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Ijuí, September 5, 2022

To Your Excellency Professor, Doctor Anna Brzozowska Krajka President of the European IOV Scientific Committee

Subject: Invitation from the authorities and leaders of Ijuí-RS/Brazil to participate in the 2nd International Assembly of IOV America.

Special greetings from the authorities, leaders and community of Ijuí-RS/Brazil, who express their honor and joy in reinforcing the invitation made by the President of IOV Brazil and Executive Director of IOV America Dr. Antonio Clerton Vieira, for Your Excellency to participate in the Exhibition-International Festival of Ethnicities – EXPOFEST IJUÍ, when the 2nd International Assembly of IOV America will be held.

Initially, we thank IOV for having chosen the city of Ijuí to hold the relevant Event of the II Assembly. We are awaiting with great expectations the arrival of the date and preparing to receive Your Excellency with hospitality and affection. We will have the rare and honorable opportunity to live together and develop valuable and historical reflections on "Ethnic Diversity: Protagonism of Future Generations".

We inform you that EXPOFEST IJUÍ will take place from October 6th to 16th at the Wanderley Agostinho Burmann Fair and Exhibition Park, as an event that incorporated the historical and traditional legacy of EXPOIJUI – Ijuí Commercial and Industrial Exhibition and FENADI – Festival of Diversified Cultures, whose events have been held annually since the 1980s, giving it an international character in terms of business, cultures and parties.

Additional information about FENADI, EXPOIJUI and EXPOFEST IJUÍ can be obtained through the websites: https://www.etniasijui.com.br

https://www.instagram.com/expoijuifenadi

Certainly, the studies and reflections on culture, folklore and popular arts that will be carried out during the II Assembly will generate valuable subsidies for a presentation of the IOV of the American Continent at the next IOV world conference. In addition to contributing significantly to increasing the quality and training of the UETI, the Cultural Ethnic Centers, the community of Ijuí, the Region, the State of Rio Grande and the other participants of the event on the aforementioned theme.







We are preparing a set of texts on the theme of the Assembly and on the Movement of Ethnicities that will be sent to Your Excellency by Dr. Clerton Antonio Vieira in advance of the Event, so that the process of reflections and debates that we will carry out during the Assembly are more objective and more effective.

Renewing our reinforcement to the invitation made by Dr. Clerton and our expectations regarding Your Excellency's participation in EXPOFEST and in the 2nd Meeting.

We subscribe

Sincerely,

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