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ACTO News - Connecting Coach Trainers Worldwide

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LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT:

Hello all -

The ICF's core competencies have stood the test of time over the 30 years since they were originally conceived and written. Quite amazing really. I have a great deal of reverence for this framework, and nothing but respect and acknowledgement for the team of original authors. Well done!



I had the privilege of travelling to Dallas this month to meet with the ICF and a group of coaches and trainers that were assembled by the ICF and their research partners to discuss the core competencies, and possible additions and revisions that might be appropriate as we reflect on our current practice and the world we live in, now 30 years into the future from the time they were written.

I was encouraged by the resonance among the assembled minds, including the ICF and its research partners, that agreed that it was time to add language to the core competencies to address the topics of systemic cultural identity and bias for coaches and for their clients. It may take a couple years for these changes to take shape, but they are coming.

Please take a look at this video (at least the first four minutes), which does a great job of explaining the concept of Cultural Humility, which I believe will be central to our path forward.

[Cultural Humility](#)

I am encouraged, and believe our Conference this year is right on time and on target to support coach educators to do their own work, as individuals and as organizations, and to learn about how to integrate these topics into their training.

I look forward to seeing you in June -

Halli MacNab
ACTO President

Membership Renewal

There are quite a few of you that have not renewed your membership yet! We apologize if our messages or new website process have been confusing. Or - did our membership renewal email reminders go into your spam folder? For most of us, busy with new programs, projects and winter travel, it is difficult to keep track of emails.

If you haven't renewed for 2019, here are the instructions to renew your expired ACTO membership today!

- Step 1: Log in to the ACTO website with current username and password (www.actoonline.org)
- Step 2: Click on MEMBERSHIP along the top menu and scroll down to "My Account and Codes" on the right hand side.
- Step 3: Select the appropriate membership type (Organizational or Individual) and follow the payment instructions to renew your membership today!

If you have any difficulties renewing your membership, please contact laura@actoonline.org

Register Now for the 2019 ACTO Conference

June 12-14, 2019 | Victoria, Canada



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Our final speaker selections are complete! Notices are going out now.

With the fantastic response to our Call for Proposals and the high quality and relevance to our Conference theme, we had the enviable opportunity to select only the best of the best speakers and presentations for the Conference this year.

An opportunity to learn and to integrate the topics of diversity, inclusion & cultural humility into your coach education.

SOME of the topics you can expect to hear about at the conference:

- Practicing Cultural Humility
- Privilege & Marginalization in Coach Education
- Micro-Aggressions in Coaching & Training
- Coaching & Training with Color Cognizance
- Bursting the Bubble of Bias in Coach Training
- Intersection of Coaching/Coach Training & Diversity & Inclusion Work

We are excited to announce the lineup next week once the notices have all been issued and confirmed.

Watch for a special announcement and keep your eye on our [Keynotes & Presenters page](#) for details.

Can't wait to see you all in Victoria! Plan an extra day or two to enjoy the scenery and attractions.

Here is just a taste:

[Butchart Gardens](#)

[Chinatown](#)

[Royal BC Museum](#)

[Beacon Hill Park](#)

[Yonni's Doughnuts](#)

[Cafe Brio](#)

[Munro Books](#)



See you soon!

March English Forum

Topic: Coach Training across Countries/Cultures *This forum is FREE for members. Members must login to access the Member Registration link*

Panel: Linda McLoughlin, Nancy Smyth

Date: March 27, 2019, 8AM PDT/11AM EDT

ACTO's March panel will include three professional coaches that will answer questions about coaching across a variety of cultures and countries. Explorations will include areas of sensitivity, cultural differences and trust building, communication impact, how to maintain ethical boundaries across cultures and time for open Q&A.



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March Spanish Forum

Tema: Incluyendo más que sólo al cliente: la diversidad en una sesión de coaching *GRATIS para los miembros y no miembros.*

Presentador: Rafael Boker

Fecha: 20 Marzo 2019, 6am Pacific / 8am Mexico / 9am Eastern

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¡POR 4TO. AÑO CONSECUTIVO!
Conferencias ACTO en Español 2018-2019

20 MARZO 2019

RAFAEL BOKER 

“INCLUYENDO MÁS QUE SÓLO AL CLIENTE: la diversidad en una sesión de Coaching”

PAÍS (ZONA HORARIA CAPITAL)	HORA
MÉXICO Y GUATEMALA	08:00 AM
PERÚ, ECUADOR, PANAMÁ Y COLOMBIA	09:00 AM
VENEZUELA	10:00 AM
ARGENTINA, CHILE Y BRASIL	11:00 AM
ESPAÑA	3:00 PM

Para registrar tu participación en el Fórum:
<https://actoonline.org/forum-calls/>

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Ready to become an ACTO member or renew a lapsed membership? Sign up now!

5 Reasons to Join ACTO Now!

1. Get support for your coach training programs - Receive updates and assistance on program accreditation, mentoring, assessing and other relevant issues from experienced Coach Training Organizations.
2. Have a Collaborative voice - Be part of the leading edge in coach training by connecting, collaborating, creating and gaining wisdom with a community of dedicated coach trainers.
3. Receive value-added membership benefits - Membership includes a one-page listing in the ACTO website directory, free access to ACTO Forum calls, use



of the ACTO logo on your website and materials, discounts on our annual conference.

4. Influence the Future of Coaching- Be involved in the development, advocacy and growth of the industry with the latest information from ICF and other training organizations worldwide.
5. Get involved and make a difference - Opportunities to join ACTO committees, task forces or the ACTO board.

Join us in making a difference!

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