



### Join Redwood City International!

- Develop relationships with people from other cultures and countries.
- Participate in cultural exchanges.
- Help develop cultural and business opportunities.
- Share information on education, government, healthcare, sports, and more.
- Have an opportunity to travel as a delegate to China, Mexico, and other countries.

### Membership Registration Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### Membership Categories

- ☐ Individual - \$50
- ☐ Couples - \$85
- ☐ Senior (70+) - \$35
- ☐ Small Business - \$150 (<10 employees)
- ☐ Business - \$300 (>10 employees)

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## What is Redwood City International?

Redwood City International (RCI) is a member of Sister Cities International, an international, nonprofit organization promoting sister city relationships. RCI's mission is to promote international understanding through people-to-people diplomacy and advance cultural awareness in Redwood City. Our current sister cities are **Zhuhai, China**, **Ciudad Guzmán, Mexico**, and **Colima, Mexico**. We also have established a *friendship city* relationship with **Qingyuan, China**.

You can learn more about Sister Cities International by visiting their website at: [www.sister-cities.org](http://www.sister-cities.org).

## Current Activities

RCI activities include: hosting sister city delegations, interns and other visitors, visiting sister cities as ambassadors from Redwood City, and establishing cultural or educational exchanges of mutual interest. Local activities include: organizing and partnering to put on cultural festivals, educational forums and fundraising to support these efforts. Cultural festivals include: Lunar New Year Festival and Fiestas Patrias.

## History of Redwood City International

1980's	Early business ties between the Port of Redwood City and Port of Zhuhai, China.
1990	Redwood City International becomes a member of Sister Cities International though the partnership between a group of residents and the City of Redwood City.
1993	Zhuhai, China becomes Redwood City's first sister city.
1998	Colima, Mexico joins as a Redwood City sister city.
2013	Ciudad Guzmán, Mexico joins as a Redwood City sister city.
2015	Qingyuan, China becomes Redwood City's first friendship city.
Today	Activities between RCI and our sister and friendship cities continue to provide a strong cultural and educational bond for all participants.

## How can I participate?

Volunteer to help with one of RCI's cultural events or committees, support or attend the different RCI events and festivals throughout Redwood City, or join our Board of Directors. RCI members can assist with committees and various activities without serving on the Board and no prior experience is required.

## You can contact us at:

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