



Rotary's Progress in Eastern Europe and in the Balkans

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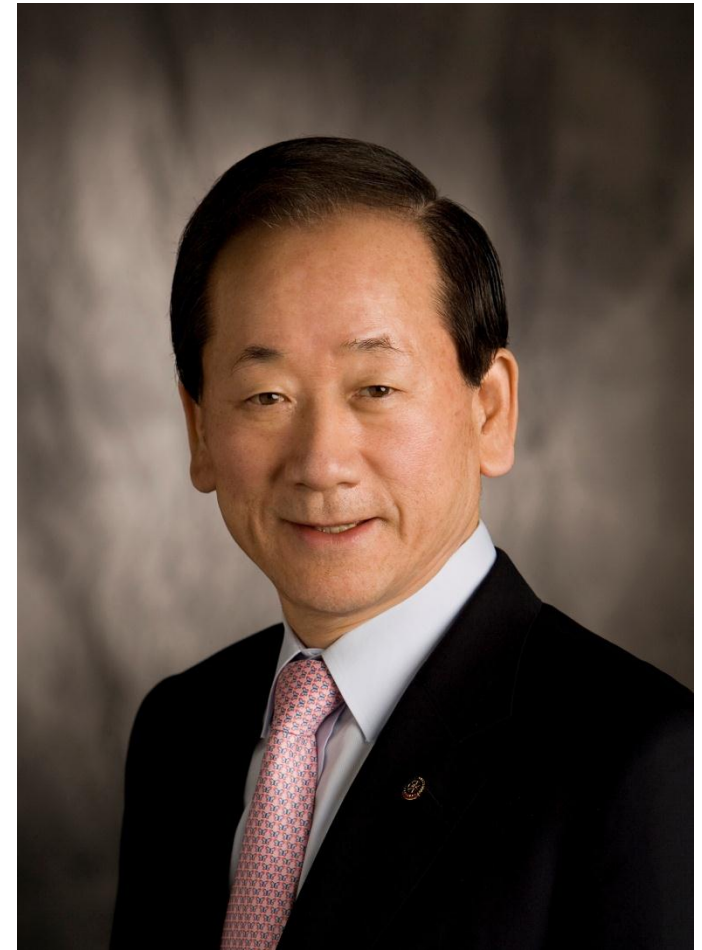


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„My country Korea has shared a similar history of war, occupation and restoration. Because of this, we all share the same urge to help heal the wounds caused by past conflict: through service, fellowship and friendship.“





Conference in Vienna

evaluated the history and the results
within 20 years after the fall of Communist regimes
In Eastern Europe and emphasized the big progress
of rebuilding Rotary in this area.



Thanks to you!

It was done too much with the tireless willingness of Districts and RCs specially in Austria, Italy, France, Germany, Nederland, Greece, Israel and many others
In West Europe to revive Rotary in Eastern Europe and Balkan countries.



Progress from the Strategic Plan's Perspective



MISSION

We provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through our fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders.

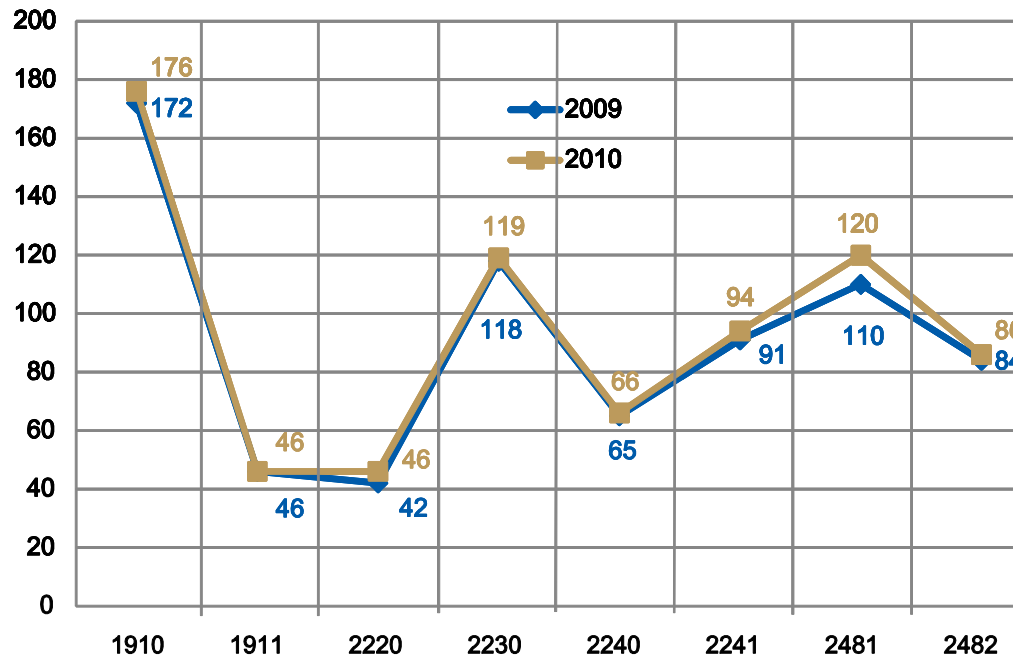
We stand before the Strategic Plan that has 3 pillars

