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HELLO WORLD

Keeping up with our members who work, live and travel all over the world keeps the credit union busy! SRI International has sites all over the world including Puerto Rico, Greenland, Japan, and Dubai. SRI Federal Credit Union members currently live in over 30 countries, from Australia to Switzerland, as well as Canada, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Japan, and New Zealand. Just recently, we have heard from our members who are traveling to China, Chile and Connecticut.

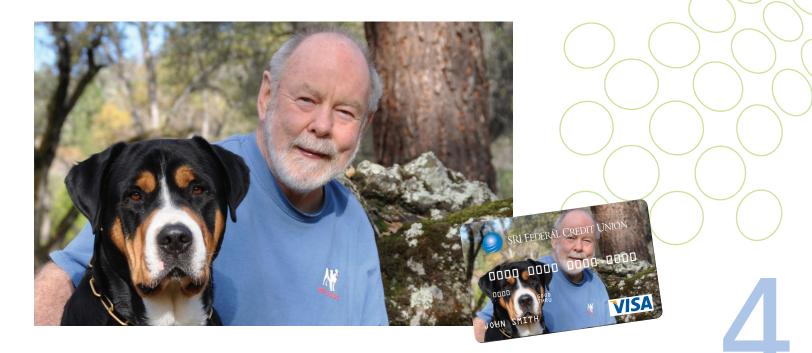
Lucky for us, that little project called ARPANET that SRI International hosted back in 1969 has really taken off (now known as the Internet). Our members can access their credit union accounts via online or mobile banking from any Internet access point all over the world.

When you use a SRI Federal Credit Union Visa® Credit or Debit card outside the United States, Visa® International will charge a 1% fee to convert the currency. Did you know that the credit union pays that fee on your behalf? You never see it! Compare this to other financial institutions that commonly pass that fee on to you, plus add on their own fees. We have seen other financial institutions charging between 3% and 5% for the international currency exchange fees. Be sure to save money by using your SRI Federal Credit Union Visa® cards when traveling.

Speaking of Visa® cards, you can put almost any picture you want on your Visa® Debit or Credit card. For example, Werner Graf has the following picture on his card (Werner is the one on the right). Werner has been a leader in the development of ground and foliage penetrating radars for 30 years at SRI International. His friend in the picture does not, to our knowledge, have any experience with radar but knows how to sniff out a good deal. His dog's name is Mutz, which is a Swiss expression for bear (as in brown bear). Werner calls him Mutzli which means little bear.

Do you have a picture or story of your travels that you would like to share? Please send it to me at steve@srifcu.org. I look forward to hearing from you!

Steve Bowles CEO



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