVSKIY  
(D/Chief of the section in 1956 under VOKS)

A. I. NESTEROV

G. P. RUDNEV

S. E. SEVERIN

(Prof) L. M. SHABAD

(Prof) A. I. SHABANOV

G. N. SPERANSKIY

F. F. TALYZIN

(Prof) E. A. VASYUKOVA

(Prof) A. A. VISHNEVSKIY

(Prof) M. S. VOVSI

V. M. ZHDANOV

Possible mbr V. KOTKIN (1959)

Pedagogy

Chief Ivan Andreyevich KAIROV\*\*

D/Chief A. M. ARSENYEV (1961)

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Secy. V. S. ARANSKIY (1959)  
Possible mbr M. KOLMAKOVA (1959)  
Russian Language Consultation Group (1960)  
Chief (Prof) G. P. SERDYUCHENKO

Science and Technology

Chief I. I. ARTOBOLEVSKIY  
Sci Secy S. V. SHUCHARDIN  
Possible mbrs L. DANILOV  
Y. K. FYODOROV  
K. GILZIN  
Aleksandr KAZANISEV  
I. I. LOVEYKO\*  
V. MYASKOV  
V. A. VENIKOV

Social Sciences

Chief Anushavan A. ARZUMANYAN (1960)  
(P. N. FEDOSEYEV held this position  
in November 1957 under VOKS, having  
apparently replaced A. M. PANKRATOVA\*\*)  
Sci Secys A. M. SHARKOV\*  
Z. V. UDALTZOVA  
Member Viktor VIRGINSKIY (1959)  
Possible mbr K. V. TSURINOV  
(known to have been a member of this  
section in 1956 under VOKS)

Natural Sciences

Chief Aleksandr Ivanovich OPARIN (1958)

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Oriental Studies

Chief                   A. A. GUBER

Sci Secy                G. G. KOTOVSKIY

Possible mbrs         Dmitriy Ivanovich SHCHERBAKOV  
                          R. TUZMUKHAMEDOV  
                          L. MOREV

Agriculture

Chief                   A. I. TULUPNIKOV

Sci Secy                D. I. YAKUSHKIN

Members                D. D. BREZHNEV  
                          I. E. GLUSHCHENKO  
                          V. A. KOLESNIKOV  
                          K. F. KUSHNER  
                          G. M. LOZA  
                          V. T. MAKAROV  
                          N. F. ROSTOVTSEV  
                          V. N. STOLETOV

Economics, Philosophy, and Law

Chief                   Konstantin Petrovich GORSHENIN

Sci Secys               V. A. TUMANOV  
                          Docent M. LAZAREV (1959)

Members                A. DEBORIN  
                          Yevgeniy A. KOROVIN  
                          Yevgeny Alekseyevich KOSMINSKIY\*  
                          S. G. STRUMILIN  
                          Yevgeny Samoilovich VARGA\*  
                          Vyacheslav Petrovich VOLGIN\*

Possible mbrs         (known to have been members under  
                          VOKS in 1956)  
                          S. A. GOLUNSKIY  
                          L. A. LUNIS  
                          P. I. KUDRYAVTSEV

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Children's Art and Literature

Chief                   Sergey Vladimirovich MIKHAIKOV  
Sci Secy                L. G. SHPET  
Members (1959)        Anatoly ALEKSIN  
                          Sergey Vladimivovich OBRAZTSOV  
                          K. Ya. SHAKH-AZIZOV  
                          B. G. GOLUBOVSKIY  
                          Vitaly GORYAEV  
                          Lev Abramovich KASSIL

Photography

Chief                   Vladimir Dmitriyevich SHAKHOVSKOY (1961)  
Sci Secy                F. O. FRIEDLAND

As of January 1961 over 200 photo correspondents and amateurs belonged to this section.

Culture (possibly called the Russian Culture Section; this is not listed as one of the fifteen special sections of the union and may be a sub-unit of one of them)

Chief (1958)           Andrey YARIKOV  
D/Chief                M. P. TULISOV  
                          (held this post in 1957 under VOKS)

Identified as union officials or staff members; specific duties or sections unknown (names given as reported)

J. YARIKOV (Y. YARIKOV?)  
J. FROLIKOVA (Y. FROLIKOVA?)  
M. RASTROPOVICH  
G. SAWACHSKY (G. SAVACHSKIY?)  
G. BOYADYEV  
N. ROSTOFCHKIY  
D. MATVEYEVA  
Larisa VASILYEVA  
(Mme)(fmu) MAMEDOVA  
(probably Tamara Yuryevna MAMEDOVA)  
M. PANKOV  
(possibly a member of the Socialist Countries Dept)



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C. CHEREMYUKIN (TSEREMYUKIN?)  
Vladimir Fedorovich KHOROKHORDIN  
Vladimir Mikhaylovich STYCHKOV  
L. V. KHUNDOBIN  
Identified in 1958 as Nina POPOVA's  
'First Assistant,' possibly her  
personal secretary  
Valentina Vladimirovna LYUBOMUDROVA

Leningrad Branch of the Union

Chief Aleksandr PARKHAYEV

d. Publications

Culture and Life (Kultura i Zhizn): A slick-paper magazine  
founded in 1957 (replacing the old VOKS Bulletin); published  
monthly in English, Russian, French, Spanish and German;  
circulation in 1958 was 40,000.

Editorial Board

Editor-in-Chief Pavel I. PRONIN  
Asst Ed-in-Chief A. P. KUROPATOV  
Exec Secy Z. P. IVANOVA

Members of the Board

M. V. ALPATOV  
I. L. ANDRONIKOV  
I. I. ARTOBOLEVSKIY  
Sergey Apollinariyevich GERASIMOV\*  
Aleksy Ivanovich MARKUSHEVICH\*  
Nikolay Vasilyevich TSITSIN\*  
Z. V. UDALTSOVA  
O. G. VEREISKIY

Layout man R. KAZAKOV

Editorial Office

13/15, Proyezd Sapunova, Moscow; telephone: 21-35-60;  
telegraphic address: Kultura, Moscow-Center K-12.

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Moscow News: Newspaper first published twice weekly on Wednesdays and Saturdays in French and English; has been issued since late 1955 or early 1956. It is now a weekly, having 16 pages, as of January 1961.

Editorial Board

General Manager

Telephone: 29-10-58

Secretariat

Telephone: 29-12-66

Departments

International Affairs (telephone: 29-37-87)

Culture and Science (telephone: 29-92-22)

Economics (telephone: 29-85-62)

Home News (telephone: 29-09-23)

Illustration (telephone: 29-06-92)

Editorial Office

16/2 Gorky St., Moscow K-104; telegraphic address:  
Moscow News, Moscow.

Described as a "senior editor" (no publication mentioned) for the Union in July 1958: Ha.

