

# A PEACE CONFERENCE FOR ALL... JOIN US!



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### WORLD PEACE CONFERENCE 2017

ROTARY WORKS FOR PEACE

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**THE ROTARY PEACE CONFERENCE** will focus on how to prevent and mediate conflict. It is an incredible opportunity to exchange ideas and solutions with leaders and experts in conflict resolution and prevention.

The objective of the peace conference is to empower community leaders, Rotarians and others to participate in and actively propagate practicing peace in their communities.

This two-day event will be hosted by the Michigan, Northern Indiana, and Southern Ontario based Rotary clubs representing over 10,000 Rotarians.

Leading experts, authors and scholars specializing in peace and conflict resolution have been invited from government, business, health care, media and faith-based organizations to discuss these complex issues.



# PROGRAM

#### FEATURED SPEAKER

Jody Williams Nobel Peace Prize Laureate (1997) Chair, Nobel Women's Initiative

- Carrie Hessler-Radelet, Director, Peace Corps (invited)
- John Germ, Rotary International President, 2016-17
- Other Rotary Dignitaries
- Peace Scholars from US, Canada and UK
- Dynamic, breakout sessions



# **MORE THAN JUST ENDING WARS**

Promoting peace is more than just ending armed conflicts. To truly bring about peace, we must address underlying issues including:

- Peace and Conflict Resolution
- Poverty, Hunger and Health
- Role of Faith-based Organizations
- Role of Media in Peace-making
- Preserving Basic Human Rights
- Violence Prevention
- Involving Youth in Peace & Conflict Resolution

## **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

- The general public
- Rotarians from around the world
- Foundations, Peace Centers, Faith-based organizations, Universities, Community Organizations and other Peace and justice focused entities
- Youth from universities and high schools including
- Rotaractors and Interactors

## **GET INVOLVED**

- Register now at www.2017peaceconference.org
- Invite like-minded organizations in your community to sponsor and attend the event
- Volunteer to help
- Support fund raising efforts by contacting local businesses, corporations and foundations.