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JOIN ICF TODAY

To be the best coach you can be, you need a community of peers who understand the joys and challenges you face as a professional coach practitioner. Join the International Coach Federation (ICF) today to become part of the world's largest community of professionally trained coaches.



Coachfederation.org

Credibility counts

In the *2016 ICF Global Coaching Study*, practitioners said the No. 1 obstacle to the profession was “untrained individuals who call themselves coaches.” As a coach, you need credibility to set yourself apart in a crowded marketplace.

Affiliation with ICF provides credibility, community and opportunities for continuous growth. Every ICF Member represents the highest quality of professional coaching.

Go local

When you apply for ICF Membership, you'll have a chance to affiliate with your local ICF Chapter.

ICF has more than 120 Chapters in 50-plus countries worldwide. Membership will provide the opportunity to network with your peers at Chapter events, enjoy valuable continuing education offerings and help your local community thrive through pro bono coaching initiatives and other service projects.

New opportunities

ICF Membership brings a host of benefits. As an ICF Member, you will be able to:

- Participate in ICF Communities of Practice
- Pursue volunteer leadership positions and the local or global level
- Access member-only online content
- Enjoy free and discounted access to industry research
- Participate in local and global conferences and events at a significant discount
- Receive discounts on ICF Credential applications

Membership eligibility

ICF is committed to ensuring that all members possess the necessary training to provide outstanding service to their clients.

By completing at least 60 hours of coach-specific training that meets ICF's standards, you are eligible to apply for ICF Membership. Learn more about ICF's Membership Eligibility Requirements at [Coachfederation.org/mer](https://www.coachfederation.org/mer).

Get started

Apply for ICF Membership today by visiting [Coachfederation.org/join](https://www.coachfederation.org/join).

The International Coach Federation (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 is active in representing all facets of the coaching industry, including Executive, Life Vision and Enhancement, Leadership, Relationship, and Career Coaching. Its 23,000-plus members located in more than 135 countries* work toward the common goal of enhancing awareness of coaching, upholding the integrity of the profession, and continually educating themselves with the newest research and practices.