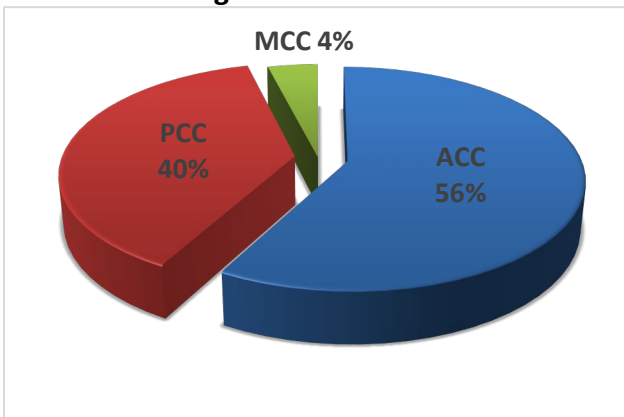


For assistance with media or press requests, please contact the ICF Communications Team at [ICFpr@coachfederation.org](mailto:ICFpr@coachfederation.org) or +1.859.219.3580

In 2020, the International Coaching Federation (ICF) celebrates 25 years as the global organization for coaches and coaching. 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 defines coaching as partnering with clients in a thought-provoking and creative process that inspires them to maximize their personal and professional potential.

### ICF Credentialing



There are currently **32,287\*** coaches in 130 countries and territories who hold one of three ICF Credentials.

- 18,209 Associate Certified Coaches (ACC)
- 12,788 Professional Certified Coaches (PCC)
- 1,290 Master Certified Coaches (MCC)

*\*This number is subject to change frequently.*

### Chapters

ICF has more than 143 [Chapters](#) in more than 80 countries and territories.

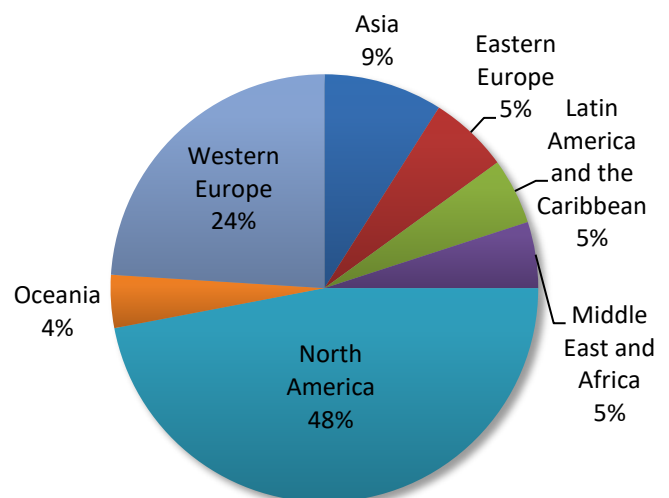
### ICF Membership growth

- 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
- 2012 — 20,222 members
- 2013 — 22,135 members
- 2014 — 24,100 members
- 2015 — 26,476 members
- 2016 — 29,198 members
- 2017 — 30,578 members
- 2018 — 33,739 members
- 2019 — 35,594 members
- **October 2020 — 36,844 \* members in 146 countries and territories**

*\*This number is subject to change frequently.*

### ICF Membership by region



Breakdown of ICF Members by region, country/territory:

<b>Asia</b>	<b>3,227</b>
BANGLADESH	2
BRUNEI	4
CAMBODIA	1
CHINA	543
HONG KONG	252
INDIA	648
INDONESIA	131
JAPAN	289
MALAYSIA	157
MALDIVES	1
MONGOLIA	3
MYANMAR	4
PAKISTAN	9
PHILIPPINES	91
SINGAPORE	660
SOUTH KOREA	146
SRI LANKA	12
TAIWAN	73
THAILAND	165
VIETNAM	36
<b>Eastern Europe</b>	<b>1,983</b>
ARMENIA	3
AZERBAIJAN	4
BELARUS	2
BULGARIA	41
CROATIA	15
CYPRUS	7
CZECH REPUBLIC	111
ESTONIA	42
GEORGIA	29
GREECE	87
HUNGARY	157
KAZAKHSTAN	42
KOSOVO	1
LATVIA	39
LITHUANIA	39
MACEDONIA	2
MOLDOVA	2
MONTENEGRO	1



