



Eastern Zone

Mr. Amaresh Sinha

(Membership No. – LM10794) (DOB - 24.10.1963)

M.Tech (ChE, Calcutta University), FICS, Life Member of IChE and IEI. Member of IChE since 1993. Founder EC member of IChE Haldia RC. Inducted over 100 members to IChE. Involved in fundraising and organizing CHEMCON-2017, ANS-2019 and Green Technology-2022. Presently GM, HPL Ltd. 34 years of experience with RIL, CFCL and ARCL. Certified ISO Lead Auditor. Vice President, Haldia Vigyan Parisad. Overseas experience in Technology Transfer in PP, LLDPE, HDPE in USA., Licensor-Licensee International Program, Mitsui, Japan.

Prof. Nitosh Kumar Brahma

(Membership No. – LM 10671) (DOB - 01.11.1946)

40 years of experience in Life Science, Chemical Engineering. Associated with Calcutta University/ Vidyasagar College (1963-1966); Chemical and Process Engineering, Technical University, Germany (1968-1975); IIT Kanpur; TU-Vienna and Fimbrae (pili); Max Planck Institute of Immunobiology and Epigenetics, Germany (1978-1986); JU (1986-1988); IIT Kharagpur, Dept. of Chem. Engg. (1988-2011) as Lecturer/ SCO. Visiting Associate Prof., Inst. of Genetic Engg, Kolkata, Microbial Process Technology (1978-2023). Published 100 technical articles, three books. Fellow, IEI. Immediate past Hony.Secy., WBSC/IEI. Was Jt. Hony. Secy., Calcutta RC (IChE).

Prof. Sunil Baran Kuila

(Membership No. – LM 37901) (DOB - 20.10.1966)

B.Sc, B.Tech, M.Tech, PhD (Calcutta University), HoD, ChE-HIT, Haldia, Students Chapter Coordinator. IChE Council Member (2021). Former Hony. RC Secretary, Vice Chairman, founder EC-member, Haldia RC. Coordinator, Internship Training Program, IChE since 2020. Industrial experiences (12 years), last 18 years in academics. Organizing Committee member-CHEMCON 2023. Organized several RC/SC events, generated funds. In BoD of IChE Training Institute (2023). Member, IChE HQ subcommittees. Publications in 50 journals / conference proceedings. Has one patent, filed for another. Expert in Industrial consultancy.

Northern Zone

Prof. Ajay Bansal

(Membership No. – LF11337) (DOB - 10.11.1968)

Registrar of NIT Jalandhar. Alumnus of NIT Raipur (Gold-Medalist), IIT Delhi and Panjab University. Has 29 years of teaching, research and administrative experience. Supervised 11 PhDs. Edited seven books, contributed nine book chapters, two monographs and over 60 international journal publications. Associated with IChE, IEI, InDA, ICS and ISTE. Served twice as national Vice-President, IChE, founder member of IChE Doaba RC and served it as Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Secretary. Was part of CHEMCON Organizing Team - 2012 and 2018.

Dr. Gaurav Rattan

(Membership No. – LM 31348) (DOB - 04.10.1982)

Associated with IChE for over 15 years, was national Council Member in 2018 - 21 and Honorary Registrar, IChE for 2 years. Also served as member, Executive Committee, Chandigarh RC. Actively Engaged In Research In Areas Of Chemical Reaction Engg. & Catalysis, Vehicular Pollution Control, Cellulose Nanocomposites, etc. Supervised 1 PhD, 12 M.Tech. Currently guiding 3 PhD students. Published over 20 papers in reputed journals, presented 15 papers in conferences. Life Member of a number of societies.

Dr. Rajesh Kumar Garg

(Membership No. – LM 51193) (DOB - 07.11.1960)

B.Tech. (Chemical Engg, 1981), M.Tech. (Plastics, 1983), LL.B. (1986), PhD. (Chem.Tech, 1999), MBA, MCA (2011), M.A. (Pol. Sc, Economics, English, Sociology), LLM-2019. Professional experience (42 years). Associated with HPCL Gas Distributors since 1983, Kanpur. Visited INTERPLAS'85, Birmingham. Owns Startup Garg Polymers, Krati Polychem, MSME. Won 1st prize for Garg Gas Service LLRO. HP Gas Agency (1996-2012), Lube MTO depot, (2012-16). Director, Prabhat Engg. College (4 yrs), CEO, Garg Consultancy Services (2016-23). Chairman, IChE Kanpur RC, (2021-23). Part of Organizing Team (CHEMCON 2022).



