



USA for the International Criminal Court

START OR JOIN A LOCAL INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT ALLIANCE

One of the best ways to build support for the International Criminal Court (ICC) is to have an organization that you are a member of (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
- Work 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
- Integration of the ICC into the existing programs of alliance members

ICC alliances have already been formed in California, Connecticut, Maine, Missouri, and New Mexico.

American NGO Coalition for the ICC:

If you want help starting a local ICC alliance, contact the American NGO Coalition for the ICC (AMICC) at 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 have also convened a Secretariat, which is a program of the United Nations Association - USA, so they now have even more support and assistance in developing their programs on the ICC and the national campaign for the Court.

You can tap into AMICC's support system by going to www.amicc.org.

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