



## LESI International Management & Delegates Meeting (IMDM)

Montréal, Canada  
30 April 2023

### 2023 LES Society Fact Sheet

Thank you for providing us with an updated LES Society Fact Sheet. This information helps us share your annual activities with the LESI Board and the Membership Committee. We have also asked for (optional) data on your members (while helpful, we appreciate that not all societies might have this data).

#### SOCIETY INFORMATION

**SOCIETY NAME:** LES USA & Canada

#### CONTACT PERSON

*(This person is responsible for communication with & timely submissions to the LESI Office. You may alternatively update your information directly on the website [here](#) and indicate below that it is up to date)*

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#### CURRENT SOCIETY OFFICERS

**President:** Karthika Perumal

**Secretary:** Louise Levien

**Treasurer:** Michele Riley

**Society Administrator(s):** John Lessard, April Veilleux, Stacey Ramsey

**Delegates:**

*(please provide delegate e-mail addresses)*

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**Term of Current Society Officers/ Date of Next Change of Officers:**

*(please notify LESI with a complete list of officers when the change takes place)*

*Karthika Perumal, President and Chair*

*Scott Williams, Past President and Past Chair*

*Ann Cannoni, President-Elect*

**Annual Membership Dues:** \$395-Regular/\$195-Emerging Leader/\$1,995-IP Owner Group Member/\$195-Emeritus/\$55-Student/\$0-Lifetime/\$500-Standards - US Dollars

*(please note currency and any categories of membership)*

## MEMBERSHIP DATA

Category	Total Number	% Change from last year
<b>Total Number of Members:</b> <i>(please also note separately categories of membership)</i> Regular - 1162 Emerging Leader - 119 Emeritus - 22 IP Owner Group Member Reps - 331 Lifetime - 20 Student - 29  <i>Any one of the 52 members of the LES Standards Development Organization are counted as LES members only if they have paid the LES membership dues.</i>	1683	About a 20% increase over prior year
<b>Young Members (&lt; 40 years of age):</b>	45	

**Date and Location of Next Annual General Meeting (AGM):** October 15, 2023 (Chicago)

**Notable Society Activities / Educational Events during the past year:**  
*(please include the date, purpose and number of attendees)*

15 education courses with over 200 registrants in 2022  
36 webinars with 926 registrants and over 607 attendees in 2022  
World IP Day – April 26, 2022 – 135 registrants and 87 attendees.  
2022 Annual Meeting – October 16-19, 2022 (San Francisco, CA) – 400 attendees

**Please List Your Professional Committees** (e.g., Education, Life Sciences, Transportation):

Committees - Public Policy, Valuation & Pricing, Young Members Congress  
Sectors – Consumer Products, Life Sciences, Physical Sciences, Industry-University-Government Interface, High Technology

**Does your society have (or plan to start) a Young Members Congress (YMC)? Would your Society be interested in becoming more involved in WILA?** If so, please provide a contact for each.

Yes, we have a Young Members Congress – Chair is Shayne Phillips [shayne.phillips@gmail.com](mailto:shayne.phillips@gmail.com) (201 LES members)

**How can LESI or other LES Societies further support you?**

*Provide consolidated efforts for website update/enhancements*

Report completed by :       /Karthika Perumall       Date :       April 4, 2023

# Appendix

## Additional LES Society Membership Data

*If known:*

	Total Number	% Change from last year
<b>Lawyers or patent agents in --</b>		
private practice:		
law/patent firm:		
production or sales company (goods and materials):		
IP consulting or transaction entity (NOT production/sales):		
<b>Non-lawyers/non-patent/trademark agents in --</b>		
law/patent firm:		
production or sales company (goods and materials):		
IP consulting or transaction entity (NOT production/sales):		
<b>Other members</b> (please define):		
<b>Female Members:</b>	292	