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A. GLOBAL OUTREACH

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES HOSTED BY THE ICSI

2ND INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF ICSI OVERSEAS CENTRE IN LONDON, UNITED KINGDOM

Dates: 11-12 May 2023

Theme: Strengthening Global Governance for an Equitable, Inclusive, and Sustainable Future

Chief Guest: The Right Honourable Baroness (Dr) Sandip Verma, Member of the House of Lords, United Kingdom.

Guest of Honour: Mr. Sujit Ghosh, Deputy High Commissioner of India, United Kingdom

- Partners: Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment (CISI)
 - International Corporate
 Governance Network (ICGN)
 - Institute of Directors (IOD)
 - International Valuation Standards Council (IVSC)
 - The Institute of Cost Accountants
 of India

ICSI CORPORATE TAX CONFERENCE, DUBAI, UAE

Date: 3 June 2023

Theme: A New Paradigm Towards Transparency and Good Governance

Chief Guest Mr. K. Kalimuthu, Consul (Economic, Trade & Commerce) Consulate General of India, Dubai

Guest(s) of Honour:

 Dr. Ram Buxani, Chairman, ITL Cosmos Group, Dubai

 Mr. Suresh Kumar, Chairman, IBPC, Dubai

Partners: ICSI Middle East (DIFC) NPIO









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ICSI'S PARTICIPATION IN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

IOD INDIA'S ANNUAL TRISTAR DUBAI GLOBAL CONVENTION

Date: 14-17 March 2023 Place: Dubai, UAE

Organization: Institute of Directors (IOD)

Plenary Session: A Journey towards Excellence: Adapting Strategy for Good Governance

ICSI Participation - Chair : CS B. Narasimhan, Vice-President, The ICSI

CS Ashish Karodia, Council Member, The ICSI

INTERNATIONAL GOVERNANCE LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE 2023

Date: 28-29 August 2023

Place: Sydney, Australia

Organization: Governance Institute of Australia

Theme: The Culture Matrix – Shaping Future-fit Governance

ICSI Participation- Speaker : CS Manish Gupta, President, ICSI

CS Manish Ghiya, Chairman, ICSI Overseas Centre

OECD ASIA-ROUNDTABLE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Date: 11-12 October 2023 Place: Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia Organization: OECD ICSI Participation: CS Dhananjay Shukla, Council Member, The ICSI CS Mohan Kumar A, Council Member, The ICSI Dr. Prasant Sarangi, MD , ICSI-IIP



Session: Board dynamics and enhancing efficiency of various Board committees

ICSI Representation: CS B. Narasimhan, Vice-President, The ICSI

ICGN-HAWKAMAH CONFERENCE

Date: 28-29 November 2023

Place: Dubai, UAE

Organization: ICGN – Hawkamah Institute of Corporate Governance

ICSI Participation- Speaker: CS Manish Gupta, President, The ICSI

CS Praveen Soni, Council Member, The ICSI CS Rajesh C Tarpara, Council Member, The ICSI

ICSI TWO DAY JOINT TRAINING PROGRAMME WITH ICSB

Date: 15-16 September 2023 Place: Dhaka, Bangladesh

Organization: ICSI & The Institute of Chartered Secretaries of Bangladesh (ICSB)

Theme: Extended Scope of Work for CS Professionals.

ICSI Participation-Faculty Speakers: CS Manish Gupta, President, The ICSI



IOD LONDON GLOBAL CONVENTION

Date: 17-20 October 2023 Place: London, United Kingdom Organization: Institute of Directors (IOD)



ICSI ICSB two-day joint training program for Company Secretaries in Dhaka, Bangladesh

CS Rupanjana De, Council Member, The ICSI

CS Manoj Kumar Purbe, Council Member, The ICSI

CS Ranjeet Pandey, Former President, The ICSI

CS Asish Mohan, Secretary, The ICSI

INTERNATIONAL WEBINAR

Date: 20 October 2023

Theme: CS Overseas Opportunities in Australia & New Zealand

ICSI Participation- Speakers: CS NPS Chawla, Chairman International Affairs Committee and Council Member, The ICSI

CS Pawan Chandak, Council Member, The ICSI

Mr. Robert Agati, Company Secretary, Qudos Bank, Australia;

CS Manish Ghiya, Principal, Compliense Advisors, Australia

CS Joginder Sharma, Senior Compliance Manager, Rabobank, Australia

CS Nirupama Ravindran, Compliance Analyst, Rabobank, Australia

CS Siddharth Sharma, head Cosec Services & Compliance Officer, TMF Group New Zealand

Date: January 11, 2024

Theme: CS Overseas Opportunities in UAE

Moderator: CS R Lakshmanan, Senior Partner, MCA Management Consultants, UAE

Speakers: CS NPS Chawla, Chairman International Affairs Committee & Council Member, The ICSI; CS Rupanjana De, Council Member, The ICSI ; CS Raghvendra Verma, Chief legal, Compliance & Risk Officer and CS, ISON Xperiences Group, UAE; Mr. Narasimha Das, Partner, Crowe UAE; CS Kavita Gujarathi, Risk and Compliance Manager, MBK Auditing, UAE;

INTERNATIONAL MEETINGS

UNITED KINGDOM

- Ms. Tracy Vergo, CEO, & Mr. Kevin Moore, Director, CISI in London
- Mr. Bijay Selvaraj, Consul General of India, Edinburgh in Edinburgh

UAE

- HE Sunjay Sudhir, Ambassador of India to UAE
- Mr. Bharat Shivappa, Director & Head- Business Development, Abu Dhabi Global Market (ADGM)

AUSTRALIA

- HE Mr. Manpreet Vohra, High Commissioner of India to Australia in Canberra
- Ms. Megan Motto, CEO, Governance Institute of Australia
- Mr. Sanjay K Muluka, Consul (Commerce & Trade), and Mr. Sudip Bhattacharya, Trade & Investment Promotion Officer, Consulate General of India, Sydney, Australia
- Officials of Investment New South Wales, Ms. Karla Lampe, Executive Director, Trade, Ms. Alicia Sylvester, Senior Policy Advisor - Office of the Honourable Anoulack Chanthivong MP, Mr. Ali Asghar Shah, Associate Director (India and Middle East) and Mr. Sudhir Basavaraju, Manager – India
- Mr. Tim Thomas, CEO, and Ms. Lisa Bateman, Assistant Director, Center for Australia India Relations (CAIR)
- Mr. Irfan Malik, National Associate Chair President NSW, Australia India Business Council



BANGLADESH

 Officials of Institute of Internal Auditors, Bangladesh



B. MEETINGS WITH DIGNITARIES



Shri Rajnath Singh, Hon'ble Minister of Defence

- Smt. Droupadi Murmu, Hon'ble President of India
- Shri Jagdeep Dhankhar, Hon'ble Vice-President of India
- Shri Om Birla, Hon'ble Speaker, Lok Sabha
- Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman, Hon'ble Minister of Finance & Corporate Affairs
- Shri Rajnath Singh, Hon'ble Defence Minister
- Smt. Anandiben Patel, Hon'ble Governor, Uttar Pradesh
- Dr. C.V. Ananda Bose, Hon'ble Governor of West Bengal
- Shri Shivraj Singh Chouhan, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Madhya Pradesh
- Dr. Pramod Sawant, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Goa
- Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal, Hon'ble MoS (I/C) for Law & Justice, Parliamentary Affairs and Culture
- Shri Rao Inderjit Singh, Hon'ble MoS Corporate Affairs, MoS (IC) Statistics & Programme Implementation, MoS (IC)
- · General Manoj Pande, Chief of the Army Staff
- Hon'ble Mr. Justice Dipak Misra, Former Chief Justice of India
- Hon'ble Shri T. S. Thakur, Former Chief Justice of India
- Hon'ble Justice Rekha Palli, Judge Delhi High Court
- Shri Ramalingam Sudhakar, Hon'ble President, NCLT
- Shri Brajesh Pathak, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister, Uttar Pradesh
- Shri Manoj Tiwari, Hon'ble MP, Lok Sabha
- Shri Tejasvi Surya, Member of Parliament, Bengaluru South
- Shri Rajesh Verma, IAS, Secretary to Hon'ble President of India



Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal, Hon'ble Minister of State (I/C) for Law & Justice, Parliamentary Affairs and Culture

- Dr. Manoj Govil, Secretary, Ministry of Corporate Affairs
- Sh. Daljit Singh Grewal, Hon'ble MLA, State of Punjab
- Shri Gyanesh Kumar, Secretary, Ministry of Cooperation
- Shri Rajiv Mani, Additional Secretary, Department of Legal Affairs, Ministry of Law and Justice
- Mrs. Ravneet Kaur, Chairperson, Competition Commission of India
- Dr. Sangeeta Verma, Acting Chairperson, Competition Commission of India
- Mr. Jaspal Singh, IPS, Director General of Police, Goa
- Smt. Anita Shah Akella, Joint Secretary, MCA and CEO IEPFA
- Shri Inder Singh Dhariwal, Joint Secretary, MCA
- Shri Manoj Pandey, Joint Secretary, MCA
- Shri M P Shah, Director General, MCA
- Shri Debashis Panda, IAS, Chairman, IRDAI
- Shri S V Murlidhar Rao, Executive Director, SEBI
- Shri V S Sundaresan, Executive Director, SEBI
- Ms. S. N. Rajeswari, Member Distribution, IRDAI
- Mr P K Malhotra, Former Union Law Secretary
- Shri Gopal Krishna Agarwal, National Spokesperson of BJP for Economic Affairs
- Shri Aditya Burman, Director, Dabur India Limited
- BK Shivani Recipient of the prestigious 'Nari Shakti Puraskar'
- Ms. Mithlesh, Advisor (Cost), MCA & Government Nominee, ICSI
- Shri M P Shah, Director General, MCA & Government Nominee, ICSI

MEETINGS FOR EXPLORING ACADEMIC OPPORTUNITIES

- 1. CMA Ashwin G. Dalwadi, President, ICMAI
- 2. Dr. Biswajeet Saha, Director, CBSE (Skill)
- 3. Prof. Dinesh Prasad Saklani, Director, NCERT
- 4. Shri Prasad Lolayekar, Secretary, Dept. of Higher Education, Government of Goa
- 5. Prof. Srikrishna Deva Rao, Vice Chancellor, NALSAR University of Law, Hyderabad
- 6. Mr. Tariq Khan, Registrar, International Arbitration and Mediation Centre
- 7. Shri Sunil Kadam, Registrar, NISM



Shri Shivraj Singh Chouhan, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Madhya Pradesh



Dr. Pramod Sawant, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Goa



Shri Ramalingam Sudhakar, Hon'ble President, NCLT



Shri Manoj Tiwari, Hon'ble MP, Lok Sabha



Shri Tejasvi Surya, Member of Parliament, Bengaluru South



Hon'ble Shri T. S. Thakur, Former Chief Justice of India



Shri Rajesh Verma, IAS, Secretary to Hon'ble President of India



Shri Gyanesh Kumar, Secretary, Ministry of Co-operation



Shri Rajiv Mani, Additional Secretary, Department of Legal Affairs, Ministry of Law and Justice



Mr Ashish Chauhan, CEO, NSE and Mr Piyush Chourasia, Chief Regulatory Officer, NSE



Shri Debashis Panda, IAS, Chairman, IRDAI



BK Shivani - Recipient of the prestigious 'Nari Shakti Puraskar'

C. RECOGNITIONS AND REPRESENTATIONS

RECOGNITIONS RECEIVED

Any member of the ICSI who provides investment advice (either in his individual capacity or as an employee of a firm) to his clients, incidental to his professional service shall not be required to seek registration as an investment adviser in IFSCA under Proviso (vi) to Clause (f) of Regulation 3 (1) of IFSCA (Capital Market Intermediaries) Regulations, 2021.

REPRESENTATIONS SUBMITTED

In its attempt to provide comfort to its members and greater opportunities, the Institute has been representing in placing requests before various Regulatory Authorities. A total of 50 representations were made during the year as follows:

REPRESENTATIONS SUBMITTED TO VARIOUS MINISTRIES/ AUTHORITIES FOR SEEKING RECOGNITION FOR THE PROFESSION

| Date | Authority | Particulars | |
|---------------------------------|---|--|--|
| February 16, 2023 | Secretary, Ministry of Co- operation | Request to recognize the profession of Company Secretary under the Multi State Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Bill, 2022 | |
| February 16, 2023 | Members of Joint Committee on Multi Co-operative Societies | Request to recognize the profession of Company Secretary under the Multi State Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Bill, 2022 | |
| March 9, 2023 | SEBI | Request to specify ICSI as Self-Regulatory Organisation (SRO) for regulating Social Auditors | |
| March 31, 2023 | DPE | Request for regular appointment of Company Secretaries in State PSUs and their subsidiaries/ JVs | |
| May 6, 2023 | NISM | Request to consider ICSI Institute of Social Auditors (ICSI-ISA) as self-regulatory organisation for empanelment of Social Auditors and modify workbook issued by NISM in accordance with the SEBI-ICDR | |
| May 17, 2023 | NSE India | Request for recognizing profession of Company Secretary for the empanelment of Auditors for conducting Internal Audit of Trading/ Clearing Members | |
| June 7, 2023 | SEBI | Request to adopt the Revised Format of Annual Secretari Compliance Report developed by the ICSI | |
| May 15, 2023 & June 15, 2023 | Controller General of Patents, Designs & Trademarks | ICSI submission on Letter No. CG/TMA/2023-24/27 dated May 5, 2023 regarding verification of Membership of the ICSI | |
| July 17, 2023 | SEBI | Request to include Company Secretary in Practice under Regulation 45 (3) of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 | |
| August 24, 2023 | Shri Gyanesh Kumar, Secretary, Ministry of Co-operation | Request to include the qualification of Company Secretary in Rule 37B of the Multi- State Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Rules, 2023 | |
| August 24, 2023 | Shri Atul Sobti, Director General, SCOPE | Request to recognize "Company Secretaries (CS)" as eligibility criteria/qualification for empanelment as an Arbitrator/Conciliator under the SFCA Rules | |
| November 22, 2023 | Shri Rajesh Kumar Sharma (IAS), Secretary, Shri Sanjeev Kumar Besra (IAS), Labour Commissioner Labour, Employment Training and Skill Department, Govt. of Jharkhand | Request to consider Company Secretaries in Practice for empanelment as expert for conducting Third Party Audit and Certification under Section 37 read with Section 133(2) (z) of the Occupational Safety, Health and Working Conditions Code, 2020 | |

REPRESENTATIONS SUBMITTED FOR SEEKING RELAXATIONS

| Date | Authority | Particulars | |
|----------------------|-----------|--|--|
| January 16, 2023 | MCA | Request for amendment in sub-rule (9) of rule 30 of the Companies (Incorporation) Rules, 2014 related to costs levied by the Central Government (Powers delegated to the Hon'ble Regional Director) while approving the application for alteration of memorandum with regard to change of place of registered office from one State to another State | |
| January 16, 2023 | MCA | To suggest amendments in Section 77 of the Companies Act, 2013 | |
| February 2, 2023 | MCA | Request for relaxation in levy of additional fee in filing of 46 company forms (second set) launched on MCA-21 V3 Portal due date of which falls till February 28, 2023 | |
| February 2, 2023 | MCA | Request to extend the reservation period of names reserved under Section 4(5) of the Companies Act, 2013 and period of re-submission under rule 9 of the Companies (Incorporation) Rules, 2014 | |
| February 10, 2023 | MCA | Functioning of MCA - 21 V3 Portal | |
| March 21, 2023 | MCA | Request for extension of time period for filing of Form CSR-2 for the financial year ended March 31, 2022 without levying additional fees | |
| March 29, 2023 | MCA | Functioning of MCA - 21 V3 Portal | |
| March 29, 2023 | MCA | Functioning of MCA - 21 V3 Portal | |
| May, 30, 2023 | MCA | Comments to CSR Framework under the Companies Act, 2013 | |
| July 7, 2023 | MCA | Schedule V (Part II and Section II) of the Companies Act, 2013 | |
| July 7, 2023 | MCA | Request for amendment of Section 204 and 149(6)(e)(ii)(A) of the Companies Act, 2013 | |
| July 7, 2023 | MCA | Request to introduce CLSS and LLP Law Settlement Scheme, 2023 | |
| July 21, 2023 | MCA | Deactivation of Multiple User IDs created on MCA-21 Portal | |
| August 1, 2023 | MCA | Deactivation of Multiple User IDs created on MCA-21 Portal | |
| August 9, 2023 | MCA | Request to place "Secretarial Standards" in e-book section on the MCA website | |
| August 22, 2023 | MCA | Deactivation of Multiple User IDs created on MCA-21 Portal | |
| August 25, 2023 | MCA | Simplification of e-forms filed under Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder | |
| August 25, 2023 | MCA | Request for amendment in Section 204 and Section 149(6)(e)(2)(A) of the Companies Act, 2013 | |
| August 25, 2023 | MCA | Amendment in Section 77 of the Companies Act, 2013 | |
| August 25, 2023 | MCA | Appointment and Removal of Secretarial Auditor under the Companies Act, 2013 | |
| August 25, 2023 | MCA | Request to allow CS to file particulars of changes | |
| August 25, 2023 | MCA | Filing of resignation by KMPs under the Companies Act, 2013 | |
| August 25, 2023 | MCA | Introduction of Compliance Mechanism to promote governance in small companies | |
| August 25, 2023 | MCA | Pending issues of stakeholders on MCA-21 V3 Portal as solicited upon by the Ministry | |

| Date | Authority | Particulars |
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| August 25, 2023 | MCA | Proposed amendments to Section 138 under the Companies Act, 2013 for Internal Audit |
| September 11, 2023 | MCA | Request for extension for facility of holding AGM through video conferencing |
| September 29, 2023 | MCA | Intimation of difficulty in receiving OTP on the mobile number of Directors while filing DIR-3 KYC |
| | | Request to dispense with the requirement for dispatch of physical copy of Notice and Annual Report and Proxy forms with respect to General Meetings of Listed Entities |
| October 3, 2023 | SEBI | Request to dispense with the requirement for dispatch of physical copy of Notice and Annual Report with respect to General Meetings of Listed Entities who have listed their Non-convertible Securities under Regulation 58 (1) of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 |
| November 24, MCA 2023 | | Request to extend filing of DIR-6 to changes pertaining to E-mail and Mobile No. particulars by Directors |

