



Indiana  
Council  
on World  
Affairs

SINCE 1955

*Learn more  
about your  
world.*

[www.IndianaWorld.org](http://www.IndianaWorld.org)



Indiana Council  
on World Affairs  
SINCE 1955

The **Indiana Council on World Affairs** is a non-profit, non-partisan educational organization founded in 1955.

Activities are administered by a volunteer group in cooperation with local institutions.

We welcome anyone with an interest in learning about topics that affect our world.

## *Contact Us*

INDIANA COUNCIL  
ON WORLD AFFAIRS

PO Box 90421  
Indianapolis, IN 46290

317-704-4689

[Info@indianaworld.org](mailto:Info@indianaworld.org)



Indiana Council  
on World Affairs  
SINCE 1955

The purpose of the Indiana Council on World Affairs is to foster public understanding of world conditions and US foreign policy through forums, lectures, conferences and publications.



## Our Programs

Enjoy broadening your knowledge of world affairs? Curious about how global events impact your local community?

Join one of our programs to expand your knowledge about international affairs, geography, history and culture, while networking with other globally-minded people.

### Great Decisions

Developed by the Foreign Policy Association, Great Decisions is a nationwide, non-partisan foreign affairs program. ICWA hosts an Indianapolis Great Decisions series from February through April. Informed speakers introduce topics focused on current international issues then lead interactive discussions.

ICWA also serves as the Great Decisions State Coordinator by distributing *Great Decisions* briefing books to groups throughout Indiana and offers program assistance.

### International Adventures

International Adventures is a social program where ICWA members and guests visit ethnic restaurants, attend festivals, movies or some other cultural program.

### Academic WorldQuest™

ICWA sponsors this fast-paced, interactive, quizzo-style competition for Indiana high school students. The winning team earns a trip to Washington, DC for the national competition.

## Distinguished Speakers

ICWA invites experts from around the world to share their deep insight and knowledge on "hot" global topics.

Presenters include persons of national and international prominence, such as scholars, authors, diplomats, political leaders, and business executives.

The event starts with a speaker reception at 5:30 pm, dinner at 6:15 pm, and a talk at 7:00 pm followed by an interactive Q&A session.

Meetings are open to both members and the public.

## Membership

Membership is open to **anyone** interested in world affairs. The membership year runs July through June. Membership benefits include:

- 10% discounted price for ICWA events
- Mailings of program announcements
- Members-only holiday event
- Opportunity to introduce new topics and speakers

## Sponsorships / Partnerships

A Corporate Sponsorship elevates your company's visibility with an audience of leaders and change makers within the Indianapolis area and beyond.

Does your organization have a mission aligned with international collaboration? Be a Partner to co-promote activities that engage your members and the community in important world topics.

## Our History

At the end of World War I, there was citizen support for President Woodrow Wilson's inclinations for non-isolationist US foreign policy, along with world engagement for democratic governance.

In 1918, the Foreign Policy Association formed to present programs and to foster citizen involvement in US foreign policy. By 1947, it had established a network of independent community councils. In 1955, the *Indiana Council on World Affairs, Inc.* was incorporated as a non-profit organization.

In 1986, the World Affairs Councils of America established an independent headquarters in Washington, DC to provide national leadership for the local councils.

Today, the World Affairs Councils of America and the Foreign Policy Association work together in maintaining an influential national and international presence in US foreign policy examination.

## Partners



## Sponsors

