

Professional Coaches Membership and Credentialing Fact Sheet

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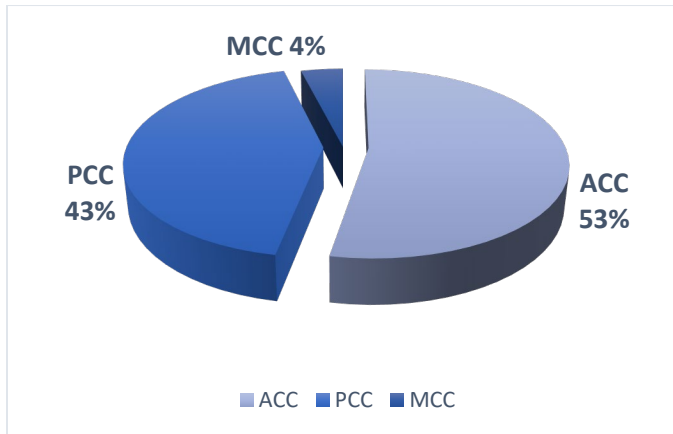
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ICF Credentialing



There are currently 49,970* coaches in 143 countries and territories who hold one of three ICF Credentials.

- 26,563 Associate Certified Coaches (ACC)
- 21,348 Professional Certified Coaches (PCC)
- 2,059 Master Certified Coaches (MCC)

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Chapters

ICF has 141 [Chapters](#) in more than 99 countries and territories.