VIEWS AND SUGGESTIONS OF ICSI SUBMITTED TO VARIOUS REGULATORS/AUTHORITIES

| Date | Authority | Particulars | |
|-------------------|-----------|---|--|
| February 1, 2023 | SEBI | Strengthening the Investor Grievance Redressal Mechanism in Indian Securities Market | |
| March 6, 2023 | SEBI | SEBI Consultation paper on "ESG Disclosures, Ratings and Investing" | |
| March 7, 2023 | SEBI | Consultation Paper on Regulatory Framework for ESG Rating Providers (ERPs) in Securities Market | |
| May 26, 2023 | SEBI | Consultation paper on "Regulatory Framework for Micro, Small and Medium REITs (MSM REITs)" | |
| May 26, 2023 | SEBI | SEBI Consultation paper on Delisting of Non-Convertible Deb Securities | |
| May 29, 2023 | SEBI | SEBI Consultation paper on Special Rights to Unitholders and Role of Sponsor in REITs & InvITs | |
| November 20, 2023 | MCA | ICSI Suggestions for strengthening Corporate Governance Framewor | |
| December 14, 2023 | SEBI | Consultation Paper on "Review of provisions relating to 'Trading Plans' under the SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015" to provide flexibility to perpetual insiders | |

D. CAPACITY BUIDING AND KNOWLEDGE UPDATION

PCS ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

In pursuance to Regulation 10(1) of the Company Secretaries Regulations, 1982, all members intending to enter into practice on or after April 1, 2023 are compulsorily required to undergo PCS Orientation Programme (POP) available

WEBINAR SERIES FOR COMPANY SECRETARIES IN PRACTICE

through the ICSI LMS Platform prior to making an application for Certificate of Practice. 636 members enrolled and 527 members completed the programme as on January 08, 2024. Following Webinars were conducted under the Programme:

| Essentials of conducting Secretarial Audit and | CS Ranjeet Pandey | March 11, 2023 |
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| application of ICSI Auditing Standards | Former President, The ICSI | |
| Essentials of Practice, Peer Review, Quality | CS Devendra V Deshpande | March 13, 2023 |
| Review and Disciplinary Mechanism | Former President, The ICSI | |
| Overview of major areas of Practice & | CS Mahesh Athavale | March 15, 2023 |
| New opportunities for Practising Company Secretaries | Former President, The ICSI | |
| Guidelines for Company Secretaries in | CS Nagendra D. Rao | March 17, 2023 |
| Practice | Former President, The ICSI | |
| Setting up of Practice and strategizing for | CS Ashish Garg | March 20, 2023 |
| growth | Former President, The ICSI | |
| Appearance before NCLT & Art of Advocacy | CS Nesar Ahmed | March 27, 2023 |
| | Former President, The ICSI | |
| Setting up of Practice and strategizing for growth | CS Ranjeet Pandey, Former President, ICSI | December 18, 2023 |
| Overview of major areas of Practice & | CS Mahesh Athavale, Former President, ICSI | December 20, |
| New opportunities for Practicing Company | | 2023 |
| Secretaries | | |
| Guidelines for Company Secretary in Practice | CS Nagendra D. Rao, Former President, ICSI | December 22, 2023 |
| Essentials for CS in Practice | CS Devendra V. Deshpande, Former | December 26, |
| | President, ICSI | 2023 |

KNOWLEDGE ON DEMAND

Launched in May, 2023, Knowledge on Demand is an endeavour to provide access to the repository of videos available with the Institute to facilitate the members in keeping them abreast of latest developments, widening their knowledge base at their convenience online 24x7 on the LMS Platform of the Institute. A tab 'Knowledge on Demand' is available on the home page of ICSI website at link https://www.icsi.edu/home/knowledgedemand/ wherein member may select the video and register for the session on payment of requisite fee with facility to view the session multiple times within 1 year of Registration. 1 CPE Credit (Unstructured) per session is



awarded to the member. 28 topics covering 237 sessions have been uploaded under the Knowledge on Demand so far. The list of topics covered is as under:

| Corporate | IPR | Decoding Financial | Independent Director |
|-------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------|
| Restructuring | MSME | Statements | Securities Laws |
| CSR | IT Tools for | BRR | FEMA |
| GST | Professionals | POSH | Corporate Governance |
| IBC | Appeals and | Commercial Contract | Arbitration |
| RPT- Accounting & | Drafting | Management | Internal Audit |
| Taxation Aspects | ESG Analysis | Forensic Audit | Lending Transactions & |
| RERA | Valuation of Securities or | Secretarial Standards | opportunities for CS in Banking |
| Labour Laws | Financial Assets | Corporate Reporting | PMLA & AML |

ESG CONCLAVE

Reshaping business landscapes, altering stakeholder expectations, regulatory scenarios remodelled with ESG principles are elevating corporate Board room discussions towards sustainability the world over. Exploring potential opportunities for professionals in this global transformation, the ICSI has launched a forum for raising dedicated deliberations at ESG CONCLAVE.

PUBLICATIONS RELEASED

- Handbook on IFSCA
- Corporate Governance from Compliance to Excellence (Handbook on Best Practices) 2.0
- Handbook on Business Responsibility and Sustainability
- Manual on Corporate Governance Certification
- FAQs on SEBI (Real Estate Investment Trusts) Regulations, 2014
- FAQs on SEBI (Infrastructure Investment Trusts) Regulations, 2014
- Ready Reckoner for Private Companies
- FAQs on Section 8 Companies
- One Person Company- A Referencer
- Chartered Secretary Collector's Series First Edition - A Compendium of Selected Articles on Corporate Social Responsibility
- Chartered Secretary Collector's Series Second Edition - A Compendium of Selected Articles on Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) and Start-Ups
- NBFC A Quick Referencer
- Handbook on Benefits for the Members of ICSI
- ICSI (Management and Development of Company Secretaries in Practice) Guidelines, 2023
- Compilation of ROC and RD Orders (MCA) under the Companies Act, 2013
- Handbook on Limited Liability Partnership
- Handbook on Producer Companies
- Company Law: Exploring Procedural Dimensions

- Charter of Board of Directors
- Charter of Nomination and Remuneration Committee
- Guidance Note on Annual Secretarial Compliance Report
- MSME-Ready Reckoner





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MASTER KNOWLEDGE SERIES: EEE

| Finer Nuances of FEMA Act | CS Atul Mittal Partner, Deloitte India | July 08, 2023 | youtube.com/live/ AxHaf4AlwKU?si=5eZPubsyp9meNTjw |
|---|---|-----------------------|--|
| CSR – Stepping beyond Rulebook | beyond Rulebook CS & VP, Bajaj Auto Ltd. and Former President ICSI | | www.youtube.com/live/ R9HaqPtN8F8?si=GM-T_b19uDd86qIW |
| An Insight into Related Party Transactions | CS S Sudhakar, Former VP (Corporate Secretarial), Reliance Industries Ltd. | July 19, 2023 | youtu.be/ AeR5IXmD0F0?si=cls04hah9AXvpin4 |
| Recent Amendments in SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 | CS Ravi Varma Assistant CS Bandhan Bank Limited | July 26, 2023 | youtu.be/ pP0ASrxVQQE?si=npNZEcw7i-XjV8_Z |
| Managerial Remuneration & KMP | CS Devendra V Deshpande Former President, The ICSI | August 02, 2023 | youtu.be/ w2giRfyNc0A?si=E2Gfk0nw26ezZABI |
| ESG – Emerging role of Company Secretaries | CS Priyadarshini Mahapatra Company Secretary Syngene International Limited | August 09, 2023 | youtube.com/live/ uMa33JrI9Hw?si=19vRG4c25rtIAw3c |
| Share Capital – Buyback, Reduction and Redemption | CS (Dr.) K. S. Ravichandran Managing Partner KSR & Co Company Secretaries LLP | August 16, 2023 | youtube.com/live/ XqMgvsfDVhU?si=yOFZf83uAvCeeK9x |
| Lending and Investments under Companies Act, 2013 | CS Makarand Joshi Founder, Makarand M. Joshi & Company | August 29, 2023 | youtube.com/live/x- N1D5GMmW4?si=bBUopgLXgoV06kyf |
| Significant Beneficial Ownership | CS Savithri Parekh Company Secretary and Compliance Officer Reliance Industries Ltd. | September 09, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/live/ uEoPdHvxJJQ?si=owkQwpx71GoYKQT8 |
| SEBI (PIT) Regulations, 2015 | CS Narayan Shankar Executive VP and CS Mahindra & Mahindra Limited | September 13, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=c4Do-uzPiy8 |
| Inspection, Inquiry & Investigation under Companies Act, 2013 | Shri Manmohan Juneja Ex- Director General of Corporate Affairs (DGCoA), MCA | October 05, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8- dN0RLxZKQ |
| Green Bond Framework and Sustainable Borrowing | Shri Pramod Rao, Executive Director, Dept. of Debt and Hybrid Securities, SEBI Shri Pradeep Ramakrishnan, General Manager, Dept. of Debt and Hybrid Securities, SEBI Ms. Harini Balaji Chief General Manager, Dept. of Debt and Hybrid Securities, SEBI | October 11, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=yXQMUn9lhMw |
| Legal framework of PMLA and WMD Act: Guidance for Practising Professionals | Shri Balasubramanian K JS (TPRU), DoR, MoF CS Manish Ghiya Chairman, ICSI Overseas Centre, Australia CS Anshul Kumar Jain, Mumbai | October 18, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=ce3KkrL6JzM |

| RPT under Ind-AS | CA Kamal Garg | October 25, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=gtnN6qB1rzM |
|---|---|----------------------|--|
| | Insolvency Professional | | <u> </u> |
| SDD under SEBI (PIT) Regulations, 2015 | Shri Anindya Das, CGM-SEBI Shri Gopalkrishnan Iyer, CGM- Listing Compliance, BSE Ltd. Shri Avishkar Naik VP - Surveillance, NSE Limited CS Makarand M. Joshi Founder & Senior Partner Makarand M. Joshi & Company | October 27, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=CfWDIvKpiQ4 |
| Significant Beneficial Ownership under Companies Act, 2013 | CS Ranjeet Pandey CS Devendra V. Deshpande Former Presidents, The ICSI | October 30, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=giU4dqGqIWI |
| Fund raising by companies | CS B. Renganathan Corporate Law Advisor | November 16, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=c9QD77-KEvs |
| Secretarial Audit & ASCR | CS Shailashri Bhaskar PCS | November 22, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=rF0uV6Rw0 |
| Corporate Restructuring: Building Strategic Alliances | CS Nitin Somani Director Sundae Capital Advisors Private Limited | November 29, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=SYJ0iqWmpWY |
| SS-1 & SS-2 : CS Nagendra D. Rao, Standardizing Chairman, SSB & Former Compliances President, ICSI CS Sudhakar Saraswatula Chief Consultant, Mehta & Mehta (Corporate Legal Firm) | | December 06, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=zpo-edsIMmM |
| Dematerialisation of Securities - Recent Amendments | CS Pankaj Virmani CS and Compliance Officer Devyani International Limited Mr. Abhishek Mishra Sr. Manager, NSDL Mr. Anand Tirodkar Sr. Manager, CDSL | December 13, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=EkoYJ0cQYbI&t=450s |
| NCLT - Appearance and Court Crafts | CS Nesar Ahmed Former President, The ICSI | January 03, 2024 | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=NNBysUkTwk8 |



WEBINARS CONDUCTED

| Торіс | Speakers | Date | |
|--|---|------------------|--|
| Union Budget 2023-24 (Hybrid) | CS Jatin Garg, I.R.S., Joint Commissioner of Income Tax Dr. (CA) Girish Ahuja, Eminent Tax Expert & Former Council Member, ICSI CS Bimal Jain, Executive Director, A2Z Taxcorp LLP were the Guest Speakers | February 2, 2023 | www.youtube.com/live/ Nhmmn13YsaY?si=veQmul6FyGUGFMAj |
| MCA-21 V3 - Company Forms | Technical Experts from MCA | March 01, 2023 | https://youtu.be/-77qLdI-W- g?si=6laYFRSRhfKgOcw5 |
| Structured Digital Database (SDD) under SEBI (PIT) Regulations, 2015 | Ms. Versha Agarwal General Manager, ISD, SEBI Shri Avishkar Naik VP - Surveillance, NSE India CS Rajendra Chopra Cipla Limited CS Shailashri Bhaskar, PCS | March 21, 2023 | www.youtube.com/live/QY8phZqSo- I?si=lrfo3ACJskKuLbQP |
| Structured Digital Database (SDD) under SEBI (PIT) Regulations, 2015 | Ms. Versha Agarwal General Manager, ISD, SEBI Shri Gopalkrishnan Iyer, CGM-Listing Compliance, BSE Ltd. CS Narayan Shankar, VP & CS, Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd. CS S Sudhakar Chief Consultant, Mehta & Mehta | March 28, 2023 | www.youtube.com/live/ KOLWngenSCw?si=JqtRtVpZXUOuXthR |
| MCA-21 V3 - Company Forms | Technical Experts from MCA | April 11, 2023 | www.youtube.com/live/ N2Nf3tfXFz4?si=fmYsBxr9WelvNWm7 |
| MSMEs: Role of Company Secretaries | CS Rajiv Bajaj, CEO- Bajaj and Bajaj Corporate Chambers and Former Council Member, ICSI CS (Dr.) Ajay Garg, Registered Valuer and Corporate Counsel | May 8, 2023 | www.youtube.com/live/ F4j6HZ7vcvw?si=pYo9KQguTlQm6YM0 |
| Annual Secretarial Compliance Report | Ms. Yogita Jadhav General Manager, CFD, SEBI CS Ranjeet Pandey Former President, The ICSI | May 29, 2023 | www.youtube.com/live/ VPRd5s9fRFQ?si=7GbSTJjt7bTQDYb5 |

| Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002 | Shri Ritvik Pandey IAS Joint Secretary (Revenue), MoF Shri Smarak Swain Director (FATF), DoR, MoF Dr. M. Sathya Kumar Advocate, Supreme Court | June 01, 2023 | youtu.be/ XCPOMdBodD0?si=mymJMJs20tfdOU27 |
|---|---|-----------------|--|
| DPT-3 and LLP Forms (New Excel Functionality) | CS Devendra V Deshpande Former President, The ICSI | June 13, 2023 | www.youtube.com/live/ Zqq39Sg7T40?si=Nvk_3kWT-rAwbcl |
| Condonation of Delay under LLP Act, 2008Shri Manoj Pandey, JS, MCA and Govt. Nominee, ICSI; Shri Sanjay Jain, Director, MCA; Shri R C Mishra, JD, MCA and LTI officers | | August 24, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/live/ suAn1KcCO8U?si=HpPSQvsjaSRU4gWa |

