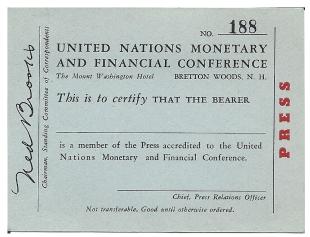
# World Bank, International Monetary Fund & Affiliated Organizations

The International Bank for Reconstruction & Development (IBRD or World Bank) began in June 1946, and the International Monetary Fund (IMF) in March 1947. The International Development Association (IDA) began in 1960 & the International Finance Corporation (IFC), in 1956. All of these organizations are headquartered in Washington, DC. Annual meetings of the group are held in the fall of each year.

## **Founding Conference**

F.1 UN Monetary & Financial Conference, Bretton Woods, NH, USA, 1-22 Jul. 1944



Unissued Press Card for Conference



Post Card of Mount Washington Hotel, site of Conference

## **Inaugural Meeting**

I.1 Inaugural Meeting of Boards of Governors of IBRD and IMF, Savannah, GA, USA, 8-18 Mar. 1946



C1. Black, Blue & Violet



Souvenir cover with Printed Cachet, 11 Mar. 1946



Free Serviceman cover with C1., 11 Feb. 1946



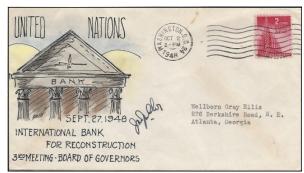
Commercial cover with C1., 15 Mar. 1946

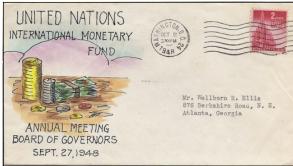
Souvenir cover, \$25; Commercial cover, \$35

## **Annual Meetings of World Bank & IMF**

AM.1 1st, Washington, DC, USA, 27 Sep.-3 Oct. 1946 AM.2 2nd, London, England, 11-17 Sep. 1947

AM.3 3rd, Washington, DC, 27 Sep.-1 Oct. 1948





Hand-painted cachet covers from Meeting, 2 Oct. 1948

Philatelic cover, \$25

AM.4 4th, Washington, DC, 12-18 Sep. 1949

AM.5 5th, Paris, France, 6-14 Sep. 1950



H1. Obs. 1-14 Sep. 1950



Service card from Staff Member, 14 Sep. 1950

Philatelic cover, \$25; Service cover, \$50

AM.6	6th, Washington, DC, 6-14 Sep. 1951
AM.7	7th, Mexico City, Mexico, 3-12 Sep. 1952
AM.8	8th, Washington, DC, 9-12 Sep. 1953
AM.9	9th, Washington, DC, 24-29 Sep. 1954

AM.10 10th, Istanbul, Turkey, 12-16 Sep. 1955



Turkey issued Sc.# 1171-74 on 12 Sep. 1955

10th, Istanbul, Turkey, 12-16 Sep. 1955, continued





H1. Obs. 12-13 Sep. 1955

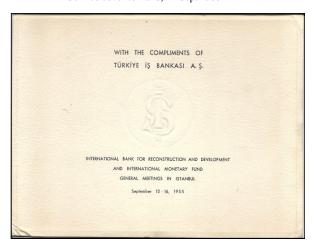
Registry label used with H1.

JOINCON 1818 H STREET N.W. WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

GCC1. Joint Conference Secretariat, Obs. 241x106 Airmail



Service cover to Paris, 12 Sep. 1955



Presentation Folder from Turkey National Bank, contained Mint stamps & Cover with stamps and H1., 13 Sep. 1955

Philatelic cover, \$15; Service cover, \$50; Registry label, add \$10; Presentation Folder, \$30

Observation of other JOINTCON CC covers is solicited.

- 11th, Washington, DC, 24-28 Sep. 1956 12th, Washington, DC, 23-27 Sep. 1957 AM.11 AM.12
- AM.13 13th, New Delhi, India, 6-10 Oct. 1958 14th, Washington, DC, 28 Sep.- Oct. 1959 15th, Washington, DC, 24-? Sep. 1960 AM.14
- AM.15

AM.16 16th, Vienna, Austria, 18-22 Sep. 1961



Austria issued Sc. #667 on 18 Sep. 1961

I.B.R.D. I.M.F. I.F.C. I.D.A. Welthank-Währungsfonds-Tagung Wien 18.-22. September 1961



H1. Obs. 15-22 Sep. 1981, #'s 2-15



E1. "Sonderpostamt"

