

# 2026 AWC Report

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The AWC Planning Team met twice a week for 8 months (from August 2025 to March 2026), to accommodate the schedule of our volunteers around the world.

The 2026 ACA Annual World Convention took place around the clock from Friday March 27, 2026 at 6 pm ET until Saturday March 28, 2026 at 9 pm ET

4,300 people from 90 countries registered for the 2026 AWC.

The Convention ran for 27 hours around the clock and was held in two zoom rooms.

In the Workshop Room we had 12 high quality workshops and panels, and the Convention Opening and Closing Ceremonies.

In the Fellowship Room we had 4 ACA open meetings in different languages (Spanish, Russian, French and English), a dance party, a Talent/No Talent Show, a Pet show and tell, and several interactive and experiential presentations exploring topics such as emotional healing through reconnecting with the body, nurturing an inner sense of safety, approaching past wounds with compassion, and using play and joy to support inner-child healing.

The IT team recruited and trained tech hosts to assist during the event.

The AWC Planning Team is currently working on making the presentation recordings available for the website by June 2026.