

# AMICC



## START OR JOIN A LOCAL INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT ALLIANCE

One of the best ways to **build grassroots support for the International Criminal Court (ICC)** is to have an organization that you are a member of (a church group, college club, service club, Amnesty chapter, etc.) start or join a local ICC alliance. By recruiting other concerned organizations in your state or community to form a local alliance, you can **bring more visibility to the ICC** and **educate U.S. policymakers and the public** on its importance to global peace and security.

Initiatives that the local alliances may want to promote include:

- Education of the public and members of local government through the organization of public discussions, the distribution of fliers, demonstrations and meetings of local organizations; working towards obtaining local resolutions in support of the ICC
- Act to counter misunderstandings or misinformation in public discussions and media statements through media contacts and education campaigns on school campuses
- Polling of local districts, for example by students in the political science departments of local universities, in forms compatible with national polls
- Work with local congressional and state legislative offices, meeting with Representatives and/or Senators
- Integration of the ICC into the existing programs of alliance members

ICC alliances have already been formed in **California, Indiana, Kentucky, Maine, Minnesota, Missouri, New Mexico, and Texas**. For information about joining these existing local alliances, please send your name and contact details to [amicc@amicc.org](mailto:amicc@amicc.org) and we will put you in touch with the relevant alliance leader. If your state is not yet represented, **consider starting a local alliance in your area!** Contact [amicc@amicc.org](mailto:amicc@amicc.org).

AMICC is comprised of a diverse group of national organizations that share a strong interest in facilitating U.S. involvement in the ICC. Joining AMICC enables these groups to consolidate their resources and political clout, and channel their efforts through a variety of activities and projects. These Coalition members convened a Secretariat, which is a program of the United Nations Association of the USA, to provide support and assistance in developing their programs on the ICC and the national campaign for the Court. For more information about AMICC, the ICC and recent developments, visit [www.amicc.org](http://www.amicc.org).

## ACT NOW TO BRING WAR CRIMINALS TO JUSTICE!

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