



ZONTA DISTRICT 30 CONFERENCE

SEPTEMBER 22 - 24, 2017
HEIDELBERG/GERMANY



Dear Zontians,

It is my pleasure to invite you cordially and to welcome you to the

**District 30 Conference in Heidelberg,
22-24 September 2017**
under the motto
Women's Future is Now.

Our hosts, the Zonta Clubs Heidelberg and Heidelberg Kurpfalz and the District Conference Committee chaired by Carol Bacchus-Wermke and Gesche Wolf-Zimper are busy preparing a well-organized and pleasant conference with wonderful events around the business sessions. We will be able to enjoy unique fellowship with Zontians from the eight countries in our district and capture the spirit of romantic Heidelberg with its castle and the oldest university in Germany. Zonta International Vice President, Sharon Langenbeck, will honor us with her presence.

The object of the conference is to report and inform you about the activities in our district and on the level of Zonta International since the District Conference in Nîmes in 2015 and elect our future district leaders. The conference language will be English; we are happy to provide you with a professional translation service into French and Italian during the business session on Saturday.

On Friday afternoon and Sunday morning in interactive workshops with breakout groups in different languages we will discuss questions related to Zonta International's Centennial in 2019: How do we handle the challenges of the present and the future to empower women? What will Zonta stand for in 10, 20 and 50 years?

The workshop on Friday starts at 13:30 hrs. If you arrive early, we propose you participate in the tour of the city of Heidelberg starting at 10:00 hrs. The end of the conference is planned for Sunday, 12:30 hrs.

Information about the District 30 Conference will soon be published on the new District 30 website:

<http://zontadistrict30.org/en/district30-conference>.

You will receive the **Invitation to the District Conference** at the latest 120 days before the conference.

I look forward to seeing many of you in Heidelberg and to sharing a wonderful experience with you.
Save the Date! Herzlich willkommen!

Yours in Zonta

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Sigrid Duden'.

Sigrid Duden
Governor District 30