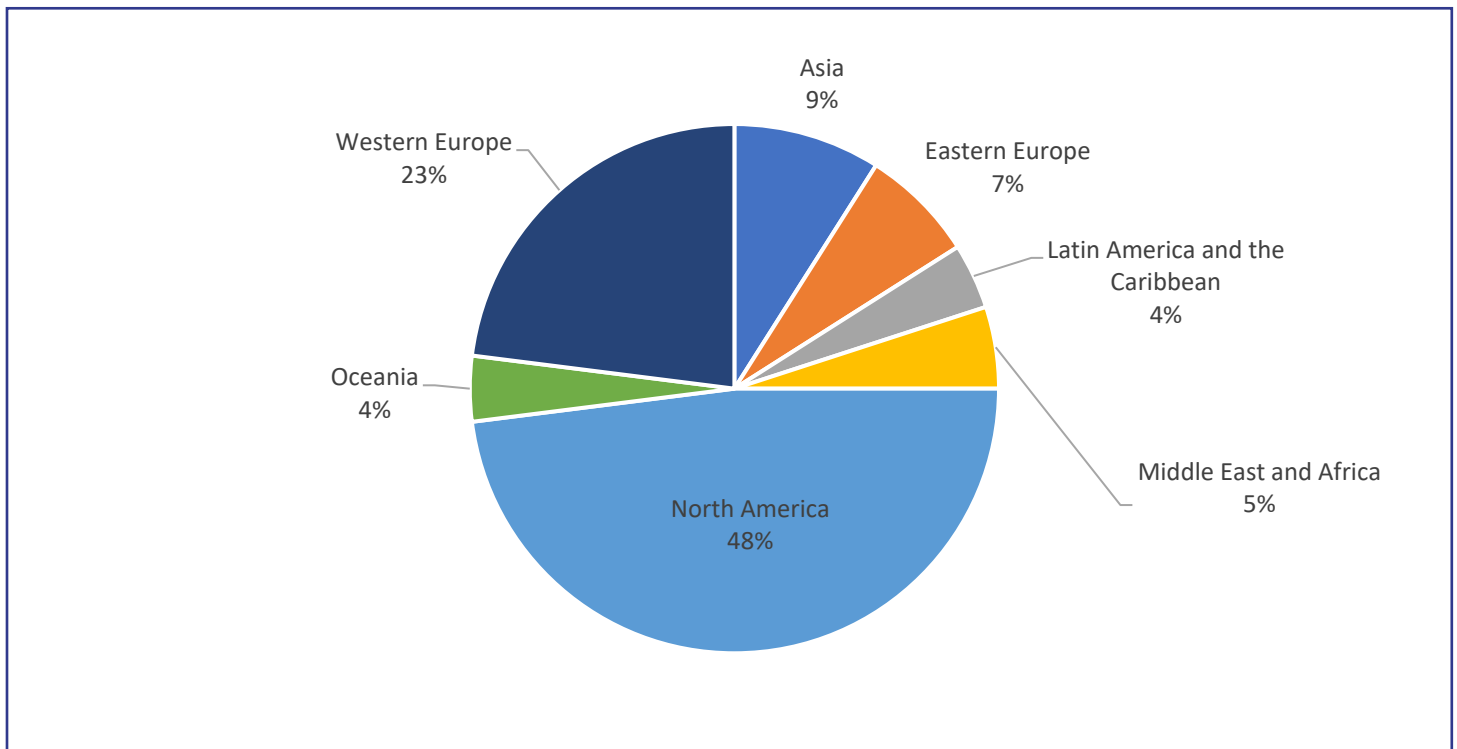
ICF Membership Growth

- 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
- 2022 – 56,400 members

As of **February** –*57,563 members in 170 countries and territories.

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ICF Membership by Region



Breakdown of ICF Members by region, country/territory:

Asia	5,316
BANGLADESH	5
BHUTAN	1
BRUNEI	3
CAMBODIA	6
CHINA	581
EAST TIMOR	1
HONG KONG	335
INDIA	1,115
INDONESIA	208
JAPAN	711
KYRGYZSTAN	3
LAOS	1
MACAU	2
MALAYSIA	226
MALDIVES	1
MONGOLIA	7
NEPAL	1
PAKISTAN	16
PHILIPPINES	213
SINGAPORE	941

SOUTH KOREA	358
SRI LANKA	36
TAIWAN	127
TAJIKISTAN	1
THAILAND	311
UZBEKISTAN	5
VIETNAM	101
Eastern Europe	3862
ALBANIA	2
ARMENIA	52
AZERBAIJAN	27
BELARUS	6
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	3
BULGARIA	73
CROATIA	31
CYPRUS	30
CZECH REPUBLIC	165
ESTONIA	120
GEORGIA	33
GREECE	138
HUNGARY	262
KAZAKHSTAN	123
KOSOVO	1
LATVIA	61
LITHUANIA	96
MACEDONIA	4
MOLDOVA	2
MONTENEGRO	4
POLAND	234
ROMANIA	280
RUSSIA	796
SERBIA	43
SLOVAKIA	110
SLOVENIA	72
TURKEY	618
UKRAINE	476
Latin America and the Caribbean	2,086
ANTIGUA	1
ARGENTINA	241
ARUBA	1
BAHAMAS	2
BARBADOS	5
BOLIVIA	14
BRAZIL	515
CAYMAN	7
CHILE	124

COLOMBIA	139
COSTA RICA	73
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	59
ECUADOR	49
EL SALVADOR	6
GRENADA	2
GUADELOUPE	2
GUATEMALA	28
GUYANA	3
HONDURAS	7
JAMAICA	6
MARTINIQUE	5
MEXICO	261
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	6
NICARAGUA	4
PANAMA	54
PARAGUAY	4
PERU	169
PUERTO RICO	160
SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS	1
SAINT LUCIA	3
SAINT MAARTEN (DUTCH)	1
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	23
UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS	3
URUGUAY	55
VENEZUELA	53
Middle East and Africa	2,770
ALGERIA	2
ANGOLA	2
BAHRAIN	61
BOTSWANA	5
BURKINA FASO	3
BURUNDI	1
CAMEROON	2
CAPE VERDE	1
CONGO, DEM. REP.	1
CONGO, REP.	2
Côte d'Ivoire	5
EGYPT	194
ERITREA	1
ETHIOPIA	5
GHANA	19
IRAN	59
IRAQ	1
ISRAEL	116
JORDAN	32

