

## RI CONVENTION SURVEY

By Holger Knaack, Rotary International President

Dear Friends:

I am reaching out to you because you attended a Rotary International convention in recent years. We would be interested in hearing your experiences and opinions to ensure that the convention continues to meet your expectations, as well as to support new opportunities to serve the Rotary community.

Knowing more about your interests and goals will help us offer more meaningful and engaging future conventions. We will use your responses to search for convention sponsors that are relevant to attendees. Sponsors reduce the cost of the convention for attendees.

I sincerely appreciate your participation in this short survey to which you only have to spend a few minutes. To get started, click on the following link:

[Take the Survey](#)

Or copy and paste the URL below into your internet browser:

[https://rotary.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_8zYT1SvLn9oat0N?Q\\_DL=ZD2M0kZsSrbCyPk\\_8zYT1SvLn9oat0N\\_CGC\\_uez74udrltcQWdh&Q\\_CHL=email](https://rotary.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_8zYT1SvLn9oat0N?Q_DL=ZD2M0kZsSrbCyPk_8zYT1SvLn9oat0N_CGC_uez74udrltcQWdh&Q_CHL=email)

I understand that this message could come at a difficult time for you. I want you to know that my highest priority is taking care of our Rotary clubs and our friends in the clubs, although I am constantly amazed at the work Rotarians do to serve the world in the midst of the worst pandemic we have ever experienced in our lives. Thank you for all that you do for Rotary and your neighbors in need. Know that you have my deepest appreciation and admiration.

## INTERACT ADVISORY COUNCIL OPPORTUNITY

By Marilyn Nevy Cruz, District 7620 Interact & RYLA Chair

Youth voice is vital in creating innovative, strategic, and lasting change for Rotary International. Thanks to the new Interact Advisory Council, recently approved by President-elect Shekhar Mehta, Interactors and recent Interact alumni have a chance to serve at the international level and advise the Board of Directors of Rotary International.

The Interact Advisory Council will be comprised of eight current Interactors from around the world and two Interact alumni as advisors. The Council will:

- provide recommendations for the most effective and sustainable structure for continued Interact representation at Rotary's International level;
- create innovative programming that connects Interactors from all across the world;
- and further collaboration of Interactors with Rotaractors and Rotarians, advising on how to strengthen and encourage life-long connections to Rotary International.

All interested Interactors and Interact alumni must submit an application by Sunday, 20 December 2020 at 11:59 PM - UTC-5 (Chicago Time), including goals for the Council, a short video, and a reference from an Interact advisor or other Rotary mentor.

Please share this opportunity with Interactors and recent Interact alumni.

Application for the 2021-22 Interact Advisory Council:  
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***“The best antidote for international fear is international understanding.”***

***-- Rotary International Founder Paul Harris, 1928.***



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