Harry EISMAN

(defected from the US to the USSR  
in 1934; exiled in Siberia from  
1949 - 1953)

- e. Remarks: The heads of departments and sections of the union have been variously referred to as 'chairman,' 'president,' 'director,' etc. of their particular units. As a compromise they are herein referred to simply as 'chief.' Nina POPOVA has stated (in early 1960) that the special sections alone include more than two thousand persons "prominent in the field of science and culture."

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Armenian Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

- a. Date established: Probably 1958. Apparently replaced the former Armenian Society for Cultural Liaison Abroad known to exist in 1956.
- b. Address: Probably located at the same address as its predecessor--Sverdlev St, No. 2, Yerevan.
- c. Officers:  

Chairman (1960)	Bertsave GRIGORYAN (in 1956 this post was held by Dr. B. A. ASTVATSATRYAN, aka Parken ASDVADZADRYAN)
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- d. Publications:  

Sovetakan Hayastan (Soviet Armenia), illustrated monthly magazine.
- e. Remarks:

Azerbaijdzhan Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

- a. Date established:
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:  

Chairman (1961)	Riza I. KULIYEV (aka Reza; Rza) (is known to have held this position since at least 1956)
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- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

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Belorussian Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries (Belorusskoye Obshehestvo Druzhby i Kulturnoy Svyazi s Zarubyezhnymi Stranami)

- a. Date established:
- b. Address: Minsk, Zakharova 28; telephone: 3-27-81.
- c. Officers:

Chairman (1961)	Ivan KOZLOV
Vice Chmn (1960)	V. CHERNYAVSKAYA
Member of the Presidium (1958)	Ivan Stepanovich LUPINOVICH**1
Board member	Nikolay TURBIN (1961)
Business manager (1961)	Maria VOLK

- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

Estonian Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

- a. Date established:
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:

Chairman (1958)	Olga A. LAURISTIN (known to have held this post under VOKS in 1956)
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- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

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1. CC/Belorussian CP

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Georgian Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

a. Date established:

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960)

V. A. KOCHORADZE

(known to have held this post under  
VOKS in 1957)

Literary Section (1960)

Member

Grigol ABASHIDZE

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Kazakh Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

a. Date established: About 23 January 1959, replacing the old  
Kazakh Society for Cultural Relations with Abroad.

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960)

Mukhtar O. DZHANGALIN

(known to have held this post under  
VOKS in 1956)

Vice Chairman (1956)

(fmu) SHAMZHANOVA

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Kirgiz Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

a. Date established: Unknown. Reported to exist in early 1959.

b. Address:

c. Officers:

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Latvian Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

- a. Date established: It is probable that the present Society is the 'replacement' of the old Latvian VOKS affiliate known as early as 1956.
- b. Address: Riga, in a "beautiful old building" on a street named after Leons Paegle, the Lettish poet. (1960)
- c. Officers:

Chairman	Petr I. VALESKALN (1960) (known to have held this post under VOKS in 1956)
Presidium mbr	V. KALPINS <sup>v</sup>
Exec Secy (1956)	(fnu) RIMY'AN
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

Lithuanian Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

- a. Date established: Existence probable, but unconfirmed. There was, in 1956, an affiliate of VOKS in Lithuania.
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:

Chairman (1956)	P. I. ROTOMSKIS
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- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

Moldavian Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

- a. Date established: 1958.
- b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960) N. F. PISARENKO

There are 8 special sections: language and literature, press and information, art, industry and agriculture, etc.

Branches. Has 13 branches functioning in district centers and state and collective farms.

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Tadzhik Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

a. Date established: This Society replaced the former Tadzhik VOKS affiliate.

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman (1959) I. K. NARZIKULOV  
(known to have held this post under VOKS in 1956)

Vice Chairman (1956) (fmu) RAKHMATULLAYEV  
(may be identical with Khodzhikul RAKHMATULLAYEV, a prominent Tadzhik Director and Actor)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Turkmen Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

a. Date established: Late 1958.

b. Address: Ashkhabad

c. Officers:

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

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Ukrainian Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

a. Date established: It is probable that the present Society is the 'replacement' of the old Ukrainian Society for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries, a VOKS affiliate.

b. Address: Probably located in Kiev.

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960)

Konstantin Z. LITVIN\*\*<sup>1</sup>  
(known to have held this post under VOKS as early as October 1956, replacing Luka KIZIA)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Uzbek Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries

a. Date established: It is probable that the present Society replaces the old VOKS affiliate in Uzbekistan.

b. Address:

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960)

Jamila TAJIEVA (sic)  
(apparently replaced S. K. SHIRIMBAYEV who held the post in 1958; under VOKS in 1956 this post was filled by T. D. DZHURAYEV\*\*<sup>2</sup>)

Vice Chmn (1957)

Abdur RASHIDOV

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

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2. CC/Uzbek CP

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Soviet Association of Friendship with the Peoples of Africa

- a. Date established: 23 April 1959 at a meeting in the House of Friendship in Moscow.
- b. Address: 14 Kalinin St., K-9, Moscow.
- c. Officers:

Chairman	(Prof) Ivan I. POTEKHIN
Vice Chmn (12)	B. M. AGAYEV E. I. BORISOV (probably Yevgeniy I. BORISOV*) V. DODBAYEV I. G. LOGINOV Nikolay Dmitriyevich MORDVINOV (Prof) Dmitniy OLDEROGGE Irina YASTREBOVA (and others)
Secy General	Pavel CHMELKOV (SHMELKOV)
Board (115 members)	G. S. AKHVLEDIANI K. BERDIYEV V. R. GAZARYAN**1 E. D. TURCHANINOVA L. A. YEVSTAFIEVA (YEVSTAVIYEVA) G. S. YEREMENKO Boris Ivanovich KARAVAYEV M. S. SPIVAK**2 Anatoliy Vladimirovich SOFRONOV* Antonina Dmitriyevna KOPEVA N. RAPHIBEILI V. P. PANOVA (believe this to be an error for Vera Fedorovna PANOVA, well-known writer) (Prof)(fnu) SHPIRT Ivan MILOVANOV Irina YASTREBOVA

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- 1. CC/Armenian CP
  - 2. CC/Ukrainian CP

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(fnu) YABLOCHKOV  
(possibly L. YABLOCHKOV, secretary  
of the African Institute of the  
Academy of Sciences)  
Marina RAIT  
(and others)

Standing Committees (3)

Committee on African Literature and Art

Committee for Promotion of Contacts with Public, Cultural  
and Scientific Organizations

Committee for Mass Activities

Special Women's Commission (formed in early 1961)

Chairman                   Irina YASTREBOVA

Members                   Marina RAIT  
                              Rosa Nurgalievna ISMAGILOVA  
                              Maria MAKSAKOVA  
                              Vera ORLOVA  
                              Yalena CHUKHNYUK

Lecture Group

Chairman                   Irina YASTREBOVA

Branches

Azerbaijdzhan branch established 22 July 1960.