KENYA	192
KUWAIT	42
LEBANON	118
MADAGASCAR	2
MALAWI	7
MALI	1
MAURITIUS	11
MOROCCO	76
MOZAMBIQUE	1
NAMIBIA	7
NIGER	2
NIGERIA	72
OMAN	93
QATAR	129
REUNION	5
RWANDA	25
SAUDI ARABIA	230
SENEGAL	9
SEYCHELLES	1
SOUTH AFRICA	581
TANZANIA	3
TOGO	1
TUNISIA	37
UGANDA	56
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	544
WEST BANK AND GAZA	2
ZAMBIA	3
ZIMBABWE	8
None Specified	4
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North America	27,814
BERMUDA	15
CANADA	4,841
GREENLAND	1
UNITED STATES	22,957
Oceania	2,246
AUSTRALIA	1,877
FIJI	1
NEW CALEDONIA	1
NEW ZEALAND	366
VANUATU	1
Western Europe	13,465
ANDORRA	6
AUSTRIA	157
BELGIUM	543
CHANNEL ISLANDS	7

DENMARK	141
FINLAND	263
FRANCE	1,763
GERMANY	1,069
GIBRALTAR	3
ICELAND	70
IRELAND	473
ISLE OF MAN	1
ITALY	1,543
LIECHTENSTEIN	2
LUXEMBOURG	88
MALTA	13
MONACO	5
NETHERLANDS	616
NORWAY	91
PORTUGAL	209
SPAIN	859
SWEDEN	591
SWITZERLAND	754
UNITED KINGDOM	4,198
Total Members:	57,563

Breakdown of ICF Credential-holders by country/territory:

Region	Country	ACC	PCC	MCC	Total
		1	3	0	4
	IRAN	35	121	1	157
	RUSSIA	271	376	25	672
	Total	307	500	26	833
Asia	BANGLADESH	2	2	0	4
	BHUTAN	1	0	0	1
	BRUNEI	1	2	0	3
	CAMBODIA	3	2	0	5
	CHINA	529	821	28	1,383
	HONG KONG	185	122	12	320
	INDIA	895	775	73	1,753
	INDONESIA	150	59	9	218
	JAPAN	530	455	65	1,051
	KYRGYZSTAN	1	0	0	1
	LAOS	1	0	0	1
	MACAU	1	1	0	2
	MALAYSIA	125	81	8	215
	MONGOLIA	6	4	0	10
	MYANMAR	0	1	0	1
	NEPAL	1	0	0	1
PAKISTAN	7	7	0	14	

	PHILIPPINES	57	51	2	112
	SINGAPORE	600	380	26	1,009
	SOUTH KOREA	66	356	21	443
	SRI LANKA	6	25	2	34
	TAIWAN	111	87	3	202
	TAJKISTAN	0	1	0	1
	THAILAND	198	165	15	379
	UZBEKISTAN	6	1	0	7
	VIETNAM	88	45	1	135
	Total	3,570	3,443	265	7,305
Eastern Europe	ARMENIA	6	17	2	25
	AZERBAIJAN	3	12	2	17
	BELARUS	5	5	1	11
	BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	3	0	0	3
	BULGARIA	35	24	3	63
	CROATIA	9	6	0	15
	CYPRUS	12	11	0	23
	CZECH REPUBLIC	124	68	2	196
	ESTONIA	34	20	2	57
	GEORGIA	5	20	2	27
	GREECE	78	33	5	122
	HUNGARY	141	110	20	279
	KAZAKHSTAN	54	65	10	130
	KOSOVO	0	1	0	1
	LATVIA	22	22	3	47
	LITHUANIA	27	11	4	44
	MACEDONIA	0	5	0	5
	MOLDOVA	6	3	0	9
	MONTENEGRO	2	3	0	5
	POLAND	382	172	34	588
	ROMANIA	186	107	14	308
	SERBIA	23	28	2	53
	SLOVAKIA	64	42	3	109
SLOVENIA	26	19	3	48	
TURKEY	418	515	81	1,021	
UKRAINE	136	119	6	262	
Total	1,801	1,438	199	3,468	
Latin America	ANTIGUA	1	0	0	1
	ARGENTINA	131	248	23	403
	BARBADOS	2	0	0	2
	BOLIVIA	10	6	1	17
	BRAZIL	78	157	15	254
	CAYMAN	4	2	0	6
	CHILE	41	58	3	103
	COLOMBIA	70	81	15	166
	COSTA RICA	9	21	1	31

