



**ICCF**  
INTERNATIONAL  
CONSERVATION  
CAUCUS FOUNDATION

**THE ICCF U.S.  
CONGRESSIONAL  
INTERNATIONAL  
CONSERVATION  
LEADERSHIP AWARDS  
DINNER**



THE MOST IMPORTANT  
EVENT IN WASHINGTON, D.C.  
FOR AMERICAN LEADERSHIP  
IN INTERNATIONAL  
CONSERVATION

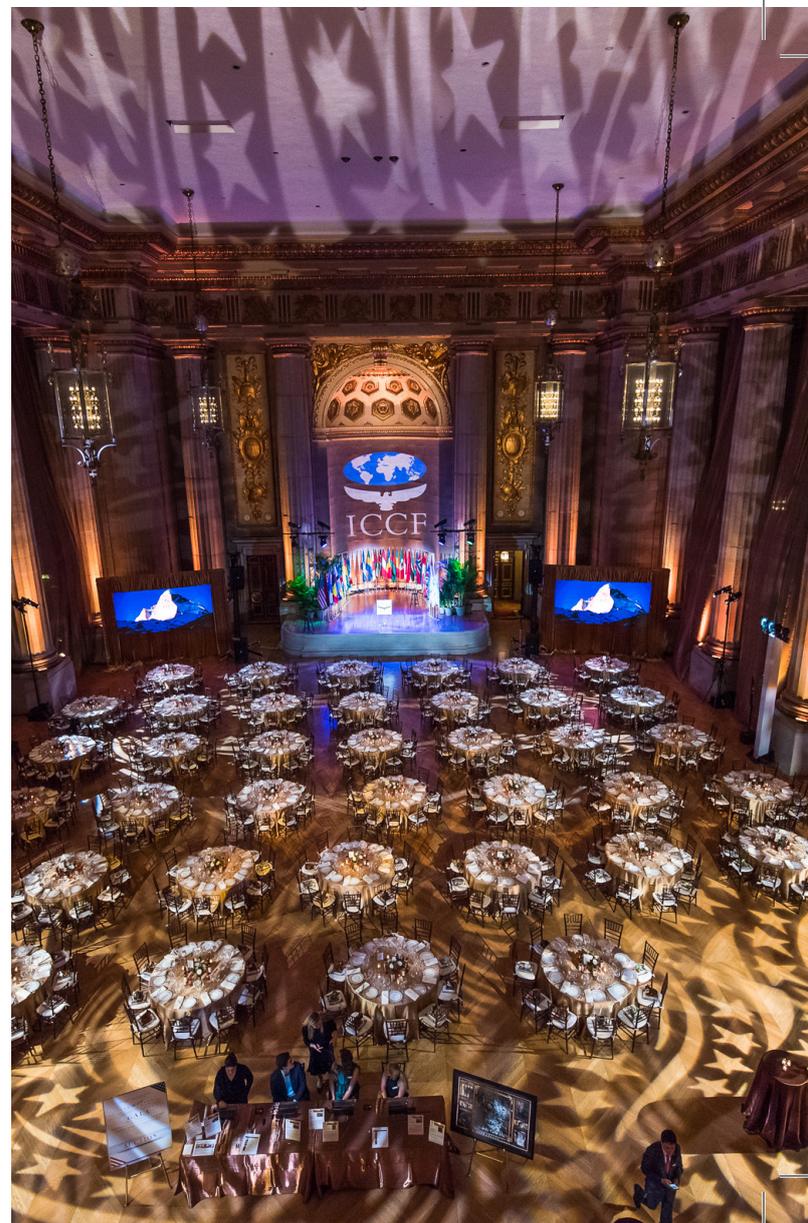
200+ guests including members of  
the U.S. Cabinet, 100+ Members  
of Congress, policymakers and  
opinion leaders from around the  
globe, world business leaders,  
celebrities, and leaders from the  
international NGO community.

AN UNPARALLELED  
OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS  
THE MOST POPULAR  
CAUCUS ON CAPITOL HILL.

