

Rotary and Verkkorotary in a nutshell

Rotary International

An international service organization whose stated human rights purpose is to bring together business and professional leaders in order to provide humanitarian services, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and to advance goodwill and peace around the world. Founded in 1905. www.rotary.org/en

Theme for 2016-2017: Rotary serving humanity
34,282 member clubs. 1.2 million members worldwide

Rotary in Finland

6 districts, 300 clubs, 10,900 members

Verkkorotary

The 1st e-club in Europe, 4th in the world, established in 2004. Belongs to district 1420.

Meetings

Online meetings every Tuesday except the first Tuesday of the month, 21-22 (Finnish time)
The participation is very simple, only laptop with video camera, headset and internet access are needed. <http://rotary-fi.adobeconnect.com/verkkorotary/>

Terra meeting (visiting organizations/companies or having cultural activities) once a month, usually the 1st Tuesday of the month, 18-20

No compulsory meeting participation requirements. Online presentations are recorded and saved online, so you may watch them whenever you have time and do makeup offline.

Members

Current members: 39 (26 from Helsinki metropolitan area, 5 abroad, 8 from other parts of Finland). Our members represent different sectors: law practices, IT, human resource, communications, architecture, politics, finance, foreign trade, atomic energy, etc.

Sub-theme (2016-2017)

Promoting sustainability and wellbeing (focusing on Cleantech, Health care technologies, Bio-economy, Design, Education, Nature, New ways of working with flexibility on time & location, etc)

Welcome to bring your guests to our meetings!

More information:

Verkkorotary: www.verkkorotary.fi; Rotary district 1420: <http://d1420.rotary.fi>

Interested in becoming a member? Please contact weicommfin@gmail.com

