

Professional Coaches Membership and Credentialing Fact Sheet

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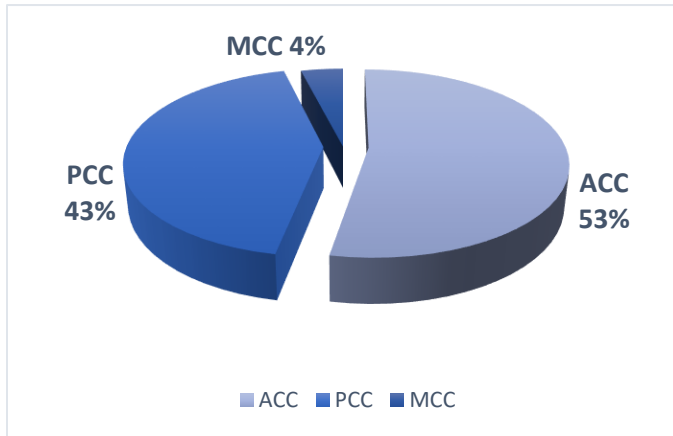
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ICF Credentialing



There are currently 44,920* coaches in 143 countries and territories who hold one of three ICF Credentials.

- 23,879 Associate Certified Coaches (ACC)
- 19,292 Professional Certified Coaches (PCC)
- 1,725 Master Certified Coaches (MCC)

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Chapters

ICF has 139 [Chapters](#) in more than 99 countries and territories.