## SINCE 2006

The ICCF Awards Dinner brings together a diverse group of liberals and conservatives, Republicans and Democrats, corporations and NGOs, foreign dignitaries and American celebrities, volunteers and professionals in a common cause:

**TO "ELEVATE TO NEW HEIGHTS THE EMPHASIS THAT THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA PLACES ON LEADING THE WORLD IN HABITAT AND BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION AND OVERALL GOOD STEWARDSHIP OF NATURAL RESOURCES."**







IN PICTURE

## **SPEAKER OF THE UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES KEVIN OWEN MCCARTHY ADDRESSES THE AUDIENCE AT THE 2021 ICCF U.S. CONGRESSIONAL INTERNATIONAL CONSERVATION LEADERSHIP AWARDS DINNER**

Our cross-sectoral audience offers an unparalleled opportunity for special guest speakers to simultaneously address the largest and most important bipartisan caucus on Capitol Hill, high-level foreign delegations, and influential business and conservation leaders about the need for U.S. and international conservation engagement, cooperation, and action.



## GALA HISTORY

Since 2006, ICCF has hosted a series of dinners, growing in popularity year after year to become the most important gatherings of conservationists from the corporate, NGO, and government communities to promote U.S. leadership in the sound management of the world's natural resources.

ICCF AWARDS DINNERS:

**2021 ICCF U.S. CONGRESSIONAL  
INTERNATIONAL CONSERVATION  
LEADERSHIP AWARDS DINNER**

**2018 AWARDS DINNER**

CHAired BY CO-CHAIRS OF  
THE U.S. CONGRESSIONAL  
INTERNATIONAL CONSERVATION  
CAUCUS AND OCEANS CAUCUS

**2017 INAUGURATION AWARDS  
DINNER**

CHAired BY THEODORE "TED"  
ROOSEVELT IV AND CO-CHAired  
BY BO DEREK, LUCIANA & ROBERT  
DUVALL, AND IAN SOMERHALDER

**2015 AWARDS DINNER:  
EXTRAORDINARY LEADERSHIP  
IN INTERNATIONAL  
CONSERVATION**

CO-CHAired BY JOHN A.  
BOEHNER AND NANCY PELOSI

**2013 AWARDS DINNER:  
CONSERVATION IN AFRICA:  
SECURITY, DEMOCRACY,  
DEVELOPMENT**

CHAired BY CRISTIAN SAMPER  
AND MARK TERCEK

**2012 OCEANS GALA**

CHAired BY HSH PRINCE ALBERT  
II OF MONACO (HONORARY), CO-  
CHAired BY FORMER SECRETARY  
OF THE INTERIOR BRUCE BABBITT  
AND SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR  
DIRK KEMPTHORNE

**2010 GALA: THE NATURAL  
SECURITY CHALLENGE**

CHAired BY HER MAJESTY QUEEN  
NOOR OF JORDAN

**2009 INAUGURATION GALA**

CHAired BY FORMER PRESIDENTS  
GEORGE H. W. BUSH & WILLIAM  
JEFFERSON CLINTON (HONORARY  
CO-CHAIRS)

