

TOASTMASTERS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ede Ferrari-D'Angelo 2014-2016 International Director, Region 10

Ede Ferrari-D'Angelo of Orange, California, is a senior manager in the retail industry, responsible for human resource development and marketing and sales. She holds a bachelor's degree in speech communication with an emphasis on intercultural communication from California State University Fullerton in Fullerton, California.

A fitness advocate, Ferrari-D'Angelo opened a fitness center in 1985 in Westminster, California, which specialized in training competitive body builders. She also has hosted a public access program titled "Hooked on Health."

Ferrari-D'Angelo is both a member-at-large of the American Association of University Women and a Junior Achievement volunteer. She regularly makes presentations to high school students as part of California Senator Lou Correa's Young Senators Program.

A dedicated Toastmaster for 27 years, Ferrari-D'Angelo is a member of two clubs, including the Anaheim Breakfast club in Anaheim, California. She has held a number of distinguished leadership positions within the organization and has attained the Distinguished Toastmaster designation—the highest level of achievement in Toastmasters.

"I have learned that what people want most from a leader is fairness, honesty and forthrightness. They want a leader who will create an environment where they can take risks, grow and contribute."

As a member of the Toastmasters International Board of Directors, Ferrari-D'Angelo is a "working ambassador" for the organization. She works with the Board to develop and support the policies and procedures that guide Toastmasters International in fulfilling its mission.

About Toastmasters International

Toastmasters International is a nonprofit educational organization that teaches public speaking and leadership skills through a worldwide network of meeting locations. Headquartered in Rancho Santa Margarita, California, the organization's membership exceeds 313,000 in more than 14,650 clubs in 126 countries. Since 1924, Toastmasters International has helped people of all backgrounds become more confident in front of an audience. For information about local Toastmasters clubs, visit **www.toastmasters.org**. Follow **@Toastmasters** on Twitter.