

ROTARY DISTRICT 6440 *Rotary International Convention* Taipei, June 12 – 16, 2021

July 1, 2020

TO : ALL CLUB PRESIDENTS, DISTRICT LEADERSHIP AND DISTRICT 6440 ROTARIANS
 FROM : Lyle Staab, District 6440 Governor 2020-2021
 RE : TAIPEI CONVENTION HOUSING PLANS



您好 “Nín hǎo” Rotarians! Ann Marie and I invite you to join us to “Feel the Energy” at the Taipei RI Convention, June 12-16, 2021.

This is your chance to travel to Taipei to experience Taiwan's capital city, a cultural and financial hub teeming with scooters, skyscrapers and ancient temples. Taiwan's capital has reaped the financial rewards of democracy since its 1949 split from the mainland, and it is now one of the most prosperous, and thriving cities in Asia. Visit Taipei, where Chinese, Japanese and Western cultures collide, and the old worlds meet the 21st century.

Whether a first-time attendee or a past-, the Taipei R I Convention will be a must experience, rich in not only plenary sessions, workshops and breakouts on current topics, a delightful House of Friendship and a plethora of exhibits; but energized by the people of Taipei. For more than 110 years, Rotary's people of action have used their passion, energy, and intelligence to take action on sustainable projects. From literacy and peace to water and health, we are always working to better our world, and we stay committed to the end. Solving real problems takes real commitment and vision.

Rotarians are free to make their own reservations at a hotel of choice separate from our District 6440. However, to accommodate 6440 Rotarians, our District has blocked a limited number of rooms at **The Grand Hyatt Taipei**. Located right next to the world famous landmark Taipei 101 with a connecting bridge, Grand Hyatt Taipei is directly adjacent to Taipei World Trade Center and Taipei International Convention Center as a part of the World Trade Center complex in the Xinyi District, the most cosmopolitan and wealthiest district of Taipei. The area, Xinyi District, is dotted with upscale eateries, shopping arcades, entertainment complexes as well as night markets, making it a popular tourist destination. The Grand Hyatt Taipei is a little over 5 miles away from the TaiNEX Conference Center in Nangang District where the R I Convention will take place.

This group housing booking is made through Experient, R I's official housing partner. Prices below are in Taiwan Dollars; the final charge will be determined by the exchange rate at check-out time. Rates below are for single and double occupancy respectively. A two-night non-refundable deposit is required to reserve your room. The number of rooms reserved is limited. A timely response is recommended. If you have already arranged for housing, or do not plan to stay at our District 6440 housing selection, please let us know ASAP. Any unreserved rooms in the block will be released on **August 30, 2020**.

We look forward to the pleasure of your company in Taipei.

Individual hotel reservations can be made independently of the above by calling the customer service desk at Experient directly · 847 996 5885 - 1-800-650-6913 (toll-free, North America) or online: <https://registration.experientevent.com/showROT211/>

----- RESERVATION FORM -----

To: Marianna Zeidler, District 6440 Coordinator
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E-mail: RotaryMari@yahoo.com

Please make hotel reservations for Taipei, Taiwan as follows: June 12-16, 2021 (*exchange rate at check-out time will be applied*)

[] **Single Occupancy** NT\$6607 (~US\$230*) per night.

[] **Double Occupancy** – NT\$7993 (~US\$275*) per night

NAME(S) _____ # IN PARTY _____ CLUB _____

HOME ADDRESS: _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____ PHONE _____

E-mail _____ [] Attached is my check for \$ _____ made to **Rotary District 6440**.

[] I/We have already secured housing at _____ (*name of hotel/housing option*)