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**Subject: Attending Toastmasters International 2021 Virtual Convention**

Will you consider investing in me? I’d like to “make a world of difference” by attending Toastmasters International 2021 Virtual Convention, to be held online from Monday, August 23 through Saturday, August 28, with an all-inclusive fee of only $25 USD. With nearly a 100-year history, Toastmasters is the world leader in public speaking and communication—a nonprofit organization dedicated to teaching communication and leadership skills, with more than 364,000 members participating in more than 16,200-plus clubs across 145 countries.

Last year, Toastmasters unveiled its first-ever online convention format; at a time when fellowship was most needed, it brought together more than 59,000 registrants from 203 countries. Nearly 90% of last year’s online convention-goers were first-time attendees—this year, it would be my privilege to be a part of the online excitement.

Here are just some of the ways the convention will help me make a difference in myself and in our company:

• I’ll learn from four education tracks—**Public Speaking/Stage Presence, Leadership/Professional Development, Self-Improvement, and Dynamic Communication**—each with four sessions led by diverse global speakers and panelists. Since these are available throughout the week, I could watch them when time allows and still keep time-sensitive work commitments.

• I’ll get to personally engage with other attendees about what we learned and how we are going to apply our newfound skills to our personal and professional lives through **education track conclusion sessions**.

• I’ll have the opportunity to network with like-minded **professionals and speakers from around the globe**.

• I’ll be inspired by the thrill and competition of the **World Championship of Public Speaking®,** watching as eight finalists compete for the top speaking honor of World Champion.

• I’ll have some fun participating in group activities like a **mindful mediation, a sing-along, and a walk-around-the-world video event** to benefit charity.

Will you allow me to make an exceptional difference in my speaking/communication/leadership skills through this international convention?

You can learn more about Toastmasters at **www.toastmasters.org**; check out the Toastmasters 2021 Virtual Convention at [**www.toastmasters.org/Convention**](http://www.toastmasters.org/Convention).

Thank you for your consideration!