

Membership and Credentialing Fact Sheet

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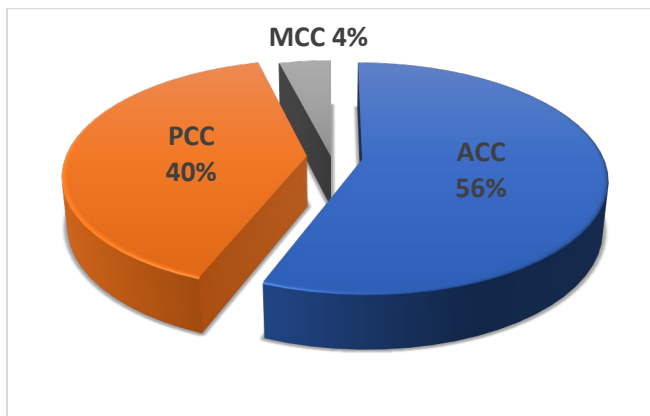
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In 2020, the International Coaching Federation (ICF) celebrates 25 years as the global organization for coaches and coaching. ICF is dedicated to advancing the coaching profession by setting high ethical standards, providing independent certification, and building a worldwide network of

credentialed coaches across a variety of coaching disciplines.

ICF defines coaching as partnering with clients in a thought-provoking and creative process that inspires them to maximize their personal and professional potential.

ICF Credentialing



There are currently 33,287* coaches in 136 countries and territories who hold one of three ICF Credentials.

- 18,628 Associate Certified Coaches (ACC)
- 13,332 Professional Certified Coaches (PCC)
- 1,327 Master Certified Coaches (MCC)

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Chapters

ICF has more than 143 [Chapters](#) in more than 80 countries and territories.