Vice Chairman           Yusuf KERIMOV

Kazakh branch established in Alma-Ata in 1960.

Chairman                   G. Z. BIYASHEV

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: Note that I. I. POTEKHIN is also Director of the Institute of African Studies (formerly part of the Institute of Oriental Studies). Irina YASTREBOVA is reported to have once headed the African Department of the Institute of Oriental

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Studies. It is possible that members of POTEKHIN's staff at the Institute of African Studies may also play a role in the association. For instance, it is possible that Marina REIT, who is a member of his staff at the Institute specializing in Amharic, might be identifiable with the RAIT (fmu) listed above as a member of the board of the association.

Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Countries of the Arab East

- a. Date established: 21 April 1958
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:

Chairman	Servey V. KAFTANOV
Vice Chairman	B. I. SAMSONOV (1958) A. F. SULTANOV (1959)
Members of the Board	Lev SMIRNOV (1958) (probably Lev Nikolaevich SMIRNOV) (Prof) TSERETELI (1959) (probably G. V. TSERETELI) and others

Standing Committees (4 known)

Organizational Committee - sends and receives delegations and supplies them with reference materials.

Committee for Cultural Work - charged with the preparation of articles, exhibitions, anniversary celebrations, lectures, reports, etc.

Committee for Scientific Exchange

Committee for Literature, Art and the Study of Arabic

Branches

Armenia (probably established in mid-1959 at Yerevan)

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Azerbaydzhan (established 12 November 1958 at Baku)

Chairman (1958) Abdulla Salimoglu BAIKRAMOV\*\*1

Kazakhstan (established 13 November 1958 at Alma Ata)

Chairman (1958) Sabit Mukanovich MUKANOV\*\*2

Tadzhikistan (established 8 October 1958 at Stalinabad)

Turkmenistan (established 14 October 1958 at Ashkhabad)

Chairman (1958) S. TASHLIYEV

Ukraine (established January 1959)

Uzbekistan (established 19 December 1958, probably in Tashkent)

Chairman (1959) S. S. A. AZIMOV\*\*3

Vice Chmn (1959) Z. BABAKHANOV  
(probably identical with Ziyautdin BABAKHANOV)  
K. Z. ZAKIROV  
A. M. MURATKHODZHAYEV  
Kh. R. MUSAKHANOVA  
Khamrakul TURSUNKULOV\*\*3

Secretary (1959) N. MUKHAMEDOV

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

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1. CC/Azerbaydzhani CP.
  2. CC/Kazakh CP.
  3. CC/Uzbek CP.

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Soviet Association of Friendship and Cultural Relations with Latin American Countries (aka: Soviet Association of Friendship and Cultural Cooperation with Countries of Latin America) (Sovetskaya Assotsiatsiya Druzhby i Kulturnogo Sotrudnichestva so Stranami)

- a. Date established: 22 January 1959
- b. Address: Moscow, K-9, Kalinin 14-16 (same address as the Union).  
Telephones: 237563 and 286395
- c. Officers:

Chairman (1959)	Aram Ilich KHACHATURYAN*
Vice Chmn (14 in 1959)	Innokentiy Petrovich GERASIMOV* Semen Isaakovich KIRSANOV Aleksandr Leonidovich MYASNIKOV Tatyana Petrovna NIKOLAYEVA Dmitriy Ivanovich SHCHERBAKOV Mikhail Porfirevich GEORGADZE**2 Nikolay Nikolayevich DYAKANOV Petr Mikhaylovich ZHUKOVSKIY Eugen A. KAPP**3 Y.V. KNOROZOV Aleksandr Aleksandrovich KOTOV A.I. KHRIMLYAN I.Z. SHTOKALO Boris Mikhaylovich YARUSTOVSKIY
Secy General	Vladimir A. KUZMICHEV (Note that KUZMICHEV is believed to head the Latin American Section of the Union of Soviet Societies for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries.)
Board (1959)	(Prof) Fedor Viktorovich KELLIN Ovadi Gertsovich SAVICH Iosif Romualidovich GRIGULEVICH Vasilii Ivanovich YERMOLAYEV (ERMOLAYEV) **1

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1. Believed to be or to have been assistants to the head of the Latin American Sektor within the CPSU's Foreign Section.
  2. CC/Georgian CP
  3. CC/Estonian CP

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Maria Vladislavovna DANILEVICH\*\*1  
Marat Iosifovich MOYNACHEV  
(MOKHNACHEV?) and others

National Commissions (1959, unless otherwise noted)

(One report referred to heads of Commissions as "Presidents". They have also been called "Chairmen". In this directory the term "Chief" will be used.)

Argentina

Chief Aleksandr Leonidovich MYASNIKOV  
Secretary Aleksey Aleksandrovich RASLIVAKHIN  
(RAZLIVAZHIN)

Brazil

Chief Innokentiy Petrovich GERASIMOV\*  
Secretary Benjamin Alekseyevich ZHITKOV

Mexico

Chief Dmitriy Ivanovich SHCHERBAKOV  
Secretary Marina Vladimirovna GRUTSKOVA  
(1959; information obtained in early 1960 reflected that GRUTSKOVA was in charge of Bolivia, apparently as Secretary.)

Uruguay

Chief Tatyana Petrovna NIKOLAYEVA  
Secretary Stepan Petrovich MAMONTOV  
(1959; it is possible that MAMONTOV no longer holds this post since information reported in June 1960 reflected that one Lucia YANEKOVA or YANICOVA, identified only as a secretary of the association, was handling correspondence

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1. Believed to be or to have been assistants to the head of the Latin American Sektor within the CPSU's Foreign Section.

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with both Uruguay and Chile.  
It is believed that "Lucia"  
is identifiable with Lyudmila  
Vladimirovna YANEKOVA or YANIKOVA,  
secretary for Chile.)

Chile

Chief Semen Isaakovich KIRSANOV

Secretary Lyudmila Vladimirovna YANEKOVA  
(YANIKOVA) (see note under MAMONTOV,  
above)

Cuba (probably)

Chief Nikolay Nikolayevich DYAKANOV

Secretary Boris Sergeyevich NIKIFOROV

Central American Countries (Guatemala, El Salvador,  
Honduras, Nicaragua, Costa Rica and Panama)

Chief Leonid Aleksandrovich KOREISHA

Secretary Yuriy Nikolayevich PAPOROV

Venezuela, Colombia and Ecuador

Chief Fedor Viktorovich KELLIN

Secretary Valentina Petrovna KRILOVA (KRYLOVA)

Bolivia, Paraguay and Peru

Chief Boris Mikhaylovich YARUSTOVSKIY

Secretary Yuriy Aleksandrovich ZUBRITSKIY  
(1959; information obtained in early  
1960 reflected that Marina Vladimirovna  
GRUTSKOVA was in charge of Bolivia,  
apparently as a secretary. Whether  
she also took over Paraguay and  
Peru is unknown.)