ICSI NCLT CONCLAVE

The Council of the ICSI had thought it fit to conduct NCLT Conclave jointly through all Chapters of ICSI where the NCLT Benches have been constituted and all Four Regional Offices. The events under the head were conducted jointly with ICSI-IIP in the presence of Judicial and Technical Members of the National Company Law Tribunal.:



| Benches of NCL⊤ | ROs / Chapters of ICSI | Date | Guests |
|--------------------------|--|------------|---|
| NCLT, Ahmedabad Bench | Ahmedabad Chapter | 16.09.2023 | Shri Udayan Vyas, Advocate, Gujarat High Court |
| NCLT, Bengaluru Bench | Bengaluru Chapter | 16.09.2023 | Mr. M. Dhyan Chinnappa Former Additional Advocate General, Karnataka & Senior Advocate, CrestLaw Partners, Advocates, Bengaluru |
| NCLT, Kolkata Bench | EIRC - ICSI | 23.09.2023 | Sh. Rohit Kapoor, HOD & Hon'ble Member (J), NCLT Kolkata Bench Ms. Bidisha Banerjee, Hon'ble Member (J), NCLT Kolkata Bench Sh. Balraj Joshi, Hon'ble Member (T), NCLT Kolkata Bench Sh. Arvind Devanathan, Hon'ble NCLT Member (T), NCLT Kolkata Bench |
| NCLT, Hyderabad Bench | CCGRT- Hyderabad with Hyderabad Chapter | 23.09.2023 | Shri Dr. V R Badrinath Nandula Hon'ble NCLT Member (Judicial) |

| Benches of NCL⊤ | ROs / Chapters of ICSI | Date | Guests |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|------------|---|
| NCLT, Cuttack Bench | Bhubaneshwar Chapter | 25.09.2023 | Sh. O. Mohan Raj, Hon'ble Member (J), NCLT Cuttack Bench |
| | | | Sh. Manoranjan Mohanty, Retd. Justice, Ex VC CAT, President, NCLT Odisha Practitioners Association |
| | | | Sh. Himanshu Shekhar, RoC, Cuttack |
| NCLT, Chennai | SIRC-ICSI | 06.10.2023 | Shri. Venkataraman Subramaniam |
| Bench | | | Hon'ble Member (Technical) |
| | | | Shri. Sanjiv Jain |
| | | | Hon'ble Member (Judicial) |
| | | | Shri. Ravichandran Ramasamy |
| | | | Hon'ble Member (Technical) |
| | | | NCLT Chennai Bench |
| NCLT, Chandigarh Bench | Chandigarh Chapter | 06.10.2023 | Sh. Harman Singh Thakur, Hon'ble Member(J), NCLT Bench, Chandigarh |
| | | | Dr. PSN Prasad, Hon'ble Member(J), NCLT Bench, Chandigarh |
| | | | Sh. Subrata Kumar Dash, Hon'ble Member(T), NCLT Bench, Chandigarh |
| NCLT, Kochi Bench | Kochi Chapter | 14.10.2023 | CS B. Anil Kumar |
| | | | Former Member Judge (Technical) - NCLT |
| NCLT, Mumbai Bench | CCGRT- Navi Mumbai jointly | 21.10.2023 | Justice (Retd.) Sh. Ramesh D Dhanuka, Hon'ble Former Justice, Bombay High Court |
| | with ICSI-WIRC | | Justice (Retd.) Sh. Virendra Singh Gyansingh Bisht, Hon'ble Judicial Member, NCLT Mumbai Bench & HOD |
| NCLT, Guwahati | Guwahati (NE) | 16.12.2023 | Hon'ble Justice Shri Kalyan Rai Surana, Gauhati High Court |
| Bench | Chapter | | Hon'ble Justice Soumitra Saikia, Gauhati High Court |
| | | | Shri Vinod Sharma, Regional Director, MCA, NER |
| | | | Shri Kolakaluri Arvind, Assistant Director, O/O Regional Director, MCA, NER |
| | | | Shri Dip Narayan Chowdhury, Registrar of Companies and Official Liquidator, MCA, NER |

WEBINAR SERIES ON MSME

A series of 5 webinars to be conducted on a weekly basis touching upon significant areas pertaining to MSMEs to guide members so as to render them capable in supporting and strengthening governance frameworks in these entities. Following webinars were conducted:



| Торіс | Faculty | Date | Links |
|-------------------------------------|--|------------|--------------------------|
| MSMEs: Policy, Framework | CA G B Modi | August 14, | https://www.youtube.com/ |
| and Opportunities for | Senior Managing Partner | 2023 | watch?v=tFye2CGvmvg |
| Company Secretaries | Modi & Agrawal, Chartered Accountants | | |
| MSMEs: Monetary and | Adv. Jeetender Gupta | August 21, | https://www.youtube.com/ |
| Recovery Framework | Advocate-On-Record | 2023 | watch?v=9NQ2wlkKiNk |
| | Supreme Court of India | | |
| MSMEs: Financing Options | CS (Dr.) Ajay Garg | August 28, | https://www.youtube.com/ |
| & Modes and Other Related Issues | Registered Valuer, Corporate Counsel | 2023 | watch?v=7YuAsv-87PA |

| Торіс | Faculty | Date | Links |
|----------------------------------|--|-----------------------|--|
| MSMEs: Taking Local to Global | CS (Dr.) Preet Deep Singh Chief Analytics Officer & Vice President, Invest India | September 04, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=MR_0Qt26EpE |
| SME Listing | Nitin Somani, Director Sundae Capital Advisors Private Limited | September 11, 2023 | https://www.youtube. com/live/6HC6-mPR_ iY?si=p0sMNjEzazuU1VnF |

WEBINAR SERIES ON STARTUPS

A series of 5 webinars to be conducted on a weekly basis touching upon significant areas pertaining to MSMEs and another one for Start-ups to guide members so as to render them capable in supporting and strengthening governance frameworks in these entities. Following webinars were conducted:

WEBINAR SERIES FOR STARTUPS

| Торіс | Faculty | Date | Links |
|---|--|-----------------------|--|
| Start-up Governance: The Legislative Requirements | CS (Dr.) Mamta Binani Former President, The ICSI | September 25, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/live/ GxTaKrj42Vo?si=538XAEHugyuMbUW2 |
| Go to Market Strategy: The How and Why of it | Wg Cdr Anthony Anish (Retd) COO, T Hub and Founding team member, MyGate | October 03, 2023 | www.youtube.com/watch?v=RMKgGQHc05o |
| Valuation Game: Making Startups Investor Appealing | CS Maneesh Srivastava Angel Investor and Founding Partner, Alphavalue Consulting | October 09, 2023 | www.youtube.com/watch?v=XxGmhF3_WME |
| Branding Startups: Intellectual Property Due Diligence | Mr. Vivek Dahiya IP practitioner and strategist | October 23, 2023 | www.youtube.com/watch?v=aSCb0npYAV0 |
| Kickstarting Startups: A Detailed Insight | CS Gaurav Arora Head Investor Relations CarDekho Group | November 08, 2023 | https://www.youtube.com/live/ tzXizAAUfts?si=2FrnNmy6P4MYDWn9 |

JOINT PROGRAMME WITH IIM BANGALORE

ICSI joined as an Academic Partner in the International Conference on the Changing Landscape of Corporate Governance & Sustainability: Walking the Talk hosted by the Indian Institute of Management Bangalore on January 12-13, 2024 in the year coinciding with the "Golden Jubilee Year" of IIM Bangalore. CS Dwarkanath Chennur, Council Member, the ICSI was the Guest Speaker at the Conference. The Conference was attended by CEOs, Board members, senior executives, academic leaders, policymakers, and practitioners. ICSI as a brand building exercise provided copies of its publication Handbook on Business Responsibility and Sustainability as part of the Conference kit for all delegates.



JOINT WEBINARS

| JOINT PROGRAMMES WITH PHD CHAM | BER OF COMMERCE & | |
|---|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| Торіс | ICSI's Role | Date |
| Seminar on "ESG: Need of the Hour for a Sustainable Future – Regulatory Framework & Beyond" | Associate Partner | February 15, 2023 |
| Residential Workshops on Corporate Governance & Workshop on CSR at Kathmandu, Nepal | Associate Partner | February 26 - March 1, 2023 |
| Webinar on the topic "GST Compliance Activities for Closure of FY 2022-23" | Knowledge Partner | March 14, 2023 |
| National Conference on GST: Ease of Business and Challenges | Knowledge Partner | May 24, 2023 |
| Webinar on "Tax issues of Business Acquisition and Reconstruction" | Associate Partner | July 25, 2023 |
| webinar on "Recent Changes in GST-Laws and Legal Jurisprudence" | Knowledge Partner | August 25, 2023 |
| Webinar on "Important Latest GST Legal Jurisprudence" | Knowledge Partner | September 21, 2023 |
| Webinar on "Search & Seizure under Income Tax" Act" | Associate Partner | September 22, 2023 |
| Webinar on "Various Legal Issues being faced by the taxpayers and how to handle such investigation and Get Ready to file GSTR 9 and 9C" | Knowledge Partner | November 23, 2023 |
| JOINT PROGRAMME WITH MERCHANTS' CHAMB | ER OF COMMERCE AN | D INDUSTRY (MCCI) |
| Special Session on "Importance of Competition Law for Industry" at Kolkata. | Knowledge Partner | April 28, 2023 |
| JOINT PROGRAMME WITH IIA IN | DIA - CALCUTTA CHAP | TER |
| Joint Audit Conclave 2023 on the theme "Internal Audit: Business Risk Mitigator" at Kolkata | Associate Partner | July 21-22, 2023 |
| JOINT PROGRAMME WITH CHARTERE | ED INSTITUTE OF ARBI | TRATORS |
| Annual Conference 2023 on Corporate Dispute Resolvers: The Role of General Counsel, Professionals & the Industry at New Delhi | Supporting partner | July 15, 2023 |
| JOINT PROGRAMME WITH NATIONAL ACADEMY OF | HUMAN RESOURCES D | EVELOPMENT (NAHRD) |
| Residential Workshop on Corporate Governance & Workshop on Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) | Associate Partner | August 2-5, 2023 |
| Residential Workshop on Corporate Governance & Workshop on Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) at Port Blair, A&N Islands | Associate Partner | December 13-16, 2023 |
| JOINT PROGRAMME WITH DELHI MAN | IAGEMENT ASSOCIATI | ON (DMA) |
| Full day programme on "Environmental, Social & Governance Conference" | Associate Partner | September 22, 2023 |
| JOINT PROGRAMME WITH INTERNATIONAL FINANC | CIAL SERVICES CENTR | ES AUTHORITY (IFSCA) |
| | Domestic Partner | December 9, 2023 |
| InFinity Forum 2.0 at GIFT City, Gandhinagar. President, ICSI was invited as Guest for the event. | | |
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TRAINING PROGRAMME ON COMPANIES ACT 2013 FOR SEBI OFFICIALS AT MUMBAI

The ICSI conducted two days Training Programme on Companies Act 2013 for the officials of SEBI on October 10-11, 2023 at NISM Test Centre, BKC, Mumbai. The Training Programme was attended by approximately 35 SEBI officials including Chief General Manager, General Manager, Deputy General Manager, Manager, Assistant Manager etc. The faculties for various sessions were CS Savitri Parekh, CS and Compliance Officer, Reliance Industries Limited; CS Amita Desai, PCS and Insolvency Professional; CS Narayan Shankar, VP & CS, Mahindra & Mahindra Limited; CS Kalidas Ramaswami, PCS; CS Shailashri Bhaskar, PCS; CS B.Renganathan, Independent Corporate Consultant; CS Makarand Joshi, PCS; CS Rajendra Chopra, CS, Cipla Limited; and CS Nitin Somani, Director & Founder, Sundae Capital Advisors Private Limited.

ONE DAY PROGRAMME FOR ICLS OFFICERS

The Indian Corporate Law Service Academy (ICLSA) under Ministry of Corporate Affairs has communicated ICSI regarding On-the-Job Training of Indian Corporate Law Service (ICLS) Officer Trainees of 2021 Batch (12th PCP) with various arms of the Ministry in the National Capital Region. Accordingly, the ICSI organised One Day Programme for ICLS Officers Trainees at ICSI Headquarters, New Delhi on August, 25, 2023.

7TH FOUNDATION DAY OF INVESTOR EDUCATION AND PROTECTION FUND AUTHORITY

The Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) Authority organised its 7th Foundation Day in collaboration with the ICSI and National Council of Applied Economic Research (NCAER) on September 5, 2023 at Dr. Ambedkar International Centre, New Delhi on the theme "Understanding the Psychology of Scams: How to Avoid Fraudulent Schemes". Dr. Manoj Govil, Chairman, IEPF Authority and Secretary, MCA, Ms. Anita Shah Akella, CEO, IEPF Authority and Joint Secretary, MCA, CS Dhananjay Shukla, Council member, ICSI, Lt. Col. Sumit M.



Rane, GM, IEPF Authority and Lt. Col. Tushar Anand, GM, IEPF Authority graced the inaugural session.

SOFTWARE TOOLS

(a) Convert2 XBRL Software Solution for PCS

Facilitator to provide software for XBRL Conversion for financials complying with Ind AS and C&I Taxonomy, Generation of XBRL Instance Document, etc. for PCS at discounted price. The agreement is valid till September 26, 2024. Members may activate subscription by signing up at http://c2x.icsi.edu

(b) Accloud PLC: Business tools for PCS

Facilitator for providing assistance in digitizing operations including everyday accounting and tax compliance. The software shall be available free of cost for two years w.e.f. May 11, 2023 and at an 80% discount after 2 years.

ICSI CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION - SELF ASSESSMENT MODULES

The Institute introduced a series of online Self-Assessment Modules during 27-31 July, 2023 in areas of expertise to facilitate members to fulfil mandatory requirement of CPE Credits for FY 2022-23. Members were granted 5 Structured CPE Credits for each module qualified. 177 members availed the benefit of the Assessment modules.

CERTIFICATE / CRASH / PMQ COURSES

- The ICSI launched 3 new Certificate Courses in the areas of Financial Analysis, BRSR & ESG and Corporate Tax & VAT in UAE. New Batches of Ongoing Certificate Courses were initiated for Valuation, Independent Directors, Commercial Contracts Management, FEMA, IPR, POSH, IBC, Securities Laws, GST, and CSR.
- New *Crash Courses* were launched for Social Audit, Lending Transactions & Opportunities for CS in Banking and PMLA & AML. New batches of Ongoing Crash Courses were initiated for IT Tools, Appeals & Drafting, and ESG.

- New Batches of PMQ Courses were initiated for June and December 2023 session for Internal Audit, Corporate Governance and Arbitration. Results for PMQ Examination on Corporate Governance, Internal Audit and Arbitration held in June 2023 were released on August 25, 2023.
- Data Summary

| ٠ | Online assessment of Crash Course on Social | |
|---|---|--|
| | Audit and 4 Certificate Courses (CSR, FEMA, GST | |
| | and Securities Laws) was conducted on July 14- | |
| | 15, 2023. Online assessment for Crash Course on | |
| | PMLA and AML was conducted between August | |
| | 11-21, 2023. | |

| Details of PMQ Course | June 2023 | December 2023 |
|---|-----------|---------------|
| PMQ on Corporate Governance, Arbitration and Internal Audit | 86 | 80 |

Crash Courses

| Details of Crash Course | Dates | Participants |
|--|------------------------------|--------------|
| IT Tools for Professionals Batch 3 | January 23-28, 2023 | 390 |
| Appeals & Drafting | January 30-February 04, 2023 | 604 |
| RPT Batch 3 | February 08-12, 2023 | 325 |
| Labour Laws Batch 4 | February 13-17, 2023 | 180 |
| ESG Analysis (Batch 3) | February 27-March 03, 2023 | 467 |
| Lending Transactions & Opportunities for CS in Banking | April 29-30, 2023 | 406 |
| Crash course on Social Audit | June 12-16, 2023 | 425 |
| Interpretation of Statutes | October 20-21, 2023 | 162 |
| | | 2959 |

• Certificate Courses:

| Details of Certificate Course | Registrations |
|--|---------------|
| GST (Batch 11) | 134 |
| FEMA (Batch 6) | 223 |
| Securities Laws (Batch 5) | 85 |
| CSR (Batch 9) | 174 |
| Corporate Tax & VAT in UAE (Batch 1) | 209 |
| BRSR & ESG (Batch 1) | 162 |
| POSH Batch 6 | 62 |
| CCM (Batch 6) | 91 |
| Independent Director (Batch 6) | 51 |
| IPR (Batch 5) | 60 |
| IBC (Batch 5) | 40 |
| Valuation of Securities & Financial Assets (Batch 3) | 65 |
| Financial Analysis (Batch 1) | 39 |
| Total | 1395 |

FORMATION AND RENEWAL OF STUDY CIRCLES FOR FY2022-23

ICSI has been creating knowledge upgradation avenues for members by promoting the formation of Study Circles across country. During the period 3 Study Circles were formed and 22 study Circles were renewed as follows:

| S. No. | Regional Council | Name | Formation/ Renewal | Month |
|--------|---------------------|---|-----------------------|----------------|
| | | Hubli-Dharwad Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | April, 2023 |
| 1. | SIRC | Chennai West Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | May, 2023 |
| 1. | SINC | Chennai North Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | June, 2023 |
| | | Chennai South Study Circle of ICS | Renewal | July, 2023 |
| | | Janakpuri Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | April, 2023 |
| | | Najafgarh Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | April, 2023 |
| | | Vikas Marg Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | April, 2023 |
| 2. | NIRC | New Udhaan Bhawan (Corporate) Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | July, 2023 |
| | | Dwarka Study Circle of ICSI | Formation | October, 2023 |
| | | Rewari Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | December, 2023 |
| | | JSW Group (Corporate) Study Circle of ICSI | Formation | February 2023 |
| | | Makarand M Joshi & Co. (Corporate) Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | March, 2023 |
| | | Jabalpur Study Circle Of ICSI | Renewal | March, 2023 |
| | | Kandivali Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | March, 2023 |
| | | Mahindra (Corporate) Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | May 2023 |
| | | Vapi Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | May 2023 |
| 3. | WIRC | Sangli Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | May 2023 |
| | | Jamnagar Study Circle of ICSI | Formation | May 2023 |
| | | Anand Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | May 2023 |
| | | Bhilai Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | May 2023 |
| | | L&T (Corporate) Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | May 2023 |
| | | Reliance Industries (Corporate) Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | July, 2023 |
| | | H.T. Parekh Marg (Corporate) Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | July, 2023 |
| 1 | EIRC | Madhya Kolkata Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | February, 2023 |
| 4. | | Tollygunge Study Circle of ICSI | Renewal | Мау, 2023 |

INITIATIVES UNDERTAKEN FOR SENSITIZATION ON PMLA AND AML

- FIU-India has implemented the AML & CFT Guidelines which are effective w.e.f. June 19, 2023 wherein ICSI has been accorded the role of Supervisory Regulatory Body (SRB) for its professional members
- Bulk mail to all Company Secretaries in Practice to identify existing reporting entities undertaking financial transactions and requesting them to register themselves as Reporting Entity, where applicable, through google form. 86 responses received.
- Dedicated email id created i.e. pmla@icsi.edu for information sharing between Reporting

Entities and Nodal Officer, as provided under the guidelines on which 59 replies received so far.