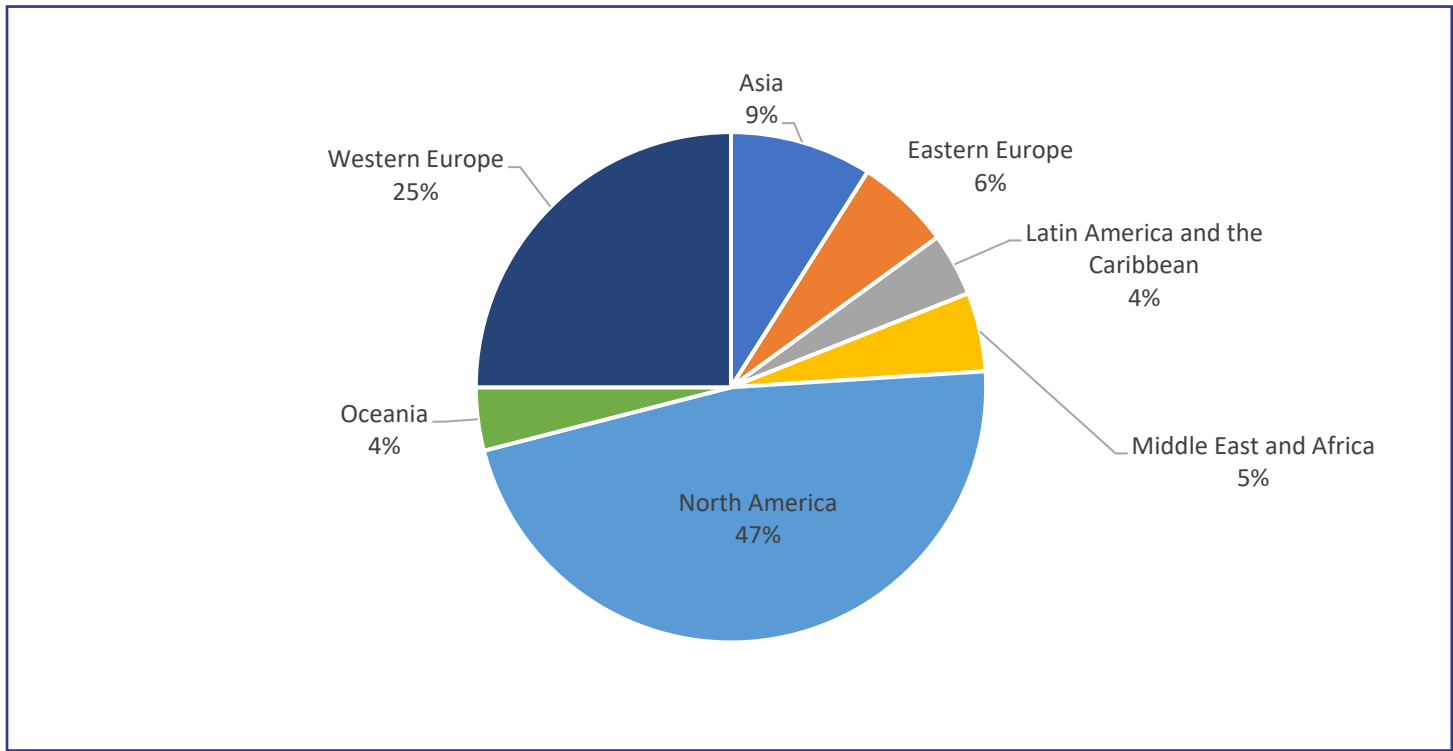
ICF Membership Growth

- 1999 - 2,122 members (based in North America)
- 2000 - 3,240 members
- 2001 - 4,691 members
- 2002 - 5,285 members
- 2003 - 6,791 members
- 2004 - 7,912 members
- 2005 - 9,041 members
- 2006 - 11,100 members
- 2007 - 13,400 members
- 2008 - 15,800 members
- 2009 - 15,949 members
- 2010 - 17,648 members
- 2011 - 19,127 members
- 2012 - 20,222 members
- 2013 - 22,135 members
- 2014 - 24,100 members
- 2015 - 26,476 members
- 2016 - 29,298 members
- 2017 - 30,578 members
- 2018 - 33,739 members
- 2019 - 33,594 members
- 2020 - 39,787 members

As of **March 2021** - 44,035* members in 151 countries and territories.

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ICF Membership by Region



Breakdown of ICF Members by region, country/territory:

Asia		4,089
BANGLADESH		4
BRUNEI		4
CAMBODIA		1
CHINA		691
HONG KONG		284
INDIA		896
INDONESIA		157
JAPAN		393
MACAU		1
MALAYSIA		184
MALDIVES		1
MONGOLIA		5
MYANMAR		4
PAKISTAN		12
PHILIPPINES		112
SINGAPORE		782
SOUTH KOREA		180
SRI LANKA		28

TAIWAN	88
THAILAND	214
UZBEKISTAN	1
VIETNAM	47
Eastern Europe	2,768
ARMENIA	6
AZERBAIJAN	7
BELARUS	5
BOSNIA	1
BULGARIA	50
CROATIA	17
CYPRUS	12
CZECH REPUBLIC	139
ESTONIA	50
GEORGIA	33
GREECE	107
HUNGARY	196
KAZAKHSTAN	59
KOSOVO	1
LATVIA	48
LITHUANIA	63
MACEDONIA	3
MOLDOVA	7
MONTENEGRO	2
POLAND	209
ROMANIA	216
RUSSIA	690
SERBIA	47
SLOVAKIA	99
SLOVENIA	41
TURKEY	495
UKRAINE	165
Latin America and the Caribbean	1,934
ANTIGUA	1
ARGENTINA	220
BARBADOS	7
BELIZE	1
BOLIVIA	28
BRAZIL	515
CAYMAN	9
CHILE	104
COLOMBIA	111
COSTA RICA	68
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	41
ECUADOR	48
EL SALVADOR	4

