District Conference, Reykjavík 14-16 September 2017

Program:

Thursday 14 September

17:00 – 18:30 Reception at Reykjavík City Hall

Registration open

Friday 15 September

Venue: Hotel Hilton Reykjavík Nordica

08:00 – 9:00 Registration

09:00 – 10:30 **Opening session**

Musical performance

Welcome by president of the Zontaclub Sunnur, Dagný Sigurbjörg Jónsdóttir

Eliza Jane Reid, the First Lady of Iceland, addresses the conference

9:45 – 10:30 **Key note presentation:** *Arabic Women in Akureyri*

Andrea Hjálmsdóttir, assistant professor, the University of Akureyri

Fayrouz Nouh, MA student at the University of Akureyri

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 – 12:30 **Presentations on Zonta Issues**

ZI President Sonja Honig Schough addresses the conference

Presentation by ZI liaison to District 13 Lydia Chaillou

Presentation by ZI Advocacy Committee Chair PIP Maria José ∅stergård Landeira

12:30 – 13:30 Buffet Lunch

13:30 – 15:00 **Business session**

15:00 – 15:30 Coffee break

15:30 – 16:45 **Workshops**

A *Zonta and the UN*

B *Membership matters*

C *Public Relations and Social Media*

16:45 – 17:00 Wrap up of workshops

19:30 – 22:00 Dinner at Zonta homes

Note: Taxis available from Hilton Nordica at 19:15, registration needed

Saturday 16 September

Venue: Hotel Hilton Reykjavík Nordica

09:00 – 09:30 **Presentation of a successful project:** Karen Marie Hougård, Zontaclub of Sønderborg. *Zonta Summer School in Greenland.*

09:30 – 10:00 **Key note presentation**: *Towards a better society*

Sigríður Björk Guðjónsdóttir, District Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police. “

10:00 – 10:30 Entertainment

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 – 12:30 **Presentations on Zonta Issues**

Anne Kuhnell, Foundation Ambassador and Chair of the Service Committee of District 13.

Lydia Chaillou , ZI liaison to District 13. *Centennial Anniversary Endowment Campaign.*

Ragna Karlsdóttir, Chair of the District 13 Centennial Anniversary Committee

12:30 – 13:30 Buffet lunch

13:30 – 15:00 **Business session continues**

15:00 Meeting adjourned

15:00 – 18:00 Norwegian meeting, meeting room G, Hotel Hilton Nordica

19:00 - 23:00 **Cocktails and Closing Banquet** at Iðnó, downtown Reykjavík

Sunday 17 September

Excursions and going home