**Toastmasters members elect Andrew Horberry to International Board**

Toronto resident becomes new director of global educational organization

**ENGLEWOOD, Colo., Aug. 20, 2025** — Andrew Horberry, DTM, of Toronto, Ontario, Canada, has been elected to the Board of Directors of [Toastmasters International](http://www.toastmasters.org), the world’s leading organization devoted to communication and leadership skills development. Horberry was elected to the 2025–2027 two-year term at the organization’s 2025 International Convention, held in Philadelphia, PA, United States, Aug. 20-23.

Andrew Horberry, DTM, of Toronto, Ontario, Canada, is a retired marketing communications professional who worked alongside the C-suites of Fortune 500 companies creating their pitches to critical audiences (investors, dealers, media, and the public), and then collaborated with creative teams to visualize and emotionalize the presentations. He also project managed complex, multi-disciplinary and, often, multi-million-dollar, integrated marketing projects, articulating strategy and reporting outcomes.

Horberry holds a Master of Business Administration degree with Distinction from the London Business School. He considers himself a continuous learner; as his work roles changed, he became a Certified Meeting Professional, and later, a SHRM (Society for Human Resource Management) Certified Professional. In addition to Toastmasters, he has served on boards of not-for-profits (Traverse Theatre, Youth & Music, Church Wellesley Neighbourhood Association) and for-profits (Imagination, The Leith Agency). He recently became Honorary Secretary of the St Andrew's Society of Toronto, a cultural and charitable nonprofit that promotes all aspects of Scottish culture.

A Toastmaster since 2005, Horberry is a member of his home club, Bay Street Breakfast Club, in Toronto. He has held several high-profile leadership positions within Toastmasters and has attained the Distinguished Toastmaster designation—the highest level of educational achievement in the organization.

He says he joined Toastmasters as a new immigrant, hoping to learn how to "speak Canadian,” but “more importantly than that, I discovered the way in to a global organization that exemplifies all the positive values my parents instilled in me, and that the world very desperately needs more of: civility, the ability to have a reasoned disagreement with someone, and the joy of human connection across borders.”

As an officer of the Toastmasters International Board of Directors, Horberry is a “working ambassador” for the organization. He works with the Board to develop, support, and modify the policies and procedures that guide Toastmasters International in fulfilling its mission.

**About Toastmasters International**

Toastmasters International is a nonprofit educational organization that builds confidence and teaches public speaking skills through a worldwide network of clubs that meet online and in person. In a supportive community or corporate environment, members prepare and deliver speeches, respond to impromptu questions, and give and receive constructive feedback. It is through this regular practice that members are empowered to meet personal and professional communication goals. Founded in 1924, the organization is headquartered in Englewood, Colorado with over 270,000 members in more than 14,000 clubs in 150 countries. For information about local Toastmasters clubs, please visit toastmasters.org.

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