- Crash course on Prevention of Money Laundering Act (PMLA) and Anti Money Laundering Act (AML) organized to provide a comprehensive understanding of AML laws and regulations. The crash course was attended by total 321 members.
- Webinar on Prevention of Money laundering Act, 2002 on June 01, 2023 in the presence of Joint Secretary (Revenue), Ministry of Finance.
- Drafting of Risk Assessment Framework specifically for the CS Profession
- Webinar on Legal framework of PMLA and WMD Act: Guidance for Practising Professionals
- To sensitize the members on the growing significance of the PMLA and WMD Act and the expected roles and responsibilities from Governance Professionals, a dedicated webinar on the topic was conducted on October 18, 2023 in the presence of Shri Balasubramanian K, Joint Secretary, Tax Policy Research Unit, Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance.

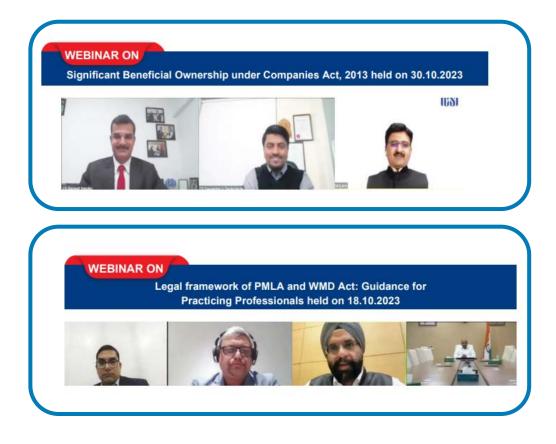
INITIATIVES UNDERTAKEN FOR SENSITIZATION ON SIGNIFICANT BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

With reference to the MCA Letter dated October 05, 2023 addressed to the three professional institutions advising

for sensitizing their members for further sensitizing the stakeholders regarding due compliance of section 90 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Companies (Significant beneficial Owners) Rules, 2018, the ICSI has undertaken following initiatives:

- Participated in the meeting scheduled on 18.10.2023 regarding SBO provisions chaired by Smt. Anuradha Thakur, Additional Secretary, MCA with all the RDs and three professional institutions.
- Dedicated Webinar on Significant Beneficial Ownership on October 30, 2023
- Article Segment in monthly Journal Chartered Secretary November 2023 edition
- Bulk mail to all members advising them to pursue sensitization of their client companies on SBO.





E. STRENGTHENING SELF GOVERNANCE

ICSI UDIN & ECSIN AMNESTY SCHEME, 2023

| Name of the Scheme | Launch period | Members benefitted |
|------------------------------------|---|--|
| UDIN Amnesty Scheme, 2023 | March 16-31, 2023 Extended till April 15, 2023 | 717 members availed 2585 UDINs modified |
| UDIN Special Amnesty Scheme, 2023 | July 21-31, 2023 | 358 members availed 776 UDINs modified |
| ECSIN Amnesty Scheme, 2023 | March 29-April 12, 2023 Extended till April 27, 2023 | 141 members |
| ECSIN Special Amnesty Scheme, 2023 | July 21-31, 2023 | 15 members |

PEER REVIEW

Peer Review contemplates examination of systems and approach of a Practice Unit by another members of the Institute with the objective of identifying the areas for improvement. The focus lies on continuing quality improvement in an atmosphere of openness and mutual trust.

- The name of Peer Review Committee was changed to Peer Review Board w.e.f. 19 April, 2023. The constitution and Terms of Reference of the Peer Review Board were same as that of the Peer Review Committee.
- A total of 2456 Peer Review exercises were completed during the year 2023 and accordingly Certificates were issued to the Practice Units.
- Webinar on Peer Review

Webinar on Mandatory Peer Review for Certificate and Audit Services conducted on 19th April, 2023 – 2500+ participants

• Training Programme for Empanelment of Peer Reviewers

| Hyderabad | April 01, 2023 | 30 participants |
|-----------|--------------------|------------------|
| Online | May 15-19, 2023 | 81 Participants |
| Bhopal | August 05, 2023 | 20 participants |
| Online | August 21-25, 2023 | 14 registrations |

QUALITY REVIEW BOARD

The Quality Review Board (QRB) has been set-up by the Central Government under Section 29A of the Company Secretaries Act, 1980 to make recommendations to the Council of the Institute with regard to the quality of services provided by the Members of the Institute, to review the quality of these services and to guide the Members to improve the quality of services and adherence to the various statutory and regulatory requirements. Apart from the Chairperson, two Members of the Board are nominated by the Central Government and other two Members by the Council of the Institute.

The Quality Review Board had constituted a Task Force to give their suggestions on revamping of the quality review processes and reporting thereon and in this direction the Quality Review Board undertook consistent efforts towards Revision/development of various formats of Quality Review, viz., Quality Review Reporting format, PU Questionnaire and SoPs for Quality Review.

F. FACILITATION AND STANDARDIZATION

PLACEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

• HANDLING REQUIREMENTS FOR CS RELATED POSITIONS AT VARIOUS GOVERNMENT OFFICES

More than 280 placement requirements were received from offices of the Ministry of Company Affairs/CPSE/PSUs/ Banks regarding the position of Company Secretary Trainees /Members from time to time and shortlisted Resumes of Members and Students were sent to them.

• CAMPUS PLACEMENT DRIVES

During the Campus Placement drives offers were given by the following organizations in 2023 are as under:

| Company Name | No. of offers |
|---|---------------|
| APEX Group | 18 (Eighteen) |
| Exim Bank | 3 (Three) |
| Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency Limited | 1 (One) |
| LTI Mindtree | 11 (Eleven) |
| Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Limited | 2 (Two) |
| National Stock Exchange | 13 (Thirteen) |
| Tata Power | 2 (Two) |
| Vedanta Limited | 5 (Five) |

MEGA PLACEMENT DRIVES

The Institute had organized two Mega Placement Drive in the month of May and November 2023 on pan India basis in physical mode. More than 210 young members across the nation and 75 Corporates/ Firms had participated in the mega placement drives.

MEGA TRAINEE DRIVES/MELAS

The Institute had organized Mega Trainee Drives/Melas in the month of March, July and September 2023 on pan India basis in physical/online mode. More than 1200 students across the nation and 600 Corporates/ Firms participated in the mega trainee drives.

• MAJOR PLACEMENTS MADE THROUGH ICSI PORTAL

The Institute, in its attempt to provide a platform to connect corporates and members to provide good placement opportunities, more than 120 members were placed through portal with an LPA ranging between 5-20 LPA.

• PLACEMENT / TRAINEE DRIVES

The Institute had organized more than 50 Placement / Trainee Drives across India. The drives were successfully organized to connect Corporates/ Firms and aspiring trainees/members. REGISTRATIONS AND POSTINGS AT PLACEMENT PORTAL

(From 19th January – 20th December 2023)

| Registered Users | | | al No. of cancies | |
|------------------|----------|------------|----------------------|-----------|
| Members | Students | Corporates | Jobs | Trainings |
| 2184 | 3872 | 1240 | 1940 | 1305 |

FACILITATION INITIATIVES

(i) Consolidated payment of Annual Membership Fees for (a) 03 years and (b) 05 years.

(ii) Know Your Member (KYM) Declaration, at the time of payment of Membership fees.

(iii) Scheme for fixation of Arrear of Annual Membership Fees' in case of restoration of Membership.

(iv) Considering the total years of experience as 'Company Secretary' (both in employment and in practice) irrespective of the CoP date, to enable PCS registration for the purpose of imparting long-term training.

(v) Distribution of copy of 'the ICSI (Management and Development of Company Secretary in Practice), Guidelines, 2023' to Members on obtaining the Certificate of Practice.

UNIFORM NOMENCLATURE FOR ALL RESEARCH AND TRAINING CENTRES

The ICSI Council accorded approval for uniform nomenclature for all Research and Training Centres of the Institute as "Centre for Corporate Governance, Research and Training (CCGRT)".

DELIVERY MECHANISM OF CHARTERED SECRETARY JOURNAL REVAMPED

The delivery mechanism of Chartered Secretary Journal was revamped and accordingly following options were made available to Members:

Option I : CSJ by Ordinary Post - No change in Membership Fee.

Option 2: CSJ by Speed Post/ Registered Post - Rs.500 will be charged additionally towards postage charge.

Option 3: Opt-out from receipt of printed copy of CSJ - Reduction of Rs.500 (exclusive of GST) on annual membership fee (ACS/FCS).

More than 30,000 members opted out from the receipt of printed copy and more than 26000 opted for receipt through normal post.

SCARF FOR FEMALE MEMBERS

A unique initiative for the female Company Secretaries to portray themselves as members of the ICSI launched on the lines of ties and other insignia for male Company Secretaries at the 24th National Conference of Practising Company Secretaries held on June 16-17, 2023.



EXTENSION OF DATE FOR OBTAINING MANDATORY CPE CREDITS FOR THE YEAR 2022-23

Last date for obtaining mandatory CPE credits was extended till June 30, 2023 for the year April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023. Further, in view of critical maintenance activities on the ICSI portal, the last date was further extended till July 31, 2023.

SUGGESTED FORMATS PURSUANT TO RECOGNITIONS UNDER IFSCA REGULATIONS

ICSI has issued suggested formats for certifications, pursuant to the recognitions accorded to the Company Secretaries in Practice under:

- IFSCA (Insurance Intermediary) Regulations, 2021
 - Certification under Regulation 13(6)
 - Certificate of Compliance under Form B (Application Seeking Fresh/Renewal Certificate of Registration by an Insurance Intermediary for establishing IIIO in the Form of Branch)
 - Certification of Compliance of Ceiling on Business from Single Client under Regulation 22
- IFSCA (Registration of Insurance Business) Regulations, 2021
 - Certificate of Compliance under Form B (Application by a Foreign Insurer or Foreign Re-insurer for grant of Certificate of Registration as an IIO)
 - Certificate of Compliance under Form C (Joint Application by an MGA and Foreign Insurer or

Foreign Re- Insurer for grant of Certificate of Registration as an IIO).

- IFSCA (Insurance Web Aggregator) Regulations, 2022
 - Certification under Regulation 8(5)
- Certificate of Compliance under Form B (Application Seeking Certificate of Registration by an Existing IWA or Insurance Broker for Establishing an IWA in the Form of Branch).

REVISION/ISSUANCE OF GUIDELINES

- Amended Formation, Recognition and Functioning of Study Circle Guidelines, 2019 effective from April 11, 2023
- Amended ICSI (Continuous Professional Education) Guidelines, 2019 effective from April 10, 2023
- Amended ICSI (Protocol Guidelines), 2019 effective from September 27, 2023
- ICSI (Management and Development of Company Secretaries in Practice) Guidelines, 2023 effective from December 15, 2023
- ICSI Programme Guidelines, 2023
- Amended in the ICSI (Guidelines for Attire and Conduct of Company Secretaries), 2020
- Amended in the ICSI (Continuous Professional Education) Guidelines, 2019 with respect to (a) Completion of CPE credit hours by Members residing overseas and (b) clarity for award of CPE credits for joint Programmes organized by the Institute with other bodies
- ICSI Chapter Management Guidelines, 2023

GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE SCHEME

The Institute of Company Secretaries of India has launched the ICSI Group Voluntary Health Insurance Programme, exclusively for the members. The Institute has collaborated with the National Insurance Company and Marsh India, to offer top-notch insurance benefits, that will address the family's healthcare needs of the ones who voluntarily enroll for the services.



MOUs INKED

| Entity | Date | Purpose | |
|--|-------------------|--|--|
| Lemon Tree Hotels Limited | June 26, 2023 | 15% discount on best available rates at the Lemon Tree official website on Lodging to members, employees and students of ICSI | |
| HDFC Bank Ltd. | August 8, 2023 | Personalized facility while opening HDFC Bank Savings Max Account to the Members of ICSI. | |
| The Institute of Management Accountants | December 1, 2023 | Collaborating for research, seminars, conferences, and workshop towards the benefit of Members | |
| Standing Conference of Public Enterprises (SCOPE) | December 5, 2023 | | |
| International Financial Services Centres Authority (IFSCA) | December 10, 2023 | Collaborating and working together for the development of GIFT- IFSC as a Global Compliance Services export Hub and to facilitate development of advanced corporate governance practices | |

BEST REGIONAL COUNCIL AND CHAPTER AWARDS FOR THE YEAR 2021

The Best Regional Council Award and Best Chapter Award for the year 2021 were conferred upon the winners at the 24th National Conference of Practising Company Secretaries, organized during June 16-17, June 2023:



| Category of Awards | Winners |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Best Regional Council | Southern India Regional Council of ICSI |
| National Best Chapter | Hyderabad Chapter of SIRC of ICSI |
| Best Chapter in "Diamond" Grade | Hyderabad Chapter of SIRC of ICSI |
| Best Chapter in "Platinum" Grade | Indore Chapter of WIRC of ICSI |
| Best Chapter in "Gold" Grade | Bhubaneswar Chapter of EIRC of ICSI |
| Best Chapter in "Silver" Grade | Mysuru Chapter of SIRC of ICSI |
| Emerging Chapter | Palakkad Chapter of SIRC of ICSI |

BEST REGIONAL COUNCIL AND CHAPTER AWARDS FOR THE YEAR 2022

The Awards were felicitated at the august hands of Shri Jagdeep Dhankhar, Hon'ble Vice President of India and Smt. Anandiben Patel, Hon'ble Governor of Uttar Pradesh at the 51st National Convention of Company Secretaries held during November 02-04, 2023 at Varanasi:



| Category of Awards | Winners |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Best Regional Council | Western India Regional Council of ICSI |
| National Best Chapter | Kochi Chapter of SIRC of ICSI |
| Best Chapter in "Diamond" Grade | Bengaluru Chapter of SIRC of ICSI |
| Best Chapter in "Platinum" Grade | Indore Chapter of WIRC of ICSI |
| Best Chapter in "Gold" Grade | Kochi Chapter of SIRC of ICSI |
| Best Chapter in "Silver" Grade | Nashik Chapter of WIRC of ICSI |
| Emerging Chapter | Palakkad Chapter of SIRC of ICSI |



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1ST MEMBERS' OUTREACH PROGRAMME

The Institute has launched 'Members' Outreach Programmes', an initiative to connect with the eminent Members from across the country to seek their views about the industry/stakeholder's perception towards the profession of Company Secretaries, emerging avenues for the profession, new ideas for the growth of the profession and measures for the capacity building of the Members amongst other things. 1st Members' Outreach Programme comprising the members from Northern Region was organised on January 5, 2024 at Taj Palace, New Delhi.



