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## Institute for Cultural Diplomacy

Promoting Global Peace & Stability  
Through Strengthening Intercultural Relations



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## ■ About the ICD

Founded in 1999, the Institute for Cultural Diplomacy (ICD) is an international, not-for-profit, non-governmental organization with headquarters in Berlin, Germany. Over the past decade the ICD has grown to become one of Europe's largest independent cultural exchange organizations. Our programs facilitate interaction between individuals of all cultural, academic, and professional backgrounds from around the world.

### The ICD's Goal

The ICD was established to promote global peace and stability through strengthening and supporting intercultural relations at all levels.

### The ICD's Philosophy

The ICD understands that in an increasingly globalized world in which people are able to travel and exchange information faster than ever before, there is a growing interdependency between nations. As a result, constructive intercultural interaction is a fundamental requirement for global peace and stability in the 21st century.

This philosophy is the foundation of our activity and we take as our motivation the countless examples throughout the world of peaceful and constructive interaction between different cultures.

### The ICD's Activity

The ICD conducts activities to facilitate intercultural exchange, undertakes research into the theory and practice of the field of cultural diplomacy, and works to support the existing organizations and institutions active in the area - both governmental and non-governmental.

The facilitation of cultural exchange helps to create constructive, sustainable relationships based on dialogue, understanding, and trust and therefore reduces the likelihood of socio-cultural, political, and military conflicts.

The ICD conducts and supports interdisciplinary research into the field of cultural diplomacy and promotes this to a diverse international audience. This research raises awareness and understanding of the history and development of the field, and also highlights the range of different actors conducting cultural diplomacy and their various approaches.

## ■ Become a Member of the ICD

Help create a stronger Cultural Diplomacy community. The ICD is an independent, not-for-profit, non-governmental organization focused on the theoretical and practical promotion of cultural diplomacy. We offer membership of the ICD to allow individuals of any age, background, and profession to show their support for our activity and the principles of cultural diplomacy. By becoming a member of the ICD you are joining over 15,000 like-minded individuals across the world, ranging from ambassadors and government officials to students and young professionals. All members share a belief in the importance of constructive cultural exchange for global peace and stability in the modern world.

If you have any enquiries regarding membership of the ICD please contact us under:  
[membership@culturaldiplomacy.org](mailto:membership@culturaldiplomacy.org)

## Supporting the ICD

There are a number of ways that you can get involved with the ICD and show your support for our activity...

### Take part

The best way to learn more about the ICD and support our activity is to take part in one of our programs. These range from Young Leaders Forums to large international conferences and include a diverse array of other events.

### Join in

The ICD offers a number of internships in our different departments, each representing an ideal opportunity to contribute your skills and expertise whilst learning more about working for an NGO.

### Partnerships

The ICD is open to suggestions from companies who would like to develop a corporate partnership with us. As a rapidly growing, forward-thinking NGO the ICD represents an excellent organization to be associated with. If you would like to discuss corporate partnership in more detail please contact us.

### Cultural Diplomacy News

CD News is the ICD's online media service dedicated to providing up-to-date, neutral commentary on developments in the field of Cultural Diplomacy. We welcome contact from journalists interested in contributing articles, and from other parties interested in this service.

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