**2007 U.S. CONGRESSIONAL  
INTERNATIONAL  
CONSERVATION AWARDS  
DINNER**

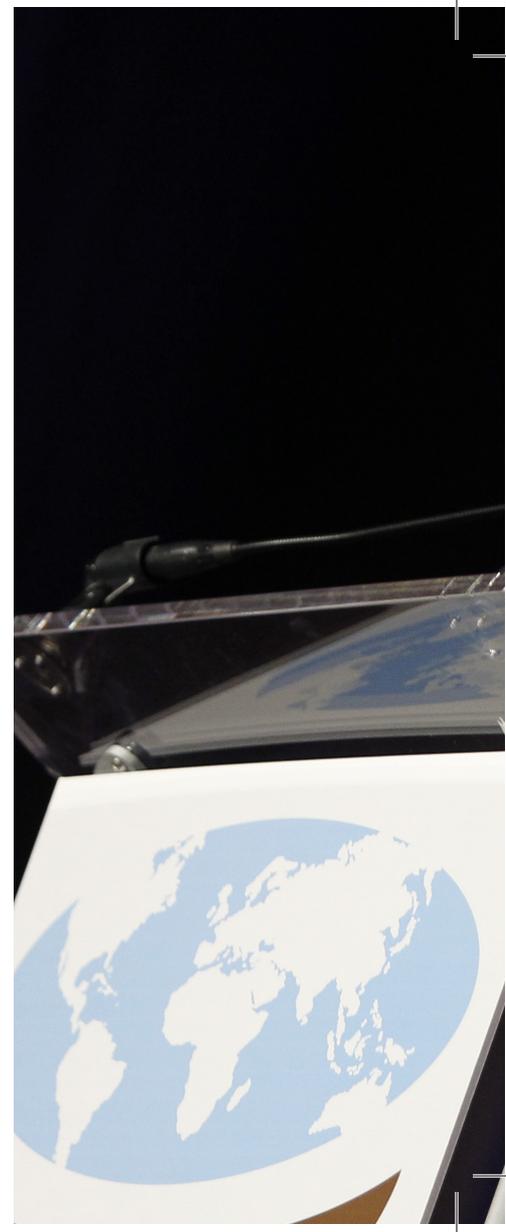
**2006 U.S. CONGRESSIONAL  
INTERNATIONAL  
CONSERVATION AWARDS  
DINNER**

**LEFT:** Theodore "Ted" Roosevelt IV

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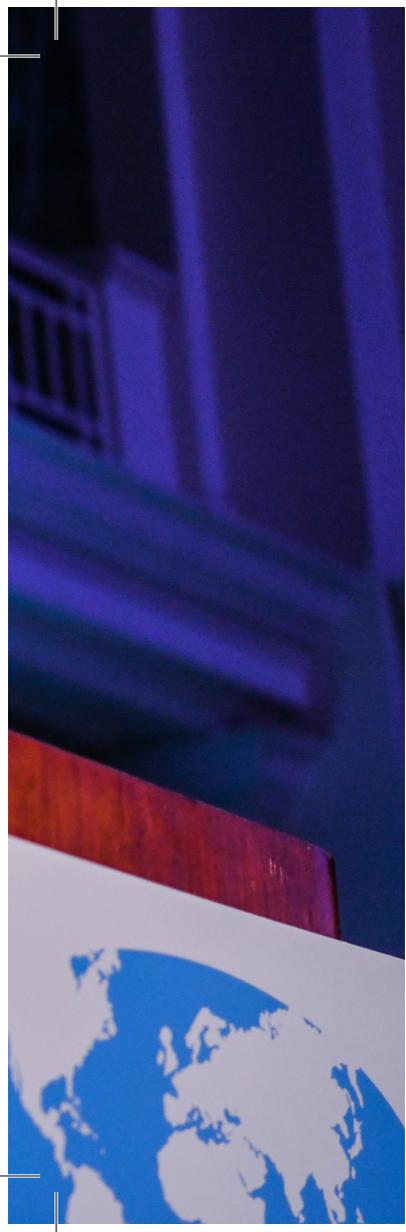
## **HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS KING CHARLES III ADDRESSES THE AUDIENCE AT THE ICCF AWARDS DINNER ON EXTRAORDINARY LEADERSHIP IN INTERNATIONAL CONSERVATION**

His Royal Highness has worked for more than four decades as an advocate for a sustainable future and is a champion of rainforest, oceans, and wildlife conservation.









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## **HIS EXCELLENCY IVÁN DUQUE MÁRQUEZ, PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF COLOMBIA, RECIPIENT OF THE TEDDY ROOSEVELT® INTERNATIONAL CONSERVATION AWARD**

As President of Colombia, H.E. Iván Duque Márquez demonstrated an outstanding commitment to reducing deforestation. President

Duque's conservation approach was a key part of Colombia's development plan, with a focus on producing by conserving and conserving by producing. His strategy highlighted the benefits of a circular economy, with emphasis on reforestation, carbon neutrality, bio-economy, and protection of the Amazon.

# AWARDS

- TEDDY ROOSEVELT® INTERNATIONAL CONSERVATION AWARD
- GOOD STEWARD AWARD
- LEADERSHIP IN BUSINESS AWARD
- MENHGA AWARD
- LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Since 2006, our Congressional Awards Dinner celebrates and commends with prestigious awards the individuals who work tirelessly to advance international conservation for the United States and its allies around the world.





## **IN RECOGNITION OF EXTRAORDINARY LEADERSHIP**

Alongside presidents, philanthropists, and other conservation pioneers, the great leaders of the constitutional monarchies of the United Kingdom and Monaco have stepped on the Mellon Auditorium's historic stage to be recognized by co-chairs of the conservation caucuses that ICCF supports in the U.S. Congress.

