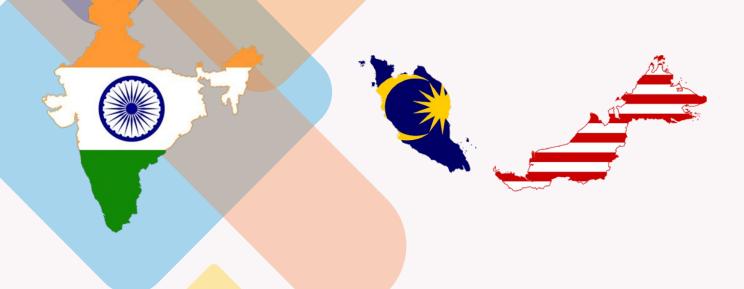
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INSTITUTE OF CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA MALAYSIA CHAPTER



ENRICH KNOWLEDGE &
UPHOLD INTERGRITY



Ya esa suptesu jagarti kamam kamam Puruso nirmimanah |

Tadeva sukram tad brahma tadevamrtamucyate |

Tasminlokah sritah sarve tadu natyeti Kascan | etad vai tat | |

(That person who is awake in those that sleep, shaping desire after desire, that, indeed, is the pure.

That is Brahmam, that, indeed is called the immortal.

In it all the worlds rest and no one ever goes beyond it.

This, verily, is that, kamam kamam: desire after desire, really objects of desire.

Even dream objects like objects of waking consciousness are due to the Supreme Person.

Even dream consciousness is a proof of the existence of the self.

No one ever goes beyond it: of Eckhart: 'On reaching God all progress ends.')

CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

Dear Professional Colleagues,

It is my honour to be elected as Chairman of Malaysia Chapter of ICAI for period 2021 – 22. Great pleasure to introduce our new young and diversified Committee, average age <39, roaring to be part of MICAI professional, cultural, social and charity initiatives and ably guided by our wise & expanded Mentor Committee. We all are together bound by MICAI motto of 'Enrich Knowledge & Uphold Integrity"



MICAI itself being a young & budding Chapter and one of over 50 chapters of ICAI globally, has strived since its inception in 2016, to be the connector of Professional Accounting Colleagues between India & Malaysia, and culminating in signing of exclusive Mutual Recognition Agreement between ICAI and MICPA. We have tie ups with other professional bodies in Malaysia for members participations in mutual events. The new committee will further strengthen the newly formed bonds and would work towards sharing the blossomed fruits for our members to gain & relish.

Indian Chartered Accountants global presence has been on the rise and due credit has been shared to ICAI for encompassing key changes at appropriate intervals to keep students and members abreast of advancement in technology, methods and practices. With gained skill sets coupled with on the ground management experiences across functionalities, Indian Chartered Accountants has proved their mantle beyond traditional frontiers. MICAI will continue to strive to keep our members updated on the local, Indian and Global 3C's - Changes, Challenges and Chances, namely Changes in professional studies, Challenges to overcome through use of technologies and Chances of scaling up career ladders.

With the worst of pandemic presumably behind us and with due resect and regards to our affected families & friends, we hope to be geared towards normalcy in organising CPE & other events by end of 2021 and would love to see a robust 2022 calendar filled with enthusiastic professional, social and family events.

MICAI Committee has always welcomed greater participation by members and with the recently concluded members survey, we have gained valuable insights to carve path forward. We value inclusiveness & diversity and appreciate active participation of members for mutual benefit of all.

I would personally like to thank outgoing committee members CA Prabhat, CA Rajan, CA Vrushang and CA Yogesh for their valuable contributions and for laying a strong foundation for the Chapter.

Best Regards, CA Jagdish Sandeep Agarwal



PRESIDENT ICAI

CA NIHAR NIRANJAN JAMBUSARIA

A man of professional wisdom, vision and strong organisational skills with a firm belief in all round inclusive growth of Indian Chartered Accountancy profession, CA. Nihar Niranjan Jambusaria has been elected as the new Vice President of the

Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) for the year 2020-21. A seasoned professional from Mumbai and currently associated in Industry, CA. Nihar Jambusaria qualified as a Chartered Accountant in 1984 and was in practice for nearly 27 years.

