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08 March - Speaker Meeting

15 March - Speaker Meeting

TUESDAY MEETING

Women in Technology

PRESENTED BY:
Charlene Liu
Co-Founder, Ladies Who Tech

YOU WILL LEARN ABOUT:
• Trends, Improvements in the number of women in tech roles, what more needs to be done and by whom

TUESDAY, March 8, 2022
18:30 - 20:30
Penthouse@40F Kunlun Hotel Jing'an
No.250 Huashan Road
华山路250号静安路心40楼
190 RMB - 220 RMB

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TUESDAY MEETING

Significant Health Challenges and Post-Traumatic Growth Among Chinese Executives in Midlife

PRESENTED BY:
Linda Zhang
4E Management Consulting, Ltd.

YOU WILL LEARN ABOUT:
1. Nine stages of experiencing illness & meaning-making
2. 5+4 Post-traumatic growth with gender differences
3. Seven themes on post-traumatic growth with gender differences

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Coming Events

- 08.03 — Speaker Meeting @Kunlun Hotel 6:30 - 8:30 pm
- 15.03 — Speaker Meeting @Kunlun Hotel 6:30 - 8:30 pm
- 22.03 — Speaker Meeting @Kunlun Hotel 6:30 - 8:30 pm
- 29.03 — Career Empowerment Program 6:30 - 8:30 pm

Birthday of the Month: March

- 01 — Alain Chevassus More
- 07 — Thomas Kucera
- 09 — Tiziana Richiardi
- 19 — Franz Bohnlein

The Four-Way Test 四大考驗 Officers & Directors

Of the things we think, say, or do:

我们说的做的要符合:

1. Is it **truth**?
是真的吗?
2. Is it **fair** to all concerned?
是公平的吗?
3. Will it build **goodwill** and **better friendships**?
是善意并促进友谊吗?
4. Will it be **beneficial** to all concerned?
是对大家有利吗?

- Rita Malvone – President
- Naomy Peña – Vice President
- David Smith – Secretary
- Christoph Wenner – Treasurer
- David Smith – President Elect
- Tracy Hua – Immediate Past President
- Alexander Hartmann
- Carlotta Godio
- Christian Kober
- Terry Chu

Committees & Chairs

- Club Administration Chair:** David Smith
- Membership Committee:** Terri Lau
- Fellowship Committee:** Tracy Hua
- Service Projects Committee:** Alex Hartmann
- Youth Service Committee:** Naomy Peña
- Rotary Foundation:** Tiziana Richiardi
- Gift of Life (GOL):** Terri Lau
- Sister Clubs:** Motohiro Yamane
- Pagoda:** Carlotta Godio
- Speaker Program:** Christian Kober
- Circle of Centennial Rotary Club:** Terri Lau
- Assitant Governor:** Andrew Hill
- Club Admin:** Vivian Huang

Tuesday, March 01st, 2022

Dinner Attendance:

| | |
|------------------------|-----------|
| Members | 14 |
| Visiting Rotarians | 07 |
| Guests | 04 |
| Total Headcount | 25 |

Happy Money: CNY 2,568

Visiting Rotarians:

- Ming - RC Lujiazui, China
- Jeremy NP - RC Lujiazui, China
- Astridb - RC Lujiazui, China
- Frances - RC Lujiazui, China
- KM Tan - RC Merlion, China
- Zhao Hong - RC Merlion, China
- Henry Tsang - RC Merlion, China



Highlights from the last fellowship

Opera, carnival, meeting old and new friends, and treating yourself for some fine food: the recent fellowship meeting once again demonstrated: Rotary Club of Shanghai is your one-stop-solution for enjoying a fun night out and doing good at the same time.

As expected, Jing'an's new pearl Crush Wine Bar turned out to be another excellent pick by the fellowship committee. Mouth-watering starters, delicious mains and "the best cheesecake ever" conjured smiles on our faces.

Faces that were partly covered by shining carnival masks, spontaneously provided by President Rita.

The festive and cheerful atmosphere inspired Jingfu to entertain us with some samples of his extraordinary talent as an opera singer. And Jingfu's performance inspired many Rotarians to support Angel Kids with a total amount of 2,568. Well done, everyone! Looking forward to our next fellowship meeting and another amazing dinner at Crush's ASAP!

Written by Christian Göttker



March 08, 2022



Charlene Liu

Speaker Meeting

Charlene Liu was born in Malaysia and has lived in the US, Singapore, and now Shanghai, China. She is an engineer, a social change maker, and a community leader.

She graduated from The University of Texas at Austin with a BSc in Electrical Engineering and has 20 years of working experience in different areas of the Semiconductor & Electronics industry, ranging from design, engineering, manufacturing, project management to sales and marketing. She also has experience with events, corporate innovation, and management consulting at PwC.

Charlene has 16 years of community leadership, commercial event management, and Diversity & Inclusion (D&I) advocacy experience. In 2009, she co-founded ShanghaiPRIDE, an annual festival run entirely by volunteers that promotes diversity, in 2014 Q-Events, an event management company, in 2016 Ladies Who Tech, a social impact community for women in STEM, and in 2019, D&I Consulting, a consultancy which helps corporates cultivate a more inclusive culture. Charlene is now embarking on a full-time journey managing these platforms.

In 2014, she and team ShanghaiPRIDE were awarded Shanghai Hero by Time Out Shanghai, and in 2018, Best Event Organizer in East China by Huodongxing.