**LEFT:** Mateus Mutemba, Park Warden, Gorongosa National Park



# THE ICCF TEDDY ROOSEVELT® INTERNATIONAL CONSERVATION AWARD

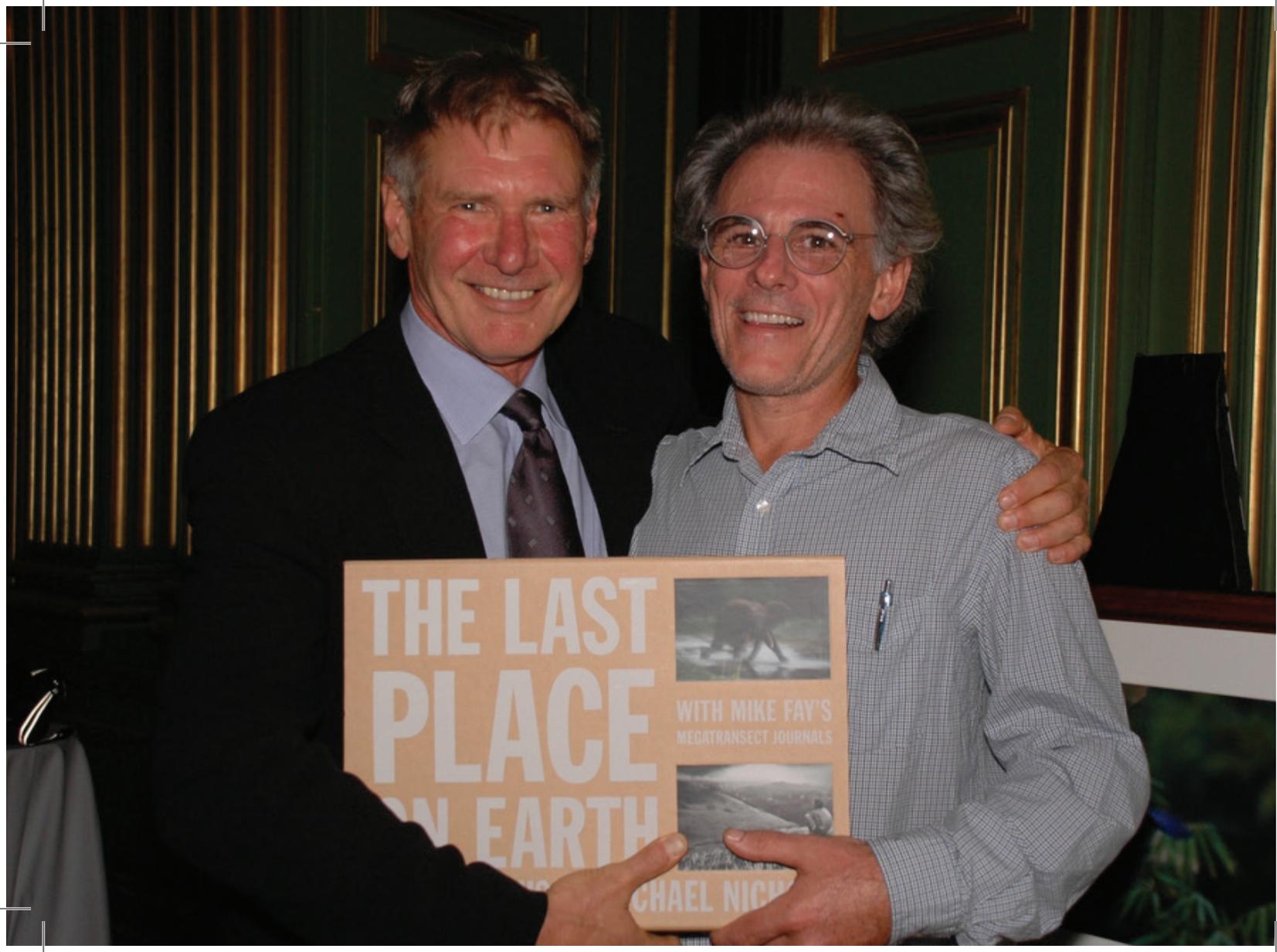
The ICCF Teddy Roosevelt® International Conservation Award recognizes outstanding conservation leadership in government.