A blend of erudition, experience, foresight, technical expertise and professional excellence worth emulating and a Fellow Chartered Accountant from Mumbai, CA. Nihar Niranjan Jambusaria has also been Chairman of WIRC of ICAI in 2004-05.

An altruistic hard-worker bestowed with exceptional organisational, networking, administrative and leadership skills, he has been serving as Central Council member since 2013. CA. Jambusaria has represented ICAI in many important committees constituted by the Government Ministries/ Regulators. He has been nominated as a Member of the e – Commerce Committee formed by the Ministry of Finance and Peer Review Committee of the Central board of Direct Taxes

An altruistic hard-worker bestowed with exceptional organisational, networking, administrative and leadership skills, CA. Jambusaria has made noteworthy contributions in whatever capacity he served the profession, particularly as the Chairman of – Ind AS Implementation Committee, International Tax Committee and various other important Committees/ Board of ICAI. Jambusaria has been a prolific speaker at national and international forum. As an academician and an orator par excellence, he has attended and contributed to numerous national and international seminars. He has addressed more than 900 seminars, conferences so far covering various subjects of professional interest like Direct Tax, Accounting Standards, International Tax and Professional Development and alike.

With focus on innovation and niche enablement, he intends to translate his passion for the inclusive growth of the profession through the transformational agenda that the current paradigm merits.

VICE-PRESIDENT ICAI

CA (DR.) DEBASHIS MITRA

(Dr.) Debashis Mitra is a senior member having an extensive experience of more than 33 years. Besides being a practicing member, he is a Cost Accountant, Company Secretary, Law graduate and a qualified Information Systems Auditor. He was



awarded Ph.D. for his Thesis 'A Critical Study of Select Indian GAAP, US GAAP & IAS / IFRS.'

Being a trainer in International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) and Corporate Laws, he has trained officials from many a corporate and non-corporate entities including Central/State PSUs and Office of Comptroller & Auditor General of India (CAG). An avid speaker, he has addressed numerous Conferences of Chambers of Commerce and reputed Institutes in India & abroad.

He has held key positions as former Chairman of the Eastern Indian Regional Council of ICAI as well as Guwahati Branch of ICAI. As an accomplished professional having immense knowledge of trade and industry, he is currently serving as an active member of several prestigious Boards, Forums and Institutions in India and abroad viz.

Quality Review Board established by Govt. of India, Board of Extensible Business Reporting Language (XBRL) India, the Board of Governors of Assam Down Town University and Audit Group of Confederation of Asian and Pacific Accountants (CAPA).

He also represented ICAI in Uday Kotak Committee on Corporate Governance set up by SEBI as well as the Committee set up by Ministry of Corporate Affairs for revision in CARO.

A seasoned strategist and leader to the core, he is the President-elect of Rotary Club of Calcutta, the oldest running Rotary Club in Asia, Vice President of the Board of Accountants' Library, one of the oldest Accounting Institutions in India, member of the Finance Sub-Committees of Calcutta Club Ltd. as well as former National President of The Institute of Internal Auditors (India).

ABOUT ICAI

The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) is a statutory body established by an Act of Parliament, viz. The Chartered Accountants Act, 1949 (Act No.XXXVIII of 1949) for regulating the profession of Chartered Accountancy in the country. The Institute, functions under the administrative control of the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India. The ICAI is the second largest professional body of Chartered Accountants in the world, with a strong tradition of service to the Indian economy in public interest.

The affairs of the ICAI are managed by a Council in accordance with the provisions of the Chartered Accountants Act, 1949 and the Chartered Accountants Regulations, 1988. The Council constitutes of 40 members of whom 32 are elected by the Chartered Accountants and remaining 8 are nominated by the Central Government generally representing the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, Securities and Exchange Board of India, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Ministry of Finance and other stakeholders.

Over a period of time the ICAI has achieved recognition as a premier accounting body not only in the country but also globally, for maintaining highest standards in technical, ethical areas and for sustaining stringent examination and education standards. Since 1949, the profession has grown leaps and bounds in terms of members and student base.

