



7 July 2017

Dear Michel,

I am looking forward to welcoming you and our colleagues to the Rotary Representatives' Meeting 17-18 July in Evanston!

External Relations and I are in the process of finalizing the meeting agenda and we would like to invite you to lead a small group discussion on the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals during a workshop from 10:45-11:45 am on Tuesday, 18 July entitled *Hot Topics and Thought Leadership in 2017-18*.

The hour long session will address some of the main issues on the international agenda including:

- UN Sustainable Development Goals
- Environment and Climate Change
- Responsible Business and Inclusive Economic Development
- Migration and Refugees
- Women and Girls

The session will start with a brief overview of Thought Leadership by the facilitator. From there Representatives will break into small groups to discuss the best ways to approach the subject from a Rotary perspective.

As a discussion leader, we ask that you become familiar with the topic and be ready to discuss how you have addressed the subject at your organization and within the Rotary world. Please note that simultaneous French, Spanish and English interpretation will be available.

Please let Jane or Bryant know if you are willing to lead this discussion.

I look forward to seeing you in Evanston.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ed Futa". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Ed Futa

Dean of the Rotary Representative Network