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Special Commissions (1959 unless otherwise noted)

Literature and Art

Chief (1960) Ovadi Gertsovich SAVICH  
Secy for Lit. Vera Nikolayevna KUTEISCHIKOVA  
Secy for Art Yevgeniy Semenovich LEVITIN

Music

Chief (1960) Ivan Ivanovich MARTYNOV  
Secretary Nina Nikolayevna DELETZIEVA

Social Sciences

Secy Gen'l (sic) Iosif Romualidovich GRIGULEVICH  
Secy of Historical Sciences  
Vasiliy Ivanovich YERMOLAYEV\*\*  
Secy of Legal Sciences  
Nikolay Nikanorovich RASUMOVICH  
Secy of Geographic Sciences  
Aleksandr Vasilyevich VOLKOV  
Secy of Philosophic Sciences  
Yakov Arutukhovich (?) (Arutujovich)  
BAZARIAN (BAZARYAN)  
Secy of Economic Sciences  
Maria Vladislavovna DANILEVICH\*\*

Sports

Chief (1960) Aleksandr Aleksandrovich KOTOV  
(In 1960 the Moscow News described him  
as heading the Chess Section of the  
association. He is an internationally  
known chess champion.)  
Secretary Galina Vladimirovna UTEKHINA



Youth

Chief Marat Iosifovich MOYNACHEV  
(MOKHNACHEV ?)

Secretary Lev Georgiyevich BISTROV

Architecture and Construction (first reported in 1960)

Chief (1960) Nikolay S. GERASKIN

Medicine (first reported in mid-June 1960)

Chief ?

Information and News

Chief Ivan Sergeyeovich PUSTOVALOV  
(POSTOVALOV ?)

Secretary Yuriy Vladimirovich DASHKEVICH

Translation Group

Chief Boris Vladimirovich KOSTRITZIN

Secretary Vicente Eugenio PERTEGAZ

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Afghanistan

a. Date established: 28 October 1959

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman Sergey Pavlovich TOLSTOV\*

Member Aleksandr DURYANKOV

The Society possesses a Board of 90 members.

Branch

Tadjikistan-Afghanistan Friendship Association established  
in May 1960 at Stalinabad.

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-Albania Society of Friendship and Cultural Relations

a. Date established: 28 April 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1958)

Konstantin A. GUBIN\*\*

Vice Chmn (1959)

Sergey Dmitriyevich ORLOV\*

Members

Nikolay T. SIZOV

Vera RYZHKOVA

Iosif NONESHVILI

Nina SINYAVSKAYA

(fmu) BUDIN

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-Australia Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations

a. Date established: 22 July 1960

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers: (1960, unless otherwise indicated)

Chairman

Vladimir G. KORT

Vice Chairman

Susanna ZVYAGINA

Exec Secy (1961)

N.I. MASLOVA

Members of the founding group

David Fedorovich OISTRAKH\*  
Nikolay Pavlovich FIRYUBIN\*\*  
T.V. YEREMEYEV  
V. P. KUTS  
(probably Vladimir KUTS)  
Y.S. KOROTKEVICH  
M.S. CHUBATY  
E.S. HARK  
V.I. CHUKARIN  
(probably Viktor CHUKARIN)  
V.M. CHUBAROV  
Vasiliy I. GROMEKA  
Tatyana Petrovna NIKOLAYEVA  
B.L. DZERDZEYEVSKIY  
Viktor I. GORSHKOV  
P.A. YESAULOV  
Y.M. SUZUMOV  
S.A. TOKAREV  
V.M. PLUCHECK  
S.N. ZVYAGINA  
N.N. ROMANOV  
M.I. LUGOVIKOVA  
A.P. TASKEVICH  
I.D. KROTKOV  
V.M. KUNIN  
A.A. UGLOV  
N.F. UTENKOV  
E.P. BORTKEVICH  
V.I. MIKHEYEV  
V.V. MAYEVSKIY  
E.V. MALININ  
B. N. KLOUSSOUSKIY  
L.M. KASATKINA  
A.M. SOROKIN  
I.A. LEBEDEV  
V.I. PILUNOFF  
V.V. SNEGOVOY  
N.I. MASLOVA  
N.P. LETOVA  
V. J. BABKIN  
G.A. BREGMAN  
A.F. SYSOYEVA

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-Austria Society

a. Date established: 24 July 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1958)

Dmitri Dmitrievich SHOSTAKOVICH

Vice Chmn (1959)

Vladimir Afanasevich BOLDYREV

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-Belgium Association

a. Date established: 12 April 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1958)

Andrey Lvovich KURSANOV

Vice Chmn (1958)

(Dr) (fnu) YELYANSKIY

(probably Dr. Nikolay Nikolayevich  
YELANSKIY)

Probable members

Viktor I. GORSHKOV

Vadim ZAGLADIN

Lazar BERMANN

Anushavan A. ARZUMANYAN

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: This association is unique among Soviet friendship societies in that it was founded under the patronage of Queen Elizabeth of Belgium.

Soviet-Bulgarian Friendship Society

a. Date established: 7 March 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1958)                      Andrey Nikolayevich TUPOLEV

Vice Chmn (1958)                      Dmitriy Danilovich BREZHNEV\*\*  
(1959)                                      Aleksey Ivanovich POPOV

Board (65 members in 1958)

Branches

Armenian branch established in Yerevan, 12 November 1958.

Lithuanian branch reported in 1958.

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-Canada Society

a. Date established: 28 December 1959

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960)                      Mikhail Ivanovich TSAREV\*

There are reported to be about 15 Vice Chairmen.

Exec Secy (1961)                      Igor TIKHOMIROV

Branch

Ukraine established on 19 May 1961

Chmn                                      (fnu) DMYTERKO

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Soviet-Ceylon Friendship Society

a. Date established: 30 November 1959

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960) (Dr.) V. Ya. ABOLTI

Vice Chmn (1961) Vitaly N. GORYAEV

Sponsors and probable members:

Nina Vasilyevna POPOVA\*\*

K.E. BAKHRADZE

(may be identical with Kseniya  
Yermolaevna BAKHNADZE\*) (Kseniya  
Ermolaevna BAKHNADZE)

M.D. YAKOVLEV

N.A. KAZANTSEVA

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Soviet-Chinese Friendship Society

a. Date established: 29 October 1957

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1959) Andrey Andreyevich ANDREYEV\*\*

Vice Chmn (1960) V.P. YELYUTIN\*\*  
(1960) Lyudmila V. DUBROVINA  
(1959) Nikolay Semenovich TIKHONOV  
(1959) Pavel Alekseyevich SATYUKOV\*\*  
(1958) A.S. PEREVERTALLO

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Board (50 persons)

(1960)

Vladimir N. ROGOV

(1960)

N.M. MITRONOV\*\*\*

(1958)

E.T. CHEREDNICHENKO

(probably identical with Ye.T.  
CHEREDNICHENKO)

Probable Board members

A.F. FEDOROV

S.L. TIKHVINSKY

V.N. STOLETOV

Sections (7 in 1958 with over 250 personnel)

Foreign Relations Section - Supervises delegations to China and organizes talks by members of such delegations upon their return to the USSR.

