

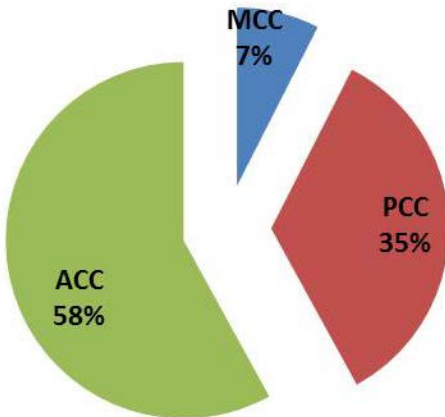
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The ICF's core purpose is to advance the art, science and practice of professional coaching.

The ICF defines coaching as partnering with clients in a thought-provoking and creative process that

inspires them to maximize their personal and professional potential.



Credentials.

- 4,776 Associate Certified Coaches (ACC)
- 2,842 Professional Certified Coaches (PCC)
- 617 Master Certified Coaches (MCC)

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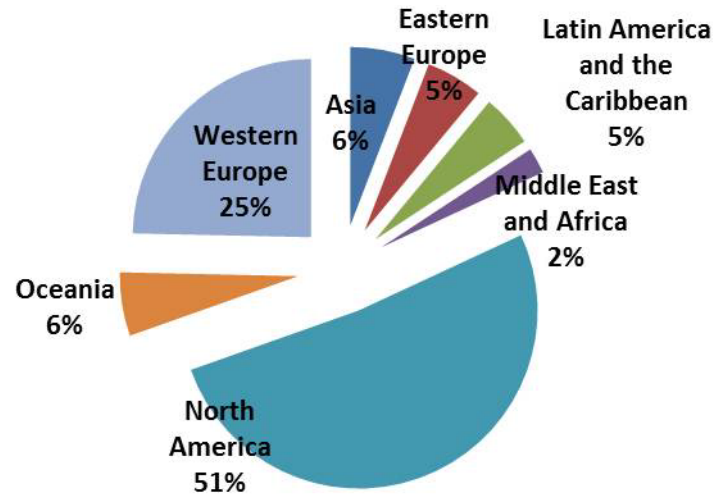
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ICF membership growth

- 1999 — 2,122 members (based in North America)
- 2000 — 3,240 members
- 2001 — 4,691 members
- 2002 — 5,825 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
- July 2012 — 17,438 members in 104 countries (This number is subject to change frequently.)

ICF membership by region



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Breakdown of ICF members by region, country

Asia	1,039
BANGLADESH	1
CHINA	169
HONG KONG	70
INDIA	126
INDONESIA	65
JAPAN	122
KYRGYZSTAN	1
MALAYSIA	59
PAKISTAN	3
PHILIPPINES	29
SINGAPORE	232
SOUTH KOREA	94
SRI LANKA	4
TAIWAN	32
THAILAND	31
VIETNAM	1
Eastern Europe	894
AZERBAIJAN	1
BULGARIA	29
CROATIA	1
CYPRUS	7
CZECH REPUBLIC	79
ESTONIA	1
GREECE	27
HUNGARY	99
KAZAKHSTAN	37
LATVIA	22
LITHUANIA	17
POLAND	143
ROMANIA	25
RUSSIA	102
SERBIA	2
SLOVAKIA	31
SLOVENIA	3
TURKEY	268
Latin America and the	822

Caribbean	
ARGENTINA	121
BRAZIL	212
CAYMAN	1
CHILE	53
COLOMBIA	120
COSTA RICA	13
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	6
ECUADOR	23
EL SALVADOR	2
FRENCH GUIANA	1
JAMAICA	4
MEXICO	70
PANAMA	5
PERU	51
PUERTO RICO	60
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	6
UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS	1
URUGUAY	63
VENEZUELA	10
Middle East and Africa	406
BAHRAIN	5
BOTSWANA	1
EGYPT	9
IRAN	1
ISRAEL	41
JORDAN	3
KENYA	25
KUWAIT	6
LEBANON	7
MAURITIUS	4
MOROCCO	4
NIGERIA	2
OMAN	3
QATAR	9
RWANDA	1
SAUDI ARABIA	5
SOUTH AFRICA	218
TANZANIA	2