G. ENHANCING BRAND EQUITY

The ICSI has undertaken various image building initiatives to promote and enhance the brand ICSI by ensuring coverage of all the ICSI events, initiatives and developments related to the profession in the Print/Electronic/Digital Media through Press Releases, Press Conferences, Media Interactions, Web Portals and Social Media Handles, etc.

| Particulars | Number |
|---|--------|
| Press Coverage of ICSI events, announcements | 812 |
| Press Conferences | 20 |
| Exclusive Interview and Write-ups of ICSI Spokesperson in Print Media | 9 |
| Coverage in Electronic Media | 52 |
| Number of Videos Created for Brand Promotion | 25 |
| Half-hour special episodes | 1 |

ICSI Student / Corporate Advertisements and various Tenders, Classified, and Appointment Advertisements were also issued.

SOCIAL MEDIA PRESENCE

ICSI Social Media Platforms have significantly strengthened ICSI & CS Profession as a Brand. All Announcements and information related to ICSI Events are disseminated through ICSI Social Media Platforms, viz., Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, Instagram, Threads and WhatsApp. **Threads and WhatsApp Channel has been introduced in September 2023.** So far over 1100 Posts have been shared across all social media handles. Also, Videos of ICSI Webinars, Crash Courses & other branding activities have been uploaded on ICSI YouTube Channel ensuring increased reach and publicity. Placed below is a table of ICSI reach in terms of followers, on social media:

| Social Media Portals | Followers (till 16 January 2024) |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| Facebook | 1,28,000 |
| https://www.facebook.com/ICSI | |
| X (earlier Known as Twitter) | 90,573 |
| https://twitter.com/icsi_cs | |
| LinkedIn | 35,143 |
| https://www.linkedin.com/in/theicsi/ | |
| Instagram | 61,700 |
| https://www.instagram.com/theicsi/ | |
| YouTube | 86,700 |
| https://www.youtube.com/user/TheCsInstitute | |
| YouTube (Students) | 29,400 |
| https://www.instagram.com/theicsi/ | |
| Threads | 5,448 |
| https://www.threads.net/@theicsi | |
| WhatsApp | 30,131 |
| https://www.whatsapp.com/channel/0029Va9qP1ID8SE69ZDQvW3F | |

H. INITIATIVES FOR STUDENTS

STUDY MATERIAL UNDER NEW SYLLABUS 2022 LAUNCHED

- Executive Programme (7 Papers) launched at 5th ICSI Leadership Summit held on February 13, 2023.
- Professional Programme (14 Papers) launched at National Conference of Corporate CS at Goa held on July 27-28, 2023.

ALL INDIA COMPANY LAW QUIZ-2023

With the objective to upgrade the knowledge level of students in Company Law and allied areas and to generate interest among the students for in-depth study of the subject including greater conceptual clarity, the ICSI organized the All-India Company Law Quiz - 2023. The Preliminary Round was held on June 30, 2023 and the Final Round was conducted in Physical mode on September 16, 2023 at Nagpur.

QUIZ ON CURRENT AFFAIRS AND GENERAL KNOWLEDGE 2023

The Institute for creating awareness about the profession organised Online Quiz on Current Affairs & General Knowledge for Students pursuing 11&12 class of any stream/ Students passed 12th/ pursuing Graduation. Quiz was conducted in three rounds - prelims, semi-final and final on different dates and the winners in each Category awarded with cash prizes. Final Round was held on November 24, 2023.

CONSTITUTION DAY ONLINE QUIZ 2023

To enhance the knowledge levels of students in Constitution of India and to generate interest among the students for in-depth study of the subject including greater conceptual clarity, the Institute organized Constitution Day Online Quiz – 2023 on 26 November 2023 at 11 am for below category of students Pursuing 11th / 12th (Commerce Stream)/12th Passed (Commerce Stream)/ Pursuing Graduation (Commerce / Law / Management) / Students of CS Executive & Professional Programme.

MOTIVATIONAL WEBINAR FOR CS STUDENTS BY MR. AVI PRASAD, IAS

ICSI conducted a motivational webinar on May 22, 2023 for CS students wherein Mr. Avi Prasad, IAS motivated and guided the students virtually. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RRbWRm55R-0









WEBCAST FOR THE STUDENTS OF THE INSTITUTE ADDRESSED BY PRESIDENT, THE ICSI

The Institute conducted Webcast for the students of the Institute on October 16, 2023. The webinar was addressed by President, The ICSI and Secretary, The ICSI. HODs of various Directorates were also present to respond to the various queries of the students.

RECIPROCAL EXEMPTIONS WITH THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA (ICOAI)

An MoU with the Institute of Cost Accountants of India (ICoAI) was signed to provide 'Reciprocal Exemptions' in view of ICSI New Syllabus 2022 and Syllabus 2022 of ICoAI.

CENTRALIZED FREE ONLINE CLASSES FOR STUDENTS OF EXECUTIVE AND PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMME

ICSI introduced free online Centralized classes for the students of Executive and Professional Programme (New Syllabus) from December 01, 2023 onwards. These Classes will be conducted free of cost for the students. The classes are being conducted for the students eligible to appear in June 2024 examination and the duration of the classes will be 4-5 months. The best faculties in the country will be taking these classes and special sessions of experts will also be conducted. Students registered for these classes will be eligible to get exemption from pre-exam test subject to clearing of tests of respective group/s. Further, students registered for these classes to online doubt clearing classes conducted by the Institute.

MEGA TRAINEE DRIVES/MELAS

The Institute had organized Mega Trainee Drives/Melas in the months of March, July and September 2023 on pan India basis in physical/online mode. More than 1200 students across the nation and 600 Corporates/ Firms participated in the mega trainee drives.

ICSI SAMADHAN DIWAS

Samadhan Diwas is an initiative by the ICSI towards on-the-spot solution of the grievances of the trainees and trainers. During the sessions, various Heads of Directorates resolve grievances of students pertaining to various aspects. The ICSI organized **15 (Fifteen)** Samadhan Diwas during the period.

INTRODUCTION OF CORPORATE LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME (CLDP)

The Institute in order to provide wider opportunities to Professional pass students who have completed all the training requirements (except CLDP) has introduced CLDP in two phases i.e.:

- 15 days through Online Mode (LMS Portal); and
- 15 days through Classroom Mode (Non-Residential/ Residential)

REVISION IN THE FEES FOR UNDERGOING 15 DAYS RESIDENTIAL CLDP

The Institute has prescribed fees of Rs. 22,000 (Inclusive of Stay and all Meals, Study Material /CLDP Kit, Stationery Items) for undergoing 15 days Residential Corporate Leadership Development Programme.

UNIFORM MINIMUM AMOUNT OF STIPEND PAYABLE TO STUDENTS DURING LONG TERM TRAINING

The Institute in order to bring about uniformity in the amount of stipend being paid to students of CS course has revised the minimum stipend for the students (both Executive & Professional Programme) registering for Practical Training (Company/Company Secretary in whole-time practice/other entities) on or after 01st August, 2023 at Rs. 5,000 per month.

INCLUSION OF LLPS UNDER GIFT CITY FOR IMPARTING LONG TERM TRAINING TO CS STUDENTS

In order to provide opportunities to the CS trainees to explore the various new avenues with the LLP's registered and operating in the GIFT city, the Institute has provided the relaxion in the eligibility criteria for Registration these LLP (having offices at GIFT city). The students of the Institute can now undergo long term practical training of 21 months in LLPs under GIFT city which are registered with the Institute for imparting long- term training.

EXTENSION OF COMPULSORY SWITCHOVER TO NEW TRAINING STRUCTURE UPTO MARCH 31, 2024

The Institute in order to facilitate its students who are still undergoing training under Earlier/ Modified Training Structure has decided to provide one last opportunity to its students to complete the requirement of short-term training under earlier/modified training structure till 31st March, 2024. Compulsory Switchover to New Training Structure shall now be applicable w.e.f. 1st April, 2024.

EXTENSION OF CONDUCTING 15 DAYS CLDP ON NON- RESIDENTIAL BASIS UPTO MARCH 31, 2025

The Institute in order to provide more opportunities to its students to complete 15 days residential/non-residential (Classroom) mode CLDP has extended conducting of 15 days class room mode Corporate Leadership Development Programme (CLDP) on non- residential basis by Regional Offices, Diamond and Platinum grade Chapter for a period up to 31st March, 2025. However, CCGRTs will continue to conduct CLDPs in residential mode only.

REGISTRATION OF PCS FOR IMPARTING LONG-TERM TRAINING TO BE CONSIDERED BY INCLUDING TOTAL NUMBER OF YEARS OF EXPERIENCE AS CS (BOTH IN EMPLOYMENT AND IN PRACTICE)

The Institute in order to facilitate its new COP holders, the registration of PCS for the purpose of imparting long -term training will consider by including the total years of experience as a CS (both in employment and in practice)

STUDENT MONTH CELEBRATED PAN INDIA IN JULY 2023

Student month was celebrated in the month of July and the same has garnered a lot of appreciation from the student fraternity. New activities were added in the student month focusing on issues of social causes.

COMPANY SECRETARY EXECUTIVE ENTRANCE TEST (CSEET)

- CSEET conducted for May and July Session through remote proctored mod
 - CSEET May 2023 session held on 6th & 8 May 2023.
 - CSEET July session held on 30th July & 1st August 2023.
 - CSEET November 2023 session held on 4th and 6th November 2023.
- Centralized classes for the students of CSEET from December 16, 2023 onwards
- CSEET classes and Mock tests
- Relaxations for CSEET Students
 - Exemption to Graduates and Post Graduates from appearing in CSEET
 - Provisional registration in Executive Programme for CSEET passed candidates
 - Facility to opt out & carry forward of CSEET fees for candidates of May session



- CSEET Guide released at 24th PCS Conference on June 16-17, 2023 at Vishakhapatnam.
- CSEET Reference Reading Material uploaded on ICSI website.

KNOWLEDGE ENRICHMENT INITIATIVES

- Classes, Crash Courses, Free Half Day Programme Every month by ROs /Chapters
- Recorded video lectures and Online Doubt Clearing
 Classes
- Info Capsule- A Daily update for members and students, covering latest amendments
- Guideline Answers, Subject wise Monthly Updates
 and Supplements
- Monthly Student Company Secretary, CS Foundation E-Bulletin and CSEET Communique
- Info Capsule series (Total 14 till date) covering latest updates.
- Research Tab under Academic Portal to sensitize students on emerging issues. As a maiden initiative, a brief research study on 'Exploring Financial Cataclysm of Silicon Valley Bank (SVB) and Analysing Credit Suisse Fiasco Tangentially' is uploaded.
- Work in progress on various Publications

OTHER INITIATIVES

- FAQs on queries received to give clarity and real time guidance.
- Professional Programme Pass Certificate of ICSI available in Digilocker.
- Transcripts & Education Verification for applying for Foreign Courses/immigration based on CS Qualification.

I. ICSI REGISTERED VALUERS ORGANISATION

• Online 50 Hours of Educational Courses:

| 22nd Batch | January 6-15, 2023 |
|------------|------------------------------|
| 23rd Batch | February 17-26, 2023 |
| 24th Batch | March 31- April 09, 2023 |
| 25th Batch | May 18-28, 2023 |
| 26th Batch | July 17-23, 2023 |
| 27th Batch | August 31- September 6, 2023 |
| 28th Batch | November 14- 20, 2023 |

• Continuous Educational Programme (CEP)

| February 4, 2023 | Dealing with Subjectivity in Valuation | CA CS Rajesh Mittal |
|-------------------|---|------------------------------|
| February 18, 2023 | Valuation of Startups | CS Kanishk Arora |
| March 4, 2023 | Valuation of Intangible with real life case studies | CA CS Harish Chander Dhamija |
| March 18, 2023 | Valuation of Distressed Companies | Shri Murali Raman |
| March 30, 2023 | Valuation of Complex Securities Using option pricing method | CA CS Sandeep Kothari |
| June 24, 2023 | Valuation under Income-tax act 1961 including recent amendments and ingredients of a good Valuation Report | CA Reveesh Choudhary |
| July 15, 2023 | Brand Valuation | CA Anurag Singal |
| November 17, 2023 | Judicial Pronouncements and IBBI Orders on Valuation - Learning and Challenges | CA CS Rajesh Mittal |

Certificate of Practice (COP) Programme

| February 22, 2023 | Code of Conduct for Registered valuers | CA CS Rajesh Mittal |
|--|--|---------------------------------|
| September 19, 2023 September 20, 2023 | Professional Ethics Drafting Valuation Report | CA CS Harish Chander Dhamija |
| December 13, 2023 | Soft Skills (How to communicate with the clients and peers | |

• Joint Webinars

| March 7, 2023 | Career as Insolvency Professional & Registered Valuer jointly with ICI-IIP | CS Preeti Garg |
|----------------|--|--------------------|
| May 4, 2023 | "ESG-as the regulatory framework changes with the establishment of the ISSB and reporting requirements under IFRS- what does it means for real estate Valuers and Business Valuers - is it same?" Jointly with RICS | |
| August 6, 2023 | Demonstration of ProwessIQ Database | Mr. Sudarshan Negi |

MoU signed with RICS -March 21, 2023

ICSI RVO inked an MoU with Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS) India Pvt. Ltd. on March 21, 2023 to facilitate joint research & capacity-building programmes for growth & development of members of both institutions.



Case Study Workshop on business and equity Valuation

| August 20, 2023 | Business and Enquiry Valuation | Mr. Tarun Mahajan |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| August 27, 2023 | Preference share valuation | Mr. Sandeep Kothari |
| September 9, 2023 | Buyback of shares | Dr. Ajay Garg |
| November 4, 2023 | Business and Enquiry Valuation | Mr. Tarun Mahajan |
| December 16, 2023 | Insight in Merger & Amalgamation | CS Preeti Garg |

Certificate Course on Valuation of Securities/ Financial Assets

The ICSI jointly with ICSI RVO launched Online Certificate Course on Valuation of Securities/ Financial Assets. The third batch started from August 8, 2023.

Refresher Course on Valuation of Securities/ Financial Assets

| Date | Торіс | Faculty |
|--------------------------|---|---|
| August 13-14, 2023 | Basics of Finance and Equity/ Business | CA CS Rajesh Mittal |
| | Valuation Valuation Approaches | CA CS Harish Chander Dhamija |
| | Option Valuation Situation Specific | CA CS Sandeep Kothari |
| | Valuation Rules/ | Mr. Chaitanya Jee Srivastava |
| | Model Code of Conduct / RBI/ FEMA | CA Sumit Shadda CS Preeti Garg CS (Dr.) Ajay Garg |
| | Fixed Income & Securities | |
| | Numerical Question Practice | |



J. ICSI INSTITUTE OF INSOLVENCY PROFESSIONALS

1ST NATIONAL CONVENTION OF INSOLVENCY PROFESSIONALS & REGISTERED VALUERS

The 1st National Convention of Insolvency Professionals & Registered Valuers was conducted jointly by ICSI, ICSI Institute of Insolvency Professionals and ICSI Registered Valuers Organisation on the theme Insolvency, Bankruptcy & Valuation: Achievements, Challenges & Expectations was held on January 13, 2024 at SCOPE Auditorium, Lodhi Estate, New Delhi. Hon'ble Mr. Ashok Kumar Bhardwaj, Member (Judicial) NCLT, Hon'ble Mr. Justice A. K. Sikri, Former Judge, Supreme Court, Hon'ble Dr. P.S.N. Prasad, Member (Judicial) NCLT, Mr. Santosh Kumar Shukla, Executive Director, IBBI.