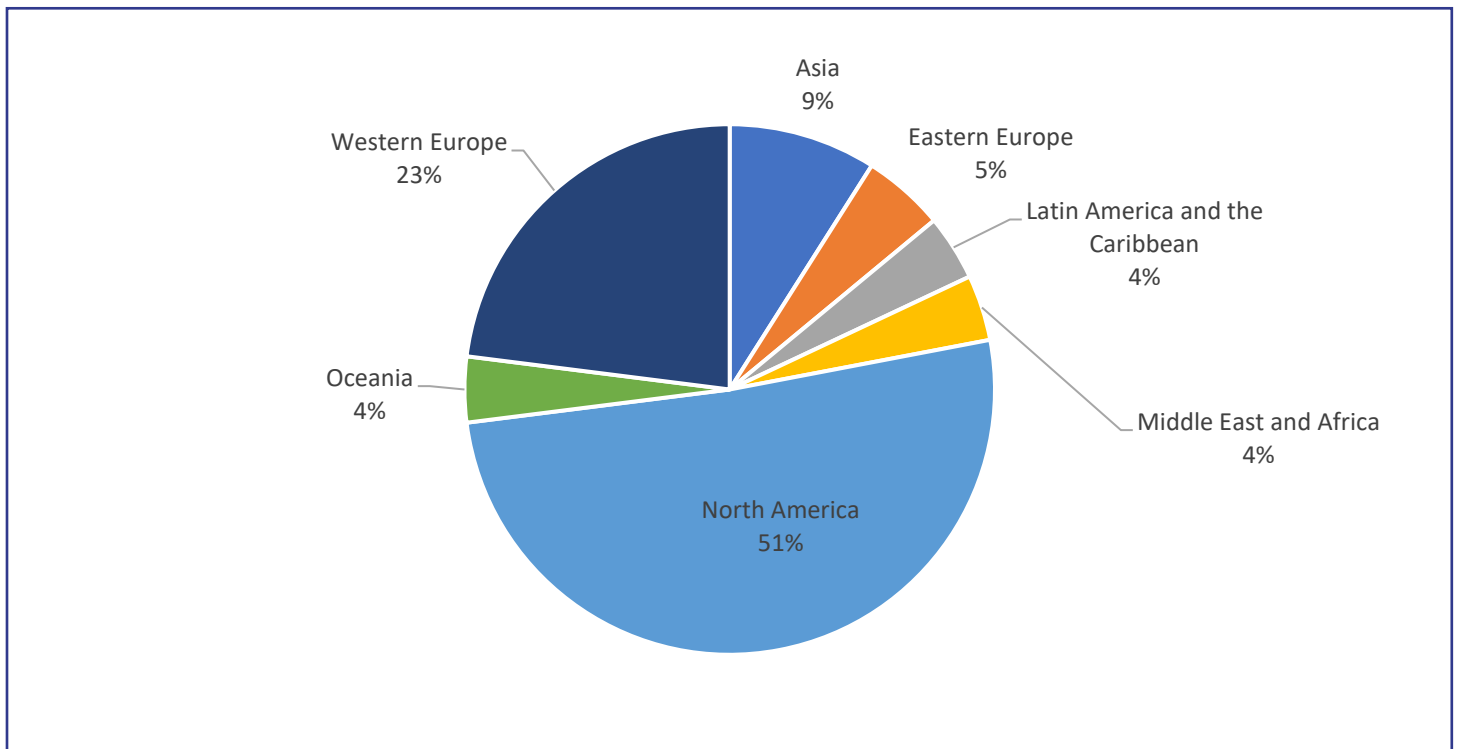
ICF Membership Growth

- 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
- 2021 – 50,748 members

As of **July** –*46,619 members in 161 countries and territories.

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ICF Membership by Region



Breakdown of ICF Members by region, country/territory:

Asia	4,031
BANGLADESH	4
BHUTAN	1
BRUNEI	2
CAMBODIA	5
CHINA	375
EAST TIMOR	1
HONG KONG	277
INDIA	757
INDONESIA	171
JAPAN	525
KYRGYZSTAN	1
LAOS	1
MACAU	2
MALAYSIA	201
MALDIVES	1
MONGOLIA	6
NEPAL	1
PAKISTAN	13

PHILIPPINES	165
SINGAPORE	809
SOUTH KOREA	263
SRI LANKA	29
TAIWAN	95
THAILAND	251
UZBEKISTAN	1
VIETNAM	74
Eastern Europe	2,218
ARMENIA	36
AZERBAIJAN	8
BELARUS	4
BOSNIA	4
BULGARIA	56
CROATIA	26
CYPRUS	16
CZECH REPUBLIC	132
ESTONIA	99
GEORGIA	20
GREECE	114
HUNGARY	212
KAZAKHSTAN	87
KOSOVO	1
LATVIA	51
LITHUANIA	77
MACEDONIA	4
MONTENEGRO	3
POLAND	156
ROMANIA	218
SERBIA	33
SLOVAKIA	97
SLOVENIA	58
TURKEY	418
UKRAINE	288
Latin America and the Caribbean	1,623
ANTIGUA	1
ARGENTINA	175
ARUBA	1
BAHAMAS	1
BARBADOS	5
BOLIVIA	11
BRAZIL	423

CAYMAN	7
CHILE	103
COLOMBIA	101
COSTA RICA	53
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	50
ECUADOR	27
EL SALVADOR	5
GRENADA	1
GUATEMALA	26
GUYANA	1
HONDURAS	7
JAMAICA	6
MARTINIQUE	3
MEXICO	196
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	4
NICARAGUA	3
PANAMA	47
PARAGUAY	4
PERU	142
PUERTO RICO	96
SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS	1
SAINT LUCIA	3
SAINT MAARTEN (DUTCH)	1
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	22
UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS	3
URUGUAY	46
VENEZUELA	48
Middle East and Africa	1,998
ALGERIA	1
ANGOLA	2
BAHRAIN	52
BOTSWANA	5
BURKINA FASO	2
BURUNDI	1
CAMEROON	2
CAPE VERDE	1
CONGO, REP.	2
Côte d'Ivoire	2
EGYPT	138
ERITREA	1
GHANA	14
IRAQ	1

