



March 2018

President's Message



Dear Coaches,

Happy Spring and welcome to an exciting time for our Chapter!

In mid March, I had the privilege of attending the ICF Global Leaders Forum (GLF) in Vancouver, Canada. I experienced three days of amazing energy, passion and rich learning. We came together to share our personal and chapter experiences, life changing stories

and the wisdom from chapter leaders from all over the world.

What struck me the most from GLF is that you, our members, are passionate and hungry to learn, you act with integrity, ethical practice, and you with your hearts and minds, are taking our profession to the next level. Thank you for what you do, and more importantly, for who you are. We are here to support your professional growth, and appreciate all you do for our coaching community.

The [ICF 2018 Strategic-plan](#) was presented and here are the areas of focus for our chapter:

- ICF promotes professional coaching

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4/10: Live Event - [CoachCafe!](#)

April 11- ATD/ICF NYC - Webinar- [Becoming a Systemic Coach - A Practical Perspective](#)

4/12: Webinar - [Overview of the ICF Credentialing Process and Benefits of ICF Membership presented by Mickey Gustafson, ICF Credentialing Coordinator](#)

4/18: Live Event -[Self Confidence is Only Half the Equation:](#)

- ICF further develops and progresses the plans to expand the scope and influence of the organization

I am proud and excited to announce that during the GLF, ICF NYC received the **ICF Chapter Recognition Award**, an award recognizing high performing chapters. I was honored to receive this award on behalf of you, our members, and our board.

Thank you to everyone who made our March 20th event possible, **Team Coaching in Organizations: A Corporate, Leadership and Academic Perspective**: **Dr. Krister Lowe**, our evening's facilitator, keynote speaker: **Dr. Tomas Chamorro-Premuzic**, our panelists: **Steven Schloss, Dr. Ruth Wageman, Gabe Abella, Masa Gong, and Dr. Jonathan Kirshner**. Our Sponsors: **Hogan Assessments, AllIR Consulting, and Partners International**. And our talented and dedicated committee who brought their vision, drive and dedication together to make this happen: **Susan Ginsberg-O'Sullivan, Robin Schletter, Carolyn Carlson, Yana Blackwelder, Mary Walsh**, and our volunteers.

Upcoming events: Please visit our website for more information and to register:

- **April 10th: Live Event - [CoachCafe!](#)**
- **April 11th: Webinar- [Becoming a Systemic Coach - A Practical Perspective](#)**
- **April 12th: Webinar- [Overview of the ICF Credentialing Process and Benefits of ICF Membership](#)**
- **April 18th: Live Event - [Self Confidence is Only Half the Equation: Enhancing Your Client's Confidence](#)**
- **May 17th: Live Event - [2018 Coach Salon featuring Cathy Salit - Breaking Barriers Through Improv](#) (reception to follow)**
- **May 22nd: Live Event - [The Un-Clear and Present Danger, Mental Health Issues & Duty of Care in Coaching](#)**
- **June 7th: Live Event - [Neuroscience- Why It Matters in Executive Coaching](#)**

[Enhancing Your Client's Confidence](#)

5/17: Live Event - [2018 Coach Salon featuring Cathy Salit](#)
[BREAKING BARRIERS THROUGH PERFORMANCE AND IMPROVISATION](#)

May 22- ATD/ICF NYC - Live Event - [The Un-Clear and Present Danger, Mental Health Issues & Duty of Care in Coaching](#)

June 7- ICF NYC - Live Event - [Neuroscience-Why It Matters in Executive Coaching](#)

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Membership - Please join me in a warm welcome to our 21 newest members! Speaking of membership, it's time to renew yours. ICF annual memberships expired on March 31. Your membership matters - keep your membership current here, [membership renewal](#) and, please select NYC as your local Chapter. Let's stay connected!

Credentials - Congratulations to our newest credentialed members:

ACC-
Carrie Neal,
Nissa Whittle, Morris Stemp,
Lisa Baird, Jacqueline Daniel-
Scherz, Krista Irmischer, Debbie Wong, Melissa
Eppard, Gerri Bostick, Amie Blumberg, Angie Tong,
Stephen Artinian

PCC - Dana Rowe, Evan Kirstein

An ICF Credential carries clout in a competitive market. It's an effort worth the journey! Renewing your credential this year? Be sure to include three CCEs on ethics. Take ICF's complimentary online Ethics course here. For ACCs renewing in 2018, get your additional ten mentor coaching hours. We will be offering support on this.

That's all for now! Thanks for your membership and continued participation and support.

Sincerely,

Amy
 Amy Bloustone
 President, ICF NYC Chapter
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Share the Magic!
ICF NYC and ICF NJ Coaches introduced coaching to four organizations:

The Parris Foundation - 15 ICF NYC and NJ Credentialed coaches launched with 15 members of The

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Parris Foundation's Board members. Coaches and Clients will have their first of ten coaching conversations this week.

The Hoboken School District - Project Manager Amy Warshawsky has launched 14 coach and client pairs for this organization's superintendents and principals.

NYCHA - Leo Borello, PCC is coaching NYCHA Leader Julius Richards.

DCAT - 20 ICF coaches provided laser coaching sessions to pharma and drug industry leaders on March 19 in NYC. This was DCAT's first coaching offering and it was well received. Many thanks to the 35 coaches who volunteered!

Pro-Bono Coaching Tracking - We want to celebrate the volunteer coaching that you do and will be setting up a tracking log in April to help capture it. In preparation of International Coaching Week, we are focusing on all that our members contribute to enhance the lives of others!

Member Updates

Stand Beside Them Special Announcement



Stand BesideThem helps veterans find employment, start new businesses, complete their education, improve personal relationships, assess for new vocations, or locate health care to fully meet their needs. Interested in working with Veterans? Complete your application at www.standbesidethem.org

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Communities of Practice

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Change management
Professional
development
Career transition

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[The ICF Global Communities of Practice](#) (CPs) are virtual groups of coaches interested in a specific topic area. Participants share best practices, emerging trends, tools and tips to advance their professional development.

Reciprocal Peer Coaching

The [ICF Reciprocal Peer Coaching](#) program creates opportunities for professional growth and is accessible to all ICF Members.

ICF Announces Dates for International Coaching Week 2018

[International Coaching Week \(ICW\) 2018](#) will take place May 7-13, 2018.

ICF-NYC Mission

To lead the advancement of the coaching profession by providing outstanding professional development; fostering a professional community that engages members; educating the marketplace as to the value of an ICF coach; and, motivating, encouraging, and celebrating members as they achieve their ICF credentials.

"The place coaches go for professional development and community."

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