

The United States Association of Former Members of Congress: The Power of Service

Service

- Over 600 Senators and Representative.
- Time donated Pro-bono.
- Powerful force in promoting bi-partisanship and civility.
- Encouraging young Americans to participate in public service.
- Create peer-to-peer exchange with legislators from around the globe.

Democracy Building

- Help emerging democracies around the world establish representative democracy.
- Workshops for newly elected legislators overseas
- Election monitoring in countries including Iraq, Ukraine and Afghanistan.
- Partner with former legislators from across the globe.

Civic Engagement

- Congress to Campus has reached over 250,000 college students to talk about their government and how to get involved.
- Common Ground project brings bipartisan groups of former Members together with the public for on the issues affecting America.
- Re-engage citizens in their government

Our History: Founded in 1970, and chartered by Congress in 1983, FMC has grown to a vital non-profit that has become a force for representative democracy around the world. Our members donate their time pro-bono, encouraging young people to participate in their government, helping foster emerging democracies, and promoting bipartisanship and civility, and creating exchanges involving current Members of Congress and their colleagues overseas.

Some of our Projects:

Congress to Campus- brings Former Members together with college students to increase civic literacy, emphasize the importance of public service, and have productive discussions about issues of the day.

Speakers Series connects Former Members with the public for a partisan yet respectful and productive debate on the questions found in the headlines across the nation.

Common Ground Project- promotes civility and encourages meaningful political dialogue and bipartisanship.

Congressional Study Groups on Germany, Turkey, Europe Japan, and China- connect current Members of Congress with elected representatives from around the world to engage in an in-depth exchange with their peers on global issues affecting all of us.

Middle East Fellows Program- brings young professionals from the Middle East to Washington for a cultural and political channel of communication and understanding.



Continued Public Service After Leaving the Hill

- All Activities Bipartisan
- No Taxpayer Dollar Earmarked for Any FMC Programs; Members donate their time
- Teach About Congress, Mentor the Next Generation of America's Leaders, Grow Representative Democracy Abroad

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