

HROAR THORSEN
INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

Hroar Thorsen from Larvik, Vestfold, Norway and currently residing in Hjallerup, Brønderslev, Denmark, was elected to serve a two-year term as an international director of Lions Clubs International at the association's 107th international convention in Orlando, Florida, USA July 13 through July 17, 2025.

Director Thorsen has worked with Lions for 20 years. He is currently the general secretary at Lions Norway MD 104, where oversees MD 104's daily operations including finances, decision follow-up, and preparation for the Board of Governors meetings and other relevant events.

Director Thorsen started his journey with Lions International in 1990 as a member of the Larvik/Hedrum Leo Club. He is currently a member of the Larvik Lions Club, where he's served since 1998.

He has held a number of offices within the association, including club secretary, club president, first vice district governor, district governor, vice council chairperson, council chairperson and multiple district Global Leadership Team, among many others.

In recognition of his service to the association, Director Thorsen has received multiple International President's Awards, International President's Leadership Awards and International President's Certificates of Appreciation. He is also a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow.

Director Thorsen's wife, Marianne, is also a Lion.