



**LESI International Management & Delegates Meeting (IMDM)**  
**Madrid, Spain**  
**28 April 2024**

## 2024 LES Society Fact Sheet

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

### SOCIETY INFORMATION

**SOCIETY NAME:** LES JAPAN

#### 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:** Chikako Hashimoto

**Secretary:** Masaki Hatano

**Treasurer:** Takao Yagi

**Society Administrator(s):** Shunji Horikawa

**Delegates:**

*(please provide delegate e-mail addresses)*

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

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

**February 19, 2025**

**Annual Membership Dues:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**JP ¥45,000**

**JP ¥20,000 for the second members of the same organization**

### MEMBERSHIP DATA

Category	Total Number	% Change from last year
<b>Total Number of Members:</b> <i>(please also note separately categories of membership)</i>	642	Same as last year
<b>Young Members (&lt; 40 years of age):</b>	Approx. 40	

## SOCIETY ACTIVITIES

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Date and Location of Next Annual General Meeting (AGM): February 19, 2025 in Tokyo

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

- Annual Conference in Hamamatsu on July 14-15 2023 (215 participants)
- Annual General Meeting in Tokyo on February 21 2024 (77 participants)
- 9 Board Meetings
- 19 monthly seminars in Tokyo and Osaka (808 participants in total)
- 8 licensing training courses in Tokyo, Nagoya and Osaka (103 participants in total)

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

• Antimonopoly Act • USA-related issues • USA-related issues (Kansai) • Studies of Asia-related Issues • Studies of Europe-related Issues • Studies of judicial precedents (Kanto) • Studies of judicial precedents (Kansai) • Trade secrets • Corporate law, intellectual property management • Healthcare • ICT business • Collaboration between industry, government and academia • Ventures and startups • Branding • IP Finance • YMC(Young Member Congress) • Group Seminars (Kanto)

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.

- We have YMC. Current leader is Mr. Takeshi Iizuka ( e-mail address : [takeshi\\_iizuka@iizuka-ip.com](mailto:takeshi_iizuka@iizuka-ip.com) ).
- Ms. Junko Sugimura (e-mail address : [jsugimura@promethe-pat.jp](mailto:jsugimura@promethe-pat.jp) ) is the contact person for WILA

How can LESI or other LES Societies further support you?

Report completed by : Shunji Horikawa Date : March 8, 2024

## Appendix

### Additional LES Society Membership Data

*If known:*

	Total Number	% Change from last year
<b>Lawyers or patent agents in --</b>		
private practice:		
law/patent firm:	<b>282</b>	<b>-3.7%</b>
production or sales company (goods and materials):		
IP consulting or transaction entity (NOT production/sales):		
<b>Non-lawyers/non-patent/trademark agents in --</b>		
law/patent firm:		
production or sales company (goods and materials):	<b>317</b>	<b>+4.0%</b>
IP consulting or transaction entity (NOT production/sales):		
<b>Other members</b> (please define):	<b>43</b>	<b>-0.3%</b>
<b>Female Members:</b>	<b>NA</b>	