

REGISTRATION

Before November 30th

\$150 (\$75 with MultiDistrict Conference registration)

After November 30th **\$200**



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Peace Through Service

the road to harmony



Rotary
2019 Victorian
Multi-District
Conference

**Don't miss this opportunity to join leaders
at the Rotary Peacebuilding Summit.**

Melbourne Convention Centre
Friday February 15th 2019



A central goal of Rotary International is the advancement of international understanding harmony, good will and peace. Paul Harris saw “Rotary as a microcosm of the world of peace” and for more than a century Rotarians have strived to attain this goal.

During the 2017-18 Rotary year, RI President Ian Riseley convened six very successful Presidential Conferences in cities around the world.

They brought together academics, political leaders, businesses, community leaders and peace activists to explore building peace and how Rotary can work with others to prevent and resolve conflict from international and local perspectives.

The Melbourne *Peace Through Service Summit* will do the same, building on the outcomes of those conferences. It will look at the underlying causes of conflict including poverty, disease, hunger, lack of water and the lack of education.

The Conference will also highlight the areas in which Rotary does its most significant work. The connections between Peace and Rotary’s Areas of Focus are not well understood. No area of focus stands alone. By looking at Peace through our six Areas of Focus participants will gain new insights into how to best leverage our service.

We have planned an outstanding program of inspirational speakers, panel discussions and networking opportunities to recommit our efforts to address some of the most pressing concerns of modern times.

We’ll discuss how collaborative approaches and sound community development through our Areas of Focus projects can create peace and mitigate conflict. You will leave the conference motivated to expand existing efforts and to initiate new ones locally and abroad.

I look forward to seeing you at the Melbourne Conference and Exhibition Centre on Friday 15 February 2019.



PDG Murray Verso
Chair 2019 Peace through Service Summit



MC Brittany Arthur

- MC of the 2018 Rotary International Convention, Toronto.
- Member of the Rotary International Joint Committee for Young Leaders and Alumni Engagement.
- Former Ambassadorial Scholar from District 9810 to Germany.
- Past President of Rotaract Club of Berlin, currently a member of the Rotary Club of Berlin International.
- International business development consultant in Germany, Japan & Australia .



Ian H.S. Riseley OAM
President Rotary International
2017 – 2018



Steve Killelea AM,
Founder & Executive
Chairman
Institute for Economics and
Peace (IEP)



Bryn Styles
Chair Rotary Peace Centres
Committee, Chair, Rotary
Cadre of Technical Advisers
2018-19, Past RI Director,
Past Rotary Foundation
Trustee



Dr Edna Adan Ismail
Humanitarian / Former
politician in Somaliland.
Activist against female genital
mutilation.
Director and founder of the
Edna Adan Maternity Hospital



Tony Stuart
Chief Executive Officer of
UNICEF Australia will be
involved in the Rotary Australia
Centenary Project involving
immunising children in the
South Pacific.



A/Prof Tilman Ruff AM
Founder of International
Campaign to Abolish Nuclear
Weapons
Nobel Peace Prize winner

Further outstanding speakers and innovative program highlights will be announced over the weeks ahead