• Enrolment of Insolvency Professionals

As on date 1294 (One thousand two hundred and ninety-four) professional members are enrolled with ICSI IIP.

| Date | Торіс | Speaker(s) | YouTube link |
|------------------|---|---|------------------------------|
| January 27, 2023 | EOI to Resolution Plan - A Journey | IP Satwinder Singh | https://youtu.be/xk3n4z65Tu8 |
| January 30, 2023 | Recent Amendments relating to Regulatory Fee | | |
| March 07, 2023 | Career as Insolvency Professional & Registered Valuer | | |
| March 23, 2023 | Determination of Avoidance Transactions | Mr. Vinay Garodiya, Partner, EY India, Forensics, Investigations & Compliance Hon'ble James Pickering KC, King's Counsel, Deputy High Court Judge, Head of Chambers Enterprise Chamber | https://youtu.be/2sT6GOiBRiU |
| April 17, 2023 | Income Tax Quandaries with IBC | Mr. Vinod Kothari Ms. Sikha Bansal | https://youtu.be/UGfXTgAIQD4 |
| April 21, 2023 | Anatomy of IBC Case - 4 | IP Anagha Anasingaraju IP Vikram Kumar | https://youtu.be/kjzLX7Pohjg |
| April 28, 2023 | Recent Important Orders by NCLAT | IP Vikram Kumar | https://youtu.be/1V6opOICI_0 |
| May 19, 2023 | Anatomy of IBC Cases - 5 | Ms. Prachi Wazalwar Mr. Nipun Singhvi | https://youtu.be/qkrvfOxOSrU |

• Webinar Series on Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016

| June 09, 2023 | Information Utility services for the IPs | | https://youtu.be/_JsSUNKRdv8 |
|---|--|--|--|
| June 21, 2023 June 28, 2023 July 05, 2023 July 12, 2023 July 19, 2023 | Reviewing Regulations notified under Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 | | https://www.youtube.com/ playlist?list=PL30C8PpqWXW i4nlfeemVQyi5BXxFe4fjG |
| August 11, 2023 | Drafting & Negotiation of Resolution Plans | IP Ashish Makhija | https://youtu.be/jHrmtPZOYf0 |
| August 18, 2023 | Anatomy of IBC Case Laws - 6 | IP Nilesh Sharma | https://youtu.be/0hHsMwSSGYk |
| September 08, 2023 | Anatomy of IBC Case Laws - 7 | Mr. Risham Garg | https://youtu.be/As2xTSFLhJk |
| September 09, 2023 | Knowledge Session on Challenges Related to Real Estate Claims | IP Shalini Shrivastav Mr. Abhirup Ganguli | https://youtu.be/tCCr7q-jnPk |
| September 13, 2023 | Reviewing Liquidation Regulations & Voluntary Liquidation Regulations | | https://www.youtube.com/ playlist?list=PL30C8Ppq WXWi4nlfeemVQyi5BXxFe4fjG |
| September 15, 2023 | Knowledge Session on Avoidance Transactions under IBC | CS and IP Partha Kamal Sen | https://youtu.be/sqWda0wXmgc |
| September 16, 2023 | Artificial Intelligence in Turnaround & Insolvency | IP (Adv.) Rocky Ravinder Gupta | https://youtu.be/44xoprRen24 |
| September 22, 2023 | Anatomy of IBC Case Laws - 8 | Advocate Prachi Wazalwar | https://youtu.be/YKxXIzzBDxA |
| October 06, 2023 | Anatomy of IBC Case Laws - 9 | Adv. & IP Ajay Kumar Jain | https://youtu.be/PNc5A5M_IrU |
| October 20, 2023 | Anatomy of IBC Case Laws - 10 | Adv. & IP Umesh Chandra Sahoo | https://youtu.be/sFol3fA1Lcl |
| November 17, 2023 | Code of Conduct for IPs and Disciplinary Proceedings and Impact of IBC on Ease of Doing Business | Adv. & IP Manish Paliwal | |
| November 22, 2023 | Anatomy of IBC Case Laws - 11 | Adv. & IP Apoorv Sarvaria | https://youtu.be/ve8lgLLJYsl |
| December 08, 2023 | Important Hon'ble NCLAT Judgments on Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 – I | Adv. & IP Umesh Chandra Sahoo | https://youtu.be/zB-XZGtBmuQ |
| December 15, 2023 | Important Hon'ble NCLAT Judgments on Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 – II | Adv. & IP Umesh Chandra Sahoo | https://youtu.be/Qx9l2HGKAiE |
| December 29, 2023 | Important Hon'ble NCLAT Judgments on Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 - III | Adv. & IP Umesh Chandra Sahoo | https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=FdV37dFiVsk |

Round Table Discussions

| Date | Торіс |
|-------------------|---|
| January 25, 2023 | MCA notice dt 18th Jan 2023 on Proposed changes to IBC |
| June 16, 2023 | IBBI Dis. Ppr on "Measures for increasing the possibility of resolution, value of resolution plan and enabling timely resolution" |
| October 21, 2023 | IBBI Dis. Ppr on "Streamlining the Voluntary Liquidation Process" |
| November 01, 2023 | IBBI Dis. Ppr on "Strengthening the Liquidation Process" |
| November 07, 2023 | Rationalisation of the Regulatory Framework for Enhancing the Effectiveness of IPEs in IRP |
| November 16, 2023 | Proposed CIRP Amendments & Real Estate Related Proposals |
| November 24, 2023 | Proposed CIRP Amendments & Real Estate Related Proposals (Part II) |

Interactive Meet

| Date | Торіс |
|-------------------|--|
| February 06, 2023 | Let's Connect: A Platform for the IPs - Managing the CD as Going Concern |
| April 03, 2023 | Let's Connect: A Platform for the IPs |

• Workshops

| Date | Subject | Speaker(s) | YouTube link |
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| January 16- 20, 2023 | Insolvency Law in the year 2022: Lessons and Way Forward (Series III) | Mr. Ravi Prakash Ganti Mr. Sanjeev Ahuja Mr. Ashish Makhija Ms. Shweta Bharti Ms. Barsha Dikshit Ms. Shikha Bansal | https://www.youtube.com/ playlist?list=PL30C8PpqWXWg mJO0HmOOJrhOJfinAMx |
| January 21, 2023 | Corporate Restructuring & Interim Finance under IBC | IP Jigar Bhatt IP Harmeet Kaur | |
| January 30- 31, 2023 | Labour Laws and its relevance under IBC | IP Pankaj Khetan IP Harmeet Kaur | https://youtu.be/Zy9Hz1Mq6XA |
| February 18, 2023 | Insights of Power Sector & Manufacturing Sector under IBC | IP Navneet Kumar Gupta IP Anish Nanavaty | https://youtu.be/ewWiyl06w2Q |
| February 24, 2023 | Alternative Career Options for IPs (Part 1) | Adv. Rocky Ravinder Gupta | https://youtu.be/UQISnkDmNYs |
| February 27- 28, 2023 | Restructuring Process Involving Financial Service Providers | Adv. Sumant Batra Adv. Nilang Desai | youtu.be/sNPXrSXot94 https://youtu.be/zu_wvufUDE8 |
| February 28, 2023 | Alternative Career Options for IPs (Part 2) | Adv Amarjit Singh Chandhiok Adv. Rocky Ravinder Gupta | https://youtu.be/UQISnkDmNYs |
| March 01-07, 2023 | Perspectives on IBC - An Array (Series IV) | Adv. & IP Harmeet Kaur IP & RV Anantha Lakshmi Adv. & IP Anjali Sharma Adv. Prachi Wazalwar IP B. Mekala | https://www.youtube.com/ playlist?list=PL30C8PpqWXWh_H 32CgDUyz8oKJnivIwcc |

| March 12, | Analyzing Changing | CS & IP Amit Gupta | https://youtu.be/PXrNDk5vy0Q |
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| 2023 | Landscape of Insolvency Resolution from Prism of Judicial Pronouncements | | |
| March 18, 2023 | Insights of Real Estate Sector under IBC | Mr. Manish Paliwal Mr. Anil Goel | https://youtu.be/UOEalolMBh0 |
| March 25, 2023 | Insights on Wholesale & Retail Trade Sector under IBC | IP Suhasini Ashok B IP Partha Kamalsen | https://youtu.be/XCGk_nAuQt8 |
| April 01, 2023 | Interplay of Companies Act and SEBI Act with IBC | CS & IP S. Dhanapal CS & IP Preeti Garg | https://youtu.be/JrlExBqxr7Y |
| April 15, 2023 | Labour Laws & GST Law vis-a-vis IBC | Mr. Umesh Chandra CA Vipul Garg | https://www.youtube.com/watch? v=4WTV3S6fvMs |
| April 25-26, 2023 | IBC vis-a-vis Limitation Act and PMLA | IP Anand Sonbhadra IP Harmeet Kaur | https://youtu.be/9m91IWa8gpw https://youtu.be/YvSYI1T5yTQ |
| May 06, 2023 | Interplay of SARFAESI Act, 2002 and Arbitration Act, 1996 with IBC | Adv. & IP Honey Satpal Adv. & IP Manish Paliwal | https://youtu.be/qS9DoOlrVTU |
| May 13, 2023 | Role of Related Parties Under IBC - A Critical Analysis | IP Deepa Venkat Ramani IP Amit Gupta | https://youtu.be/gY1fcVkFFN8 |
| May 20, 2023 | New Avenues in IBC | CS S. Badri Narayanan Prof. Risham Garg | https://youtu.be/e_x2jrhMpAE |
| May 27, 2023 | Claim Verification and Committee of Creditors Under IBC | IP Harshul Shah IP Rajendran Shanmugam | https://youtu.be/j4xEwi0AWjc |
| June 05-09, 2023 | Perspectives on IBC - An Array (Series V) | CS Barsha Dikshit CS Shaivi Bhamaria CS & IP Harmeet Kaur CS & IP S. Rajenderan CS & IP S. Dhanapal CA & IP Avil Jerome Menezes | https://www.youtube.com/ playlist?list=PL30C8PpqWXWiEM egsdlkTwpt3McrudgFm |
| June 13-14, 2023 | Rising Haircuts under IBC | CS and IP Mahadev Tirunagari CA and IP Anand Sonbhadra | https://youtu.be/2Yora-4x_sg https://youtu.be/GMmNXOpIt9k |
| July 07-08, 2023 | Refresher on IBC | CS & IP Anagha Anasingaraju Adv. & IP Apoorv Sarvaria CS & IP Partha Kamal Sen | https://youtu.be/ZbKrklQVv34 https://youtu.be/oTFjoV9YZoc |
| July 29, 2023 | Roles & Responsibilities of IP and IRPs | IP Madhusudan Sharma | https://youtu.be/gzOltsyjGT8 |
| August 05, 2023 | Penal Provisions under IBC Laws & Best Practices by IPs | Prof. Risham Garg CS & IP Ajay Garg | https://youtu.be/zw_VplpRSN4 |
| August 19, 2023 | Learner's Session on Committee of Creditors | IP Ashish Makhija | https://youtu.be/X-vhCXEp-q4 |
| August 26, 2023 | Practical Intricacies Related to Personal Guarantor | IP Harmeet kaur | https://youtu.be/7USxlqRqP6M |

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| September 23, 2023 | Learner's Session on Moratorium & Interim Finance under IBC | CS and IP Anasingaraju CS and IP Prakul Thadi | https://youtu.be/ARjNBgiyuE8 |
| October 07, 2023 | Learning Aspects of Valuation under IBC | IP Sejal Agrawal IP Ananthalakshmi S. | https://youtu.be/EVuedAOWndE |
| October 09, 2023 | Perspectives on IBC - An Array (Series VI) | CS S Badri Narayanan CS & IP Vinit Nagar CS & IP Amit Gupta CS & IP S. Dhanapal Mr. Risham Garg, Professor | https://www.youtube.com/ playlist?list=PL30C8PpqWXWhkut 37N17KW7EM58LW6Tal |
| October 28, 2023 | Real Estate Ecosystem and Treatment of Homebuyers | CS & IP Vinit Nagar IP Ravi Prakash Ganti | https://youtu.be/J8USreCwO7c |
| November 18, 2023 | Managing Corporate Debtor as a Going Concern | CA and IP Anil Kohli CA and IP Bhrugesh Amin | https://youtu.be/8WhbAE2v6E4 |
| December 02, 2023 | Protection of Insolvency Professionals under IBC and Labour Laws | CS Siva Rama Prasad Puvvala (IP, CS and CMA) CS & IP Partha Kamal Sen | https://www.youtube.com/watch? v=Wn7MNPjI7Es |
| December 18, 2023 | Perspectives on IBC - An Array (Series VII) | Mr. Madhusudan Sharma (IP) Mr. Avil Jerome Menezes (CA & IP) | https://www.youtube.com/watch? v=BNhqPGM2uyI |
| December 23, 2023 | Enhancing Multifaceted Skills required under IBC - IP as an Interim CEO | Mr. Ashish Rathi (CA & IP) | https://www.youtube.com/watch? v=4YfdGflyY4g |

• Joint Initiatives

| Date | Event | Partner entity |
|--------------------------------|---|---|
| January 20, 2023 | IP Conclave | IBBI and other IPAs |
| February 10-12, 2023 | Residential Refresher Course | Resolve Insolvency Professional Association (RIPA) |
| April 29, 2023 | seminar on the theme "Voluntary Liquidation under IBC and Practical Aspects of Resolution Plan in IBC with latest Judgements" | ICSI Chandigarh Chapter |
| August 23-November 15, 2023 | Certificate Course on Insolvency & Bankruptcy Code, 2016 | ICSI |
| October 13, 2023 | Training Program on "Challenges under IBC 2016: Practical Implications" (Hybrid Mode) | MNLU |
| November 23, 2023 | Interactive/open session of IPs with IBBI on "Liquidations" | other IPAs |
| November 29, 2023 | Interactive/open session of IPs with IBBI on "IP/ IPE regulations including CPE, AFA etc." | other IPAs |
| December 01, 2023 | Interactive/open session of IPs with IBBI on "CIRP" | other IPAs |

• Pre-Registration Educational Courses

Pursuant to Regulation 5(b) of the IBBI (Insolvency Professionals) Regulations, 2016, individuals are eligible to register themselves as Insolvency Professionals (IP) only after undergoing through the mandatory 50 hours Pre-Registration Educational Course from an Insolvency Professional Agency after his/her enrolment as a Professional Member.

ICSI IIP, jointly with the other Insolvency Professional Agencies conducted **3 (three)** batches of pre-registration educational courses.

INSPECTION OF INSOLVENCY PROFESSIONALS

ICSI IIP conducts routine inspections as well as event (trigger) based inspections of the Insolvency Professionals. Since 19th January, 2023 ICSI IIP conducted Seven (7) inspections.

GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL MECHANISM

Pursuant to Section 204 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016, ICSI IIP redresses the grievances of consumers against Insolvency Professionals. The data of grievances since 19th January, 2023 is as follows:

| Grievances Received | Grievances disposed off | Matters pending |
|---------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| 51 | 44 | 7 |

PUBLICATIONS

- Information Booklet on Insolvency Professional Entities – This Information booklet is a ready reckoner on IPEs.
- IBC Code and Regulations, 8th Edition
- Bare Act with all updated Regulations, Rules and Guidelines
- Guide to Limited Insolvency Examination, 1st
 Edition
- A preparatory guide covering MCQs relating to the new syllabus of Limited Insolvency Exam. The publication also includes case studies and case briefs.
- IBC Digest (A collection of research articles)
- Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 (8th Edition)
- Insolvency and Bankruptcy (Rules and Regulations) (8th Edition)

KNOWLEDGE INITIATIVES

- E-Journal
- Daily Learning Curves



INFORMATION BOOKLET ON INSOLVENCY PROFESSIONAL ENTITIES

(CS) INSTITUTE OF INSOLVENCY PROFESSIONALS

K. ICSI INTERNATIONAL ADR CENTRE

WEBINAR SERIES ON ALTERNATE DISPUTE RESOLUTION

| Basics of Arbitration and related provisions | Dr Pundla Bhaskara Mohan Former Judicial Member, NCLT | July 15, 2023 | www.youtube.com/live/ eo7Fl5xM0ig?si=WB5NnOcVoAUfHBBs |
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| Basics of Mediation, Conciliation & related provisions | Mr. Krishna Grandhi Senior Advocate | July 21, 2023 | www.youtube.com/live/ KOGTwD9LzW4?si=TjhqdxlDhJD8QhKf |
| Interplay of various laws with Arbitration provisions | Mr. Chirag Balyan, Asst. Prof. (Law), Maharashtra National Law University, Mumbai | August 04, 2023 | www.youtube.com/ live/4r424opgfPA?si=IS-gTWxnp3B6sFCX |
| Arbitral Award | Mr. Ramasubramanian MD, Adroit ADR Consultants | August 11, 2023 | www.youtube.com/live/ jTGG0A9sm4Y?si=06AM2wWi5AX3FcA6 |

DISPUTE RESOLUTION

ICSI-NIRC in association with ICSI International ADR Centre organized a Mega Conference on Alternate Dispute Resolution on July 22, 2023 at SCOPE Complex. Lodhi Road, New Delhi, Justice Ms, Rekha Palli, Hon'ble Judge, Delhi High Court presided over as Chief Guest, Dr. Rajiv Mani, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Law and Justice, Government of India was the Guest of Honour and Shri P.K. Malhotra, Advocate & Legal Consultant, (Former Union Law Secretary) was the Key Note Speaker at the Inaugural Session. Shri Chirag Balyan, Assistant Professor (Law), Maharashtra National Law University, Mumbai was the Guest Speaker for technical session on "Practical insights, challenges and way forward of ADR".

MEGA CONFERENCE ON ALTERNATE APPROVAL FOR FIRST ADR CENTRE GRANTED

The Council in its 298th meeting held on July 13, 2023 accorded approval for conversion of 7th floor, ICSI House, C-36, Institutional Area, Sector 62, Noida-201309 as Alternate Dispute Resolution' (ADR) Centre.

