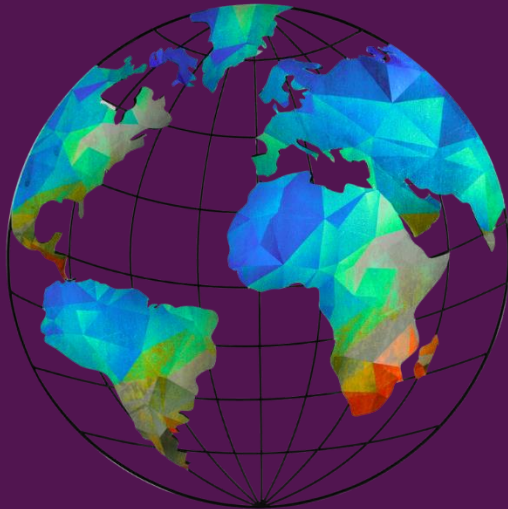


INTERNATIONAL YOGA FEDERATION



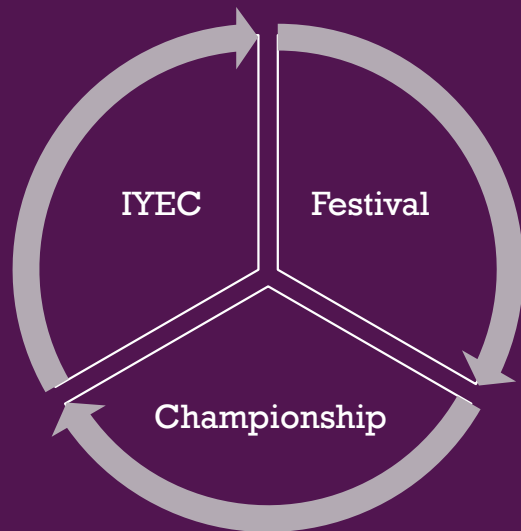
Yoga For Global Peace And Unity

About IYF



- International Yoga Federation (IYF) is the world's largest organization dedicated to the promotion, education, and regulation of yoga worldwide.
- Founded in 2013, headquartered in Türkiye and United States, with members, partners and representatives in more than 200 countries.
- Works in alignment with United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly SDG 3 (Health), SDG 4 (Education), and SDG 16 (Peace).
- IYF operates as a non-political, inclusive platform uniting yoga federations, schools, and experts under one vision.
- IYF's governance is based on cooperation, authenticity and respect for local traditions

IYF Global Ecosystem



IYF integrates several international programs and events under one global ecosystem:

- **IYEC – International Yoga Expert Certification Program**
A structured education and certification system for yoga teachers and practitioners.
- **World Yoga Championships**
Official international competition recognizing excellence in yoga performance, discipline, and artistry.
- **Yoga & Awareness Festivals**
Global awareness events aligned with UN SDGs (Health, Peace, Women, Children, Environment, etc.).

Education creates experts → Experts lead festivals → Festivals feed championships → Championships inspire training for coaches, referees, and athletes — and renew the cycle of education.

Cooperation opportunities



Area

Possible Collaboration

Education & Training

Host IYEC teacher training courses in your country.

Events & Festivals

Co-organize annual Yoga & Awareness Festivals with IYF.

Championships

Conduct national qualifiers for IYF World Championships.

Research & Publications

Share national research and articles with IYF Yoga Academy Journal.

Youth & Community Projects

Run yoga programs for children, youth, and wellness centers.

Advantages



- **International Recognition:**
Gain visibility through IYF's global network.
- **Educational Access:**
Use standardized IYEC curricula and materials.
- **Representation:**
Participate in IYF events.
- **Economic Benefits:**
License to host certified courses and events under IYF branding.
- **Cultural Exchange:**
Join global calls, yoga days, and international mentorship programs.
- **Media Promotion:**
Inclusion in IYF global website, social media, and newsletters.

Benefits



Area

Training & Certification

Events & Festivals

Championships

Membership

Member Benefit

Revenue from local IYEC courses

Local sponsorships & visibility

National exposure

National recognition

IYF Contribution

Global certification & trainers

International branding & promotion

Global ranking, technical guidelines

IYF official endorsement

Exmple: Joint Event Model



IYF Yoga & Awareness Festival Azerbaijan

- Hosted by: Azerbaijan Yoga Federation
- Supported by: International Yoga Federation
- Includes: Yoga Championship + IYEC Training + Awareness Seminars
- Duration: 3 days
- Outcomes: Local media coverage, teacher certification, tourism growth, cultural exchange

Who Can Join IYF?



- Individuals
- International or National Federations
- Yoga Centers
- Universities, Institutions etc.

Next Steps



- ✓ Fill in the Membership / Affiliation Application Form.
<https://forms.gle/ECteLT11KSK2eJVd7>
- ✓ Send organizational profile and main contact details.
- ✓ Schedule an online meeting with IYF.
- ✓ Begin planning your first joint event or training program.

No fees are required at the initial stage — cooperation starts through activity participation

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Welcome to the IYF Global Family