YOU CAN JOIN US:

- As a member if you want to support us:

CiDAN relies on members coming from all professional horizons: In activity or retired servicemen, operational or "citizens" (benevolent) reservists, teachers, professors, employees, businessmen, etc....They all have the same will: reinforcing cohesion and solidarity, developing interest on defence issues within the population.

- As a delegate or project manager, if you are ready to invest yourself in concrete actions.

A network, including about a hundred of regional delegates, relays the action of CiDAN "on the field" at the local level.

Their engagement is achieved in relation with members of the Parliament, local elected members, civil and military authorities, the Ministry of National Education, firms and non-profit making organizations. This engagement may take many forms:

- Organization of public debates,
- Defence education in schools, colleges and universities,
- Support to the "defence representatives" in the towns and villages councils, in particular in preparing the emergency plans,
- Visits of military units, of memory places, rallies.

Annual fee:

less than 26 years old : 15 €

individual : 30 €organization : 60€

benefactor : from 250€

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CiDAN is an association under the status of the 1901 French law (non-profit association). It accepts anybody sharing its objectives without regarding his opinions, beliefs, social and professional origins. Its centres of interest include:

- Civic behaviour and citizenship,
- Military, but also civil and economical defence (patriotism and economical intelligence),
- Integration within the Nation (« willing to live together »),
- Compatibility between National patriotism, European and world-wide citizenships.

Located at Artois Barracks in Versailles, the association aims at transmitting the importance of these issues to:

- Children, young people and adults;
- At the regional, national, European and world –wide levels.







<u>CIVIC MIND AND DEFENCE</u> AWARD

This award is given in rotation by the President of the Senate and by the President of the National Assembly. It rewards the best activity of solidarity between the civilian society and the Armed Forces.

The main fields of interest include:

- Information and education on defence issues,
- Social activities.
- Work on memory,
- Concrete actions reinforcing the relations between Armed Forces and the civil society.

In 2015, the ceremony took place at the National Assembly.

2015 Award List

2015 Trophy: Regional Command of the Medical Service,

Saint Germain en Laye

President of the Jury Award: E.A.R Narbonne (Air Force)

Special Jury Award: Association Frères d'Armes, Paris

Relations between Armed Forces and Nation: Compagnie de

fusiliers Marins (Navy), Ile Longue, Brest

Citizenship: Lycée Auguste Anglier, Dunkerque

Information and Defence Education: Military Delegation in

Haute Marne, Chaumont

1st World War Centenary: Overseas Gendarmerie,

Saint Pierre et Miquelon

Protection: Association against children prostitution

(A.C.P.E.), Paris

<u>Memory</u>: Lycée Polyvalent d'Artois, Noeux les Mines Social and Humanitarian: Gendarmerie brigades, Blain

"My town, my Quarter" in the 1914-1918 War:

Winner: Major (Reservist for Young, RLJC) Abdel

BOUNOUAR, Cavaillon

Special jury Award: Major (Reservist for Young, RLJC),

Anne Séverine JEANNEAU, Vauréal

Partners: A.X.A. Prévention, A.C.O.M.A.R., Solidarité

défense, Fondation Varenne





NATIONAL AWARD FOR FIRMS DEMONSTRATING CITIZENSHIP

Placed under the high patronage of the President of the French Senate, this prize rewards the French firms which have demonstrated corporate social responsibility, in associating clearly the values of citizenship to

their first mission, which is to create wealth.

The award distinguishes 2 to 3 categories (large, small and medium size companies, firms supporting the EPIDE (insertion of young people in difficulty) MOD programme.

Their actions may concern:

- helping insertion of young people,
- equality of chances,
- management of diversity (age, class, culture),
- original action for growth and employment.

2014 Award List

Large companies:

Winner: La Poste

Special Award: Carrefour

Citizenship and Creativity Award: Sodexo

Small size companies:

<u>Winner</u>: Ethik Investment

Special Award: Adecco and Moulins de Chars

Citizenship and Creativity Award: GBS Appel d'Offres

<u>Partners</u>: ARINC, CESAR Consulting, Renault, Fondation EDF, LVMH, Aptargroup, SAFRAN, Elior, AFMD.



EUROPEAN ACTION



Thinking that there is a complementarity between national patriotism and an European identity, CiDAN is promoting a true European awareness of Defence and

Security. A manifest and a charter were signed, grouping non profit organizations and individuals (students, scholars) coming from different countries within the EU. They meet each year in Klingenthal, near Strasbourg. In this context an *European Award on Citizenship*, Security and Defence has been established in 2011.

The 2015 Winners are:

European Award: NGO "Geneva Call" (CH);

Jury Special Award: Elementary school Cousteau (FR,

Pas de Calais);

Special Award on "Military Ethics": Pr. David Rodin (CH and UK). This award was presented by CiDAN and EuroISME:

Special Award "Information and education on Defence and Security in the civic life": Liga dos

Amigos do Museu Militar (Portugal);

Special Award on "Shared Memory": NATO Memorial Federation:

Special Award "Centenary of the Great War":

"Collectif France 40" association (FR).

INTERNATIONAL ACTION



With the Charles Léopold MAYER Foundation for the Progress of Humankind (FPH), CiDAN has participated in the studies on the European

contribution to a better world governance. In this framework, CiDAN has contributed to the organization of international conferences, bringing together military and civilian experts in Europe, Central Asia, China and Western Africa on the topic: "Contribution of the defence and security forces to the Human Security".