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Strategic Plan's the 1st pillar

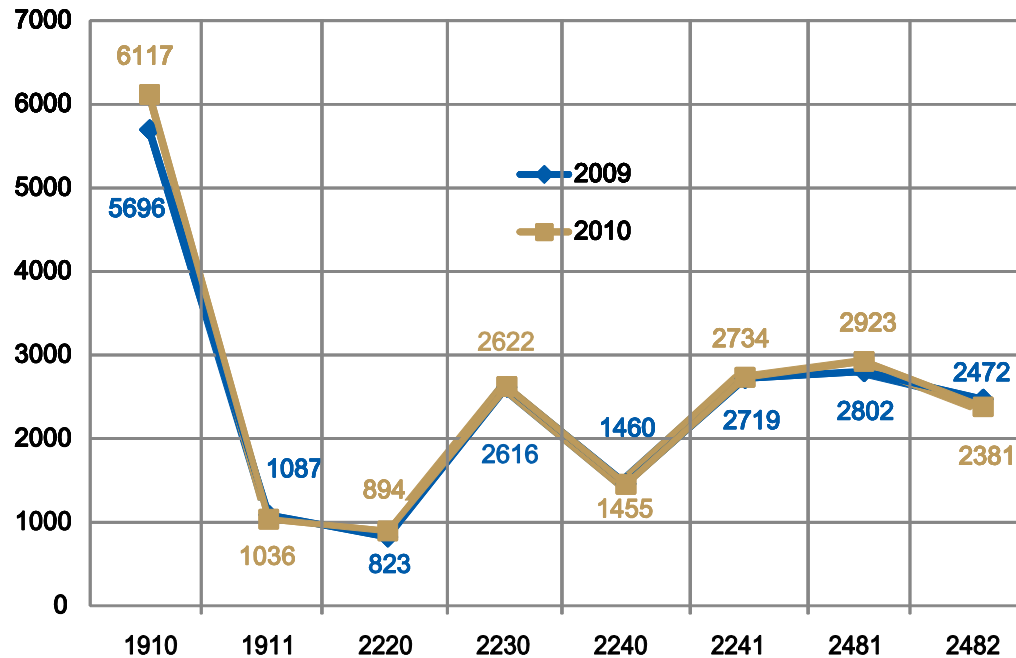
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Membership growth (Districts)





Strategic Plan's the 1st pillar

Support and strenghten Clubs
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Membership growth (members)





Strategic Plan's the 2nd pillar

Focus and increase Humanitarian Service

There are so many examples

- ❖ rebuilding Mostar bridge
- ❖ assistance to mine victims
- ❖ MABU – Mother Baby Unit
- ❖ Hospital in Srebrenica
- ❖ Save a child's hart
- ❖ Many, many MGs with RCs in West Europe





Strategic Plan's the 3rd pillar

- ❖ Enhance public image and awareness
- ❖ There are examples of the different languages Rotary magazines in this area





New history – new future

- ❖ Redistrictation is in a process
- ❖ in District 1910 – Austria, Slovenija, Croatia, BiH
- ❖ June 2011
- ❖ in District 2230 – Poland, Ukrajine, Bela Rus
- ❖ in District 2481 – Greece, Serbia, Montenegro, Macedonia,
- ❖ Kosovo

Balkan Countries are multiethnic, but Rotarians emphasize peace and interethnic understanding

There are the problems, of course, but they urge all of us to greater efforts in Service above self.



Eastern Europe and Balkans

Rotary CAN and WILL grow

Rotary clubs in this part of the world will contribute to the next development of Rotary

It is the PROGRESS