

ROSANE T. JAHNKE
PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

ROSane T. Jahnke, of Balneário Camboriú, State of Santa Catarina, Brazil, was elected to serve a two-year term as a director of Lions Clubs International at the association's 91st International Convention, held in Bangkok, Thailand, June 23-27, 2008.

Past Director Jahnke is a former teacher, businesswoman and lawyer who has presided over a governmental foundation that regulates all policy related to special education.

A member of the Balneário Camboriu Centro Lions Club and a Lion since 1991, Past Director Jahnke has held many offices within the association, including club president, district governor, council chairperson, and GLT Leader in Brazil. She has also served as a member of the LCIF steering committee. She has attended 23 International Conventions and 19 area forums.

In recognition of her service to the association, Past Director Jahnke has received numerous awards, including the 100% Club President Award, the 100% District Governor Award, eight International President's Medals and the Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest honor the association gives to its members. She is also a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow and a Helen Keller Knight of Sight.

In addition to her Lions activities, Past Director Jahnke has been active in numerous professional and community organizations. She was president of the Federation of Families and Friends of Children with Special Needs and has served as president of the Association of Women Against Cancer.

Past Director Jahnke has three sons, who are also Progressive Melvin Jones Fellows, and five grandchildren, two of whom are also Melvin Jones Fellows.