TUNISIA	2
UGANDA	1
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	56
ZAMBIA	1
North America	8,935
BERMUDA	1
CANADA	1,901
UNITED STATES	7,033
Oceania	1,000
AUSTRALIA	889
FRENCH POLYNESIA	1
GUAM	1
NEW ZEALAND	108
SOLOMON ISLANDS	1
Western Europe	4,278
ANDORRA	1
AUSTRIA	47
BELGIUM	217
DENMARK	158
FINLAND	163
FRANCE	620
GERMANY	234
GIBRALTAR	1
ICELAND	8
IRELAND	81
ITALY	322
LUXEMBOURG	29
MALTA	1
MONACO	4
NETHERLANDS	114
NORWAY	116
PORTUGAL	86
SPAIN	507
SWEDEN	384
SWITZERLAND	265
UNITED KINGDOM	920

Breakdown of ICF Credential holders by country

	Total	ACC	PCC	MCC
Total	8235	4776	2842	617
ARGENTINA	23	12	10	1
AUSTRALIA	195	105	80	10
AUSTRIA	33	21	7	5
BAHRAIN	2	1	1	0
BELGIUM	117	51	62	4
BRAZIL	22	9	12	1
BULGARIA	3	3	0	0
CANADA	841	467	319	55
CHILE	14	1	13	0
CHINA	44	36	6	2
COLOMBIA	64	43	19	2
COSTA RICA	6	4	2	0
Côte d'Ivoire	1	0	1	0
CROATIA	1	1	0	0
CYPRUS	1	0	1	0
CZECH REPUBLIC	20	7	13	0
DENMARK	130	94	33	3
ECUADOR	5	3	2	0
EGYPT	2	2	0	0
FINLAND	63	54	9	0
FRANCE	145	80	49	16
FRENCH GUIANA	1	1	0	0
GERMANY	69	42	17	10
GREECE	20	17	3	0
GUAM	1	0	1	0
HONG KONG	28	19	6	3
HUNGARY	17	16	1	0
ICELAND	17	16	1	0
INDIA	60	49	11	0
INDONESIA	6	6	0	0
IRELAND	24	11	13	0
ISRAEL	38	9	24	5
ITALY	284	195	80	9
JAMAICA	1	0	1	0
JAPAN	116	8	77	31
JORDAN	2	1	1	0
KAZAKHSTAN	1	0	1	0
KENYA	3	3	0	0

KUWAIT	2	2	0	0
LATVIA	1	1	0	0
LEBANON	4	4	0	0
LITHUANIA	8	6	2	0
LUXEMBOURG	11	10	1	0
MALAYSIA	20	13	6	1
MAURITIUS	2	2	0	0
MEXICO	28	16	10	2
MONACO	1	0	1	0
MOROCCO	2	2	0	0
NETHERLANDS	62	38	23	1
NEW ZEALAND	32	23	7	2
NICARAGUA	1	1	0	0
NORWAY	85	54	28	3
PAKISTAN	1	1	0	0
PANAMA	2	2	0	0
PERU	18	11	7	0
PHILIPPINES	12	11	1	0
POLAND	121	110	10	1
PORTUGAL	41	24	15	2
PUERTO RICO	14	2	10	2
QATAR	2	2	0	0
ROMANIA	17	16	1	0
RUSSIA	5	1	3	1
SERBIA	2	1	1	0
SINGAPORE	61	45	15	1
SLOVAKIA	9	7	2	0
SOLOMON ISLANDS	1	1	0	0
SOUTH AFRICA	99	68	30	1
SOUTH KOREA	150	97	51	2
SPAIN	376	275	93	8
SWEDEN	447	381	59	7
SWITZERLAND	97	55	38	4
TAIWAN	34	24	10	0
TANZANIA	1	1	0	0
THAILAND	7	6	1	0
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	1	1	0	0
TUNISIA	6	2	4	0
TURKEY	74	42	29	3
UGANDA	1	1	0	0
UKRAINE	2	0	2	0
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	29	22	7	0
UNITED KINGDOM	385	200	168	17
UNITED STATES	3538	1805	1331	402

URUGUAY	2	2	0	0
VENEZUELA	1	1	0	0