



LESI International Management & Delegates Meeting (IMDM)

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2022 LES Society Fact Sheet

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

SOCIETY INFORMATION

SOCIETY NAME: LES Russia

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(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

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(please provide delegate e-mail addresses)

Term of Current Society Officers/ Date of Next Change of Officers: December 2023

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

Annual Membership Dues: 120\$

(please note currency and any categories of membership)

MEMBERSHIP DATA

Category	Total Number	% Change from last year
Total Number of Members: <i>(please also note separately categories of membership)</i>	58	0%

Date and Location of Next Annual General Meeting (AGM): December, Moscow

Notable Society Activities / Educational Events during the past year:

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

25 March 2021 - Webinar "IP Assets Management in the Current Conditions"

LES Russia hosted a webinar "Management of the company's intellectual property in modern conditions".

Among the speakers: Natalia Karpova, PhD, Professor, Russian Academy of National Economy and Civil Service under the President of the Russian Federation (RANEPA), Vice-President of LES Russia; Valery Antipin, member of the Interdepartmental Working Group of the Military Industrial Complex, adviser to the CEO of the Institute for Public-Private Planning, St. Petersburg; Vitaly Kalyatin, PhD, Chief IP Lawyer of RUSNANO Management Company LLC; Sergey Medvedev, Ph.D., LL.M., Partner, and Valery Narezhny, Ph.D., Counselor (both from Gorodissky & Partners); Elena Morgunova, Ph.D., Docent, Deputy Head of the Department of Civil Law of Kutafin Moscow State Law University.

The webinar was dedicated to topical issues of managing company's intellectual property (IP) in the context of changes in the legal regulation of business activities and the transformation of the business climate in the field of IP.

12 May 2021 – Webinar Teen's IP Day

The organizer of the webinar was LES International, with the support of the national branch - LES Russia and NTA Technopol-Moscow.

The webinar was conducted by IP attorneys and lawyers from Gorodissky & Partners. Tatiana Pogrebinskaya, Ph.D., Counselor; Vladimir Bashkirov, Head of Patent Search Department, Nikita Maltsev, Ph.D., Lawyer – spoke about the basics of legal protection of intellectual property and the advantages of such protection, about the features of protection of inventions, utility models, industrial designs and trademarks; touched upon some aspects of the legal protection of copyright objects.

Along with this, the webinar participants learned why patent search is needed and what reverse engineering is, which intellectual property objects can be used to protect the design and brand elements most effectively.

The webinar brought together about 40 participants from different regions of Russia, many of them are participants in national and international competitions for young inventors.

27 May 2021 - 28 May 2021 - LES International Virtual Annual Conference

Sergey Medvedev, Ph.D., LL.M., member of LES Russia, moderated the round table "Emerging Markets of the Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU) - It's Time to License Your Intellectual Assets" at the LES International Virtual Annual Conference.

Among the speakers: Sergey Medvedev, Ph.D., LL.M., Partner, Gorodissky & Partners, Svetlana Khaliullina, Deputy General Director for Legal Affairs, Pharmenterprises Ltd. (Russia), Madina Tursunova, LL.M., Partner, Senior Lawyer, Legalmax (Kazakhstan) and Daria Lando, Ph.D., Head of Legal Department, Lexpatent (Belarus).

The round table was devoted to the legal, business and practical aspects of licensing intellectual property in the EEU.

27 May 2021 - LESI 2021 Plenary: The Business Side of the Space Race

LES Russia co-organized a session with representatives of the space business - LESI 2021 Plenary: The Business Side of the Space Race, organized within the framework of the LES International Virtual Annual Conference.

The session was lead by Masashi Sato, COO, SPACETIDE Foundation (Japan), and Dr. Sergey Zhukov, Co-Director of the Aeronet Working Group, Test Cosmonaut.

The speakers spoke about the transition from a government lead to a private sector run space race – and, as a result the important role of IP in investment to fuel this innovation. Also, the speakers noted the need for cross-border cooperation and knowledge exchange among specialists around the world.

5 October 2021 - 6 October 2021 - LESI Pan-European Conference

Sergey Vasiliev, Ph.D., member of LES Russia took part as a co-speaker of the panel “Swift and Merciless: Preliminary Injunctions in Patent Disputes” at the LESI Pan-European Conference, organized by LES Hungary.

The Conference program covered important issues of IP, such as: the role of patent pools in standardization, IP management in company groups, trade secrets and know-how licensing, IP tools to tackle global challenges, university technology transfer, AI and data economy, IP enforcement questions including ADR, and the latest developments in the European copyright arena.

23 November 2021 - 26 November 2021 - XI (XXVI) Annual Scientific and Practical Conference "Topical issues of IP rights protection"

LES Russia held the Round Table “Topical issues of IP use in new economic conditions” at the Annual Scientific and Practical Conference "Topical issues of IP rights protection".

Natalia Karpova, PhD, Professor, Russian Academy of National Economy and Civil Service under the President of the Russian Federation (RANEPA), Vice-President of LES Russia, and Alexey Vakhnin, Russian patent attorney, “VAKHNINA & Partners”, LES Russia board member, were co-moderators of the Round Table, where Natalia Karpova spoke on “Changes in regulations after the Russian Government approved the roadmap “Transformation of the business climate. Intellectual property” Review of the Order # 2360-r”, and Sergey Vasiliev, Ph.D., Partner, “Gorodissky & Partners”, member of LES Russia, spoke on “Use of DB (database): right to information vs IP rights”.

LES Russia members: Veronika Odintsova, Ph.D., Russian patent attorney, “EUROMARKPAT”, and Jennet Abduraimova, “IP Center Skolkovo”, gave presentations “Rospatent Appeal Commission practice: things to keep in mind for patent attorneys and candidates” and “Overview of innovations and problems solutions in legislation regarding the payment of remuneration for service RIA” within the Conference.

The Conference was held by the Russian Chamber of Patent Attorneys in Vinogradovo, Moscow region.

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

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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.

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How can LESI or other LES Societies further support you?

In plans of LES-Russia to hold an international webinar in November. We will apply for the speakers.

Report completed by :Sergey Dorofeev

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Appendix

Additional LES Society Membership Data

If known:

	Total Number	% Change from last year
Lawyers or patent agents in --		
private practice:	-	
law/patent firm:	52	-1%
production or sales company (goods and materials):	-	
IP consulting or transaction entity (NOT production/sales):	3	
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):	4	0%
Other members (please define):	-	
Women Members:	29	-6%
Young Members (< 40 years of age):	10	-20%