## Membership and Credentialing Fact Sheet October 2020

---

POLAND	134
ROMANIA	192
RUSSIA	472
SAN MARINO	1
SERBIA	41
SLOVAKIA	88
SLOVENIA	36
TURKEY	319
UKRAINE	76
<b>Latin America and the Caribbean</b>	<b>1,685</b>
ARGENTINA	184
BARBADOS	6
BELIZE	1
BOLIVIA	25
BRAZIL	485
CAYMAN	6
CHILE	97
COLOMBIA	95
COSTA RICA	57
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	30
ECUADOR	41
EL SALVADOR	3
GRENADA	1
GUADELOUPE	1
GUATEMALA	10
HAITI	1
HONDURAS	4
JAMAICA	5
MARTINIQUE	4
MEXICO	214
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	3
NICARAGUA	3
PANAMA	44
PARAGUAY	3
PERU	134
PUERTO RICO	88
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	16
UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS	1
URUGUAY	54
VENEZUELA	69
<b>Middle East and Africa</b>	<b>1,716</b>

---



## Membership and Credentialing Fact Sheet October 2020

ALGERIA	3
ANGOLA	6
BAHRAIN	48
BOTSWANA	5
BURKINA FASO	2
CAPE VERDE	1
EGYPT	97
GHANA	5
IRAN	79
ISRAEL	63
JORDAN	31
KENYA	100
KUWAIT	23
LEBANON	73
MADAGASCAR	1
MALAWI	3
MALI	1
MAURITIUS	2
MOROCCO	51
NAMIBIA	4
NIGERIA	55
OMAN	43
QATAR	64
REUNION	4
RWANDA	2
SAUDI ARABIA	124
SENEGAL	4
SEYCHELLES	1
SOUTH AFRICA	413
SUDAN	1
SWAZILAND	1
TANZANIA	2
TOGO	1
TUNISIA	26
UGANDA	43
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	329
ZAMBIA	2
ZIMBABWE	3
<b>North America</b>	<b>17,682</b>
BERMUDA	11
CANADA	3,243



## Membership and Credentialing Fact Sheet October 2020

---

UNITED STATES	14,428
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>1,627</b>
AUSTRALIA	1,344
FRENCH POLYNESIA	1
NEW ZEALAND	281
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	1
<b>Western Europe</b>	<b>8,924</b>
ANDORRA	5
AUSTRIA	81
BELGIUM	386
CHANNEL ISLANDS	3
DENMARK	110
FINLAND	212
FRANCE	1,144
GERMANY	663
GIBRALTAR	4
ICELAND	44
IRELAND	368
ISLE OF MAN	2
ITALY	913
LIECHTENSTEIN	2
LUXEMBOURG	69
MALTA	5
MONACO	2
NETHERLANDS	409
NORWAY	76
PORTUGAL	150
SPAIN	735
SWEDEN	443
SWITZERLAND	502
UNITED KINGDOM	2,596
<b>Total Members:</b>	<b>36,844</b>

Breakdown of ICF Credential-holders by country/territory:

Region	Country	ACC	PCC	MCC	Total
		1	0	0	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
Asia	BANGLADESH	0	1	0	1
	BRUNEI	2	0	0	2
	CAMBODIA	2	0	0	2
	CHINA	335	352	10	697
	HONG KONG	168	57	6	231
	INDIA	500	332	47	879
	INDONESIA	95	22	3	120
	JAPAN	317	263	42	622
	MACAU	1	0	0	1
	MALAYSIA	84	48	3	135
	MALDIVES	1	0	0	1
	MONGOLIA	3	1	0	4
	MYANMAR	2	0	0	2
	NEPAL	0	1	0	1
	PAKISTAN	4	5	0	9
	PHILIPPINES	39	10	1	50
	SINGAPORE	373	224	10	607
	SOUTH KOREA	73	159	14	246
	SRI LANKA	4	5	0	9
	TAIWAN	89	73	2	164
	THAILAND	166	89	6	261
VIETNAM	42	11	0	53	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2,300</b>	<b>1,653</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>4,097</b>
Eastern Europe	ARMENIA	1	1	0	2
	AZERBAIJAN	1	3	0	4
	BELARUS	0	2	0	2
	BULGARIA	22	12	0	34
	CROATIA	3	2	0	5
	CYPRUS	5	4	0	9
	CZECH REPUBLIC	88	35	1	124
	ESTONIA	12	7	0	19
	GEORGIA	5	2	0	7
	GREECE	40	22	3	65
	HUNGARY	134	52	12	198
	KAZAKHSTAN	3	23	0	26
	KOSOVO	0	1	0	1
	LATVIA	11	11	0	22

