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Service Above Self

One Profits Most Who Serves Best

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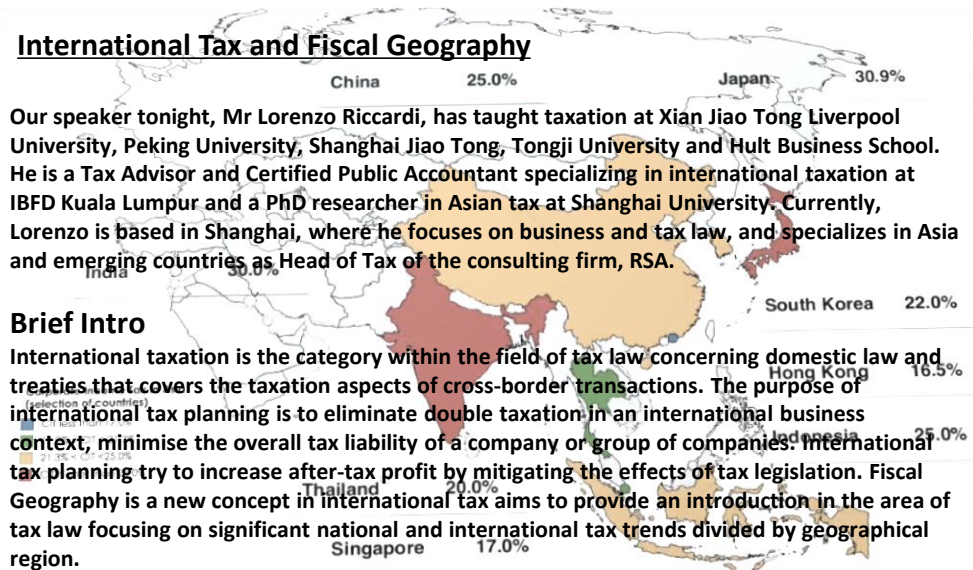


## International Tax and Fiscal Geography

Our speaker tonight, Mr Lorenzo Riccardi, has taught taxation at Xian Jiao Tong Liverpool University, Peking University, Shanghai Jiao Tong, Tongji University and Hult Business School. He is a Tax Advisor and Certified Public Accountant specializing in international taxation at IBFD Kuala Lumpur and a PhD researcher in Asian tax at Shanghai University. Currently, Lorenzo is based in Shanghai, where he focuses on business and tax law, and specializes in Asia and emerging countries as Head of Tax of the consulting firm, RSA.

### Brief Intro

International taxation is the category within the field of tax law concerning domestic law and treaties that covers the taxation aspects of cross-border transactions. The purpose of international tax planning is to eliminate double taxation in an international business context, minimise the overall tax liability of a company or group of companies. International tax planning try to increase after-tax profit by mitigating the effects of tax legislation. Fiscal Geography is a new concept in international tax aims to provide an introduction in the area of tax law focusing on significant national and international tax trends divided by geographical region.



## The Four-Way Test 四大考验 Sì Dà Kǎo Yàn

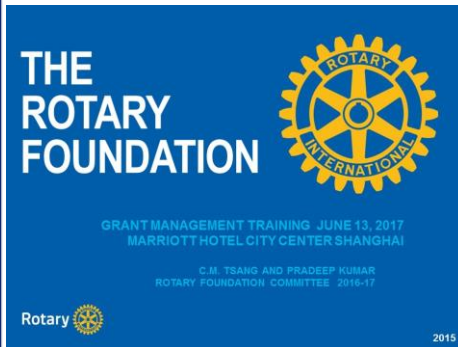
Of the things we think, say or do:

我们说的做的要符合: Wǒ men Shuō de Zuò de Yào Fū Hé:

1. Is it the truth?  
是真的吗? Shì Zhēn de ma?
2. Is it Fair to all Concerned?  
是公平的吗? Shì Gōng Píng de ma?
3. Will it build Goodwill and better Friendships?  
是善意的并促进友谊吗? Shì Shàn Yì de - Bìng Cù Jìn Yǒu Yí ma?
4. Will it be Beneficial to all Concerned?  
是对大家有利吗? Shì Duì Dà Jiā Yǒu Lì ma?

## Rotary Foundation and Global Grant Management Training

- by C.M. Tsang



In the afternoon of June 13, 2017 before the regular meeting, Grant Management Seminar was organized and hosted by Rotarian Pradeep and CM for 12 Rotarians including Andrew, Linnet, Tracy, Sam, Tiziana, Thierry, Alejandro, Michel, Rita, Terri, Richard and Alain, who all show strong desire to pursue sustainable service projects funded through Global Grants. Apart from the general introduction of Rotary Foundation, contributions, funding allocation and management, project funding and online applications, there were extensive discussions on various aspects of global grants using a few actual RCS global grant projects as examples. It is expected that we will have an exciting year ahead with more participation and volunteering to service projects by all RCS Rotarians, other Rotary Clubs worldwide and cooperating organizations.

