



**ROTARY CONVENTION**  
**1-5 JUNE 2019**  
**HAMBURG, GERMANY**



## JANUARY 2019 CONVENTION NEWS

We're excited you're joining us at the Rotary International Convention in Hamburg, Germany, 1-5 June. This issue of Convention News contains important program updates to help you plan your convention experience.

We have our first group of speakers!

- [Steve Farber](#), Founder and Chair of the Extreme Leadership Institute
- [Daniel Flynn](#), Co-founder and Managing Director of Thankyou
- [Timotheus Höttges](#), CEO of Deutsche Telekom AG
- [Dr. Pia Skarabis-Querfeld](#), MD, Chairwoman of the Board, [Medizin Hilft](#), member of the Rotary Club of Kleinmachnow
- [Peter Tschentscher](#), First Mayor of the Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg

From Monday through Wednesday, 3-5 June, you can choose from nearly 100 breakout sessions on various topics. Here's a peek at the sessions being developed:

- Strengthen your club — Learn strategies that will keep members engaged and inspire others to join the Rotary family.
- Learn from experts — The Rotary Business School is back, offering in-depth presentations by executives and professional speakers.
- Connect and take action — Meet Rotarians and Rotaractors who are tackling the world's biggest challenges, and learn how you can help.

Check out a preliminary list of all the [breakout sessions](#) at [riconvention.org](http://riconvention.org).

Don't miss your chance to experience Hamburg like a local. Hamburg **Host Organization Committee** events are almost sold out. See what's still available and [purchase tickets](#) before it's too late.

**Have you attended other Rotary Conventions?** [Share your favorite convention memory](#) with us for a chance to be featured on Rotary's social media channels and at the 2019 convention in Hamburg.