



LESI International Management & Delegates Meeting (IMDM)

Virtual (via Zoom)
19 May 2021

Fact Sheet

Thank you for completing this LESI Society Fact Sheet. This information helps us share your annual activities with the LESI Board and the Membership Committee. We have also included additional (optional) data questions as an appendix (while helpful, we appreciate that not all societies might have this data).

SOCIETY INFORMATION

SOCIETY NAME: LES Scandinavia

CONTACT PERSON

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

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CURRENT SOCIETY OFFICERS

President: Dr. Olli Pekonen

Secretary: Julius Berg Kaasin

Treasurer: Ia Modin

Society Administrator(s):

Delegates: (firstname.lastname)

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

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

Till September 2021

Annual Membership Dues: 150EUR / 1200NOK

(please note currency and any categories of membership)

MEMBERSHIP DATA

Category	Total Number	% Change from last year
Total Number of Members: <i>(please note any categories of membership)</i>	301	-16%

SOCIETY ACTIVITIES

Date and Location of Next Annual General Meeting (AGM): Due to COVID-19 (coronavirus) situation, likely a virtual meeting

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

Several webinars were held over the Zoom system (webinar format due to COVID19). For each, at least 50 persons attended, with a maximum of 80+ members. Events were open to also other national chapter members of LES. The following events were held since 2H2020. and more will follow

- * Aug 26th, 2020: "Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Patenting in the Current European Context", (Best/Karl)*
- * Sep 22th, 2020: "Patent strategy that works" (Pekonen/Korelin)*
- * Nov 19th, 2020: "From Pateting Pools to New Licensing Platforms" (de Sactis/Östman)*
- * Feb 23th, 2021: "Untapping the hidden innovation potential" (Axelson)*
- * Mar 26th, 2021: "The fine art of license management" (Schovsbo/Christiansen/London)*
- * Apr 13th, 2021: "Trade secret licensing" (Modin, Kyringer-Jurell)*

In all, surprisingly many events with good turnout, thanks to virtuality

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

NA

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

LESSc Past President, Mrs. Sonja London (president of LES Scandinavia) is very active in WILA (and in High-Tech Committee)

How can LESI or other LES Societies further support you?

More collaboration. More flexibility to website updates and more regional look into websites.

Report completed by : _____ Olli Pekonen _____ Date : Apr 29th, 2021 _____

Appendix

Additional LES Society Membership Data

Info entered for items that are **known**:

	Total Number	% Change from last year
Lawyers or patent agents in --		
private practice:		
law/patent firm:		
production or sales company (goods and materials):		
IP consulting or transaction entity (NOT production/sales):		
Non-lawyers/non-patent/trademark agents in --		
law/patent firm:		
production or sales company (goods and materials):		
IP consulting or transaction entity (NOT production/sales):		
Other members (please define):		
Women Members:	99	
Young Members (< 40 years of age):	approx 30	