



## LES International Management & Delegates Meeting (IMDM)

Dublin  
26 April 2026

### 2026 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 some data on your members (while helpful, we appreciate that not all societies might have this data).

#### LES SOCIETY INFORMATION

**SOCIETY NAME: LESANZ**

##### CONTACT PERSON

*(This person is responsible for communication with & timely submissions to the LESI's Administrative Team)*

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**Social Media used** (please provide links):

**@LESANZInc**

##### CURRENT SOCIETY OFFICERS

**President: Cherie van Wensveen**

**Secretary: Christopher Wilkinson**

**Treasurer: Roz Murray**

**Society Administrator(s): Beth Benson**

**Communications POC/Social Media contact:**

**Delegates for the upcoming IMDM:**

**Cherie van Wensveen & Dallas Wilkinson**

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*(please provide delegate e-mail addresses)*

**Term of Current Society Officers/ Date of Next Change of Officers: 2027**

*(please notify LESI with a complete list of officers when the change takes place by emailing [nne@lesi.org](mailto:nne@lesi.org))*

**Annual Membership Dues:     AUD\$345**

*(please note currency and any categories of membership -- including corporate or student rates)*

**Date and location of your next Annual Society meeting:     20-22<sup>nd</sup> May, 2026 - Melbourne**

## MEMBERSHIP DATA

Category	Total Number	% Change from last year
<b>Total Number of Members:</b> <i>(please also note the below categories)</i>	131	12%
<i>Corporate</i>		
<i>Law Firm</i>		
<i>IP consulting or Services</i>		
<i>University</i>		
<i>Other</i>		
<b>Young Members (&lt; 40 years of age):</b>	>40	

## SOCIETY ACTIVITIES

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

*Joint Webinar and in-person event: IP Licensing Lessons 2026*  
*12<sup>th</sup> February – jointly hosted with IPSANZ with over 320 attendees*

**Please List Your Professional Committees and primary contacts for each (e.g., Education, Life Sciences, Transportation, Branding):**

**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.**

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

*We are looking at CLP training and support to develop this asset in ANZ/Asia Pac*

Report completed by :\_Beth Benson\_\_\_\_\_ Date : 16/03/2026