Book your Calendar



Mr Willis is hosting his semi-annual dinner for You Dao. RCS already filled a full table and we still have a few seats available in the second one.

Please join Rita, Carms, Terry, Anne, Elizabeth, Naomi, Yolande, Jingfu and Caroline.

Personal note:

last time menu was unbelievably delicious and so abundant each one of us went back home with a little "dabao"!



2022 ROTARY CHINA DISTRICT CONFERENCE
April 23-24

Venue: Grand Millennium Shanghai Hongqiao
No. 2588 West Yan'An Road
Changning District, Shanghai



Please scan the QR Code to book the conference.

Apr 23 12:00 registration/conference 14:00-21:00
Apr 24 09:00-12:30

Registration time: 2022 Jan 01 - 2022 Apr 10
Registration fee: 598 RMB / person
(Including the cost of conference and Governor's Night Dinner)
Dinner fee for non conference participants: 398 RMB / person
Rotary clubs please sign up with district assistants:
Season wechat: 18001842883

We sincere welcome Rotarians, their families and potential Rotarians to attend.

Program Highlight

- Apr 23 Registration/Fellowship 12:00-14:00
Conference 14:00-17:00
House of Friendship 13:00-18:00
Dinner(Governor's Night) 18:00-21:00
- Apr 24 Conference 09:00-11:00
Closing Ceremony 11:00-12:30
House of Friendship 09:00-13:00

Sunday, March 27th, 2022 | 7pm sharp
680RMB per adult | 350RMB per children under 12
上海慈善基金会专项基金与韦廉士餐厅的“爱的晚餐”
2022年3月27日, 星期日, 晚七点 | 成人680元/位, 12岁以下儿童350元/位

Spring is beautiful - make it even more so by supporting the education of disadvantaged children in China.
We take so much for granted - like safe drinking water. This year, our goal is to make sure schoolchildren in Liuhe Town, Yunnan can be assured of safe drinking water by funding water purification systems to 16 schools.
For many years, we have been supporting low-income and special needs migrant worker families in Shanghai with educational scholarships, and over the past year we have been working to support low-income Bai ethnic families in Liuhe town, 1 of 13 economically disadvantaged towns in Yunnan.
But we can only do this with your help!
Spring Charity Dinner Join us for our spring charity dinner at mr willis on March 27th & help improve the lives of children & families in need.
Can't attend? Donate! You can still support YouDao with a donation. Scan the QR code and select a donation item!

亲爱的朋友们,
春暖花开,也是我们为需要帮扶的家庭伸出援助之手的时刻。
我们都认为安全饮用水是生活必备的,今年我们的目标是给云南六合乡16所学校捐赠净水设备,好让孩子们能够喝到干净的直饮水。
忙碌除了通过教育奖学金来支持上海外来务工人员低收入或特殊困难家庭之外,从去年也开始帮扶云南省鹤庆县的六合乡的低收入白族家庭和子女。六合乡属于当地十三个贫困乡之一。
我们需要你们的助力!
期能在3月27日“爱的晚餐”中与各新老朋友们见面,共同为在上海和远在山区的留守儿童送出一份爱。
如果你不能参加本次“爱的晚餐”,你可以通过扫描二维码在票务菜单中选择捐助项目来支持。

mr willis



scan QR code to reserve your seat
长按识别二维码预定座位



Contributions to Ukraine

Fellow Rotarians,

The United Nations estimates that number of Ukraine refugees could grow to as many as 5 million people displaced. Inter-country Committees and Rotary clubs in Europe and around the world have stepped up their relief work, some working on the ground to help displaced families. Rotary International has established a special Committee that will coordinate the provision of assistance from around the world to Ukraine. This committee is lead by RI - Zone 21/22 Director Kateryna Kotsali- Papadimitriou.

The Rotary Foundation Trustees have decided to prioritize contributions made to the Disaster Response Fund until 30 April 2022 to support disaster response grants for districts affected by these events. These expedited disaster response grants can be used to supply water, food, medicine, shelter, and clothing.

Contributions to the Disaster Response Fund can be made here: [https:// my.rotary.org/en/disaster-response-fund](https://my.rotary.org/en/disaster-response-fund). Due to the Complexity in Ukraine, this is the ONLY Rotary official donation channel, please avoid all other unofficial donation channels you might received.

We are thinking of our Rotarian friends and their families who are right now in harm's way and joining all those calling for peace. Now more than ever, we must put into practice Rotary's message and to reach across borders to promote peace, international understanding, and goodwill.

Best Regards,



Richard Zi
Special Representative-Rotary China
Rotary Inter-country Committee National
Coordinator-China

Rotary International statement on Ukraine conflict

It is a tragic and sad time for the people of Ukraine and the world.

At Rotary, we are deeply concerned by the deteriorating situation in Ukraine and the escalating loss of life and humanitarian hardship there. Continued military action against Ukraine will not only devastate the region, but also risk spreading tragic consequences across Europe and the world.

As one of the world's largest humanitarian organizations, we have made peace the cornerstone of our global mission. We join the international community in calling for an immediate cease fire, withdrawal of Russian forces, and a restoration of diplomatic efforts to resolve this conflict through dialogue.

In the past decade, Rotary clubs in Ukraine, Russia and nearby countries have transcended national differences and have actively engaged in peace-building projects to promote goodwill and to marshal assistance for the victims of war and violence. Today, our thoughts are with our fellow Rotary members and others in Ukraine coping with these tragic events. Rotary International will do everything in its power to bring aid, support and peace to the region.

Rotary International