Philatelic cover on 18 Sep. 1961, \$5; Other dates, \$10; Registry label,

AM.17 17th, Washington, DC, 17-21 Sep. 1962 18th, Washington, DC, 30 Sep.-4 Oct. 1963 AM.18

AM.19 19th Tokyo, Japan, 7-11 Sep. 1964





Japan issued Sc. #820 On 7 Sep. 1964

H1. Red Obs. 7 Sep. 1964

Philatelic cover on 7 Sep.1964, \$4; Other dates, \$8

AM.20 20th, Washington, DC, 27 Sep.-1 Oct. 1965 AM.21 21st, Washington, DC, 26-30 Sep. 1966

AM.22 22nd, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 25-29 Sep. 1967





Brazil issued Sc. #1058 On 25 Sep. 1967

C1.

Philatelic cover, \$5

AM.23 23rd, Washington, DC, Sep. 1968 AM.24 24th, Washington, DC, Sep. 1969

AM.25 25th Copenhagen, Denmark, 21-25 Sep. 1970





H1. Type 1 H1. Type 2 Obs. 21-25 Sep. 1970. Lettering small in Type 2.

JOINT SECRETARIAT

IMF-IBRD AND AFFILIATES

19TH AND H STREETS, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20431, U.S.A.

GCC2. 240x105 Airmail



CC1. Danish Organizing Committee, 231x163

AM.25 25th Copenhagen, Denmark, 21-25 Sep. 1970, continued



Service cover to England, 23 Sep. 1970

Philatelic cover, \$10; Service cover, \$30

AM.26 28th, Washington, DC, Sep. 1971

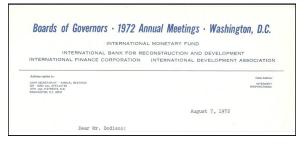
AM.27 27th, Washington, DC, 25-29 Sep. 1972

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GCC2. Joint Conference Secretariat, 241x105



Metered Service cover, 7 Aug. 1972



Contents with Letterhead of Meeting Secretariat

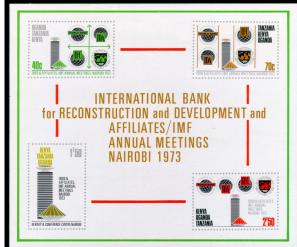
Service cover, \$25

Observations of covers with this or similar CC's solicited.

AM.28 28th, Nairobi, Kenya, 24-28 Sep. 1973







Kenya issued Sc.# 267-270 & 270a on 24 Sep. 1973



M1. Obs. 15 Sep. 1973

AM.28 28th, Nairobi, Kenya, 24-28 Sep. 1973, continued



Service card from Staff Member, 15 Sep. 1973

Service cover, \$40

AM.29 29th, Washington, DC, 26-? Sep. 1974

AM.30 30th, Washington, DC, Sep. 1975



Incoming mail from Ivory Coast to Secretariat, 4 Aug. 1975
Incoming mail, \$10

AM.31 31st, Manila, Philippines, 4-8 Oct. 1976



Philippines issued Sc. #1301-02 on 4 Oct. 1976



H1. First Day, 4 Oct. 1976





Convention Center Postmark & Receiving Mark used on Mail

Philatelic cover, \$4

AM.32 32nd, Washington, DC, 26-30 Sep. 1977



Incoming Mail from Congo-Brazzaville to Secretariat, 19 Aug. 1977
Incoming Mail, \$10

AM.33 33rd, Washington, DC, 25-29 Sep. 1978

AM.34 34th, Belgrade, Yugoslavia, 2-5 Oct. 1979



Yugoslavia issued Sc. #1441-42 on 1 Oct. 1979



H1. First Day, 1 Oct. 1979

AM.35	35th, Washington, DC, Sep. 1980
AM.36	36th, Washington, DC, 29 Sep? Oct. 1981
AM.37	37th, Toronto, Canada, 28 Sep1 Oct. 1982
AM.38	38th, Washington, DC, 27-30 Sep. 1983
AM 39	39th Washington DC 24-27 Sep 1984

AM.40 40th, Seoul, South Korea, 8-11 Oct. 1985



South Korea issued Sc. #1443 on 8 Oct. 1985





H1. Type 1 H1. Type 2 Obs. 8 Oct. 1985. Characters at bottom more compact on Type 2.

Philatelic cover, \$5

AM.41 41st, Washington, DC, 30 Sep.-3 Oct. 1986 AM.42 42nd, Washington, DC, 29 Sep.-2 Oct. 1987

AM.43 43rd, West Berlin, West Germany, 27-29 Sep. 1988



West Berlin issued Sc. #9N572 on 11 Aug. 1988





H1. First Day, 11 Aug. 1988 Registry label used with H1.





