The Global Classroom brought together credit union professionals from around the globe in 2018 – creating unique opportunities for more than 372 PROFESSIONALS from 12 COUNTRIES to share perspectives and insights among 91 CREDIT UNION ORGANIZATIONS.

CONNECTING 145 PARTICIPANTS from 50 CREDIT UNIONS with MORE THAN 227 professionals from 41 HOSTING organizations.

78% OF THE CREDIT UNIONS attending programs in 2018 HAVE PARTICIPATED IN PREVIOUS WOCCU LEARNING EXCHANGES.

BUILDING A GLOBAL COMMUNITY OF FINANCIAL COOPERATIVES THROUGH PEER-GENERATED LEARNING

Advocacy | Digitalization of Credit Unions | Strategies for Collaboration | Corporate Social Responsibility | Core Banking Systems | Innovation in Service | Cyber-security | Connecting with Young Members
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TOP REASONS FOR SUPPORTING/ PARTICIPATING IN THE GLOBAL CLASSROOM

- Examine unique solutions to shared challenges facing financial cooperatives around the world
- Leverage the credit union difference globally
- Explore strategies/opportunities for greater collaboration
- Encourage inspiring professional development opportunities
- Support efforts to improve financial services and build stronger communities
- Discover new approaches for connecting with young members
- Connect with international peers and expand professional networks

BREAKDOWN OF INTERNATIONAL PARTICIPANTS

CEO/VP/Executive: 17%
Program/Department/ Branch Managers: 32%
Board of Directors: 45%
Other: 6%

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The collaboration and connectedness that this visit inspired is at the center of the cooperative principles that credit unions were founded upon. We are grateful to the World Council and to all of the credit unions that made it a success and encourage support of the very important work being done by the World Council.

• John McKenzie, President, Indiana Credit Union League