**Note from the editor:** I believe I can speak for all participants to the Seminar. A warm thanks goes to Pradeep and C.M. for their warm dedication to Rotary in general and more deeply to our Club and Rotarians brothers and sisters. Sharing your knowledge and time make us eager to learn more and better Serve above Self.

Date	Topic/Speaker	Venue/Time
June 20 <sup>th</sup>	International Tax and Fiscal Geography – by Lorenzo Riccardi	EZO Japanese Restaurant, Marriott City Center, 19:00
June 27 <sup>th</sup>	Handover Night	EZO Japanese Restaurant, Marriott City Center, 19:00
July 4 <sup>th</sup>	Strategy for the New Rotary Year – by President Motohiro Yamane	EZO Japanese Restaurant, Marriott City Center, 19:00
July 11 <sup>th</sup>	Service Projects- by Rita Malvone	EZO Japanese Restaurant, Marriott City Center, 19:00



Upcoming Events

RCS Family Brunch – Act 2

Following the huge success of Fall event RCS invites you to

**Summer Family Brunch**

JUNE, 25th FROM 11AM TO 2PM  
@188rmb per person

RSVP: Terri Lau at 13916604590 or WeChat ID terrilau

Venue address: Unit W08-W10, 3F HuBinDao II, 168 Hubin Road (near Ji Nan Road), Huangpu District, Shanghai  
上海市黄浦区湖滨路168号企业天地3楼 W08-10室, 近济南路

Flea Market by Rotaract

CREATOR 创意

HAVE STUFF YOU WANT TO SELL? SEE THINGS YOU'D LIKE TO BUY?

**FLEA MARKET**  
Recycle for a cause!

SATURDAY  
JUNE 24 TH  
From 11am to 5pm

Good condition Clothes, kitchen appliances and ware, electronics, sports wear. (NO Furniture or anything larger than 1.5m)

WHERE?  
CREATOR SPACE  
237 Hengshan Rd, (3rd Flr)  
(close to Wulumuqi Rd)  
Exit #4 Hengshan  
Metro Line 1

DJ's music  
Drinks and Food available!

Event Organizer: GreenInitiatives  
Scan our QR code to join & learn more

Supporters: Rotaract

How can we support Rotaract event

First of all let's all join the event. Then promote with friends and people you know.  
It is also possible to donate second hand good conditions stuffs (no furniture). More in particular gently used clothing, kitchen appliances, electronics and sportswear.  
Drop off sites and timing:

- a. June, 19<sup>th</sup> 7:30pm – 9:00pm Rotaract Shanghai Meeting @ Bambu, B1/F, 555 Nanjing Xi Rd, near Chengdu Bei Rd
- b. June, 23<sup>rd</sup> 6:00pm – 9:00pm Flea Market Charity Sale @ Creator Space, 237 Hengshan Rd, near Yongia Rd
- c. June, 24<sup>th</sup> 9:00am – 11:00am Flea Market Charity Sale @ Creator Space, 237 Hengshan Rd, near Yongia Rd

Volunteers also appreciated, contact Rotaractor Grace or contact Tiziana or Motohiro for direct contact with them.

Pagoda Comics Membership Dues

Are you talking to me? Are you really talking to me?

Of course I do! I'm your conscience. Did you pay your dues dude? Not yet? Hurry up, you have time up to upcoming Tuesday (June, 20) and always remember «Service above Self»!

June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017

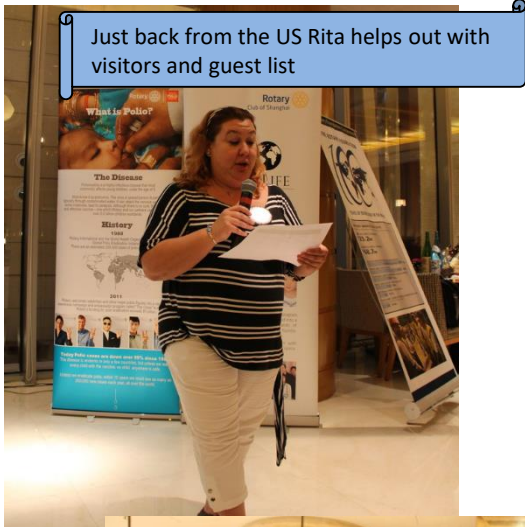
Valerie Thia Kime	RC de Saint Joseph	France #9220
Tobias	RC Fresh Start	China
Friedrich-Wilhelm Zschietszmann	RC Kannsas	USA

20 members, 3 visitors and 5 guests, total headcount 42.  
Happy money 3.100 RMB

Highlights from the last meeting

Past meeting started on time as usual under Andrew Presidency and immediately Tobias, new Rotary Fresh Start Club take us through the Four Ways Test, followed by Rita introducing visiting Rotarians and guests. Announcements time: President Andrew reminds all of us that there is not much time left for paying dues (see Pagoda Comics)! Soon this Rotary year will end and Handover Night will be at EZO Restaurant, same as regular weekly meetings. President Andrew also invited us to visit [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org) to check out what's happening at Annual Rotary Convention in Atlanta and to follow President of Rotary Foundation John Germ and Rtn. Bill Gates' speech. Another way to know more is to come to upcoming meeting listening to PE Moto-san's report as he is currently attending together with our PP Frank Yih and Rtn Terry Chu. Then C.M. introduced the new Rotary Foundation Committee Chair: Alejandro. He will also have to carry on C.M. tradition on making donations to Rotary Foundations easy so that every member can contribute. Saddler was ruled by Michel and Thierry. No sad money that night, only happy ones!