H2. Obs. 21-29 Sep. 1988

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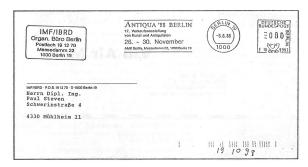
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C2,

AM.43 43rd, West Berlin, West Germany, 27-29 Sep. 1988



Metered Service cover from Secretariat at Washington, 15 Aug. 1988



Metered Service cover from Meeting Organizers in Berlin, 5 Aug. 1988



Letterhead of Berlin Coordination Office

Philatelic cover, \$5; Service cover, \$30; Registry label, add \$10

AM.44 44th, Washington, DC, Sep. 1989 AM.45 45th, Washington, DC, Sep. 1990 AM.46 46th, Bangkok, Thailand, 15-24 Oct. 1991





Thailand issued Sc. #1406-09 & 1409a on 15 Oct. 1991



H1. Obs. 15 Oct. 1991

H2. Obs. 25 Oct. 1991, #1



H3. Obs. 15-21 Oct. 1991, #'s 2 & 3



E1. Violet Imprint, Used with H2. & H3.

AM.46 46th, Bangkok, Thailand, 15-24 Oct. 1991, continued



C1. C2. Cachets obs. With H2. and H3.

Philatelic cover, \$5; Service cover, \$20; Registry label, add \$5

AM.47 47th, Washington, DC, 22-24 Sep. 1992



Metered IMF Service cover During Annual Meeting, 22 Sep. 1992

Service cover, \$15

AM.48 48th, Washington, DC, Sep. 1993 AM.49 49th, Madrid, Spain, Sep. 1994 AM.50 50th, Washington, DC, Sep. 1995

AM.51 1996 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, 26 Sep. -3 Oct. 1996

AM.52 1997 Annual Meeting, Hong Kong, China, 17-25 Sep. 1997



Hong Kong issued Sc. #799-802 on 21 Sep. 1997



H1. Obs. 21 Sep. 1997 First Day

AM.53 1998 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, 29 Sep.-8 Oct, 1998

AM.54 1999 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, 25-30 Sep. 1999

AM.55 2000 Annual Meeting, Prague, Czech Republic, 19-28 Sep.



Czech Republic issued Sc. #3128 on 30 Aug. 2000





H1. Obs. 19-26 Sep. 2000

H2. Obs. 30 Aug. 2000



E1. Used with H1.

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GCC3. Obs. 240x106 & 240x165



Metered Service cover from Joint Secretariat, 30 Jan. 2001



Enclosed letterhead letter

Philatelic cover, \$5; Service cover, \$20; Registry label, add \$5

AM.56 2001 Annual Meeting, Ottawa, Canada, 17-18 Nov. 2001 AM.57 2002 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, 29 Sep. 2002

AM.58 2003 Annual Meeting, Dubai, UAE, Sep. 2003





UAE Issued Sc. # 742-5 and 746 (SS) on 23 Sep. 2003

AM.59 2004 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, 3 Oct. 2004 AM.60 2005 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, 24-25 Sep. 2005

AM.61 2006 Annual Meeting, Singapore, 19-20 Sep. 2006







Singapore issued Sc. 1220-24 & 1222a on 13 Sep. 2006



H1. First Day, 13 Sep. 2006

AM.62 2007 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, 20-22 Oct. 2007 AM.63 2008 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, 13 Oct. 2008 AM.64 2009 Annual Meeting, Istanbul, Turkey, 6-7 Oct. 2009 AM.65 2010 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, 13 Oct, 2010 AM.66 2011 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, 23-25 Sep. 2011 AM.67 2012 Annual Meeting, Tokyo, Japan, 12-14 Oct. 2012

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# Other Meetings of World Bank & IMF

1982/1 IMF/World Bank Joint Development Committee Meeting, Helsinki, Finland, 12-14 May 1982





Finland issued Sc. # 670 On 12 May 1982

H1. Obs. 12 May 1982

Philatelic cover, \$5

1994/1 1st International Seminar to Promote Roads in Uruguay, Punta del Este, Uruguay, 10-14 Oct. 1994





Uruguay issued Sc.#1548 on 14 Oct. 1994

H1. First Day 14 Oct. 1994

Philatelic cover, \$6

DNV- National Road Department MTOP- Ministry of Transport & Public Works World Bank loaned funds to improve Uruguay's roads.

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