ISRAEL	82
JORDAN	29
KENYA	161
KUWAIT	30
LEBANON	86
MADAGASCAR	2
MALAWI	6
MALI	1
MAURITIUS	9
MOROCCO	60
MOZAMBIQUE	1
NAMIBIA	7
NIGERIA	53
OMAN	49
QATAR	86
REUNION	4
RWANDA	21
SAUDI ARABIA	146
SENEGAL	8
SEYCHELLES	1
SOUTH AFRICA	480
TANZANIA	2
TOGO	1
TUNISIA	20
UGANDA	44
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	378
ZAMBIA	2
ZIMBABWE	5
None Specified	993
IRAN	108
None Specified	4
RUSSIA	881
North America	22,944
BERMUDA	12
CANADA	4,014
UNITED STATES	18,918
Oceania	1,874
AUSTRALIA	1,579
NEW CALEDONIA	1
NEW ZEALAND	293
VANUATU	1
Western Europe	10,938

ANDORRA	5
AUSTRIA	118
BELGIUM	456
CHANNEL ISLANDS	7
DENMARK	121
FINLAND	231
FRANCE	1,374
GERMANY	821
GIBRALTAR	3
ICELAND	64
IRELAND	378
ISLE OF MAN	1
ITALY	1,241
LIECHTENSTEIN	2
LUXEMBOURG	76
MALTA	10
MONACO	2
NETHERLANDS	500
NORWAY	79
PORTUGAL	178
SPAIN	717
SWEDEN	491
SWITZERLAND	619
UNITED KINGDOM	3,444
Total Members:	46,619

Breakdown of ICF Credential-holders by country/territory:

Region	Country	ACC	PCC	MCC	Total
		0	3	0	3
	IRAN	44	142	1	187
	RUSSIA	310	411	24	745
	Total	354	556	25	935
Asia	BANGLADESH	2	1	0	3
	BHUTAN	1	0	0	1
	BRUNEI	2	2	0	4
	CAMBODIA	2	2	0	4
	CHINA	494	734	20	1,249
	HONG KONG	184	103	7	294
	INDIA	795	667	61	1,524
	INDONESIA	126	55	5	186

	JAPAN	446	425	55	927
	LAOS	1	0	0	1
	MACAU	1	1	0	2
	MALAYSIA	111	79	6	197
	MONGOLIA	6	2	0	8
	MYANMAR	1	1	0	2
	NEPAL	1	0	0	1
	PAKISTAN	5	7	0	12
	PHILIPPINES	50	38	2	90
	SINGAPORE	538	361	17	916
	SOUTH KOREA	47	308	18	373
	SRI LANKA	7	22	0	29
	TAIWAN	90	83	3	176
	THAILAND	175	147	13	335
	UZBEKISTAN	2	0	0	2
	VIETNAM	66	39	0	105
	Total	3,153	3,077	207	6,441
Eastern Europe	ARMENIA	5	9	1	15
	AZERBAIJAN	3	5	0	8
	BELARUS	4	4	1	9
	BOSNIA	3	0	0	3
	BULGARIA	31	20	0	51
	CROATIA	7	5	0	12
	CYPRUS	11	8	0	19
	CZECH REPUBLIC	103	58	2	163
	ESTONIA	16	15	2	33
	GEORGIA	4	14	0	18
	GREECE	63	29	5	97
	HUNGARY	128	88	19	236
	KAZAKHSTAN	34	42	4	80
	KOSOVO	0	1	0	1
	LATVIA	17	19	2	38
	LITHUANIA	20	10	1	31
	MACEDONIA	1	3	0	4
	MOLDOVA	6	2	0	8
	MONTENEGRO	1	2	0	3
	POLAND	394	154	28	576
ROMANIA	162	91	10	264	
SERBIA	21	20	3	44	
SLOVAKIA	53	41	2	96	
SLOVENIA	22	19	2	43	