ICAI INTÉRNATIONAL NETWORK



HIGH COMMISSIONER OF INDIA TO MALAYSIA

H.E. Mr. B. N. Reddy

Mr. B.N. Reddy belongs to the 1993 batch of the Indian Foreign Service. He has had varied experience of diplomatic assignments, having served in Indian Missions in Indonesia (1995-1998), Lao PDR (1998-2002), US (2005-2008), Malaysia (2008-2011), Switzerland (2013-2016) and Nigeria (2017-2018).



He was the Chef de Cabinet in the Office of Minister for External Affairs from 2011 to May 2013. He headed the International Cooperation Division in the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas from February 2019 to 15th September 2021.

Mr. Reddy did his Intermediate schooling from Andhra Loyola College, graduated from B.I.T.S Pilani in 1987 in Mechanical Engineering, and M.Tech (Thermal Engineering) from IIT, Mumbai in 1991.

Mr. B.N. Reddy was born on 1st June 1966. He speaks Telugu, Hindi, Sanskrit and Bahasa Indonesia. He is married to Mrs. Lalita Devi and they have two children, one son and one daughter.

MALAYSIA CHAPTER of ICAI

The Malaysia Chapter of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India was recently conceived in January 2018 in society as PERSATUAN BAB MALAYSIA ICAI ("Malaysia chapter of ICAI"). This is an Association of Chartered Accountants who have qualified and are members of Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI), residing or working in Malaysia.

We are a premier body of Finance & Management professionals who head various roles in Corporate Landscape across Malaysia and beyond

Since its formation it has enrolled more than 100 members and is in continuous process to enhance the membership regularly. Our growing number of members are spearheading entities in Consulting, commodities, Banking, Real Estate, Insurance, Accounting, Audit, Tax Estate planning, Shared services and retail sectors to name a few. The Chapter has been set up to provide a platform to share and disseminate knowledge amongst the members as well as project the image of ICAI in Malaysia. It is to develop excellent relationship between the accounting fraternities of India and Malaysia.

Our Objectives

Objectives of the Chapter are defined in the Constitution of Chapter & include the following: -

- To exchange professional information
- To enhance professional knowledge
- To provide training to its members
- To act as liaison office between ICAI and the Malaysian Chapter of ICAI
- To provide necessary assistance to prepare for exam conducted by ICAI to residents of Malaysia
- To organize / conduct Continuing Professional Education (CPE) programs
- To explore feasibility for professional and placement opportunities for the members
- To liaison with accountancy bodies in Malaysia to help the members to enroll themselves as members of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants (MIA)
- To conduct social events for the members and their families and to provide a platform for them to interact socially and network as part of the ICAI social responsibility imitative
- Any other objective mutually agreed by the Committee from time to time for the benefit and interest of the members of the chapter and/or profession in general.

Membership

Membership is open to all current members of the Institute of the Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) and residing in Malaysia. Members must ensure that their membership of ICAI is continued while being a member of this Association. The newly formed chapter has over 100 members who hold key positions in various private and public companies spread over industry, banks, auditing and consulting organizations, which place great reliance on their high level of professional competence and their contribution to the decision-making process

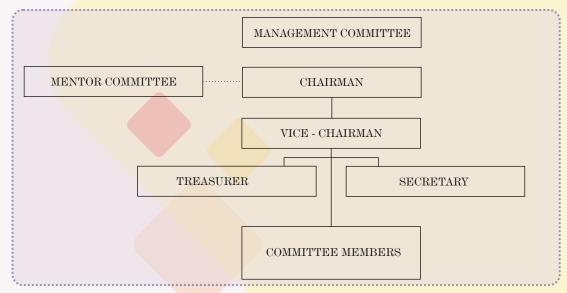
Organization Structure

The day to day affairs of the Chapter are managed, organized and supervised through its Constitution and by the Managing committee under the guidance of Mentor committee. The Managing committee consisting of Chairman, Vice-chairman, Secretary, Treasurer and committee members termed as the office-bearers of the Association, and are elected at the annual general meeting.

The functions of the Committee primarily include to make presentations to the Council of the ICAI on matters of professional interest in that country and to offer suggestions for raising the standard and status of the profession and to make decisions on matters that affect Malaysia chapter's running within the general policy laid down by the general meeting. Each office bearer of the committee is assigned with specific tasks and duties which are well defined in the constitution of chapter.

