Europe
Rotaract

European Rotaract Information Centre

E.R.I.C - Rotaract Europe

What is it?

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It is a Multi District Information Organization (MDIO)

According to Rotary International Code:

"Rotaract Multidistrict Information Organizations. Districts may develop a multi district organisation for the purpose of disseminating information and facilitating communication between Rotaract clubs in the district concerned […]"

The organization has no decision making or legislative powers, except for decisions concerning the activities of the organization

Is it the only one?

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No, but it's the oldest one!

Examples of other MDIOs in the World.

1. Mediterranean MDIO (MED MDIO)
2. RGBI (Rotaract Great Britain & Ireland)
3. MDIO Philippines
4. MDIO Australia
5. MDIO South Asia

What are its goals?

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- Develop and strengthen international relationships between Rotaract clubs and members all over Europe and the World
- Facilitate and exchange communication between participating districts and clubs
- Foster international relationships throughout Rotary and Rotaract Encourage collaboration on international projects
- To educate, organize international events and conferences, and provide scholarships to the Rotaract members.

In other words…

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We aim to

CONNECT European Rotaractors

In order for them to

LEARN from each other

So that we can

IMPACT our communities

A bit of history

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1985

Rotaractors from different European Countries were invited to attend bi-annual CIP meeting. They felt a need to create something to able retractors in Europe to connect.

1987

One of those Rotaractors, Jan Huygens is elected DRR of D2170 (Belgium)

1988

The European Rotaract Information Center is founded.

The first Rotaract European Convention happens in Antwerp.

The first European Committee was created with one representative per Country. (Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and Turkey)

1993

E.R.I.C. was officially recognized by Rotary International as an MDIO thus becoming the first international MDIO in the Rotary world.

Some numbers

Europe Rotaract

46
Countries
(and Country representatives)

Rotaract

25000+
Members

8
Executive Board
Members

115
Districts

In flags

Europe Rotaract

- Albania
- Andorra
- Armenia
- Austria
- Azerbaijan
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Bosnia and H.
- Bulgaria
- Croatia
- Cyprus
- Czech Rep.
- Denmark
- Estonia
- Finland
- FYROM
- France
- Georgia
- Germany
- Greece
- Hungary
- Ireland
- Italy
- Latvia
- Liechtenstein
- Lithuania
- Luxembourg
- Malta
- Moldova
- Monaco
- Montenegro
- Norway
- Poland
- Portugal
- Romania
- Russia
- San Marino
- Serbia
- Slovakia
- Slovenia
- Spain
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Netherlands
- Turkey
- UK
- Ukraine

SOCIAL PROJECT - End Plastic Now

End Plastic Now

- Starts 3rd of November and ends 17th of March
- The project is free of choice: hands on- project, educational project, social media campaign
- One club can do one project or many project related to the issue; it has to be club level projects
- Everything that the club does, should be posted to Instagram/Twitter/ Facebook with ***#rotaractendplasticnow*** and ***#rotaracteurope***
- We will be following and some project will be rewarded in EUCO
- The instruction manual will be sent to you after the meeting
- You should share it with your DRRs :)

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E.R.I.C. AWARDS 2018/19

Best European Service Project

€ 500 1st

€ 300 2nd

€ 150 3rd

Best Rotary-Rotaract Collaboration (Included in BESP)

Twin Club Award

€ 500 1st

€ 300 2nd

€ 150 3rd

OFFICIAL EVENTS - what & why?

E.R.I.C. has three yearly main events: 2 Rotaract European Meetings (REM) and 1 European Convention (EuCo)

Service

Training

Friendship

OFFICIAL EVENTS - When?

01-05.05.19

24-27.10.19

16-19.01.19

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