CELEBRATION OF ARBITRATION DAY

The Institute has incorporated a Section 8 Company namely ICSI International ADR Centre vide dated August 30, 2022 with the intent of creating a conducive ecosystem one which aids the existing judicial structure - helps in the de- clogging of the courts and provides justice at a speed unparalleled. To commemorate the day, Arbitration Day was observed during August 26, 2023 - September 3, 2023 by the various Regional Offices and Chapters of ICSI PAN India.



WEBINARS ON ADR

| Торіс | Faculty | Date | weblink |
|---|---|-------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Distinct and salient features of Mediation in comparison to other ADR | Shri Ashutosh Makarand Kulkarni (Senior Advocate) | November 24, 2023 | www.youtube.com/watch?v=zhPCc0ouFIA |
| Orientation to Mediation | Ms. Tanu Mehta (Counsel and Mediator) | December 15, 2023 | www.youtube.com/watch?v=KmtagxMOKso |
| Process and Stages of Mediation | Mr. Gaurav Sharma (Advocate) | December 29, 2023 | www.youtube.com/watch?v=kIHLG2CsxVc |

L. ICSI INSTITUTE OF SOCIAL AUDITORS

ICSI SOCIAL AUDIT STANDARDS

The 'ICSI Institute of Social Auditors or the ICSI-ISA' is a Section 8 Company under the Companies Act, 2013 incorporated by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India with the objective to register Social Auditors, lay down criteria/ norms for empanelment as well standards of professional conduct for the registered Social Auditors. The Institute has also issued the ICSI Social Audit Standards (ICSI SAS 1 - ICSI SAS 16) to provide guidance to conduct Social Audit of Social Enterprises. The ICSI-ISA has commenced the empanelment of Social Auditors (SAs) who have obtained the requisite NISM Certification. The empanelment was opened at the Inaugural Ceremony of 2nd International Conference of the ICSI Overseas Centre in London, United Kingdom.

CRASH COURSE ON SOCIAL AUDIT

The Institute in association with the ICSI Institute of Social Auditors conducted Crash Course on Social Audit from June 12-16, 2023 for the members of ICSI as a capacity building initiative covering



various aspects w.r.t Social Stock Exchange and Social Impact Assessment!

M. INSTITUTE OF GOVERNANCE PROFESSIONALS OF INDIA

LOGO OF INSTITUTE OF GOVERNANCE PROFESSIONALS OF INDIA

With the intent to exhibit and embody the broader objectives of the Company and to epitomize the purpose for which it has been established, the ICSI has changed the name of its section 8 company ICSI-GRKF (ICSI Governance Research and Knowledge Foundation) to Institute of Governance Professionals of India. The Company intends to take forward its purpose to generate, spread and impart knowledge, directly or in association with person(s) having similar objects or engaged in similar activities by way of Research, Publications, Training and Education. The areas of focus of these activities would include Corporate Laws, Governance, Management, Business Sustainability and CSR, Capital and Financial Markets, Economic Laws and Policies, Information and Control Systems and Allied Disciplines. To create brand image & visibility, a dedicated logo and masthead for the entity has also been created.

DIRECTORS' TRAINING PROGRAMME

Accorded approval for organizing Training Programmes for Directors, Independent Directors, Senior Management and Key Managerial Personnel of Companies through the Institute of Governance Professionals of India (formerly known as ICSI Governance and Research Knowledge Foundation), a section 8 company promoted by the Institute.



N. ICSI FLAGSHIP EVENTS

ICSI FIFTH LEADERSHIP SUMMIT – 2023

The ICSI Fifth Leadership Summit – 2023 was held during 12-13-14 February, 2023 at The Leela Ambience Convention Hotel (Delhi-NCR). Central Council Members, Regional Council Members, Chairmen of all Chapters along with the Regional Director of Regional Offices, Executive Officer / In-Charge of all Chapters and HoDs at HQ participated in this annual mega event and made it a big success. ICSI Directory 2023 was also launched during the event.



1ST NATIONAL WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Date: March 23-24, 2023

Theme: Empowered Women: Inspiring a better Tomorrow

Venue: Hotel Westin, Kolkata, West Bengal

Chief Guest: Smt. Chandrima Bhattacharya, Hon'ble Minister of State (I/C) for Finance & Programme Monitoring and Minister of State for Health & Family Welfare, Land, Land Reforms & Refugee Relief and Rehabilitation and Planning and Statistics, Govt. of West Bengal

Delegates: 3750 delegates in physical and virtual mode

YouTube Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tJwz8S HU9Pg



CAPITAL MARKETS WEEK, 2023

Date: April 22-29, 2023

Theme: Learnings from G20: Journey towards Sustainable, Competitive and Holistic Capital Markets **Venue:** 4 Mega programmes at Mumbai, Chennai, Delhi and Kolkata, sessions by ROs and Chapters Inaugural Mega Programme: on April 22, 2023 at NSE of India Limited, Mumbai.

Guest of Honour: Ms. Priya Subbaraman, Chief Regulatory Officer, NSE of India Limited



PCS DAY 2023

Every year on June 15, the Institute celebrates achieving first milestone of the Profession, when Company Secretaries in Practice were accorded recognition for certifying the Annual Return under the erstwhile Companies Act, 1956. This year PCS Day was celebrated on 15th June, 2023, Pan-India on the theme "Company Secretary: Stepping Beyond Boundaries" through all the Chapter and Regional Offices.

24TH NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF PRACTISING COMPANY SECRETARIES

Date: June 16-17, 2023

Theme: Company Secretary: Stepping Beyond Boundaries

Venue: Hotel Novotel Varun Beach, Visakhapatnam

Chief Guest: Shri Gudivada Amarnath, Hon'ble Minister for Industries, Infrastructure, Investment & Commerce, IT, Handlooms & Textiles, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh

Delegates: 3400 delegates in physical and virtual mode

YouTube Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OYp4 ZjCNaiY



4TH NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF CORPORATE CS

Date: July 27-28, 2023

Theme: Governance for Sustainability: Curating Excellence

Venue: Bogmallo Beach Resort, Goa

Guest of Honour: Shri Jaspal Singh, IPS, Director General of Police, Goa

Keynote Speaker: Shri Shrinivas V. Dempo, Chairman, Dempo Group of Companies

Distinguished Guest: Smt. Avelina D'sa E Pereira, Under Secretary, Dte. of Higher Education

Delegates: 2600 delegates in physical and virtual mode

YouTube Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5x SubG-5FRF



55TH FOUNDATION DAY OF ICSI

Date: October 04, 2023

Venue: Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi

Chief Guest : Smt. Droupadi Murmu, Hon'ble President of India

Guest of Honour : Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman, Hon'ble Minister of Finance and Corporate Affairs

Special Guest: BK Shivani - recipient of the prestigious Nari Shakti Puraskar

Special Guest: Dr. Manoj Govil, Secretary, MCA, Government of India

YouTube Link: https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=g5SAmM2i1EU



51ST NATIONAL CONVENTION OF COMPANY SECRETARIES

Date: November 02-04, 2023

Theme: India@G20: Empowering Sustainable future through Governance & Technology

Venue: Varanasi

Chief Guest: Shri Jagdeep Dhankhar, Hon'ble Vice President of India

Guest of Honour: Smt. Anandiben Patel, Hon'ble Governor, Uttar Pradesh

Special Guest: Dr. Manoj Govil, Secretary, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India

Delegates: 4500 delegates in physical and virtual mode

YouTube Link: https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=ui18BwGaDH0



23RD ICSI NATIONAL AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE IN CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Date: January 05, 2023

Venue: Hotel Taj Palace, New Delhi

Chief Guest: Shri Om Birla, Hon'ble Speaker, Lok Sabha, as the Chief Guest

Awardees: 23rd ICSI National Awards for Excellence in Corporate Governance

- Listed Companies: • Asian Paints Limited (Large)
 - Marico Limited (Medium)
 - Sonata Software Limited (Emerging)

- Unlisted Companies: Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited (Large)
 - Tata Consulting Engineers Limited (Medium)
 - ICICI Prudential Pension Funds Management Company Limited (Emerging)

23rd ICSI Lifetime Achievement Award for recognizing leadership in instituting good corporate governance into reality

Mr. Venu Srinivasan, Chairman Emeritus, TVS Motor Company

8th ICSI CSR Excellence Awards

Dr. Reddy's Laboratories Limited (Large)

Exide Industries Limited (Medium)

TP Central Odisha Distribution Limited (Emerging)

2nd ICSI Business Responsibility and Sustainability Award

1) Infosys Limited (Service Sector)

2) Tata Steel Limited (Non-Service Sector)

5th ICSI Best Secretarial Audit Report Award

3rd ICSI Best PCS Firm Award

M/s Vinod Kothari & Company

CS Nitu Poddar for the Secretarial Audit Report of Vedanta Limited

YouTube Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ui18 BwGaDH0





YUVOTSAV-2024

Yuvotsav-2024, National Conference of Student Company Secretaries was organised on January 11–12, 2024 in Delhi/NCR. Students participated in various competitions through their Regional/Chapter Offices. Around 23 competitions were organised during Yuvotsav-2024.

ICSI CONVOCATIONS

Legal Puzzle, Elocution Competition, Debate Competition, Fashion show are some of the competitions which were organised during Yuvotsav-2024.

| Date | January 11-12, 2024 | | |
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| Venue | Jawahar Lal Nehru Stadium, New Delhi | | |
| Chief Guest | Shri Manoj Tiwari, Hon'ble MP, Lok Sabha | | |
| Special Guest | CS Ranjeet Pandey, Former President, The ICSI | | |
| | CS Ashish Garg, Former President, The ICSI | | |
| | Mr. Suneel Keswani, Corporate Trainer | | |
| | Dr. Pawan Agrawal, International Motivational Speaker | | |
| Participants | 815 out of which 779 participated in various competitions | | |
| Winners | Best Region - Kolkata-RO | | |
| | Best Chapters 1st : Prayagraj 2nd : Nashik 3rd : Kochi 4th : Bengaluru 5th : Pune | | |



| Convocation | Date | City | No. of Members |
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| NIRC | May 6, 2022 | Dallai | 640 Associate members |
| (2nd for FY 22–23 & 1st for FY 23-24) | May 6, 2023 | Delhi | 65 Fellow members |
| SIRC (1st for FY 23-24) | June 24, 2023 | Chennai | 106 Associate members |
| Sinc (1st 101 F f 23-24) | June 24, 2025 | Cherman | 9 Fellow members |
| WIRC (1st for FY 2023–24) | July 29, 2023 | Goa | 230 Associate members |
| | July 23, 2023 | 000 | 5 Fellow members |
| | | | 43 Associate members |
| EIRC (1st for FY 2023–24) | December 06, 2023 | Kolkata | 07 Fellow members |
| | | | 3 PMQ awardees |
| | | | 408 Associate members |
| WIRC (2nd for FY 2023-24) | December 10, 2023 | Ahmedabad | 30 Fellow members |
| | | | 2 PMQ awardees |
| | | | 354 Associate members |
| NIRC (2nd for FY 2023–24) | January 2, 2024 | Delhi | 35 Fellow members |
| | | | 4 PMQ awardees |
| SIPC (and for EV 2022, 24) | lonuory 10, 2024 | Coimbotoro | 92 Associate members |
| SIRC (2nd for FY 2023–24) | January 10, 2024 | Coimbatore | 7 Fellow members |
| | | | 95 Associate members |
| EIRC (2nd for FY 2023-24) | January 14, 2024 | Kolkata | 15 Fellow members |
| | | | 1 PMQ awardee |

O. WORKFORCE WELFARE AND ENRICHMENT

| Month | Major activities conducted | |
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| | Webinar on Joint Pains at Workplace/Care + Precautions by Dr. Reddy's | |
| January 24, 2023 | Foundation | |
| January 27, 2023 | Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Training by Medanta Hospital | |
| January 31, 2023 | Organized a Training Programme on "Customer Orientation" | |
| February 14, 2023 | Webinar on by Dr. Reddy's Foundation | |
| February, 2023 | ERP training for RDs and required personnel of HQ | |
| March 7, 2023 | Women's Day celebrated by giving gifts to all female employees of ICSI | |
| March 7, 2023 | webinar on Women's health by Fortis Escorts Hospital | |
| March 9, 2023 | Cricket match for employees | |
| March 17, 2023 | Health check up by Fortis Escorts Hospital at Noida | |
| March 23, 2023 | Webinar Healthy Lifestyle For Healthy Kidneys / Care + Precautions" by Dr Reddys Foundation | |
| March 28-29 2023 | Workshop on Meditation and Breath by Art of Living Foundation | |
| April 07-09, 2023 | Picnic for employees | |
| April, 18 2023 | Webinar on Health for all | |
| April 27, 2023 | General Heath Check up by Siram Bhartia Institute of Science at HQ Lodi Road | |
| May 10, 2023 | General Heath Check up by Siram Bhartia Institute of Science at Noida HQ | |
| May 19, 2023 | Webinar on Joint pains at Workplace by Dr. Reddy's CSR Foundation. | |
| June 23, 2023 | Webinar on Diabetes by Reddy's CSR Foundation on. | |
| 19-20 Jun 2023 | Training of select employees at MDI Gurgaon | |
| 12&13 June 2023 | Training of select employees on POSH Act by Institute of Good Governance | |
| Jul-23 | Employees Medical Hospitalisation Trust Rules amended | |
| July 25, 2023 | Webinar on Digital Stress by Dr. Reddy's Foundation on | |
| 21-24-25-27 July, 2023 | Training and Written Test for promotion (DPC), 2023 | |
| August 7-8, 2023 | Two Days Non-Residential Workshop on "Vigilance Administration and Prevention Vigilance as a tool for Good Governance" by ICW Group. | |
| August 11, 2023 | Training on Advantage Effective Communication, Customer Focus & Professional Excellence by Mr. Suneel Keswani, Corporate Trainer for the HQ employees upto Senior Executive Assistant level. | |
| August 12-13, 2023 | Workshop on "World Is Transforming What About You" by Bramha Kumaris | |
| August 15, 2023 | Service Award Function | |
| August 18, 2023 | Webinar on "Lung Cancer and Allied Diseases" by Dr. Reddy's Foundation | |
| August 28, 2023 | Training on Advantage Effective Communication, Customer Focus & Professional Excellence by Mr. Suneel Keswani, Corporate Trainer for the Noida employees upto the Senior Executive Assisatnt level. | |
| September 6, 2023 | Webinar on "Dyslipidemia Management / Cholesterol Care" by Dr.Reddy's Foundation- Dr. N. Kannan | |
| September 14-16, 2023 | Residential training programme at Brahmakumari's for Exam dept employees. | |
| October 13, 2023 | Webinar on the occasion of Migraine Awareness Month on the topic "Celebrating Freedom from Migraine" by Dr. Reddy's Foundation- Dr.Vishal A Chafale, Neurologist | |
| October 26, 2023 | Online POSH Training by The Institute of Good Governance- Mr.K G Verma | |

| October 26-28, 2023 | 3 days Residential Programme on "Transparency Audit with respect of Compliance under Section 4 of RTI Act, 2005" by India Institute of Secretariat Training & Development (IISTD) at Manali |
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| November 24, 2023 | Webinar on World Diabetes Day and Awareness Month on the topic "Pledge to Stop Diabetes at the Gate" by Dr. Reddy's Foundation- Dr. Surendran, Consultant Physician & Diabetology |
| December 15, 2023 | Webinar on the topic "Winter Diet – Nutrition For Healthy Life" by Dr. Reddy's Foundation |









P. ICSI SOCIAL INITIATIVES

74TH REPUBLIC DAY

74th Republic Day was celebrated on January 26, 2023 through the flag hosting at the Head Quarters, Regional Offices and Chapters Pan India.

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY 2023

Dte. of HR celebrated the International Women's Day on 7th March, 2023. Gifts were presented to all the female employees of ICSI. On this occasion an exclusive webinar related to the health issues of women was organized by Fortis Escorts Heart Institute, New Delhi. Dr. Madhu Goel, Director, Obs & Gynae took the session. Apart from this, celebrations around 8th March, 2023 were held with great fervour across various Chapters and Regional Offices of the Institute.

GST DAY 2023

GST Day is observed on 1st July every year to celebrate the implementation of Goods and Service Tax regime. This year, the GST Day was celebrated through Regional and Chapter offices of the Institute where members were sensitized through panel discussions, seminars, study circle meetings, webinars, etc. on the topics relating to GST.