The accounts of the Chapter, which follows calendar year shall be audited every year and together with the auditors' report and the report of the Chapter, shall be sent to the members within four months from the close of financial year.

The chapter intends to obtain full support, cooperation and participation by the local business community in accomplishing its goals and meeting its objectives of generating and maintain-ing the enthusiasm and commitment amongst the members through various professional development and social events.



Association's Office Bearers

CHAIRMAN

CA JAGDISH SANDEEP AGARWAL

He is an accomplished professional with over 20 years of expertise across Energy and Real Estate verticals spanning across Asia. Based out of KL since 2016 as Finance Director of Mulia Property Development's Exchange 106, an iconic Malaysian commercial office development, slated to be the tallest tower in South East Asia.



Mr. Agarwal graduated from the prestigious Sri Ram College of Commerce 1996 batch and cleared his Chartered Accountancy in 1997. He was selected on campus by the Fortune 500 public sector behemoth Indian Oil Corp Ltd where he served for a total 8 years based at Panipat Refinery and at Delhi Head Office.

Later, he was handpicked by Jakarta based conglomerate Mulia Group who are market leaders in Real Estate and Construction Material industry in Indonesia, to spearhead setting up finance for a mega refinery project in Iran. Since then, based out of Jakarta, he has served Mulia Group as Management Advisor for Performance Management of prime properties spanning retail, commercial and hospitality units. Additional charge included lead auditor for the group and strategize set up of overseas ventures in PNG and Malaysia

He has solely energized formation of Malaysia Chapter of ICAI for professional enrich ments of its community and is an active member in its continued success.

Association's Office Bearers

VICE - CHAIRMAN

CA YESHWANTH KUMAR

Experienced personnel with over 6 years' professional expertise in the field of Reinsurance and also tech-no functional analyst, Mr. Yeshwanth Kumar currently leads the operational team at Arom Grips Ltd, a reinsurance consultancy company.



Mr. Yeshwanth Kumar is an associate member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India and also holds a Bachelor Degree from the University of Madras.

Having completed his articleship with M/s. V Krish & Associates, a Chennai based audit firm which has garnered a reputable list of multisector clientele, Mr. Yeshwanth Kumar joined M/s. Arom Grips Ltd in 2012.

His expertise includes Reinsurance Accounting, Risk Management and Analytical skills. Additionally, he is also experienced in developing in-house software products for (Re) Insurance industry by leading the team of developers and database managers and providing functional support. He has also organized various training sessions for the executives working in various companies of South East Asia on Smart use Microsoft Excel for their day-to-day activities. His accomplishments include various cost-cutting and time saving models developed and implemented at client sites.

Association's Mentors MENTOR

CA RAJ KUMAR SHAH

Having articled under Mr. G. P Kapadia (founder member and 1st President of ICAI), Mr. Shah obtained the CA Diploma in 1975.

After a 3-year stint with the Aditya Birla Group in India, he was

deputed as Finance Manager to their new Palm Oil processing unit in Malaysia, rising to become President, Pan Century Oleochemicals, before leaving the group in 1989.

Since then, has been the CEO of Josovina Group, Malaysia/Singapore, principally a trader of palm oil. Josovina also has JV investments in Kenya, Uganda, Zambia and Ghana in related fields. Wilmar International Limited, Singapore, is currently a 50% shareholder in the Josovina Group. WIL, the largest Asian Agri-group, has JVs in India (Adani-Wilmar) in their global portfolio.

Mr. Shah is also currently the 2nd Vice Chairman of The Palm Oil Refiners' Association of Malaysia (PORAM), having served PORAM in various capaci-ties in the past, including Hon. Treasurer and Chairman of the Contracts/Arbitration Committee. He has presented papers at various international seminars and conducted educational workshops in Malaysia/India.

He has been living in Malaysia since 1977 with his wife Amita Shah. Their 2 daughters are settled in Singapore.





