

BRUNO AHLQVIST
PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

Bruno Ahlqvist, of Gävle, Sweden, was elected to serve a two-year term as a director of The International Association of Lions Clubs at the association's 80th International Convention, held in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA, June 30-July 5, 1997.

Past Director Ahlqvist is an international marketing manager.

A member of the Gävle (Norra) Lions Club since 1977, Past Director Ahlqvist has held many offices within the association, including club president, zone chairman, district governor and council chairman. He has served as extension and development chairman and long-range planning committee chairman for his multiple district. In addition, Past Director Ahlqvist has been a Multiple District Trainer. He is serving as a Lions Clubs International board committee appointee for 1999-2000.

In recognition of his service to the association, he has received numerous awards, including the 100% Club President Award, the 100% District Governor Award, two Extension Awards, two International President's Awards and an Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest honor granted by the association to its members. He is also a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow and has received the Golden Lion, the highest award granted in Sweden.

Past Director Ahlqvist and his wife, Inger, also a Lion, have one son and one daughter.