2ND GURU SHRESTHA AWARDS - 2023

ICSI in its endeavour to acknowledge the immense contribution of educators in education conducted 2nd Gurushrestha awards during the year 2023. The purpose of "ICSI Gurushrestha" award is to honour those Teachers and Lecturers/Professors across India who have through their commitment and industry contributed immensely to improve the quality of Commerce/Finance Education at School as well as College /University level and have augmented the lives of their students. The faculties were evaluated through a multi-layered evaluation process through an expert group and eminent jury comprising top academicians of the country. The Awards were presented at the Yuvotsav-2024 held on January 12, 2024.

ICSI WAIVER/ CONCESSION SCHEME FOR INDIAN ARMED FORCES, PARAMILITARY FORCES, AGNIVEERS AND FAMILIES OF MARTYRS

The ICSI in alignment with the various initiatives of Govt. of India has launched ICSI Waiver/ Concession scheme for Indian armed forces, paramilitary forces, Agniveers and families of Martyrs. Under the scheme, 100% concession will be given to the following categories in full Fee payable at the time of Registration in CS Executive programme. While all other fees, including those for trainings be applicable in full as per their respective category.

- Wards and widows of martyrs (who have died during service; either during battle casualty or due to any other reason) of Indian Army, Indian Air Force, Indian Navy and all para-military forces.
- In Service/ Retired personnel of Indian Army, Indian Air Force, Indian Navy and all para military forces (including defence personnel who have taken retirement under short service commission).
- Wards of all personnel of Indian Army, Indian Air Force, Indian Navy and all para military forces (including wards of defence personnel who have taken retirement under short service commission).
- Candidates who are inducted as "Agniveer" under AGNEEPATH Scheme of the Government of India after completing four years under the Scheme (upon submission of documentary evidence for the same.

ICSI CONTRIBUTION TO SHAHEED KI BETI

The ICSI presented a cheque for Rs. 5,00,000 under the Shaheed ki Beti initiative to Shri Rajnath Singh, Hon'ble Minister of Defence and General Manoj Pande, Chief of the Army Staff in the month of July 2023. The ICSI made a further contribution of Rs.11,00,000 on the occasion of the **55th Foundation Day of ICSI** through the **Hon'ble Finance Minister to the Shaheed ki Beti Fund** for the education of the girl children of the Martyrs of the nation.

TEACHER'S CONFERENCE ORGANISED IN THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2023

To empower educators, ICSI organised Teacher's conference in the month of September 2023.One teachers' conference was organised for teachers of Class 11th & 12th of Higher Secondary Schools and another for faculty members of various Universities / Colleges from Departments of Commerce and Law.

ICSI ACADEMIC CONNECT

 ICSI conducted Joint Programmes with various Universities under "Academic Connect initiative" of ICSI during the "Student Month". Around 30 programmes were conducted by ICSI on the varied topics Viz: Intellectual Property Rights Law & Practice, Corporate Governance, Strategic Management, Industrial relations in present scenario, Company law & Corporate Governance. Career awareness sessions were also included while conducting these sessions to create awareness amongst the students of the Universities/Institutes with whom ICSI has entered into MoU.

 ICSI organised a session on "Corporate Restructuring" and Career Awareness Programme at Sharda University, Greater Noida under "Academic connect Initiative" of ICSI on 21st February 2023.

During the year, MoUs under the Academic Collaborations with Universities and Academic Institutions initiative of ICSI, were signed with the following institutions:



| UNIVERSITY NAME | PLACE | DATE |
|---|-------------|-------------------|
| Kalinga University | Raipur | February 28, 2023 |
| Chitkara University | Punjab | April 05, 2023 |
| Nalsar University of Law, | Hyderabad | May 07, 2023 |
| Jagannath University, | Haryana | July 14, 2023 |
| Gujarat National Law University | Gandhinagar | August 04, 2023 |
| MATS University | Raipur | August 05, 2023 |
| Chhatrapati Shahu ji Maharaj University | Kanpur | December 01, 2023 |
| O P Jindal University | Raipur | December 03, 2023 |
| Vishwakarma University | Pune | December 15, 2023 |
| Telangana Mahila Viswavidyalayam (Women's University) | Hyderabad | January 08, 2024 |

ICSI STUDY CENTRE

A total of 10 MoUs were signed for new Study Centres and 17 MoUs were renewed with existing ones.

CAREER AWARENESS PROGRAMMES

| Mega Career Carnival at Pragati maidan | May 6-7, 2023 |
|---|-------------------|
| Felicitation of winners of "International Commerce Olympiad" by SOF | May 28, 2023 |
| Mega Career Carnival at Pragati maidan | June 10-11, 2023 |
| Career Carnival at Kulachi Hansraj Model school, Delhi | August 10, 2023 |
| Career Carnival at Cambridge International School, Noida | August 18, 2023 |
| Army Public Schools across country through support of Ministry of Defence | Recurring |
| KR Mangalam School | October 04, 2023 |
| Khaitan Public School | October 07, 2023 |
| Tagore International School | October 07, 2023 |
| Lotus Valley School | October 10, 2023 |
| HDFC School | October 19, 2023 |
| Cambridge School | October 26, 2023 |
| Father Agnel School, Noida, Uttar Pradesh | November 01, 2023 |
| Cambridge School, Indirapuram Ghaziabad | November 03, 2023 |
| Cambridge School, Greater Noida | November 07, 2023 |
| JM international school, Delhi | November 08, 2023 |
| College dunia Higher Education Leadership Summit, Delhi | November 24, 2023 |
| EDU World Wide - 2023 | November 26, 2023 |

| EduNext Summit, New Delhi | November 28, 2023 |
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| Alhcon Public School, Delhi | November 29, 2023 |
| 18th FICCI Higher Education Summit 2023, Delhi | November 29-30, 2023 |
| Kanha Makhan Group of Schools | December 08, 2023 |
| Delhi Public School | December 08, 2023 |
| Cambridge Foundation School | December 16, 2023 |
| Platinum Valley School | December 16, 2023 |
| DLF Public School | December 19, 2023 |
| St Kabir Public School, Chandigarh | December 21, 2023 |
| The Mann School | December 21, 2023 |
| JM international School | December 26, 2023 |

MOUs INKED

| Entity | Date | Purpose |
|--|---------------|--|
| Humming Bird Education Limited | May 30, 2023 | For conducting "ICSI Commerce Olympiad" for class 11th and 12th students |
| International Olympiad Foundation (IOLYMPIAD LLP) | July 11, 2023 | For conducting "ICSI Commerce Olympiad" for class 11th & 12th Students |
| Higher Education Department, Goa | July 27, 2023 | For conducting extensive CAPs for students of Class XI and XII of schools under the jurisdiction of Goa Higher education Department to sensitise them about CS Profession. |

9TH INTERNATIONAL DAY OF YOGA, 2023

In alignment with the theme of the year, International Yoga Day was celebrated at ICSI Regional Offices & Chapters on June 21, 2023, in the presence of Yoga Experts, Teachers, and Demonstrators.



Q. INFRASTRUCTURAL EXPANSIONS

1. NEW PREMISES OF RAJKOT CHAPTER INAUGURATED

CS Manish Gupta, President, ICSI inaugurated the new premises of Rajkot Chapter on 4th January, 2024.





2. INAUGURATION OF COIMBATORE CHAPTER'S NEW PREMISES

Dr. Palanivel Thiaga Rajan, Hon'ble Minister of IT & Digital Services, Government of Tamil Nadu along with Shri.





B. Ramesh Babu, MD & CEO, Karur Vyasa Bank Ltd. inaugurated the new premises of Coimbatore Chapter on 10^{th} January 2024.

3. ALLOTMENT OF LAND FOR KANPUR CHAPTER'S NEW PREMISES

- Allotment Letters of two (2) plots at Shatabdi Nagar, Kanpur were received by the Institute from Kanpur Development Authority (KDA) after successfully winning the e-Auction of KDA.
- Execution of Sale Deeds of both the plots have been completed on 5th December 2023 and 30th December 2023. Construction work to commence after amalgamation of the plots.

4. ALLOTMENT OF LAND FOR LUCKNOW CHAPTER'S NEW PREMISES

- Allotment Letter of one (1) plot at Gomti Nagar, Lucknow was received by the Institute from Lucknow Development Authority (LDA) after successfully winning the e-Auction of LDA. Full payment towards cost of land has been made by the Institute on 11th January, 2024.
- Possession of the allotted land to be handed over by the LDA and thereafter, execution of sale deed to be done.

R. ICSI-CCGRTS

COMMENCEMENTOFCONSTRUCTION OF ICSI-CCGRT AT IMT MANESAR

The Institute is embarking on commencement of construction of ICSI-CCGRT Manesar to provide research and training avenues readily accessible to the members, students and other stakeholders of the ICSI. The commencement of construction was held on May 20, 2023 at Plot No. 3, Sector 2, IMT Manesar, Gurugram at the hands of Hon'ble Rao Inderjit Singh Ji, Union Minister of State (I/C), Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation, Ministry of State (I/C), Ministry of Planning and MoS for Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India. A one of its kind research facility, the ICSI-CCGRT, Manesar intends to add value to the existing ocean of knowledge and contributing towards our stakeholders in the Northern part of the Country.



ICSI-CCGRT HYDERABAD

| Date | ICSI Event/Course | Guests |
|---------------------|--|---|
| January 20-22, 2023 | 3 Days Basic Arbitration Program [Online] | NA |
| January 28-29, 2023 | 2 days Advocacy Skill Training Program [Physical] | |
| April 01, 2023 | ADR Conference [Physical] | Shri Nandigonda Narasing Rao, Secretary to Govt., Legislative Affairs and Justice |
| | | CS Manish Gupta, President, ICSI |
| May 13, 2023 | Workshop on Career Conversation & Engagement [Physical] | NA |
| August 04-06, 2023 | 3 days Advance Arbitration Program [Residential] | Dr. P V Amarnadha Prasad, Advocate and Techno Legal Consultant, Hyd. |
| | | Hon'ble Justice T Rajani, Judicial Member, NCLT, Amaravati Bench, Hyd. |
| September 02, 2023 | One day Arbitration Day program [Physical] with ICSI Hyderabad Chapter | Hon'ble Sri Justice B Seshasayana Reddy, Former Judge, HC, AP |

CLDP

| Туре | Dates | Guests - Inaugural Sessions | Guests - Valedictory Sessions |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--|
| 8th CLDP [30 days Residential] | March 03, 2023 – April 03, 2023 | Mr. Shreeram Iyer, Director, E & Y, Hyderabad | CS G. Narayan Rao, VC, NorthStar Group of entities & CEO, Council for Green Revolution |
| 9th CLDP [15 days Residential] | May 30, 2023 to June 14, 2023 | CS Santoshi Reddy V VP – Head of Finance, Legal & Admn, T-Hub, Telangana | Mr. Jose Kutty, ROC, Hyderabad |

| 10th CLDP [15 Days Residential] | August 08-23, 2023 | Shri R Ravi Kumar, Whole Time Director M/s. Motion Dynamic Pvt. Ltd. | CS Praveen Reddy Director, Finance & Company Secretary Xilinx India Technology Services Pvt. Ltd. |
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| 11th CLDP [15 Days Residential] | October 26, 2023 to November 10, 2023 | CS Chandra Sekhar T., Director Hetero Group of Companies | Shri V Kesava Rao Advisor – CCCL, NALSAR University of Law |

ICSI-CCGRT KOLKATA

3rd Centre for Corporate Governance, Research and Training (CCGRT) of ICSI was inaugurated at the hands of Dr. C.V. Ananda Bose, Hon'ble Governor of West Bengal in New Town, Kolkata on 06 December 2023 to facilitate research, training and consultancy to the corporate sector. Located in the Smart Green City of Kolkata, the ICSI CCGRT has an Educational Block of 27494 sq. ft. area and a Hostel Block of 21708 sq. ft. area. The Educational Wing houses classrooms, a library, two Moot Courts, a Conference Room, and an Auditorium with a capacity of 300 people. The Hostel Wing has 24 rooms, a Yoga/Meditation Centre. Besides this, the world-class centre has a Badminton Court and an open-air theatre laden with beautiful lawns.

ICSI-CCGRT MUMBAI

- MSOPs held:
 - 81st RMSOP: From March 21, 2023 to April 05, 2023
 - 82nd RMSOP: From April 12-27, 2023
 - 83rd MSOP : From September 07-22, 2023
 - 84th MSOP : From September 26, 2023 to October 11, 2023
 - 85th MSOP : From November 28, 2023 to December 13, 2023
- Three online CLDPs held-
 - From December 27, 2022 to January 31, 2023
 - From January 27, 2023 to March 02, 2023
 - From March 04, 2023 to April 04, 2023
- 9th Residential CLDP (30 Days): From February 15, 2023 to March 18, 2023



- 15 days Residential CLDP
 - 11th : From May 24, 2023 to June 08, 2023
 - 12th : From July 11, 2023 to July 26, 2023
 - 13th : From September 07, 2023 to September 22, 2023
 - 14th : From September 26, 2023 to October 11, 2023
 - 15th : From November 28, 2023 to December 13, 2023
- Thirteen (14) ODOPs conducted during the period.
- Research Publications:
 - Compilation of SEBI (LODR) Informal Guidance
 - Compilation of Informal Guidance by SEBI: Covering SEBI (Prevention of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 and SEBI (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018
 - Seminars and Workshops:



| Date | Title/Topic | Guests / Speaker(s) |
|-----------------------|--|--|
| February 09, 2023 | Alternative Dispute Resolution | Adv. Gaurav Sharma; Adv. Rajnni Kutty; Adv. Zaman Ali |
| February 25, 2023 | Writing a Research paper | Dr. Pooja Ranudale Professor & Head of MCA Dr. S B Mule Asst. Prof. K. C. College, Mumbai Dr. R. G. Ratnawat Director, Atharva Institute of Management Studies Mumbai |
| March 18, 2023 | Employment laws and BRSR | CS Minal Bhosale, Sr. Director & CS, CRISIL Ltd CS Sandeep M. Nagarkar, PCS |
| March 25, 2023 | SEBI (LODR) & IPO | CS Anoop Deshpande, CS and Compliance Officer Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Limited CS Anshul Kumar Jain, Chief Compliance Officer and Head Legal, KFin Technologies Limited |
| March 31, 2023 | Investments Loans Guarantees & Securities under CA, 2013 & Stock Options Regulatory Review | CS Avinash Dsouza Associate Director, Price Waterhouse & Co LLP CS (Dr.) K. R. Chandratre Former President, The ICSI |
| April 03, 2023 | IBC with landmark judgments | CS (Dr.) S. K. Jain, PCS, Mumbai CS Prachi Wazalwar, Advocate (Wazalwar & Associates) Mumbai |
| April 24, 2023 | Annual Secretarial Compliance Report & Social Stock Exchange jointly with Navi Mumbai Chapter | CS Manish Gupta, President, The ICSI CS Vinita Nair, Senior Partner, Vinod Kothari and Co. Ms Vandana Choudhary, Asstt. Manager, SEBI Dr. Kiran Somvanshi, Asstt. General Manager - The Economic Times Intelligence Group |
| May 26, 2023 | SEBI (LODR) jointly with ICSI- WIRC & BSE IPF | Shri. Pramod Rao, Executive Director, SEBI Shri. Sundararaman Ramamurthy, MD & CEO, BSE Ltd. CS Pradeep Ramakrishnan, GM, SEBI CS Ashok Kumar Singh, DGM, BSE Ltd. CS Devendra Deshpande, Former President, ICSI CS Ajay Agarwal, HDFC Ltd. |
| June 30, 2023 | "Corporate Governance, Due Diligence & Risk Management" jointly with IIBF | CS Shivanand Shettigar, Group Company Secretary, YES Bank Ltd CS M.V. Phadke, Principal Legal Counsel, IDBI BANK |
| August 19, 2023 | Companies Act 2013: Navigating Key Considerations and Funding Options | CS Anoop Deshpande, Company Secretary, Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. CS Avinash Dsouza, Director, Price Waterhouse & Co LLP |
| August 25-26, 2023 | 2 days' Workshop for 'Research on Critical issues under Companies Act 2013' jointly with Indore Chapter | CS Makarand Joshi, Founder and Senior Partner MMJC, Mumbai |
| November 02, 2023 | RPTs and Control Related to Insider Trading | CS Minal Bhosle, Senior Director & CS, CRISIL Ltd CS Vinita Nair, Senior Partner, Vinod Kothari and Co. |
| November 03, 2023 | Practical aspect of the Law on Arbitration | CA Pawan Kr. Agarwal, PCA, Mumbai Adv. Gaurav Sharma, Fellow, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, United Kingdom |
| December 15, 2023 | MentorMyBoard 3rd Women Directors Conclave 2023 with Navi- Mumbai as Institutional Partner | Chief Guest : Smt. Smriti Irani, Hon'ble Minister for Women and Child Development & Minority Affairs |

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