



**FAI Active & Associate Members**  
(Attn Secretary General)

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**FAI Executive Board**  
**FAI Commission Presidents**

4 March 2011

Dear Colleagues,

### **FAI MEDALS AND DIPLOMAS FOR 2010**

Many people in your country deserve recognition for their achievements in aviation, space and air sports. Some of them may even deserve international recognition. If you have such people, the FAI has several distinctions that you may apply for:

- *FAI Gold Air Medal (Statutes 10.2)*
- *FAI Gold Space Medal (Statutes 10.3)*
- *Sabiha Gökçen Medal (Statutes 10.8)*
- *FAI Silver Medal (Statutes 10.9)*
- *Diploma for Outstanding Airmanship (Statutes 10.10)*
- *Paul Tissandier Diplomas (Statutes 10.11)*
- *Group Diploma of Honour (Statutes 10.13)*

You are hereby cordially invited to make nominations for these awards, in accordance with the guidance given in Chapter 9 of FAI Statutes and in the specific Statutes cited above which give full details of each award (a copy of these Statutes is attached for your convenience).

All nominations must be received at the FAI Secretariat by **31 May 2011** at the latest. Please note that to facilitate distribution to Vice-Presidents, we would like the nominations in electronic format (to [members@fai.org](mailto:members@fai.org)) **as well as** by fax or post.

Please make sure that the text of each nomination is worded economically (**no more than 250 words**) and includes essential information in support of the nomination, for example:

- *Name*
- *Brief summary of air sport career*
- *Description of reasons for nomination*

In accordance with the FAI Statutes, the FAI Vice-Presidents will in due course make decisions on your nominations.

Yours sincerely,

Stéphane DESPREZ  
Secretary General