## RECIPIENTS

- H.R.H. King Charles III
- HSH Albert II of Monaco

- Rt. Hon. Anthony “Tony” C.M. Blair, Prime Minister, The United Kingdom
- H.E. Felipe Calderón, President of the United States of Mexico
- H.E. Ivan Duque Marquez, President of Colombia
- LtGen Ian Khama, President of Botswana
- H.E. Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo, President of the Philippines
- Hon. Jens Stoltenberg, Prime Minister of Norway
- U.S. Senator Rob Portman (R-OH), Director of The Office of Management and Budget
- U.S. Senator Sheldon Whitehouse (D-RI)
- U.S. Representative Ed Royce, Chairman, House Committee on Foreign Affairs
- The Great Green Wall Initiative, accepted by H.E. Abdoulaye Wade, President of the Republic of Senegal
- Russell E. Train, Founder and Chairman, Emeritus of The World Wildlife Fund

**LEFT:** Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives Nancy Pelosi and HSH The Prince of Monaco



**THE LAST PLACE ON EARTH**  
WITH MIKE FAY'S MEGATRANSECT JOURNALS  
MICHAEL NICHOLS

# THE ICCF GOOD STEWARD AWARD

ICCF's "Good Steward" Award is presented to recognize outstanding individual leadership in conservation.

## RECIPIENTS

- African Parks, accepted by Peter Fearnhead, Chief Executive Officer
- Dr. Julia Miranda, Director General, National Natural Parks of Colombia
- Mateus Mutemba, Park Warden, Gorongosa National Park
- Greg Carr, President, The Gorongosa Restoration Project in Mozambique
- Bo Derek, U.S. Special Envoy of the Secretary of State for Wildlife Trafficking Issues
- Kris and Doug Tompkins, Chief Executive Officer, Patagonia, and Founder, North Face
- Harrison Ford, Actor and Conservationist
- Edward Norton, Actor and Conservationist
- Dr. Laurie Marker, Zoologist and Founder of the Cheetah Conservation Fund

**LEFT:** Actor and Conservationist Harrison Ford with National Geographic Explorer Mike Fay





IN PICTURE

# **HIS EXCELLENCY JOÃO MANUEL GONÇALVES LOURENÇO, PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ANGOLA, RECIPIENT OF THE ICCF TEDDY ROOSEVELT® INTERNATIONAL CONSERVATION AWARD**

As President of Angola, His Excellency has demonstrated outstanding leadership in securing national parks and protected areas, in particular Iona National Park in the southwest of Angola. In December 2019, African Parks signed a long-term management agreement for the park with the then-Ministry of Environment (MINAMB) and the National Institute for Biodiversity and Protected Areas (INBAC), with an official hand-over ceremony taking place on January 31st, 2020.

# THE ICCF CONSERVATION LEADERSHIP IN BUSINESS AWARD

The ICCF Conservation Leadership in Business Award recognizes outstanding private-sector conservation leadership.

- Vulcan, Inc., accepted by Dave Stewart, Executive Vice President
- International Paper, accepted by Mark Sutton, Chief Executive Officer
- Bumble Bee Foods, accepted by Chris Lischewski, President and Chief Executive Officer
- Unilever, accepted by David Lewis, President of The Americas
- Dupont, accepted by Charles O. Holliday Jr., Chairman and Chief Executive Officer
- National Geographic, accepted by Gilbert M. Grosvenor, Chairman of the Board
- Patagonia, accepted by Yvon Chouinard, Founder

**RIGHT:** U.S. Senator Chris Coons (D-DE)





# THE ICCF LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

ICCF's Lifetime Achievement Award recognizes individuals for a lifetime of international conservation commitment and leadership.