GRENADA	1
GUADELOUPE	1
GUATEMALA	19
HAITI	2
HONDURAS	5
JAMAICA	7
MARTINIQUE	4
MEXICO	236
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	7
NICARAGUA	4
PANAMA	45
PARAGUAY	3
PERU	182
PUERTO RICO	106
SAINT LUCIA	1
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	18
UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS	2
URUGUAY	62
VENEZUELA	72
Middle East and Africa	2,058
ALGERIA	3
ANGOLA	6
BAHRAIN	59
BOTSWANA	5
BURKINA FASO	2
CAPE VERDE	1
Côte d'Ivoire	1
EGYPT	134
GHANA	7
IRAN	106
ISRAEL	79
JORDAN	32
KENYA	119
KUWAIT	29
LEBANON	78
MADAGASCAR	2
MALAWI	3
MALI	1
MAURITIUS	5
MOROCCO	66
NAMIBIA	4
NIGERIA	66
OMAN	53
QATAR	80
REUNION	4
RWANDA	2

SAUDI ARABIA	154
SENEGAL	4
SEYCHELLES	1
SOUTH AFRICA	468
SUDAN	2
SWAZILAND	2
TANZANIA	2
TOGO	1
TUNISIA	28
UGANDA	46
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	397
ZAMBIA	3
ZIMBABWE	3
North America	20,568
BERMUDA	13
CANADA	3,719
UNITED STATES	16,836
Oceania	1,851
AUSTRALIA	1,536
FRENCH POLYNESIA	1
NEW ZEALAND	313
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	1
Western Europe	10,767
ANDORRA	7
AUSTRIA	106
BELGIUM	451
CHANNEL ISLANDS	5
DENMARK	131
FINLAND	237
FRANCE	1,380
GERMANY	778
GIBRALTAR	4
ICELAND	68
IRELAND	449
ISLE OF MAN	2
ITALY	1,161
LIECHTENSTEIN	2
LUXEMBOURG	85
MALTA	11
MONACO	2
NETHERLANDS	480
NORWAY	84
PORTUGAL	171
SPAIN	855
SWEDEN	531
SWITZERLAND	602

UNITED KINGDOM

3,165

Total Members:**44,035****Breakdown of ICF Credential-holders by country/territory:**

Region	Country	ACC	PCC	MCC	Total
Asia	BANGLADESH	0	1	0	1
	BRUNEI	2	0	0	2
	CAMBODIA	1	1	0	2
	CHINA	383	402	12	797
	HONG KONG	172	62	7	241
	INDIA	560	364	47	971
	INDONESIA	93	29	3	125
	JAPAN	343	288	44	675
	MACAU	1	1	0	2
	MALAYSIA	81	55	3	139
	MALDIVES	1	0	0	1
	MONGOLIA	6	2	0	8
	MYANMAR	1	1	0	2
	NEPAL	0	1	0	1
	PAKISTAN	5	4	0	9
	PHILIPPINES	37	10	2	49
	SINGAPORE	393	235	8	636
	SOUTH KOREA	53	166	14	233
	SRI LANKA	6	6	0	12
	TAIWAN	78	69	2	149
	THAILAND	164	93	6	263
VIETNAM	30	15	0	45	
Total	2,410	1,805	148	4,363	
Eastern Europe	ARMENIA	0	3	0	3
	AZERBAIJAN	1	4	0	5
	BELARUS	0	3	0	3
	BULGARIA	26	13	0	39
	CROATIA	5	2	0	7
	CYPRUS	8	5	0	13
	CZECH REPUBLIC	97	41	1	139
	ESTONIA	10	8	1	19
	GEORGIA	6	6	0	12
	GREECE	44	21	3	68
	HUNGARY	132	53	15	200
	KAZAKHSTAN	8	26	0	34
	KOSOVO	0	1	0	1
	LATVIA	11	13	0	24
	LITHUANIA	14	8	1	23
	MACEDONIA	0	1	0	1