	TURKEY	395	443	67	908
	UKRAINE	125	106	4	235
	Total	1,629	1,208	153	2,995
Latin America	ANTIGUA	1	0	0	1
	ARGENTINA	130	216	17	363
	BARBADOS	3	0	0	3
	BOLIVIA	7	6	1	14
	BRAZIL	88	142	13	244
	CAYMAN	4	2	0	6
	CHILE	40	52	2	94
	COLOMBIA	65	73	10	148
	COSTA RICA	10	15	1	26
	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	15	8	0	23
	ECUADOR	19	15	0	34
	EL SALVADOR	3	1	0	4
	GRENADA	0	2	0	2
	GUATEMALA	3	9	0	12
	HONDURAS	1	0	0	1
	JAMAICA	4	2	0	6
	MARTINIQUE	0	1	0	1
	MEXICO	159	126	11	296
	NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	1	0	0	1
	NICARAGUA	0	2	0	2
	PANAMA	7	8	0	15
	PARAGUAY	1	2	0	3
	PERU	38	47	2	87
	PUERTO RICO	21	15	2	38
SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS	0	1	0	1	
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	10	5	0	15	
URUGUAY	16	15	2	33	
VENEZUELA	9	8	0	17	
	Total	655	773	61	1,490
Middle East and Africa	ALGERIA	0	2	0	2
	BAHRAIN	31	23	2	56
	BOTSWANA	0	2	0	2
	BURKINA FASO	2	0	0	2
	CAPE VERDE	1	0	0	1
	CONGO, REP.	2	0	0	2
	Côte d'Ivoire	0	1	0	1
	EGYPT	139	80	3	222
	GHANA	4	3	0	7

	IRAQ	0	1	0	1
	ISRAEL	26	57	13	96
	JORDAN	12	6	1	19
	KENYA	39	17	2	58
	KUWAIT	18	7	1	26
	LEBANON	23	19	3	45
	MADAGASCAR	1	0	0	1
	MALAWI	2	2	1	5
	MALI	1	0	0	1
	MAURITIUS	6	1	0	7
	MOROCCO	7	24	1	32
	NAMIBIA	1	1	0	2
	NIGERIA	15	14	1	30
	OMAN	23	8	2	33
	QATAR	39	19	2	61
	REUNION	4	1	0	5
	RWANDA	1	1	0	2
	SAUDI ARABIA	128	52	4	185
	SENEGAL	1	1	0	2
	SOUTH AFRICA	164	212	27	403
	SUDAN	1	1	0	2
	TANZANIA	1	0	0	1
	TUNISIA	6	5	0	11
	UGANDA	3	9	0	12
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	280	174	13	468	
ZAMBIA	0	1	1	2	
ZIMBABWE	3	2	0	5	
Total	984	746	77	1,810	
North America	BERMUDA	4	3	0	7
	CANADA	1,792	1,480	109	3,383
	UNITED STATES	9,140	6,816	629	16,591
	Total	10,936	8,299	738	19,981
Oceania	AUSTRALIA	421	401	37	859
	NEW ZEALAND	110	66	6	182
	Total	531	467	43	1,041
Western Europe	ANDORRA	2	4	0	6
	AUSTRIA	46	43	6	95
	BELGIUM	194	231	33	458
	CHANNEL ISLANDS	2	2	0	4
	DENMARK	64	73	6	143
	FINLAND	137	82	9	229

	FRANCE	512	459	48	1,019
	GERMANY	374	315	31	720
	GIBRALTAR	0	2	0	2
	ICELAND	52	23	3	78
	IRELAND	118	56	11	185
	ISLE OF MAN	1	0	0	1
	ITALY	887	501	45	1,435
	LIECHTENSTEIN	1	0	1	2
	LUXEMBOURG	36	23	5	64
	MALTA	4	2	2	8
	MONACO	0	1	0	1
	NETHERLANDS	251	248	26	525
	NORWAY	40	25	6	71
	PORTUGAL	66	67	8	141
	SPAIN	513	485	46	1,044
	SWEDEN	464	216	29	709
	SWITZERLAND	334	259	21	614
	UNITED KINGDOM	1,539	1,049	85	2,673
	Total	5,637	4,166	421	10,227
Total		23,879	19,292	1,725	44,920