	LITHUANIA	10	9	1	20
	MACEDONIA	0	1	0	1
	MOLDOVA	0	2	0	2
	POLAND	505	142	18	665
	ROMANIA	121	45	8	174
	RUSSIA	163	181	17	361
	SAN MARINO	1	0	0	1
	SERBIA	15	12	3	30
	SLOVAKIA	98	30	0	128
	SLOVENIA	9	6	1	16
	TURKEY	245	232	34	511
	UKRAINE	47	22	2	71
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1,539</b>	<b>859</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>2,498</b>
Latin America	ARGENTINA	112	182	15	309
	BARBADOS	4	0	0	4
	BOLIVIA	7	5	1	13
	BRAZIL	104	114	9	227
	CAYMAN	3	1	0	4
	CHILE	23	64	1	88
	COLOMBIA	46	81	8	135
	COSTA RICA	18	9	1	28
	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	11	5	0	16
	ECUADOR	13	16	0	29
	EL SALVADOR	1	1	0	2
	GRENADA	0	1	0	1
	GUATEMALA	5	5	0	10
	JAMAICA	2	2	0	4
	MARTINIQUE	0	1	0	1
	MEXICO	144	118	9	271
	NICARAGUA	0	1	0	1
	PANAMA	8	5	0	13
	PARAGUAY	1	1	0	2
	PERU	22	41	1	64
	PUERTO RICO	17	14	2	33
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	8	3	0	11	
URUGUAY	9	10	2	21	
VENEZUELA	5	9	0	14	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>563</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>1,301</b>
Middle East and Africa	ALGERIA	0	2	0	2
	BAHRAIN	25	5	1	31
	BOTSWANA	0	1	0	1

	<b>BURKINA FASO</b>	1	1	0	2
	<b>CAPE VERDE</b>	1	0	0	1
	<b>EGYPT</b>	160	30	2	192
	<b>GHANA</b>	3	0	0	3
	<b>IRAN</b>	16	11	1	28
	<b>ISRAEL</b>	12	39	10	61
	<b>JORDAN</b>	7	6	1	14
	<b>KENYA</b>	27	6	1	34
	<b>KUWAIT</b>	14	2	0	16
	<b>LEBANON</b>	26	13	1	40
	<b>MALAWI</b>	2	1	0	3
	<b>MAURITIUS</b>	0	1	0	1
	<b>MOROCCO</b>	9	15	0	24
	<b>NAMIBIA</b>	1	1	0	2
	<b>NIGERIA</b>	11	4	0	15
	<b>OMAN</b>	8	6	1	15
	<b>QATAR</b>	36	4	2	42
	<b>REUNION</b>	2	1	0	3
	<b>RWANDA</b>	2	0	0	2
	<b>SAUDI ARABIA</b>	57	21	3	81
	<b>SENEGAL</b>	1	1	0	2
	<b>SOUTH AFRICA</b>	140	165	18	323
	<b>SUDAN</b>	1	0	0	1
	<b>TANZANIA</b>	1	0	0	1
	<b>TUNISIA</b>	7	4	0	11
	<b>UGANDA</b>	6	2	0	8
	<b>UNITED ARAB EMIRATES</b>	207	80	10	297
	<b>ZIMBABWE</b>	1	2	0	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>784</b>	<b>424</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>1,259</b>
<b>North America</b>	<b>BERMUDA</b>	4	2	0	6
	<b>CANADA</b>	1,494	1,114	88	2,696
	<b>UNITED STATES</b>	6,932	4,812	520	12,264
	<b>Total</b>	<b>8,430</b>	<b>5,928</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>14,966</b>
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>AUSTRALIA</b>	316	296	31	643
	<b>NEW ZEALAND</b>	81	45	5	131
	<b>PAPUA NEW GUINEA</b>	1	0	0	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>398</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>775</b>
<b>Western Europe</b>	<b>ANDORRA</b>	3	1	0	4
	<b>AUSTRIA</b>	49	26	6	81
	<b>BELGIUM</b>	140	204	29	373
	<b>CHANNEL ISLANDS</b>	0	2	0	2





## Membership and Credentialing Fact Sheet October 2020

<b>DENMARK</b>	45	45	6	96
<b>FINLAND</b>	109	65	5	179
<b>FRANCE</b>	399	329	39	767
<b>GERMANY</b>	237	157	20	414
<b>GIBRALTAR</b>	1	2	0	3
<b>ICELAND</b>	48	12	1	61
<b>IRELAND</b>	84	31	8	123
<b>ISLE OF MAN</b>	1	0	0	1
<b>ITALY</b>	584	353	25	962
<b>LIECHTENSTEIN</b>	0	0	1	1
<b>LUXEMBOURG</b>	30	19	3	52
<b>MALTA</b>	1	0	1	2
<b>MONACO</b>	0	1	0	1
<b>NETHERLANDS</b>	192	159	19	370
<b>NORWAY</b>	34	23	5	62
<b>PORTUGAL</b>	53	47	4	104
<b>SPAIN</b>	498	430	30	958
<b>SWEDEN</b>	392	176	23	591
<b>SWITZERLAND</b>	280	183	17	480
<b>UNITED KINGDOM</b>	1,014	629	60	1,703
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,194</b>	<b>2,894</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>7,390</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,209</b>	<b>12,788</b>	<b>1,290</b>	<b>32,287</b>