At this point a very energetic Terri Lau took us through who we are, what we do and how we should be. She also gave us an overview about Rotary Club in general by going deeper into our Club statistics. She showed us pictures and told us about facts of 2016-2017 Fellowship events. These are very important moments for us because they let us better know each other. She also introduced the new Fellowship Committee starting with the new Rotary Year soon. Tracy will be the Chair. So here we are, at the end of our weekly meeting, with a toast to FELLOWSHIP.



Just back from the US Rita helps out with visitors and guest list

C.M. introducing the new Rotary Foundation Committee Chair: Alejandro



Theme of the night: Fellowship

Club Information

Contacts & Meetings

The club meeting is a dinner meeting (by invitation only) every Tuesday at the: Marriott City Center No. 555 Middle Xizang Rd, Shanghai 上海雅居乐万豪酒店, 中国 上海 黄浦区西藏中路 555 号 18:30 cocktails, 19:00-20:30 dinner For details, contact the club administrator Vivian Huang at [RSVP@rotaryshanghai.org](mailto:RSVP@rotaryshanghai.org), +86 13501672753

Officers & Boardmembers

- Andrew Hill – President
- Moto Yamane – President Elect
- Linnet Kwok – Vice President
- Tracy Hua – Hon. Secretary
- Chee Ming Tsang- Treasurer
- Dean Merritt – IPP
- Filippo Garini
- Alejandro Buriel Rocha
- Dave Smith
- Christian Kober
- Susanne Moskop

Basic Info of our Club

First chartered on 1 October 1919, re-chartered on 8 February 2006  
Number of active members – 78  
Number of honorary members – 5

Committees and Directors

- Club Administration Committee**  
Chair: Moto Yamane, [yamane@tmish.com](mailto:yamane@tmish.com)
- Membership Committee**  
Chair: Terri Lau, [terri.Lau@asiantigers-china.com](mailto:terri.Lau@asiantigers-china.com)
- Service Projects**  
Chair: Alejandro Buriel-Rocha, [alejandro.buriel@smchinaconsult.com](mailto:alejandro.buriel@smchinaconsult.com)
- Youth Service Committee**  
Chair: Diane Russel, [drussell@diane-russell.com](mailto:drussell@diane-russell.com)
- Sister Clubs**  
Chair: Dean Merritt, [deanm@mdmlevel.com](mailto:deanm@mdmlevel.com)
- PR Committee**  
Chair: Christian Kober, [kober.christian@gmail.com](mailto:kober.christian@gmail.com)
- Rotary Foundation**  
Chair: Chee Ming Tsang, [lwcmt@gmail.com](mailto:lwcmt@gmail.com)
- Gift of Life**  
Chair: Linnet Kwok, [linnetkwok@hotmail.com](mailto:linnetkwok@hotmail.com)
- Annual Party**  
Chair: Linnet Kwok, [linnetkwok@hotmail.com](mailto:linnetkwok@hotmail.com)

For more information, please visit [www.rotaryshanghai.org](http://www.rotaryshanghai.org)

Rotary Club of Shanghai West  
Wednesday, 18:30-20:30  
Location: Shanghai Pullman Hotel  
位置: 上海中星铂爾曼酒店  
Address: No. 1 Pubei Road, Xuhui District, Shanghai  
上海徐汇区浦北路1号  
For more information please contact President Roy Chu  
Email: [roy.chu@exlink.com.cn](mailto:roy.chu@exlink.com.cn)

Rotary Club of Shanghai Pudong Lujiazui  
Thursday, 19:00-20:30  
Location: Kempinski Hotel, Shanghai 上海凯宾斯基大酒店  
1288 Lujiazui Ring Road, Pudong New Area  
浦东新区陆家嘴环路1288号  
Tel.: +86 21 5101 5566  
For more information, please contact President Gerhard Fasching  
Email: [Gerhard.fasching@milleniumhongqiao.com](mailto:Gerhard.fasching@milleniumhongqiao.com)

Fresh Start Rotary Club of Shanghai  
Friday, 7:45-9:00 am  
Location: 2nd floor, Element Fresh, Jing An Kerry Center  
位置: 新元素静安嘉里中心店二楼  
Address : No.1551 Nan Jing Xi Lu, Shanghai  
地址: 南京西路1551号  
For more information about Fresh Start and for anyone interested to attend, please visit <http://freshstartrotaryshanghai.org/>