

# LESI International Management & Delegates Meeting (IMDM)

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## 2024 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: LICENSING EXECUTIVES SOCIETY INDIA

#### **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: Ms. Richa Pandey Secretary: Ms. Lakshika Joshi

Treasurer:

Society Administrator(s): Mr. Hemang Shah

Delegates: Ms. Richa Pandey, Mr. Rajan Ailavadi

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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)

Annual Membership Dues: (8000/- @ 18% GST) Total 9440/- INR

(please note currency and any categories of membership)

#### **MEMBERSHIP DATA**

Category	Total Number	% Change from last year
Total Number of Members: (please also note separately categories of membership)		

2023	71	
2024 (till the date of 04 April, 2024)	33	53.52
Young Members (< 40 years of age):	15	

#### **SOCIETY ACTIVITIES**

#### Date and Location of Next Annual General Meeting (AGM):

#### Notable Society Activities / Educational Events during the past year:

(please include the date, purpose and number of attendees)

#### • "IP & START UP ECOSYSTEM IN INDIA"

This workshop was organised by LES India and DuxLegis Attorneys to celebrate National Science Day on February 28, 2023. The theme of this National Science Day 2023 was "Global Science for Global Wellbeing". We had the opportunity to educate and empower the students about the importance of intellectual property protection and how it can benefit their future entrepreneurial endeavours. We provided students with follow-up support, such as materials, resources, and contact information, to help them apply what they learned and get further assistance if needed. Workshop was a massive success, and we are proud to have been a part of the students' entrepreneurial journey.

#### • "IP & START UP CONCLAVE-2023" AT AKOT, INDIA

The conclave was attended by more than 400 participants which includes youths and women self help group members. We explained the Start UP Policy of Government of India and Maharashtra State Government in detail. LES India President - Adv. Richa Pandey explained the importance of LES and benefits of LES in Start UP Ecosystem in India. She also explained concepts of Designs, Trademarks and Patents in simple words. Successful start up founders were felicitated in this event. Sameer Joshi, Founder & Chairman Transcender Services Pvt. Ltd, Ajinkya Kottawar, President Dnyan Foundation, & Naman Komre, Mumbai based software expert and CEO of NEVO Mobiles Pvt. Ltd were felicitated at this Conclave. They all shared their success stories which inspired the participants.

#### LES INDIA WEBINAR ON ROYALTY BASED IP ON AUGUST 10, 2023 AT 04.30PM

Our Speakers Mr. Tarun Khurana of Khurana & Khurana, Dr. Fernando Da Cruz Vasconcellos who specialises in the valuation of portfolio companies, Dr. Anke Nestler is recognized expert with many years of experience in complex advisory matters located in Germany. We had around 100 plus participants.

The webinar provided an overview of the various types, fundamentals, and approaches of IP Valuation and answers to frequently asked questions, focusing on:

- 1. Exemplary Scenarios in which Royalty-Relief or Royalty-Based Valuation makes
- 2. Techniques to undertake Royalty-Based Valuation and typical assumptions made during the process
- 3. Exemplary case studies showcasing royalty-oriented valuation exercises

#### WILA Speaker Series 2023-24 "Life Coach Gayatri Bajpai talks to us about the power of loving ourselves"

Ms. Gayatri Bajpai our speaker of the day is Life motivational Coach. Academically, her schooling was from Calcutta. Ms. Bajpai holds a Degree in English, Economics & Political Science and Post Graduation Degree in Marketing Management from Symbioses College. She completed my "Heal Your Life" teacher training and "Heal Your Life" coach training in Singapore under the guidance of Dr Patricia Crane and Rick Nichols.

In the tapestry of life, opportunities often knock softly, inviting us to open the door to new possibilities. Embracing change and growth begins with a fundamental act: learning to love yourself. In the hustle and bustle of daily life, it's easy to overlook the simple yet profound ways to nurture self-love.

Self-love is not just about pampering oneself; it's a journey of self-discovery and acceptance. It involves acknowledging your strengths and weaknesses, celebrating victories, and learning from challenges. As you open the door to self-love, you uncover a reservoir of strength and resilience within. Ms Bajpai guided us in this amazing journey with her insightfull

thoughts and wonderful presentation. We had around 40 plus participants.

#### • LES WEBINAR ON 11TH DEC 2023 - THE EVOLVING SEP JURISPRUDENCE

"LES India" and the "LES-Patent and Technology Licensing Committee" jointly presented a webinar on "The evolving SEP Jurisprudence (with a Special focus on India)" which will be a panel discussion of eminent SEP experts on the 11th of December 2023 at 17:00 - 18:30 Hrs. PM, India time.

Recently there have been a few important SEP rulings in India in 2023 e.g.

- Nokia vs. Oppo- Delhi High Court and Supreme Court orders
- Ericsson vs. Intex Delhi High Court, Ericsson vs CCI

The panel discussion covered aspects of these orders and discussions about their interpretations and significance. These cases have significant observations recorded in the Judgements and directions by the Judges that are likely to have an impact on SEP jurisprudence in India at least for the foreseeable future. Important developments in other jurisdictions such as the EU were also covered in the conference.

We had around 50 participants and received very positive feedback from the audience.

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

Dispute Resolution Committee- Prachi Agarwal

Life Sciences Committee- Swarup Kumar

IP Valuation Committee- Sharabh Shrivastava

Patent and Technology Licensing- Lakshika Joshi

Young Members Congress- Prigya Arora & Mr. Dhruv Anand

Women in Licensing Alliance- Richa Pandey

Trademarks, Designs, and Merchandising- Vaibhav Vutts

Copyright Licensing- Sphurti Dalodria

Environment, Energy, Materials, and Chemicals- Amrish Tiwari

Tech Transfer Committee- Dr. Raj Hirwani

# 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, LES India has started Young Members Congress. Ms. Prigya Arora & Mr. Dhruv Anand are mentors.

Interested members are these:-

Mr. Anshul Saurastri- anshul @krishnaandsaurastri.com

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

### Additional LES Society Membership Data

### If known:

Total Number	% Change from last year
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