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IAB AWARDED Dr. CATALINA BOTERO AN IMPORTANT DISTINCTION

IAB President, Eng. José Luis Saca and IAB 2nd Vice-President, Mr. Emilio Nassar, accompanied by Eng. Edgar Pereda Gómez, President of CIRT Board of Directors, handed over “IAB Gold Medal to Professional Ethics and Commitment to Freedom of Expression” to Dr. Catalina Botero, former Special Rapporteur for Freedom of Expression of the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights of the OAS, during the 57th Radio and Television Week of Mexico.



Mr. Emilio Nassar, Eng. Edgar Pereda Gómez and Eng. José Luis Saca, handing over the Medal and Diploma to Dr. Catalina Botero, former IACHR Special Rapporteur

This award is one of the most important conferred by IAB since its foundation and aims to recognize individuals who have distinguished themselves for their professional ethics in defense of principles, together with the commitment and capacity to fight for Freedom of Expression and Information.

The acknowledgment made to the former Rapporteur for Freedom of Expression of the IACHR was unanimously decided by our Board of Directors at the meeting held in Asuncion, Paraguay, on May 8th, 2015. In 70 years of IAB history, Dr. Botero is the third person to receive this distinction.