JUAN MANUEL "POLLO" CÁCERES LEO-LION BOARD LIAISON

Juan Manuel "Pollo" Cáceres, from Fray Bentos, Uruguay, was appointed by International President Jung-Yul Choi to serve as a Leo-Lion Board Liaison of Lions Clubs International from 2020 through 2021.

Juan, or "Pollo" as he is known by many, has been an active Leo since joining the Fray Bentos Leo Club in 2007. He transitioned to a Leo-Lion in 2017 and is currently serving as a member of Montevideo Ansina Lions Club and Montevideo Ansina Leo Club.

As a part of the Leo program, he has held a number of offices including club president and multiple district president. He served as the organizing committee secretary in 2018 for ELAC Uruguay, was appointed as the registration committee chairperson for the 2018 FOLAC Forum - Uruguay and spoke as a 2019 Leo Advisory Panelist representing CA3 at FOLAC Foum - Rosario. As a Lion he served as vice president and secretary for his club, and as district cabinet treasurer as well as district GLT chairperson.

Pollo is a human resources analyst for the Technological University of Uruguay and manages human resources for the Southwest Regional Technological Institute. He holds a bachelor's degree as a legal procurator and postgraduate degrees in Information Systems of Organizations and IT Business Management. Pollo is also a certified international swimming referee for the South American Swimming Confederation.

In recognition of his service, Pollo has received a number of awards including a presidential certificate of appreciation from PIP Yngvadottir for his role at ELAC Uruguay and a presidential certificate from PIP Aggarwal in recognition of his dedication to serving his district.

Leo-Lion Board Liaison Pollo is passionate about supporting environmental projects and is committed to representing the voice of Leos and young Lions around the world. His vision for the future of Lions is to empower every generation to better serve their communities.