Mr. Viegas, a Malaysian Permanent Resident of Indian nationality, holds a Bachelor of Commerce degree from the University of Bombay and is a Fellow member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. He has extensive experience in the banking industry and started his working career with Citibank in 1985 where he progressively held senior positions in various Asia Pacific countries including regional responsibilities.

In 2008, Mr. Viegas joined RHB Bank, a Malaysian bank where he rose to the position of Deputy CEO before joining CIMB Group in April 2012 as Group Deputy CEO. He was then designated Regional CEO of Consumer Banking and subsequently advisor to the Group CEO.

Mr. Viegas has held directorships in CIMB Bank Berhad, Sun Life Malaysia Assurance Berhad, Sun Life Malaysia Takaful Berhad, CIMB Bank PLC (Cambodia) and CIMB Bank Vietnam. He now sits as a director in Astro Holdings Berhad and Manulife Holdings Berhad and Manulife Insurance. He also is a senior advisor to Creador, Jirnexu and Rentalworks and mentor to many CEO'.

Association's Mentors

MENTOR

CA PRABHAT KUMAR



Mr. Prabhat Kumar is a Fellow member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India currently holds Directorship of Alliance IFA (M) Sdn. Bhd., to which he was appointed effective August 2006. Under his strong leadership and guidance, the firm has successfully investigated several civil and criminal fraud assignments in and around Asia. He has been a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India since 1987 and also holds a membership

of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants.

He began his career in 1988 as the Finance Manager at Hitkari Potteries Pvt. Ltd, following which he joined the Birla Group as General Manager at Pan Century Sdn. Bhd. in 1995. He gained his Diploma in Investigative and Forensic Accounting from the University of Toronto in 2004 and subsequently gained membership of the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners, USA.

He has co-authored and been the contributing author on a number of books and publications and also been an invited guest on a morning TV talk show. He has presented papers at several international conferences, conducted workshops for the Academy of Auditor General of Malaysia and Royal Customs Malaysia. He is also the founding Chairman of Malaysian Chapter of Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

MENTOR

CA RAJAN MITTAL

Mr Rajan Mittal is 54 years old and of Indian nationality. He joined Metrod in 1995, a public listed company in Malaysia and is working as President & CEO.





He has been a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India since 1987 and is also a member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants. He started his career in 1984 with S R Batliboi and Co. (now Ernst & Young) in India.

He has rich work experience of 36 years in large international organisations across continents in various roles and managing different types of businesses like Manufacturing, Retail, Fintech.

Association's Office Bearers

SECRETARY

CA ADITYA KHURANA



Chartered Accountant with over 17 years of experience in Assurance, M&A, commercial finance, capital structuring and tax planning. Held various leadership roles in Corporate and Regional Finance for Fortune & MNCs which include global sourcing, retail, wholesale & distribution for FMCG, lifestyle, luxury and fashion retail brands.

In the current regional role with Landmark Group, part of core leadership team in SEA, responsible for aggressive footprint expansion in Southeast Asia along overall management of finance, taxation and corporate structuring for the group cos. in the Malaysia, Singapore & Indonesia. Past roles include stint with Mothercare (Indonesia), Dollar General (HK), Grant Thornton, KPMG, Wipro & GE Money. Besides finance, passionate to navigate IT transformation, build a foundation and ERP capabilities for predictive analytics & robotic automations to strengthen and support business growth.

TREASURER

CA PRAKASH CHETWANI

Mr. Prakash Chetwani is a fellow member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (2014) and holds a bachelor's degree from Gujarat University (India).

He has more than seven years of post-qualification experience in the field of forensic accounting and risk advisory services,

having a diverse industry exposure such as defense, plantation, manufacturing, finance, information technology and aviation. During 2017, Prakash gained his membership of the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners (ACFE), USA.

Experienced in solutions like fraud investigations, damage quantifications, forensic due diligence, Anti-money laundering review, fraud risk assessment and litigation support, Prakash leads a passionate forensic team at Alliance IFA Sdn. Bhd., a consulting firm based in Kuala Lumpur Malaysia. He has actively contributed to the Chapter's activities since its formation in 2018.

Prakash is an inquisitive follower of financial markets especially equities and enjoys sharing thoughts on investing, personal finance and portfolio management.