Southern Zone

Mr. C.P. Ramulu

(Membership No. - LM 09919) (DOB – 25.12.1952)

B.Tech (ChE), Osmania University College of Technology (1976); M.Tech (ChE), NIT Warangal (1978). Served CSIR-Indian Institute of Chemical Technology, Hyderabad (1980-2013), former Senior Principal Scientist. Executed several R&D / industrial projects on process Intensification / Design / Modeling & Simulation / membrane separations, installed RO plants, visited Australia. Held several positions during past 40 years for Hyderabad RC. Organised Technical/ Memorial lectures, Industry visits, Seminars / Workshops. In Organizing Team (CHEMCON 2002, Hyderabad). Member, Admission/Safety Committees & Vice-President, IICHe (2012).

Mr. D. Gokul

(Membership No. - LM 32426) (DOB – 27.02.1987)

B.Tech in Chemical Engineering from Anna University and M.S. in Quality Management for BITS-Pilani. MBA, Annamalai University. Has nearly 15 years of experience in Industry. Presently, Scientist in ISRO. Also designated as Project Manager for India's prestigious Small Satellite Launch Vehicle (SSLV). Was Honorary Treasurer (2016 - 2019) and Honorary Secretary (2019 - 2021), Chennai RC, IICHe. Was in organising team for CHEMCON 2016. As Honorary Secretary, organized many Webinars during the pandemic.

Dr. K. A. Badari Narayana

(Membership No. - LM 22739) (DOB – 18.07.1962)

Former Faculty Member, M.S. Ramaiah Institute of Technology (MSRIT), Bengaluru. Graduated with a B.E degree from Bangalore University. After a brief stint as a Graduate Engineer trainee at Karnataka Soaps and Detergents Ltd. (KSDL), obtained an M.Tech degree from Karnataka Regional Engineering College, Surathkal (presently NITK). Has been an active member of IICHE, Bangalore RC. Has served in the Executive Committee for 16 years, including 5 years as Hony. Secretary and one year as Hony. Treasurer.

Prof. N. Balasubramanian

(Membership No. - LM 27085) (DOB – 07.04.1967)

Obtained Ph.D from IIT Madras. Has more than 20 years of experience in Teaching and R&D. Has executed research projects worth more than Rs. 5 crores. Has published over 125 research papers. Has been actively involved with Chennai RC. Was Organizing Secretary for CHEMCON 2016. Served as Council Member during 2017 – 2021. Also contributed significantly to IICHE over the years. Was Coordinator, Online Internship Training Program, IICHe on 'Zero Liquid Discharge Management – ZLDM'.

Western Zone

Mr. Nikhil Upendra Tonapi

(Membership No. – LAM 25856) (DOB - 29.01.1978)

Has 24+ years of professional experience in Process / Safety Design Engineering. Worked with UPL (4years), L&T-Chiyoda Ltd. (13+ years), Linde Engineering India (7+years). Associated with IICHe- Ankleshwar RC/ Baroda RC for ~23 years as EC-member / Hony. Secretary. Contributed towards spreading of chemical engineering knowledge by conducting national Seminars, Lecture Programs, Trainings for college students and Industry visits. Initiated membership drives for IICHe. Started 2 new IICHe Student Chapters. Conducted AMIICHe Examinations at Baroda Centre.

Dr. Prasad T.L. Gupta

(Membership No. – LF09599) (DOB - 18.07.1963)

Developed process technologies required for Nuclear Fuel Cycles. Has 100+ publications. Hony. Faculty, HBNI, Mumbai. Fellow, IE (I); IICHe (2017), Indian Desalination Association (2023). Editor and Reviewer for journals. Member, INS; ACS; ISCA. Chaired technical sessions. Contributed to detailed project Reports of DAE. Representative, DAE for OUTREACH programme, 2022, 2023. Popularizing science & technology in vernacular languages. National Council Member, IICHe for 2006-08, 2013 and 2018-2021. Convener, IICHe Standing Committee on Process Safety Environment & Energy. Programme Coordinator, OSIP-2020 and 2021.