



ICF Foundation Fact Sheet

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Founded in 2004, the ICF Foundation is a separate, nonprofit entity from the ICF that exists exclusively for education, research and charitable purposes in professional coaching.

The objectives of the ICF Foundation are:

- To create and maintain a volunteer service of professional business and life coaches offering pro-bono coaching;
- To conduct research and commission member studies on a variety of topics on issues related to the coaching profession;
- To fund and provide scholarships and/or financial assistance for individual ICF members interested in attending coach training schools; and;
- To carry out other activities consistent with the organization's 501(c)(3) purposes.

Current Foundation Focus

The Foundation's work in 2009 included review and research of ideas for pro bono coaching, creating plans for future sustainability of the Foundation, leadership development, and discussions of the feasibility of scholarships for individuals unable to pay for coach-specific training. The outcome is a focus on pro-bono coaching in the area of education through 2011.

ICF Foundation Announces Six Inaugural Grant Recipients in June

Six entities that offer pro-bono coaching in education have been selected to receive grants totaling more than \$43,000 from the International Coach Federation Foundation. These recipients were chosen from 32 applicants.

The ICF Foundation is pleased to announce the following 2010 grant recipients: Coaching For Results, Inc.; Georgia School Superintendents Association (GSSA); LeaderSpring, a project of the Tides Center; Mount Laurel School District; National Education Association (NEA); and Touch Point Connection, Inc. (TPC). Read more about these recipients on the Foundation [website](#).

ICF Foundation History

Notable dates in Foundation history are available on the Foundation's Web site on the [History of the Foundation](#) page.

2010 ICF Foundation Board of Trustees:

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About the International Coach Federation:

Founded in 1995, the International Coach Federation (ICF) is the leading global organization dedicated to advancing the coaching profession by setting high standards, providing independent certification, and building a worldwide network of credentialed coaches. The ICF has more than 13,500 members in more than 90 countries.