



INTERNATIONAL CAMPING FELLOWSHIP

Volunteer

The International Camping Fellowship is a worldwide assembly of camping professionals interested in sharing their enthusiasm, knowledge and commitment to the camping experience. It was founded in 1987 amidst the energy of individuals gathered around the dream of a better world through camping and it is rooted in the belief that we can make a difference by "bringing together the world of outdoor experience." The International Camping Fellowship welcomes all who foster international understanding through the organized camp experience.

The Objectives of the ICF

- To coordinate the exchange of news and information between individuals, camps, outdoors experiences and organizations in different countries.
- To encourage and facilitate bilateral and multilateral exchanges.
- To stimulate efforts to achieve international understanding and global living, leadership, and ecological action through organized camping and outdoor experience.
- To encourage the organization of regional and national camping associations

The history and strength of ICF is tied fundamentally with the volunteers who believe in the value of developing a shared network of youth professionals around the world. Each of us has our vocation or our avocation in camping programs in our home, regional or national camping communities. The ICF tries to bring together the world of outdoor experience so that that we can all develop together and improve our commitments to youth, global education and the environment.

ICF needs volunteers.

The ICF Board forms the basic governance of the organization. Everyone who serves on the ICF Board does so as a volunteer. The real work is done by committees and sub-committees of ICF volunteers. These committees do their work in various ways. In some cases, work is done locally for the benefit of all. In other cases a working committee may be scattered around the world and communicates through e-mail and electronic media.

ICF needs you to volunteer.

Submissions:

Each volunteer is asked to submit the following items with the Volunteer Interest Form:

- A brief background statement of work history and current work situation as well as ICF volunteer interests
- A digital photograph of the volunteer

Return the Volunteer Interest Form and/or all of the appropriate information by Mail, E-mail or Fax

ICF Volunteers

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Volunteer Interest Form

Volunteer Full Name: _____

Full Contact Information: _____

Telephone Contact (if available):

Phone: Country Code: _____ City/Region/Area Code: _____ Number: _____

Fax: Country Code: _____ City/Region/Area Code: _____ Number: _____

Internet/E:Mail (if available): _____

Please consider how you can help the ICF. You can read brief descriptions of the various ways you can contribute. If you are not sure how or what you would like to do, click the last box and another volunteer will be in touch to discuss the matter with you.

EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

President (Elected Position)

Secretary (Elected Position)

Treasurer (Elected Position)

BOARD COMMITTEE

Ambassador/Outreach (Appointed Position)

- Outreach to Ambassadors in Each Country
- Outreach to Association Presidents and Executives
- Outreach to Internal Associations (Asia Oceania Camping Fellowship)
- Outreach to External Camping Associations (World Y; Christian Camping International, World Scouting, WAGGGS, etc.)
- Tasks and Short Term Projects

Congress Oversight (Appointed Position)

- Congress Development
- Future Congress Bids
- Tasks and Short Term Projects

Membership (Appointed Position)

- Members Services
- Volunteer Recruitment and Development
- Tasks and Short Term Projects

Program (Appointed Position)

- Research Committee
- Awards
- ICF workshops at Conferences
- International Camp Director Course (and Trainer) Program
- Tasks and Short Term Projects

Communication (Appointed Position)

- ICF Website
- Electronic Newsletter, Blog
- Social Media
- Tasks and Short Term Projects

Business Development

- Tasks and Short Term Projects
- Other Projects as they arise
- Suggestions of other Projects:

OTHER BOARD MEMBERS

Member-at-Large (Elected Position)

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Ambassador (Elected Position)

With Ambassadors as well. Roles, functions and sub-committees are described briefly (as of December 2011)

PRESIDENT
Valery Kostin

- Represent ICF in all matters
- Chair Board and Annual/General Meetings (and any other meetings like MAPE and General Assembly)
- Chair the Executive Committee discussions
- Liaise as needed with various members of Advisory Council(s): Past Board Members, Internal Association Partners, External Association Partners, Association President's and Executives

PAST PRESIDENT
Jenny Bowker

Serves for one year after Congress

Ex-officio on Board & Executive

PRESIDENT ELECT
TBD

Determined in 2013 to become President in 2014

Ex-officio on Board & Executive

VICE PRESIDENT
Sako Tanaka

Until Feb 2012

Covers for Pres. as necessary

Member of Executive

TREASURER
Jill Dundas

Until Feb 2014

All Financial Matters

Member of Executive

GEN. SECRETARY
John Jorgenson

Until Feb 2014

Executive/Board Management

Member of Executive

Communication Services
Carole Cheley

- Website
- Newsletter
- Social Media

Membership Services
Linda Pulliam

- Registrar
- Member Service
- Contact Management

Business Development
Fahrettin Gözet

- Branding
- Strategic Partners
- Corporate Sponsors
- Fundraising

Ambassador & Outreach
Jeff Bradshaw

- General Assembly and MAPE Meetings
- Ambassador Communication
- Association Communication

Congress Oversight
Bill Oakley

- Bid Guidelines
- Congress Liaison
- Future Bid Coordination

Program Services
Don Cheley

- ICDC Courses
- Awards Programs
- Research
- New Program Development

Member at Large
Elected by Ambassadors by Feb 2012

- Attend annual meeting of ICF Board
- Head and help committees, task forces and projects

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Sako Tanaka to Feb 2012
Next: Appointed by Board to 2014

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- Various committees, task forces & projects

AMBASSADORS
(General Assembly)

- One ambassador elected or appointed per country from the total ICF membership within that country. Represent and assist ICF within the country.
- Attend the next International Camping Congress (to participate in General Assembly)
- Communicate to Executive Committee and Board to provide direction and advice. (at General Assembly)
- Elect three Members-at-Large that 'balance' the Board's ability to serve the global camping community