Lecture Propaganda Section - Established ties with the All-Union Society for the Dissemination of Political and Scientific Knowledge and other mass groups engaged in propaganda related to the task of strengthening Soviet-Chinese friendship.

Literature Section - Popularizes Chinese literature in the Soviet Union.

Chairman (1958) Nikolay Semenovich TIKHONOV

Visual Agitation Section

Arts Section

(Plus two other sections presently unidentified.)

Branches

Azerbaijan (established 7 October 1958)

Chairman (1958) Suleyman VEZIROV

Board composed of 43 persons.

Belorussia (established September 1958)

Georgia (established in 1958)

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Irkutsk (established in July 1958)

Chairman (1961) G. KUNGUROV

Kazakhstan (established in 1958)

Kirgizia (established in 1958)

Latvia (Riga) (First reported in 1960)

Tadzhikistan (established in 1958)

Ukraine (established in 1958)

Chairman (1961) Oleskiy FEDOROV

A Kiev branch was established on 15 June 1961.

Uzbekistan (established 29 or 30 September 1958)

Chairman S. Yu. YUNUSOV

Leningrad (established 30 September 1958)

Branches also known to exist in Primorye Territory, Khabarovsk Territory, Chita Region, Donskoi in the Tula Region, in the Komi Autonomous Republic, and in Yaroslavl and Novosibirsk. According to Izvestia, 12 June 1958, a branch of the society was created under the Institute of Sinology of the Academy of Sciences of the USSR.

d. Publications:

Soviet-Chinese Friendship (Sovetsko-Kitaiskaya Druzhba)

A magazine initiated in January 1958 and possessing, by mid-1960, a circulation of 75,000. Although published by the society in Moscow, the text for Druzhba was prepared in Peiping. Similarly, a Chinese language version of the magazine (Su-chung Yu-hao) was prepared by the society in Moscow and printed in Peiping where it was distributed through the China-USSR Friendship Association. It is reported that both publications were discontinued for a while in 1960-61 as a result of the ideological controversy between the CPSU and the CPC.

Editor-in-Chief Vladimir N. ROGOV



e. Remarks:

Committee for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Cuba

a. Date established: 10 October 1960

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman

Nikolay Nikolayevich DYAKANOV  
(DYAKANOV is believed to head  
the Cuban Commission of the Soviet  
Association of Friendship and  
Cultural Relations with Latin  
American Countries.)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: Since it has been called a committee rather than a  
society, it is possible that it is regarded as an element  
of the Soviet Association of Friendship and Cultural  
Relations with Latin American Countries.

Soviet-Czechoslovakia Friendship Society

a. Date established: 21 January 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960)

Konstantin Vasilyevich OSTROVITYANOV\*\*

Vice Chmn (1960)

A.V. DYNKIN

Board composed of 43 persons.

Branches

Kirgizia (established 12 December 1958)

Chairman (1958) N.V. LUKYANOV

Board composed of 25 members.

Leningrad branch known in 1960.

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d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-Denmark Friendship Society

a. Date established: 31 October 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1959) (Prof) Grigoriy D. VOVCHENKO

Vice Chmn (1959) Sergey GUROV

Board member (1960) (Prof) (fnu) FEDOTOV

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-Finland Society

a. Date established: 13 January 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960) Aleksey Ivanovich MARKUSHEVICH\*

Vice Chmn (1960) N.A.MURAVYEVA\*\*

Secy Genl (1960) J. GORLINSKIY (also given as  
E. GORLINSKI) (1961)

Secretary (late 1958) Leonid GOGOL  
(believed to be identical with Leo  
GOGOL who is reported to be a  
member of the Scandinavian  
Countries Department of the Union)

Mbr, Presidium (1960) Vladislav G. CHEVCHENKO (SHEVCHENKO)

Members N.I. SMIRNOV

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Aleksandr ANDSBERG  
Klara MAIRINSKAYA  
N.N. SHUKOV (SHUKHOV ?)  
Ye. N. VORONIN (1958)

Branches

Estonia (established at Tallinn, 20 October 1958)

Chairman (1958) Endel JAANIMAGI

Leningrad (reported in 1960)

Chairman (1961) (Prof) Varvara BALAKINA

Other branches reportedly exist.

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-France Society

a. Date established: 7 February 1958, according to Pravda on 10 February, apparently replacing the Society of Friends of French Culture and Science which existed under VOKS (TASS announced its establishment on 11 July 1958).

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960)	Ilya Grigoryevich EHRENBURG
Vice Chmn (1960)	Mikhail Vladimirovich ALPATOV
Presidium Mbrs (1960)	A.N. KOLMOGOROV Galina Sergeevna ULANOVA Aleksandr Yevdokimovich KORNEYCHUK** Martiros Sergeevich SARYAN Georgiy A. ZHUKOV**

Board composed of almost 100 persons including A. N. KOLMOGOROV and G.N. ZAKHAROV.

Branches known in Leningrad, Kiev, Yerevan and Stalingrad.

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d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Soviet-German Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations

a. Date established: 7 January 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers: (1958, unless otherwise indicated)

Chairman	Konstantin Aleksandrovich FEDIN
Vice Chmn	(Prof) I.F. IVASHIN Petr (Pyotr) Georgiyevich MOSKATOV**(1960)
Presidium mbrs	Johannes KOENIG (GDR Ambassador to the USSR) Valerian Aleksandrovich ZORIN** (fnu) STRICHKOVA (?) (Ballerina) (Prof) (fnu) FERMOV (Prof) (fnu) MIGILIEV (fnu) SOMOV (head, Soviet Antarctic Expedition) Ivan TIMOFEYEV
Board (53 members)	G.E. BURKATSKAYA P.B. BYKOV T.N. KHRENNIKOV Z.P. TROITSKAYA O.I. IVASHCHENKO I.V. SPIRIDONOV* (and others)

Branch

Leningrad (reported in 1960)

Board member Mariya VASILYEVA

Gomel (reported in 1961)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

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USSR-Great Britain Society (aka: USSR-British Friendship Society)

- a. Date established: 8 April 1958
- b. Address: Moscow
- c. Officers:

