Coaching Impact Awards - Distinguished Coach

ICF Coaching Impact Awards - Distinguished Coach winners are experienced coach practitioners who have made their mark on ICF and the coaching profession.

Nominees must hold an active ICF MCC credential and have been an ICF member for at least 7 years.

Start Here

Getting Started with Your Nominations

Welcome to the 2024 ICF Coaching Impact Awards program!

Completed nominations must be submitted by April 26 at 11:59 p.m. (New York).

There are four categories that you may choose to submit a nomination for this year:
As you enter the nomination process, you will also see subcategories within each of these categories.

The 2024 ICF Coaching Impact Awards will be recognized in October. Winners should save the dates of October 24-27.

We look forward to celebrating the best of the coaching profession!

Who is being nominated?

Are you nominating yourself or someone else for this award?

- I’m nominating myself for this award.
- I’m nominating someone else for this award.

Eligibility for Professional Coaches

**Eligibility Requirements for Professional Coaches Category:**

The ICF Coaching Impact Awards - Professional Coaches category will honor individual coach practitioners who are making an impact in the profession and at ICF.

The ICF Coaching Impact Awards - Professional Coaches is open to ICF members in good standing who hold an active ICF credential. If a nominee’s membership and/or credential lapses during the nomination, selection, or recognition process, they
may be disqualified from consideration.

All ICF Coaching Impact Awards - Professional Coaches nominations can be self-nominated or submitted by a peer, colleague, client, etc. The options for the ICF Coaching Impact Awards - Professional Coaches include:

**Distinguished Coach:** Experienced coach practitioners who have made their mark on ICF and the coaching profession, they hold an active ICF MCC credential, and have been ICF members for at least seven *7 years*.

**Accomplished Coach:** Accomplished coach practitioners who have made their mark on ICF and the coaching profession, hold an active ICF PCC credential, and have been ICF members for at least five *5 years*.

**Emerging Coach:** Coach practitioners who are poised to lead ICF and the coaching profession into the future, hold an active ICF ACC credential, and have been ICF members for at least three *3 years*.

Is the nominee a current ICF Member in good standing?
- Yes
- No

How long has the nominee been an ICF Member?
- Less than 3 years
- 3 to 5 years
- 5 - 7 years
- 7 years or more

Please choose the option that is closer to the number of years the nominee has been a member (continuously)

Nominee's credential
- ACC
- PCC
- MCC
- The nominee does not hold an ICF Credential

**PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU CLICK ON THE "CHECK ELIGIBILITY" button BELOW TO CONTINUE WITH YOUR SUBMISSION**

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About Nominee

First Name of Nominee

Last Name of Nominee:

Email of Nominee:
Coaching Vision

Share the nominee's unique perspective and insights of the profession of coaching.
To enrich our evaluation process, we kindly request a thoughtful description, in approximately 400 words, of the candidate's vision for the future of coaching. We are interested in insights into how their unique approach and aspirations contribute to the evolution and enhancement of the coaching profession. The detailed input will provide valuable context as the submission is considered.

Please share the nominee's vision of the Coaching Profession (400 words or less)

Professional Coaches - Impact & Contributions

Please share your thoughtful insights in delineating the candidate's impact and contributions across various domains, including ICF, the coaching profession, thought leadership, and social impact. You may focus on highlighting specific instances or initiatives that underscore the candidate's influence in these spheres. Adhering to a 250-word limit for each section, your detailed perspective on key achievements, points, and pertinent supporting details will help our comprehension of the candidate's notable contributions.
Describe the nominee's contributions to date and discuss how the nominee demonstrates the potential to contribute to the coaching profession in the future 250 words

What has the nominee done that positions them as a thought leader for the coaching profession? 250 words

Describe how the nominee has contributed to and been a leader in ICF over the course of their career. 250 words

Discuss how the nominee’s work as a coach contributes to social impact and what activities have led to the nominee being recognized as a leader that initiates social change and any pro-bono activities (local, regional, etc.) 300 words

Is the nominee part of a Coaching Education Provider organization? (as an instructor/owner/other)
- No
- Yes

What awards (if any) has the nominee received in the past? (optional)

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**Recommendations**

Every ICF Coaching Impact Award nomination for Professional Coaches requires two written recommendations per nominee. These recommendation forms will be sent automatically to the individuals that you list below.