	MOLDOVA	1	2	0	3
	MONTENEGRO	1	0	0	1
	POLAND	442	137	19	598
	ROMANIA	130	49	7	186
	RUSSIA	201	238	17	456
	SAN MARINO	1	0	0	1
	SERBIA	20	9	3	32
	SLOVAKIA	87	27	1	115
	SLOVENIA	15	8	1	24
	TURKEY	219	247	41	507
	UKRAINE	82	47	2	131
	Total	1,561	972	112	2,645
Latin America	ARGENTINA	94	170	15	279
	BARBADOS	3	0	0	3
	BOLIVIA	7	5	1	13
	BRAZIL	92	119	10	221
	CAYMAN	3	1	0	4
	CHILE	23	54	1	78
	COLOMBIA	41	64	9	114
	COSTA RICA	14	10	1	25
	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	10	5	0	15
	ECUADOR	12	14	0	26
	EL SALVADOR	0	1	0	1
	GRENADA	0	1	0	1
	GUATEMALA	3	4	0	7
	JAMAICA	2	1	0	3
	MARTINIQUE	0	1	0	1
	MEXICO	138	110	9	257
	NICARAGUA	0	1	0	1
	PANAMA	7	7	0	14
	PARAGUAY	1	1	0	2
	PERU	39	36	2	77
	PUERTO RICO	22	14	2	38
	TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	7	4	0	11
	URUGUAY	14	10	2	26
	VENEZUELA	7	6	0	13
	Total	539	639	52	1,230
Middle East and Africa	ALGERIA	0	2	0	2
	BAHRAIN	32	7	1	40
	BOTSWANA	0	1	0	1
	BURKINA FASO	1	1	0	2
	CAPE VERDE	1	0	0	1
	EGYPT	163	42	2	207
	GHANA	3	0	0	3
	IRAN	26	38	0	64
	ISRAEL	15	37	11	63

	JORDAN	7	5	1	13
	KENYA	28	6	1	35
	KUWAIT	14	3	0	17
	LEBANON	25	17	0	42
	MADAGASCAR	1	0	0	1
	MALAWI	1	2	0	3
	MAURITIUS	1	1	0	2
	MOROCCO	5	18	0	23
	NAMIBIA	1	1	0	2
	NIGERIA	11	6	0	17
	OMAN	13	5	1	19
	QATAR	34	7	2	43
	REUNION	3	1	0	4
	RWANDA	2	0	0	2
	SAUDI ARABIA	75	26	5	106
	SENEGAL	1	1	0	2
	SOUTH AFRICA	113	166	19	298
	SUDAN	1	1	0	2
	TANZANIA	1	0	0	1
	TUNISIA	4	5	0	9
	UGANDA	7	2	0	9
	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	220	88	8	316
	ZAMBIA	0	1	1	2
	ZIMBABWE	2	1	0	3
	Total	811	491	52	1,354
North America	BERMUDA	4	2	0	6
	CANADA	1,410	1,124	88	2,622
	UNITED STATES	7,176	4,991	515	12,682
	Total	8,590	6,117	603	15,310
Oceania	AUSTRALIA	337	301	33	671
	NEW ZEALAND	83	42	5	130
	PAPUA NEW GUINEA	1	0	0	1
	Total	421	343	38	802
Western Europe	ANDORRA	5	2	0	7
	AUSTRIA	40	23	6	69
	BELGIUM	144	186	29	359
	CHANNEL ISLANDS	0	2	0	2
	DENMARK	47	54	6	107
	FINLAND	96	63	6	165
	FRANCE	423	325	42	790
	GERMANY	262	188	21	471
	GIBRALTAR	1	2	0	3
	ICELAND	55	12	1	68
	IRELAND	82	32	10	124
	ISLE OF MAN	1	0	0	1
	ITALY	641	353	31	1,025

	LIECHTENSTEIN	0	0	1	1
	LUXEMBOURG	31	21	3	55
	MALTA	3	1	1	5
	MONACO	0	1	0	1
	NETHERLANDS	196	178	20	394
	NORWAY	33	19	4	56
	PORTUGAL	46	46	4	96
	SPAIN	459	399	32	890
	SWEDEN	383	171	27	581
	SWITZERLAND	285	192	14	491
	UNITED KINGDOM	1,063	695	64	1,822
	Total	4,296	2,965	322	7,583
Total		18,628	13,332	1,327	33,287