



### Project Proposal Summary

<b>Rotarian Peace Projects Incubator's Thematic Area</b>	Promoting Dignity in Migrant and Refugee Host Communities
<b>Rotary Focus Area</b>	Community economic development
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<b>Project Title:</b> Provide a full title (and acronym if any)	Our Table & Migrant Catering Initiatives
<b>Project Partners and Participating Organisations:</b>	<b>Our Table (Ireland)</b> <a href="http://www.ourtable.ie">www.ourtable.ie</a>
<b>Geographical Scope</b>	Initially in Ireland – To be expanded across districts
<b>Summary:</b> Please provide a concise summary with a maximum of 500 words outlining the project and explaining the community needs your project will address and how these needs were identified.  Ensure that you include what your project aims to achieve (objective) and how (method/procedure). What will be the main outcomes?  Explain in a few sentences how you will incorporate the objective of sustainability into your project.	<b>Project 3</b> proposes a collaboration between the Rotary Club and migrant-led catering organisations to highlight the beauty and diversity of cooking as a mode of communication between migrant/refugee communities and other communities living in Europe. As the Rotary Club focuses many of its fundraising efforts around food, let us make the breaking of bread a bridge between Rotarians and migrant communities. This project will focus on the importance of food as a form of activism and breaking down of barriers. It will highlight the importance of food in the preservation and celebration of diverse cultural heritages, through the sharing of recipes. It will underline the importance of food in bringing up children in a healthy and dignified manner and draw the attention of the participants to how unacceptable reception conditions can affect family clusters and households. The Ireland-based partner for this project is <i>Our Table</i> ( <a href="http://www.ourtable.ie/">http://www.ourtable.ie/</a> ) run by Ellie Kisyombe. The project also proposes to highlight other refugee groups in Ireland who bring dignity to families through inclusive initiatives such as <i>Every Child is Your Child</i> ( <a href="http://www.everychildireland.org">www.everychildireland.org</a> ) and <i>Cooking for Freedom</i> ( <a href="http://cookingforfreedom.ie">cookingforfreedom.ie</a> ) within fundraising efforts through local Rotary Clubs. <b>Outcomes/Outputs:</b> Collaborating with and supporting migrant-led food initiatives for cooking and catering purposes for Rotary events.
<b>Beneficiaries:</b>	

Who are the beneficiaries?  
Please include the estimated  
number of direct beneficiaries

*Depends on how the project is implemented across districts.  
Requires willingness to source collaborations.*