

MEAAG UPDATE

Sahar Fahmy, MEAAG member and founder of the Montgomery County Rotary Satellite club focused on women's issues, and Montgomery County Middle Eastern Liaison Arwa ElBoraei attended the June 23rd Organization of American States-Rotary Club of Washington Global event on the refugee crisis in Latin America. Speakers included the OAS Secretary General, the General Secretary of Rotary International, and the Foreign Ministers of Colombia and El Salvador, as well as representatives from the private sector and civil society working with refugees.

Ms. Fahmy has served as President-Elect of the Gaithersburg Rotary and applied successfully for a Rotary 7620 District Grant (donate a meal and support a local business) enabling both the Gaithersburg Rotary and the Satellite club to purchase 100 meals for the MoCo Services to End and Prevent Homeless (SEPH). SEPH distributed them to needy families during the pandemic. Through these efforts, she is helping MEAAG expand business, diplomatic, and humanitarian networks and information-sharing.