

#### **Dear Members and Friends of ICF San Antonio,**

ICF San Antonio is proud to announce two board changes as of March 1st, 2022:

- Let's welcome Aurora Geis as the new chapter President! Aurora acted as the President Elect in the last 12 months, and as the Director of Marketing & Communications for the previous two years. We welcome Aurora in her new role with open arms and an open heart, and thank her for her commitment and vision.
- Susanna Clavello is now the new Director of Social Responsibility, responsible for partnering with community organizations, and for growing ICF San Antonio's visibility and support for the community collaboratively through pro-bono and low-cost coaching. These and other efforts will help educate the greater San Antonio community about coaching, its value, and benefits.



# Announcing the Coaching Business Building SIG (Special Interest Group) starting TODAY:

Any ICF San Antonio member, whether novice or seasoned, is welcome to join these monthly informal conversations around tips and best practices to launch and grow your coaching business. Participants are both learners and contributors to the conversation. Meetings will take place every first Monday of the month from 12:00 to 1:00 pm CT. Register for the first SIG meeting of the year, which will take place today at noon:

RSVP



#### Let's Talk Coaching: Coach Café is Back!

ICF San Antonio will continue hosting monthly Coach Cafés on the first Tuesday of each month from 9:00 to 9:30 am CT. Hosted by Kerri Burchill, these informal conversations revolve around anything coaching-related, whatever is on your mind.



#### **Professional Development and CCEUs:**

- Please check the <u>List of Events</u> on our website for upcoming sessions. Notice that ICF San Antonio, ICF Austin, and ICF Houston are now collaborating on professional development opportunities. All events hosted by our three chapters are now FREE of charge for members. Southeast Regional Webinars are offered at a cost of \$10 to members.
- The <u>All Texas Retreat and Conference</u> will be held from March 31 to Apr 3, 2022 at T Bar M in New Braunfels. Registration is open to all coaches.
- International Coaching Week 2022 is scheduled for the week of May 16th. ICF San Antonio is planning another rich learning, networking, and service experience for you. Stay tuned for more details.

#### **Spiraling Up Your Strengths Pro-Bono Coaching:**

This new pro-bono coaching opportunity is off to a great start. With 10 chapter volunteers supporting 10 at-risk juniors at Roosevelt High School, the goal is to build student's self-esteem and vision for the future around their strengths. This opportunity is possible thanks to a partnership between ICF San Antonio, Communities in Schools, and Friends of Communities in Schools. A special applause to **Soonalyn Jacob** for helping us launch this program off the ground!

#### **ICF** San Antonio is using a new Texting platform:

We realize that several pieces of email from the chapter are ending up in members' spam folder, leaving the impression of a lack of communication. In order to address this gap, ICF San Antonio will start sending out updates and notifications via text. Please accept text messages from (726) 213-7260. These are not spam text messages!

## **Coaching Tools and Resources:**

Some members of the chapter have asked for coaching tools and resources. We are working on adding a Tools & Resources page to our website and welcome any document you'd like to share. Please contact Susanna Clavello at <a href="mailto:socialresponsibility@icfsa.org">socialresponsibility@icfsa.org</a>. This will be especially beneficial to members who are new to the coaching profession.

#### **ICF South Texas Chapter Update:**

As shared in the February 24th email to members and friends of the chapter, the merging process is ongoing. The process is being facilitated by an excellent outside consultant to ensure clarity of purpose and goals, streamlining of processes, consensus on all decisions, and a smooth transition. The next meeting with the consultant will take place on March 16th. Stay tuned for more updates as information becomes available.

#### **Short-term Volunteer Positions Open**

Are you available to help for only a few hours during a few weeks? ICF San Antonio has several short term volunteer positions available on specific tasks. Check them out on our **Volunteer page**.

### **Diversity and Inclusion Cultural Calendar**

ICF Global has published a **D&I Cultural Calendar** for everyone to use, whether you are an ICF Global member or not.

#### Send Us Your Feedback!

We welcome your input, feedback, and ideas. Feel free to submit via this online form.

#### Let's Get Social!

Don't forget to follow us on all of our social media channels, join our Slack channel and listen to our podcasts and workshops on Vimeo, YouTube and Soundcloud.



















## **Get the Wild Apricot App:**

Did you know that Wild Apricot, your membership portal, has an app for your phone? You can register and pay for events, connect with other members, and view your membership profile. The app is available for iOS (Apple) and Android phones.

Download today for free! Go to: Google App store or iTunes App store.

## **Grow Your Professional Coaching Brand!**



ICF San Antonio Chapter, PO Box 780243, San Antonio, Texas 78278

Unsubscribe

Send free email today **HubSpot**