The recommenders will be asked to describe the impact the nominee has had:

- In the coaching profession.
- In ICF.
- In thought leadership.
- On social impact.

Every recommender will describe at least two of the four areas mentioned above.

**Recommender 1 First and Last Name**

Please enter the Recommender 1’s full name.
You will be providing 2 recommendations for every nomination.

**Recommender 1 email**
Additional Information tab

**Additional Information**

This specific tab is a space for you to include any additional comments or information you wish to add to your nomination that was not requested in previous sections. This can include special circumstances, collaborative efforts, long-term impact, community involvement, and/or future plans. Keep the focus on how the information strengthens the overall nomination.

Maximum: 300 words.
Testimonial Videos

We are delighted to incorporate the option of adding video testimonials into your nomination!

You are encouraged to submit a testimonial video. You may submit a **maximum of five** testimonial videos with your nomination. Including testimonial videos can strengthen the overall nomination and offer a more dynamic perspective for the review panel to consider.

These videos can provide valuable insights into the nominee's character, achievements, and impact. Each video should be concise and focused, highlighting specific examples that showcase the nominee's excellence. Please ensure that the total duration of all videos adheres to the specified limits.

You may upload your video testimonials in this tab.

**Specifications:**

- MP4 and MOV are the allowed formats for videos.
- Videos must be in English or must include English subtitles.
- Maximum videos to upload: Five (5).
- Maximum time per video: **Two (2) minutes.**

1. You may upload your video testimonial here (optional)

2. You may upload your video testimonial here (optional)

3. You may upload your video testimonial here (optional)

4. You may upload your video testimonial here (optional)
Attachments 2024

When corresponding to the category submitted, and as part of the nomination process, we recommend that you include:

**Coaching Impact Awards - Coaching Education**
- Nominee's headshot. In the event that the nomination is successful and the nominee is chosen as the winner, their headshot will be used for public announcements and promotional materials.
- Nominee's up-to-date CV or resume to provide the evaluators with a comprehensive overview of their qualifications and achievements.
- For the Coaching Education Provider: Organization's logo

**Coaching Impact Awards - Organizations**
- Nominator's headshot. In the event that the nomination is successful and the entry is chosen as the winner, their headshot will be used for public announcements and promotional materials.
- Organization's logo

**Coaching Impact Awards - Professional Coaches**
- Nominee's headshot. In the event that the nomination is successful and the nominee is chosen as the winner, their headshot will be used for public announcements and promotional materials.
- Nominee's up-to-date CV or resume to provide the evaluators with a comprehensive overview of their qualifications and achievements.

**Coaching Impact Awards - Social Impact**
- Nominee's headshot. In the event that the nomination is successful and the nominee is chosen as the winner, their headshot will be used for public announcements and promotional materials.
- Nominee's up-to-date CV or resume to provide the evaluators with a comprehensive overview of their qualifications and achievements.
- For the nominated organization: Organization's logo

Please provide us with a high-resolution headshot. In the event that your nomination emerges as the winner, this image will be featured in promotional materials, press releases, and various media outlets to spotlight and celebrate your achievement.

Please name the file with the person's name
We appreciate your dedication to recognizing outstanding individuals/organizations through this nomination!!

Before you click on "Submit entry", these recommendations might be helpful:

- **Review Your Nomination**: Before proceeding to submission, take a moment to carefully review all the details in your nomination form. Ensure that the information provided is accurate and complete.
- **Click on "Submit entry"**: To officially submit your nomination, kindly click on the "Submit entry" button at the end of the nomination form. This action signals the completion of your submission and ensures that your nominee is considered.
- **Confirmation Message**: Once you've clicked on "Submit entry", you should receive a confirmation message indicating that your nomination has been successfully submitted. If you don't see it, check in your Spam folder.
- **You may revisit Your Nomination**: It’s important to note that you can revisit your nomination until the nomination period concludes on April 26. Feel free to make any necessary updates or corrections during this time.

We appreciate your effort in making the **ICF Coaching Impact Awards** a celebration of excellence. If you encounter any issues or have questions regarding the submission process, please do not hesitate to reach out to Stephanie Norris, ICF Awards Director.

Thank you for your participation, and we look forward to celebrating the achievements of extraordinary individuals/organizations with you!!