- Rob Walton
- Stewart Udall
- Magdalen O. Bryant

**LEFT:** Rob and Melani Walton

**RIGHT:** Frank Mars





## KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

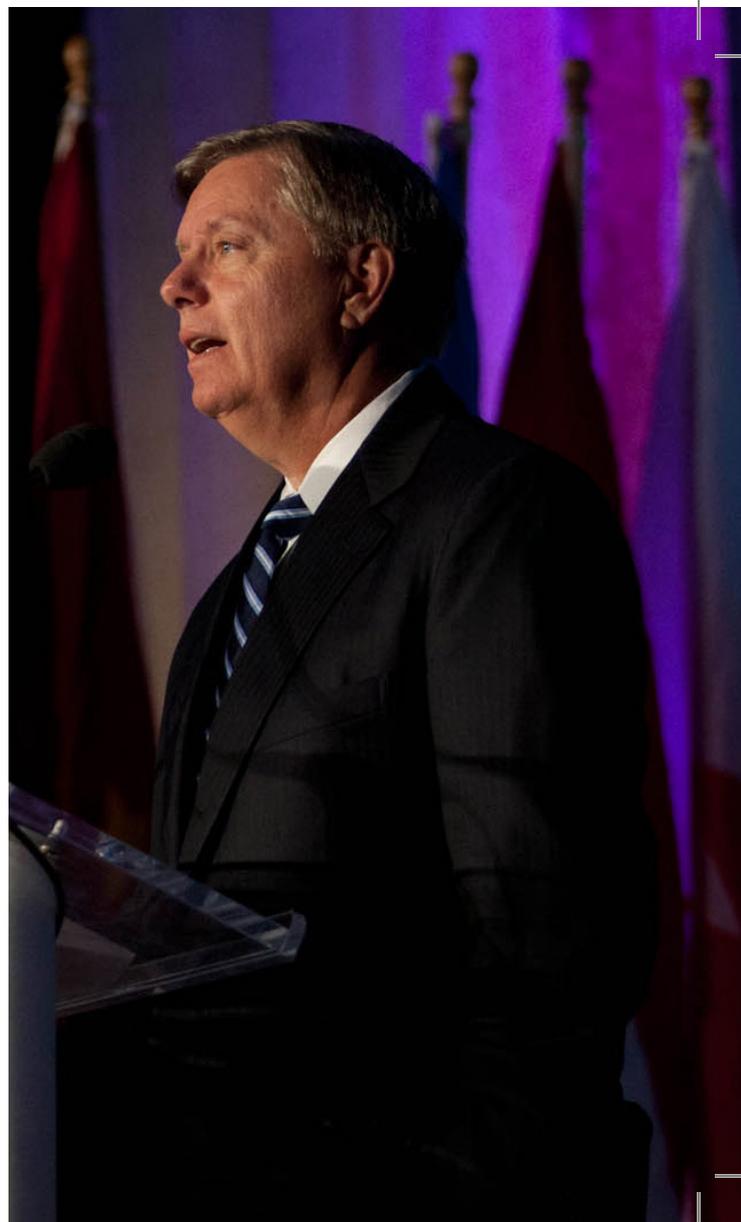
Keynote speakers at ICCF Awards Dinners have included leaders in government, business, and the NGO community.

- House Minority Leader Kevin McCarthy (2021)
- Carlos Manuel Rodriguez, CEO of Global Environment Facility (2021)
- Frank Mars, Chairman of Mars, Inc. (2021)
- Dr. Naoko Ishii, CEO and Chairperson, Global Environment Facility (2018)
- H.E. Mokgweetsi Masisi, President of Botswana (2018)

**LEFT:** USAID Administrator Mark Green

- H.E. Edgar Lungu, President of Zambia (2018)
- William Wrigley, Jr., Former President, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Wm. Wrigley Jr. Co. (2012)
- Senator Lindsey Graham (R-SC) (2010)
- Monique Barbut, CEO and Chairperson, Global Environment Facility (2010)
- H.E. Juan Elvira, Mexican Minister of The Environment And Natural Resources (2010)
- His Excellency Festus Mogae, President of Botswana (2007)

**RIGHT:** U.S. Senator Lindsey Graham (R-SC)





ICCF's annual Awards Dinners are made possible by the participation and support of the diverse corporate and NGO partners who comprise our Conservation Council. Our council members offer unique perspectives and share a common desire to implement conservation projects safeguarding wildlife and biodiversity, protecting and restoring habitats, and generating economic opportunities and social benefits for surrounding communities who are necessarily the long-term stewards of local natural resources.

"IT'S THE EXPERIENCE  
THAT COMES FROM  
THOSE NGOS AND  
VOLUNTEERS THAT  
ARE ASSISTING  
IN THIS WIDER  
EFFORT TO COME  
UP WITH LONG-  
TERM SOLUTIONS  
THAT WILL PROTECT  
SPECIES FAR INTO  
THE FUTURE."

CHAIRMAN ED ROYCE  
FOUNDING  
CO-CHAIR OF THE  
U.S. CONGRESSIONAL  
INTERNATIONAL  
CONSERVATION CAUCUS





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BUILDING POLITICAL WILL, PROVIDING ON-THE-GROUND SOLUTIONS

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