Chairman (1960)	Aleksey Aleksandrovich SURKOV**
Vice Chmn (1960)	Valentin A. VENIKOV
(1960)	Valentin V. BELYANIN*
(1961)	A.S. NIKITIN
(1961)	Sergey V. OBRAZTSOV
(1961)	B.S. NIKIFOROV
Secy Genl (1958)	Vasiliy I. GROMKA (Chief, British Section of the Union)

Presidium (15 members)

Board (68 members)

(1958)	Vladimir A. KUCHERENKO**
(1958)	Yu. Ye. MAKSAREV**
(1958)	(fnu) MIKHAYLOV (of the Council of Ministers)
(1958)	Sergey Vladimirovich OBRAZTSOV
(1958)	G. M. KORKIN
(1958)	Mikhail Nikolayevich KEDROV
(1958)	Aleksandr Andreyevich SOLDATOV
(1958)	N.D. BELOKHVOSTIKOV
(1959)	B. NIKIFOROV

Full-time worker for the Society (late 1958)  
Anatol OBIDIN

Music Committee

Chief (1961) Nikolay ANOSOV

Branch

Leningrad (established 8 December 1958)

Chairman (1959) Valentin V. BELYANIN\*

Vice Chmn (1959) Leonid Sergeyevich VIVEN (VIVYEN)

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Probable mbrs           Mikhail ALEKSEYEV  
                              Pavel KONSTANTINOV

- d. Publications;
- e. Remarks: According to an article in a 1960 issue of Culture and Life, the society possesses a Section for Promotion of Scientific and Technical Contacts. It is possible that V.A. VENIKOV, who wrote the article, may head the section since he is a doctor of technical science.

USSR-Greece Society

- a. Date established: 23 May 1958
- b. Address: Moscow
- c. Officers:

Chairman (1958)	Boris Aleksandrovich RYBAKOV*
Vice Chmn (1960)	Konstantin I. RUZHITSKY
(1961)	Suren KOCHARYAN
(1961)	Tatyana N. TESS
Board (82 members)	
Member (1960)	(Prof) N. TSYTOVICH
Members (1958)	Andrey BELETSKIY (fnu) ZAGREBAYEV (representative of the Rostov Soviet) (Mme) (fnu) STRIKHINA (of Leningrad) (fnu) KOLPINSKIY (art critic) (Prof) (fnu) RASKIY (fnu) MELSKOV (translator) Alla LARIONOVA (fnu) OLEYTSENKO   all artists (fnu) BESKIROV

Branches have been reported to exist in Kazakhstan, Tadjhikistan and Uzbekistan.

- d. Publications:

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USSR-Hungary Friendship Society (Obshchestvo Sovetsko-Vengeskoy Druzhy)

a. Date established: 15 February 1958

b. Address: Moscow K-9, Kalinin 16.

c. Officers:

Chairman (1959)	P.N. FEDOSEYEV
Vice Chmn (1960)	S. BIRYUKOV
(1959)	V. KARASOV
	Ye. K. RAGOZIN*
Secys (1958)	J.V. PETRUNYICHEV
(1960)	I. SALIMON
Mbrs. of the Board (1961)	V.M. STRIGANOV
	Geza REVESZ
	(Hungarian)
	Arpad SZAKASITS
	(Hungarian)

Branch

Ukraine (reported in 1958)

Belorussia

Minsk (reported in 1961)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-Iceland Society

a. Date established: 17 April 1959

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1959)	(Prof.) Nikolay Kirillovich GONCHAROV
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Vice Chmn (1959)                      Kusna IVANOV  
I.I. IVANOV

Described as "one of the leaders" of the Society in  
1960                                      Ivan I. LEBED

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Society for Soviet-Indian Cultural Relations

a. Date established: 24 January 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1959)	Nikolay Vasilyevich TSITSIN*
Vice Chmn (1959)	Pigan A. AZIMOV**1 V.V. BALABUSHEVICH Ivan Aleksandrovich BENEDIKTOV** A.A. VISHNEVSKIY A.M. DYAKOV D.P. LEBEDEV L.I. PETROVA Zakhra R. RAKHIMBABAYEVA**2 Tugelbay SYDYKBEKOV Semen Afanasyevich CHUYKOV (CHUIKOV)

Board (59 persons in 1958) (including E. CHELYSHEV in 1961)

Interpreter                              (Mrs) Irina YERSHOVA (1959)

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1. CC/Turkmen CP
  2. CC/Uzbek CP

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Members of the Society (possibly Board members)

Rashid BEIBUTOV  
V.A.ENGELHARDT  
M. ARTAMONOV  
Zulfia ISRAILOVA  
K. FINN  
V. TALALAI  
N. ISLAMOV

Branches

Armenia (probably established in 1958)

Azerbaijan (established in 1958)

Kazakhstan (established in 1958)

Chairman

Vice Chmn (1960) Ishanbai Karakulovich KARAKULOV

RSFSR (at least one branch established in 1958)

Leningrad (established in 1960)

Ukraine (probably established in 1958)

Uzbekistan (established 16 December 1958)

Chairman (1959) (fmu) ZUL'FIYA  
(poetess)

Vice Chmn (1959) S. AZIMDZHANOVA  
I.R. ARNAUTOV\*  
Irgash I. IGAMBERDYEV\*\*1  
A.D. DADABAYEV

Secy (1959) V.P. TRUBNIKOV

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1. CC/Uzbek CP

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d. Publications:

e. Remarks: In late 1958 it was reported that the society had established a Women's Section which intended to correspond directly with similar sections of ISCUS branches in India.

USSR-Indonesia Society (Aka: Soviet-Indonesia Friendship League)

a. Date established: 4 September 1958

b. Address: Ulitsa Kalinina 14, Moscow K-4

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960)	Aleksandr A. GUBER
Vice Chmn (1959)	O.I. ZABOZLAEVA
Secy Genl (1961)	Aleksey Semenovich DIYKOV
Members (1959)	Veli Mukhamed MUKHATOV
(1960)	Mirza Adzharoglu IBRAGIMOV**
(1960)	Pavel Vladimirovich BARANOV
(1961)	Ludmila MERVERT

Commission on Culture and Art (1961)

Chief (probably Vano MURADEZI)

Branch

Leningrad (existence first reported in 1959)

Member (1959) I.F. BELYANSKIY

Moscow School No. 93 (collective member)

Chmn (1961) Anna VEINGER

Moscow Kanchuk Plant (collective member)

Chmn (1961) Yelisaveta MISHNAYEVSKAYA

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

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USSR-Iran Cultural Relations Society

- a. Date established: There was some indication that such a society might be established in late 1958. A recent issue of Culture and Life confirmed its existence.
- b. Address:
- c. Officers
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

Soviet-Iraqi Friendship Society

- a. Date established: July 1959
- b. Address: Moscow
- c. Officers:
  - Chairman (1959) M.A. PROKOFYEV
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks: This society was not named in a recent (1961) list of Soviet friendship societies. It is possible that it is an element of the Society for Friendship and Cultural Relations with Countries of the Arab East.

