



**A NON-PARTISAN VOICE FOR  
GLOBAL AWARENESS**



# OUR MISSION:

Founded in 2000 by Ambassador Mark Johnson (ret.), the Council enables Montanans to appreciate the relationship of foreign policy and international issues to their lives in the Rockies.

The Council offers opportunities to help us better understand world events through people-to-people diplomacy, distinguished speakers, overseas visits, and educational outreach programs. As globalization reaches into all corners of the Big Sky, the Council seeks to help educate citizens about their increased political, economic, and cultural integration into the world community.

*We invite you to join us and appreciate your support and interest. The World Affairs Council of Montana is a registered 501(c)(3) non-profit, non-partisan organization.*



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DIPLOMAT	\$150+	K-12 STUDENTS	FREE

**YES, I WANT TO SUPPORT GLOBAL  
EDUCATION IN MY COMMUNITY ...**

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# YOUR MEMBERSHIP SUPPORTS:

## IN THE COMMUNITY

The **DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS PROGRAM** brings diplomats, dignitaries, and international policy experts into classrooms and communities around the state to engage Montanans in timely issues of global importance. With more than 200 past programs, topics have included:

- ◆ “WHO SPEAKS FOR ISLAM? WHAT A BILLION MUSLIMS REALLY THINK”- Dalia Mogahed, Senior Analyst and Executive Director of the Gallup Center for Muslim Studies
- ◆ “SOUTHERN AFRICA: PORTRAITS OF PROGRESS” -Her Excellency Hawa Ndilowe, Ambassador of Malawi
- ◆ “THE GLOBAL FINANCIAL CRISIS: CAN HUMPTY DUMPTY BE PUT BACK TOGETHER?” - Dr. Richard Erb, Former Deputy Managing Director of the International Monetary Fund
- ◆ “THE U.S.-AFGHANISTAN STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP” -His Excellency Said Tayeb Jawad, Ambassador of Afghanistan



**BUSINESS LUNCHEON SERIES** and **COUNCIL ON THE RADIO** programs connect Council members, Montana communities, and local business leaders with global experts and resources. Keynote guests have included:

- ◆ **MR. DONALD TONG**, Hong Kong Commissioner for Economic and Trade Affairs
- ◆ **THE HONORABLE HAKAN TEKIN**, Consul General of the Republic of Turkey
- ◆ **GEORGE DAVID BANKS**, former White House Senior Advisor, International Affairs and Climate Change

## IN THE CLASSROOM

The Council’s **GLOBAL EDUCATION INITIATIVES** seek to help our future leaders gain a better understanding of the increasingly interdependent world in which they live and the challenges and opportunities they will face. In preparing the next generation of global citizens, MWAC is proud to offer a variety of innovative programs aimed at fostering global awareness around the state.

- ◆ **ACADEMIC WORLDQUEST**— The Council’s largest education initiative has grown to include more than 50 teams from around the state making it the third largest AWQ competition in the nation! This exciting global knowledge team challenge engages students in world affairs as they compete for the opportunity to represent Montana at the national competition in Washington D.C.



- ◆ **CLASSROOM VISITS** — The Council facilitates classroom presentations by distinguished guests and dignitaries, offering Montana students the unique opportunity to engage directly with international experts on important world issues.
- ◆ **TEACHER WORKSHOPS & STUDY -TOURS** — In efforts to connect Montana educators with the critical multicultural resources to enhance global understanding in the classroom, the Council organizes workshops and study-tours for K-12 teachers.



- ◆ **CROSS-CULTURAL CONNECTIONS**— A one-of-a-kind global education partnership, CCC connects classrooms around the state with classrooms around the world as students exchange communications, sharing letters, stories, and ideas. This exciting program gives students the opportunity to build lasting relationships with peers around the world while expanding global perspectives and understanding.

# MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS:



## BRINGING THE WORLD TO MONTANA AND MONTANA TO THE WORLD

BELONG TO THE LARGEST INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION IN THE U.S.,  
THE WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCILS OF AMERICA

### MEMBERS ENJOY:

- ◆ FREE /REDUCED ADMISSIONS TO COUNCIL EVENTS
- ◆ A COMMUNITY OF MONTANA CITIZENS WHO SHARE YOUR INTEREST IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS
- ◆ PRIORITY ACCESS TO GLOBAL TRAVEL OPPORTUNITIES AND WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCILS NATIONAL PROGRAMS AND CONFERENCES
- ◆ DISCOUNTS ON MAJOR INTERNATIONAL NEWS PUBLICATIONS INCLUDING: THE ECONOMIST, STRATFOR, FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND MORE
- ◆ ACCESS TO GLOBAL PROFESSIONAL NETWORKS AND EXCLUSIVE MEMBERS ONLY EVENTS
- ◆ SUBSCRIPTION TO COUNCIL NEWSLETTERS

**MEMBERS JOINING AT THE DIPLOMAT LEVEL AND HIGHER** will receive priority invitations to Business Luncheon Series events and exclusive receptions for distinguished guests. These members will be recognized at Council programs.

*Thank you for your generous support!*