

# Meet Bartek Nowierski

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Bartek has spent the last seven years at Google where he works on automated updates (we all use them; but they are invisible and under the surface). He spent the previous seven years at Microsoft where he worked on virtualization.



Before that Bartek was a student in his native Poland at Poznan University of Technology where he studied Computer Science, earning both BS and MS degrees with a Summa Cum Laude medal.

Bartek is a member of the Mensa Society, as their website says, “...To qualify for Mensa, you scored in the top two percent of the general population on an accepted standardized intelligence test (an IQ test)”. One of their goals is to "Identify and foster human intelligence for the benefit of humanity". Now I won't ask how many other Rotarians are Mensa members, but if you are, please say hello to Bartek after the meeting.

Students he prepared have won three worldwide first place high profile competitions in Computer Design, Programming, and the Microsoft Imagine Cup. As you can see, he is pretty smart and good at what he does. Long term he would like to form a technology start-up company.

Now outside of the tech world, Bartek is even more interesting:

- He is a licensed Real Estate broker, he owns and invests.
- He is a Class 12 Mixologist and bartends for friends and organizes large events.
- He enjoys snowboarding, chess, and bridge.
- And Bartek is Chief Volunteer for the Polish Festival Society.

He likes the Table Talks at Seattle Rotary and feels we should do them more often, keeping them short so that everyone at the table can contribute, which helps us get to know one another and follow up on interests afterwards.

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