USSR-Italy Society

- a. Date established: February 1958
- b. Address: Moscow
- c. Officers:
  - Chairman (1958) Grigoriy Vasilyevich ALEKSANDROV
  - Vice Chmn
  - Secretary (1958) Ivan Artemovich MAKSIMOVSKIY
  - (1960) Lev KAPELET

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Member, 'Directive Committee' (either the Presidium  
or the Board) (1958)

Fedor Ivanovich DUBKOVETSKIY\*\*

Members, sponsoring committee (and thus, probably, the  
Board) (1958)

Aleksandr Yefremovich BOGOMOLOV\*

(Prof) A.D. ALEKSANDROV\*

Aram Ilich KATCHATURYAN\*

(fnu) SHIOROPIN

(composer)

(fnu) GONCHAROV

(painter)

Emil GILELS

Viktor N. LAZAREV

Viktor YUKOVSKIY

Yevgeniy Alekseyevich KOSMINSKIY\*

(Prof) Stefan MOKUSKIY

N.V. BEKHTIN

(fnu) DOVTIAN

(agrobiologist)

(Prof) (fnu) MARKOV

Vladimir KUTS

Other

Aleksandr MAKOV (1960)

Other

Aleksandr MAKOV (1960)

#### Branches

Georgia (established at Tbilisi in October 1958)

Chairman (58) Mikhail SABASHVILLY

Board (composed of

37 persons in 1958)

RSFSR

Leningrad (first reported in February 1959)

Ukraine

Kiev (first reported in February 1959)

Ukraine-Italy Society

Chmn (1959) Konstantin Z. LITVIN\*\*1

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1. CC/Ukrainian CP

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d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-Japan Society (Obshchestva SSSR-Yaponya)

a. Date established: 5 June 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1959)	Mikhail Vasilyevich NESTEROV
Vice Chmn (11 in 1958)	Balzhan BULTRIKOVA**1 Viktor Illarionovich ZHARKOV Nikolay Iosifovich KONRAD Aleksandr Ivanovich KOETKIN Viktor Dmitriyevich KUPRADZE**2 Olga Vasilyevna LEPESHINSKAYA* Konstantin Mikhaylovich POPOV Nikolay Panteleymonovich SEMENENKO Aleksey Vasilyevich STOTSENKO Nina Timofeyevna SHUTOVA* Aleksandr Borisovich CHAKOVSKIY

Secy Gen'l (1959) Boris I. CHEKHONIN

Board (56 members in 1958)

Olga Vsevolodovna ABLAZOVA  
Grigoriy Sarkisovich AKOPYAN  
Matvey Isaakovich BLANTER  
Ivan Frolovich VASILYEV  
Yuriy Vladimirovich GEORGIEV  
Anna Yevgenyevna GLUSKINA  
Zhambal Dorzhi GOMBOYEV (GONBOYEV)  
Nikolay Dmitriyevich GRADOBOYEV  
Abdusalom DEKHOTI  
Mark Semenovich DONSKOY\*

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1. CC/Kazakh CP
  2. CC/Georgian CP

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Yevgeniy Mikhaylovich ZHUKOV  
Ivan Stepanovich ISAKOV\*  
Musa Ogly ISMALLEV FAKHRADDIN  
Mikhail Stepanovich KAPITSA  
Anastasiya Matveyevna KAPRALOVA  
Roman Nikolayevich KIM  
Ilya Kondratyevich KIRICHENKO  
Ivan Ivanovich KOVALENKO  
Vasilii Vasilyevich KOVYZHENKO  
(possibly identical with V.V.  
KOVYZHENKO\*\*)  
Anna Vasilyevna KOZLOVA  
Antonina Yakovlevna KOLOTILOVA  
Leonid Aleksandrovich KUDREVATYKH  
Nikolay Vasilyevich KUZOVKIN  
Dmitriy Mikhaylovich KUKIN\*\*  
Leonid Nikolayevich KUTAKOV  
Leonid Fedorovich LARIONOV  
Mikhail Osipovich LOGINOV  
Maria Ivanovna LUKYANOVA  
Ivan Ignatyevich MALYAKIN  
Sabur Abrasulovich MAMBAYEV  
(aka: Sambur MAMBEYEV)  
Petr Alekseyevich MOISEYEV  
Arkadiy Dmitriyevich MOTOV  
Serafim Porfiriyevich MYSHAYEVSKIY  
Karl Yefimovich NEPOMNYASHCHIIY  
Aleksey Antonovich PANKOVSKIY  
Yakov Aleksandrovich PEVZMER  
Mikhail Mikhaylovich POSLYAK  
Nikolay Fomich PERMENOV  
Olga Petrovna PETROVA  
Boris Dmitriyevich PETROV  
Aleksey Nikolayevich ROMANOV  
Nikolay Pavlovich SIDOROV  
Aleksandr Petrovich STEPANOV  
Vladimir Timofeyevich STEPANOV  
Petr Pavlovich TOPEKHA  
Aleksandra Vlasovna FILIPOVA (FILIPPOVA)  
Khasil Fazylovich FAZYLOV  
Nikolay Vasilyevich FEDYUSHEV  
Nikolay Trofimovich FEDORENKO  
(aka: Nikolay Timofeyevich FEDORENKO)  
Adolf Antonovich TSYMEK

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Gleb Aleksandrovich CHEBOTAREV  
Nikolay Sergeyeovich CHIKIREV  
Lidiya Georgiyevna CHUPRAKOVA  
Fakhritdin Shamsudinovich SHAMSUDINOV\*\*1  
(SHAMSUTDINOV)  
Vasiliy Vasilyevich SHCHIPAKHIN  
Konstantin Illarionovich YAROSLAVOV

The Society was known to possess a Committee for  
Literature and Art in 1961.

Branches

Irkutsk (first reported in December 1959)

Chairman M. LARINA

Khabarovsk (possibly founded on 20 November 1960)

Chairman (fnu) MIKHAYLOV

Vice Chmn (fnu) SURIKOV

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-Korean Friendship Society

a. Date established: 16 July 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1959)	Mikhail Petrovich TARASOV**
Vice Chmn (1958)	A.S. BIRYUKOV
(1959)	I.V. RUKHINSKIN
Board mbrs (1961)	A.M. PUZANOV

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(1960)  
(1960)

Vasiliy I. KONOTOP\*  
(Maj Gen) N.G. LEBETSEV

Branches

Irkutsk (first noted in March 1961)

Chairman Viktor Yakovlevich ROGOV

Kazakhstan (first noted in March 1961)

Primorskiy Kray (first noted in March 1961)

Chairman (fnu) SAMOKHVALOV

Ukraine (established on 21 March 1961)

Chairman (fnu) SHUPYK

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Soviet-Mongolian Friendship Association

a. Date established: Information dated April 1956 revealed the existence of a Soviet-Mongolian Friendship Society. The present association, which apparently replaced the society, was established on 14 May 1958.

