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Marketing and Communications

Q4 Toolkit

MPI is promoting its value as an INTERNATIONAL community—the 'I' in MPI. By showcasing international members and promoting their professional growth, we paint a global picture of MPI's value to the entire meeting and event industry, and to the thousands and thousands of industry professionals around the world.

The toolkit should be used between October 1 and December 31, 2022, and the digital assets are now available via the CLRP > Chapter Toolkits > Monthly Toolkits

Membership

TOTAL MPI MEMBERSHIP

11,558

MPI MEMBERSHIP RETENTION



71.21%

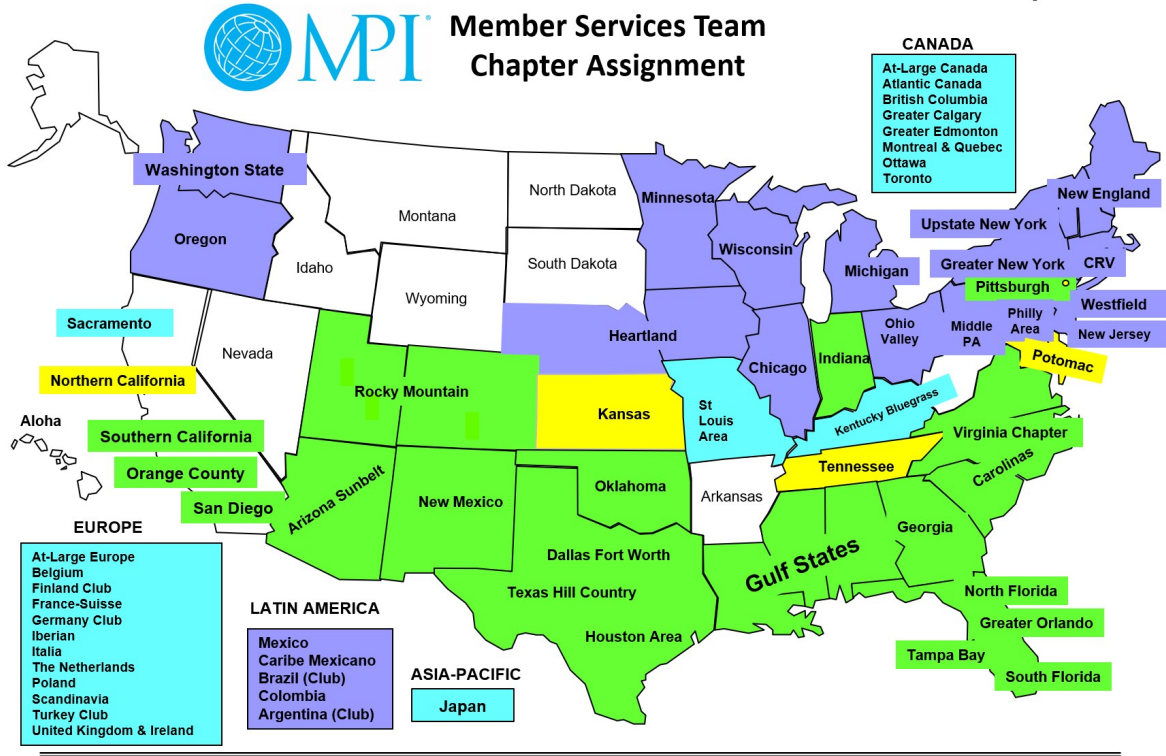
*Excluding
student members*

**RENEWAL %
W/O GRACE**

44%

Did Your Chapter Membership Engagement Representative Change?

MPI's Membership Department had staff changes in September. Please refer to the following to see if your Member Engagement Representative changed.



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Education

Don't Miss Our Upcoming Digital Experiences

We have 3 more upcoming digital experiences, and you don't want to miss out. Find out about our Speaker Session Series, TalkFEST, and Destination you by visiting our Digital Experiences page – your one-stop shop to stay in the loop with all [our digital experiences](#). See you there!

TalkFEST x Event Minds Matter

Join us for our last TalkFEST of the year as we partner with Event Minds Matter and have open conversations about Mental Health. Mental Health in the workplace isn't talked enough about. The stigmas surrounding the topic are still a battle for many of us. Join us on the Braindate platform on November 2 from 9:00am - 5:00pm CT. [Register now](#) to join a topic and create your own.

Leadership and Engagement

2023 International Volunteer Committee Applications are OPEN!

Call for volunteers! All members are invited to apply to serve on an MPI International committee, council or advisory board. As a chapter leader, we encourage you to jump into an international level volunteer position too.

To learn more about the opportunities available, visit the [Global Volunteer Center page](#). We are accepting applications until October 31, 2022, with notifications in December 2022. All International volunteer terms are 1 year (January - December 2023).

Please share this with fellow MPI members who would be interested and thank you in advance to everyone who applies to be a critical part of our organization.

Volunteers are the heart of MPI! Questions? Please reach our Volunteer Experience team: volunteerexperience@mpi.org

MPI Staff & Board Speaker Program

The MPI Staff & Board Speaker Program is for chapter leaders to request MPI senior staff and IBOD and GBOT members to speak at your chapter events! To learn more about each MPI staff and volunteer leader who can speak at your chapter event or program, visit the CLRP [here](#).

FY 2021-2022 Incentive Metrics Claim Forms

Please note that, for applicable chapters, the FY 2021-2022 Incentive Metrics Claim Forms are due to Global no later than October 31, 2022. If your chapter earned metric incentive points during the Annual Performance Reviews, and has not submitted the claim form yet, please do so as soon as possible to ensure you do not lose your points. Claim forms will not be accepted after the deadline.

All Hands/Awards Call on October 26

Join your fellow Chapter Leaders, MPI Global, and MPI International Board of Director members as the Chapter of Excellence, Top Performing Chapters and Chapter of Merit awards are announced! Register [here](#)!

FY 2022-2023 Mid-year Retreats

The mid-year retreat/summit season is just around the corner (November, December and January) and we ask that, if you have not done so yet, to please send us your retreat/summit details as soon as possible so we can review the viability to attend as many as possible. Information we are looking for is: dates, if

virtual, hybrid or in-person, location/address if hybrid/in-person, facilitator name, and tentative agenda. Thank you!

European Chapters Calls

VP Membership - October 18, 2022
Presidents and PE - November 9, 2022

Join MPI EMEA Community Forum [here!](#)

Special Committees

MPI Global has been recognized as a Top Member of The Code by [ECPAT](#)



Read more about The Code's Top members [here](#).

[10 Things Chapters Can Do Immediately to Implement Change and Awareness.](#)

Need more assistance? Contact: Malinda Harrell CMP, CASE
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