	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	18	8	0	27
	ECUADOR	19	15	0	34
	EL SALVADOR	3	0	0	3
	GRENADA	0	2	0	2
	GUATEMALA	4	12	0	16
	HONDURAS	1	0	0	1
	JAMAICA	4	3	0	7
	MARTINIQUE	0	1	0	1
	MEXICO	160	129	17	307
	NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	1	0	0	1
	NICARAGUA	0	2	0	2
	PANAMA	7	9	0	16
	PARAGUAY	1	2	0	3
	PERU	49	57	4	110
	PUERTO RICO	23	13	4	40
	SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS	0	1	0	1
	TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	11	5	0	16
	URUGUAY	22	15	2	39
	VENEZUELA	9	6	1	16
	Total	678	853	86	1,625
Middle East and Africa	ALGERIA	3	2	0	5
	BAHRAIN	29	24	2	55
	BOTSWANA	0	2	0	2
	BURKINA FASO	3	0	0	3
	CAPE VERDE	1	0	0	1
	CONGO, REP.	2	0	0	2
	Côte d'Ivoire	0	1	0	1
	EGYPT	147	92	3	243
	GHANA	5	6	0	11
	IRAQ	0	1	0	1
	ISRAEL	35	66	14	117
	JORDAN	14	8	1	24
	KENYA	49	22	2	73
	KUWAIT	22	8	1	31
	LEBANON	29	21	4	54
	MADAGASCAR	1	0	0	1
	MALAWI	1	3	1	5
	MALI	1	0	0	1
	MAURITIUS	6	1	0	7
	MOROCCO	9	23	1	33
	NAMIBIA	1	1	0	2
	NIGER	0	1	0	1
	NIGERIA	19	16	1	36
	OMAN	25	13	2	40
QATAR	37	33	2	75	
REUNION	4	1	1	6	

	RWANDA	3	1	0	4
	SAUDI ARABIA	163	70	3	237
	SENEGAL	1	1	0	2
	SOUTH AFRICA	187	225	38	452
	SUDAN	1	1	0	2
	TANZANIA	2	0	0	2
	TUNISIA	15	7	0	22
	UGANDA	8	10	1	19
	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	339	238	19	598
	ZAMBIA	0	1	1	2
	ZIMBABWE	4	2	0	6
	Total	1,166	901	97	2,176
North America	BERMUDA	3	6	0	9
	CANADA	2,002	1,635	122	3,772
	UNITED STATES	10,131	7,427	708	18,309
	Total	12,136	9,068	830	22,090
Oceania	AUSTRALIA	479	437	44	963
	NEW ZEALAND	123	74	6	204
	Total	602	511	50	1,167
Western Europe	ANDORRA	3	4	0	7
	AUSTRIA	54	60	6	122
	BELGIUM	208	252	36	498
	CHANNEL ISLANDS	4	3	0	7
	DENMARK	71	82	10	163
	FINLAND	146	91	10	250
	FRANCE	554	512	58	1,130
	GERMANY	445	385	44	876
	GIBRALTAR	0	2	0	2
	ICELAND	51	24	3	79
	IRELAND	121	72	12	206
	ISLE OF MAN	1	0	0	1
	ITALY	1,038	536	66	1,649
	LIECHTENSTEIN	1	0	1	2
	LUXEMBOURG	36	26	5	68
	MALTA	4	2	2	8
	MONACO	0	1	0	1
	NETHERLANDS	284	275	27	590
	NORWAY	39	30	7	76
	PORTUGAL	70	82	10	165
	SPAIN	549	515	61	1,127
	SWEDEN	478	234	31	745
	SWITZERLAND	378	285	24	690
	UNITED KINGDOM	1,768	1,161	93	3,031
	Total	6,303	4,634	506	11,493
Total		26,563	21,348	2,059	49,970