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960) Semen Mikhaylovich BUDENNY\*\*

Secretary (1956) Zh. (Z.H.?) BUNTAR  
(it is quite possible that BUNTAR no longer holds this post in the new association)

Branches

Irkutsk (first reported in 1960)

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Chairman

Vice Chmn (1960) Sergey Aleksandrovich MERKURYEV\*

Kazakhstan (established at Alma-Ata in March 1959)

Chairman (1959) B. DUYNHORYAV

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-Netherlands Association

a. Date established: 24 June 1959

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1959) Mikhail Moiseyevich BOTVINNIK\*

Secretary (1959) Vladimir Fedorovich KHOROKHORDIN  
(who is also an official of the  
Union)

Members (Since they are founding members they are probably members of the Board of the Association. It has been reported that the Board of the Association is composed of 50 or 60 persons.)

(Prof) Petr Ivanovich LAPIN  
(Prof) Aleksandr Aleksandrovich  
MIKHAYLOV  
(fmu) KUZNETSOV  
(an agriculturalist)  
B. VIPPER  
(D/Dir, Pushkin Museum)  
Stepan Pavlovich KIRSANOV  
W. MIGLA  
(a Latvian divine)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

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USSR-New Zealand Society

- a. Date established: 30 November 1960
- b. Address: Moscow
- c. Officers:

Chairman	Kuzma Ivanovich IVANOV (possibly identical with K.I. IVANOV**)
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Vice Chmn	I.G. KARAKOZOV V. M. ANDREYEVA Y.F. GOLUBASH V.V. IVANOV V.G. KASIANENKO D.V. MANDZHAVADZE Oraz MAMMOV I.P. PLYSHEVSKIY G.D. POTAPENKO V.F. TENDRIAKOV Y.M. YUDIN S.M. YAZYKOV
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General Secy	A. GOLENKOV
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Board (92 members)

- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

USSR-Norway Society

- a. Date established: 18 July 1958
- b. Address: Moscow
- c. Officers:

Chairman (1958)	(Prof) V.N. STOILETOV
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Board mbrs (1959)	Vasiliiy MOSIN V. KOPYSH
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Branch

Leningrad (first reported in 1960)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

Soviet-Polish Friendship Society

a. Date established: 7 February 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1959) Pavel Pavlovich LOBANOV\*\*

Board (39 members in 1958)

Branches

Armenia (believed to have been established in  
January 1959)

Belorussia (established in Minsk, 22 October 1958)

Chairman (1961) Maksim TANK\*  
(pen-name of Yevgeniy Ivanovich  
SKURKO)

Publication: Polyma (Flame), in the Belorussian  
language.

Georgia (established 27 October 1959)

Chairman (1959) Ye. KHARADZE  
(academician)

Vice Chmn (1959) S. CHIKOVANI  
(probably Simon Ivanovich  
CHIKOVANI\*)  
Ya. TSINTASDZE

Leningrad (reported in 1958)

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Lithuania (established in 1958)

Ukraine (reported in 1959)

Chairman

Maxim RYLSKY

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-Rumanian Friendship Association

a. Date established: 7 May 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1959)

Yevgeniy I. AFANASENKO

Vice Chmn (1960)  
(1960)

(Prof) Yekaterina FRASUKOVA

Nikolay MESYCHEV

(possibly identical with Nikolay  
N. MESYATSEV)

(1959)

Anna SUKANOVA

(1958)

Gavriil G. SOTNIKOV\*

Branch

Ukraine (first reported in 1958)

d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-Sweden Society

a. Date established: 18 June 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1960)

Nikolay Nikolayevich SEMENOV\*

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Vice Chmn (1958) (of the organizing committee)  
(fnu) GORUSKOV  
(described as a former Vice  
Chairman of VOKS; probably  
Viktor I. GORSHKOV is meant)

Secretary (1958) (of the organizing committee)  
K. KURENTISOV  
(described as having formerly  
headed the Scandinavian Dept.  
of VOKS; probably identical with  
Valentin KURENTISOV, presently chief  
of the Scandinavian Countries  
Department of the Union)

Board (90 members) (1959)  
O. KALENCHUK  
Vera MARETSKAYA  
Olga SUMTSOVA  
H. MOORA  
Stepanida VISHTAK  
Aleksey MACHAVARYANY  
V. JURKUNAS (sic)  
(and others)

Branch

Leningrad (reported in 1960)

- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

USSR-Switzerland Friendship Society

- a. Date established: No such society presently exists, but in June 1960 a representative of the Union of Soviet Societies of Friendship and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries stated that it was planned that such a society be set up in the near future.
- b. Address:
- c. Officers:

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d. Publications:

e. Remarks:

USSR-USA Friendship Society

a. Date established: Rumors that such a society was to be established have been extant since mid-1958. In May 1961 an organizing committee for a USSR-USA Society was set up in Moscow.

b. Address:

c. Officers:

d. Publications:

e. Remarks: It is possible that N.N. BLOCKHIN might head the new society when it is set up.

USSR-Vietnam Friendship Association

a. Date established: 31 July 1958

b. Address: Moscow

c. Officers:

Chairman (1959)

Ivan Vasilyevich GOROSHKIN\*

Vice Chmn (1958)  
(1961)

Vera VASILYEVA  
Valentina VAVILOVA

Secy Gen (1959)

(fnu) LAGUCHENKO

Board mbr (1960)

A.G. MAZAYEV

d. Publications:

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YUGOSLAVIA

Commission for Cultural Ties with Foreign Countries (Komisija za  
Kulturne Beze sa Inostranstvom)

- a. Date established:
- b. Address: (1960) Novi Beograd, Zgrada SIV-a; telephone 31-477
- c. Officers:
  - President (1955) Marko RISTIC
  - Secretary (1960) Dragomir VUCINIC  
(in 1955, Ivo FROL was secretary)
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

Association for Cultural Cooperation between Yugoslavia and France  
(Drustvo za Kulturnu Saradnju Jugoslavija-Francuska)

- a. Date established:
- b. Address: (1960) Beograd, 23 Kneza Milosa; telephone 28-842
- c. Officers: (1954)
  - Executive Committee
    - President Krista DJORDJEVIC
    - Vice Presidents Petar SKOK  
Radovan PAPIC\*  
Andrija LAINOVIC
    - Secretary Vasko POPE
- d. Publications:
- e. Remarks:

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