

IRENE OHLER



PROFILE

Irene Ohler has been based in Vietnam since 2012.

Irene is a highly experienced, certified Global Executive Coach, Intercultural Consultant, China and Vietnam specialist, and founder of iglobal coaching ltd.

Her global experience spans more than 20 years living and working as a certified coach and international facilitator across four continents in her country of origin (Austria), China, Brazil, New Zealand, and presently in Vietnam.

Her Masters Degree in Sinology first brought her to China. There, she worked as a consultant and head of project management for achieveglobal, then the largest training consulting firm worldwide. In 2002, Irene became one of the first certified executive coaches working in Shanghai with Fortune 100 companies (in Mandarin) with Leadership Management International (LMI).

Between 2004 and 2008, in Brazil Irene continued advising as a China specialist, executive coach, and became certified as an intercultural consultant with Berlitz Cultural Consulting in 2006, and later with DFA Intercultural Global Solutions, now Dwellworks.

During that time, in 2007 Irene also founded her own leadership development consultancy, iglobal Coaching ltd., which she later continued with new programmes for business and government agencies in New Zealand until 2012.

iglobal Coaching's focus is on Executive Coaching and Intercultural Consulting.

In Vietnam Irene has been providing 1-2 day cross-cultural trainings for international executives moving to Vietnam through Berlitz Cultural Consulting and Dwellworks in the US.

In late 2016 she published a book on women leaders in Vietnam, 'Ba Trieu's 21st Daughters. Stories of Remarkable Vietnamese Women', which has sold extremely well and is about to go into its 2nd edition.

Irene is also the founder of the Women's Storytelling Salon, which inspires and celebrates professional women's success. It is a unique cross-cultural forum, which helps to connect expat professional women with their Vietnamese counterparts.