COMMITTEE MEMBER

CA KUNAL TAYAL

Mr. Kunal Tayal is the Chief Financial Officer of Bestinet Sdn. Bhd. based in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia where he oversees full spectrum financial operations for the entire group in ensuring sound finance governance and statutory reporting.



Regarded as one of the youngest CFOs in the world, his breadth of knowledge covers budgeting & forecasting, financial planning, risk management, accounting, statutory and tax audit, management reporting as well as business consultancy.

Throughout his tenure with Bestinet, he had successfully pioneered the entire Group Finance De-partment from scratch, formulated and controlled processes within the Finance Department to safeguard against corrupt practices as well as ensured complete compliance of all tax and company laws.

He is also a Chartered Accountant from Institute of Chartered Accountants of India and possess a MBA in Finance from Mahatma Gandhi University and a Bachelor of Commerce from Delhi University.

Throughout his 11 years career, he the opportunity to work with companies across the manufacturing & retail, healthcare, services, BPO & KPO, logistics, travel & tourism, education, pharmaceuticals, NGO and banking sectors.

Lastly, he is one of the founder and committee member of the Malaysian Chapter of The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (MICAI) and also serving as the association's treasurer.

COMMITTEE MEMBER





Chartered Accountant with 6 years professional experience in Reinsurance industry. Mr. Sudhir Kamath is handling the Finance & Accounts for General Insurance Corporation of India (GIC Re) Malaysia office as Deputy Manager.

Mr. Sudhir Kamath is associated with the company (ranked 10th

largest reinsurer in the world in terms of gross written premium) since December 2013 as direct recruit officer.

He is an Associate member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India and holds a Bachelors Degree from University of Mumbai. He also holds a Fellowship of the Insurance Institute of India, Mumbai. He is well versed with Reinsurance accounting, MIS & Taxation.

COMMITTEE MEMBER

CA DEVANG MERCHANT

Mr. Devang Merchant is a fellow member of the Institute (1996) and holds a Bachelor of Commerce degree from University of Mumbai (India). During his 22 years at BP Plc. Subsidiaries globally, he has been in Commercial Finance Leadership roles in their Lubricants, Petrochemicals, Supply chain & GBS divisions



He left BP group in 2018 as Commercial Director for their GBS to pursue an alternate career and currently leads a group of investors actively pursuing opportunities to invest in the right business through his venture "Catalyst Capital SB".

He has been living in Malaysia for about 3 years with his wife Minal and a teenage son. He is a Mumbaikar at heart having spent 35 years in the city and in the last 10 years has also lived in Belgium and UK. Devang enjoys exploring new destinations, on last had travelled 40 countries and apart from this he needs his weekly dose of Bollywood movies



COMMITTEE MEMBER

CA JAYANTA CHATERJEE

A Chartered Accountant with 24 years of post-qualification experience and former Group Chief Financial Officer with gloves business of Indo Rama Corporation in Southeast Asia.

Mr. Jayanta worked extensively in India, Malaysia, Singapore (in listing IPO in SGX) and won many awards, one being the Best Medical Equipment Manufacturing CFO Award 2020 in Southeast Asia, from United Kingdom. He is also an alumnus from IIM Ahmedabad, Henley Business School, Institute of Directors, India and a Cost Accountant.

COMMITTEE MEMBER

CA SWETA YADAV

Ms. Sweta has completed her C.A from ICAI and is a Bachelor of Commerce from Kolkata university. She is currently pursuing her CPA (Australia).



She has professional experience in Tax, Audit and Forensic Accounting. She has worked in India as well as in Malaysia. Her deftness and attention to details is unparalleled. Currently she is working with Naturz Group Sdn Bhd, Malaysia.

Sweta is always open to learning and accepting new challenges on a personal as well as professional front.

COMMITTEE MEMBER

CA HITEN NAROTTAM ASHER

Mr. Asher is an accomplished professional with 22 years of experience across the financial services industry (particularly Asset Management and Life Insurance) spanning multiple Asian Markets.



He is currently the Chief Financial Officer of MCIS Insurance Berhad, a life insurance Company part of the Sanlam Group, South Africa. He is responsible for the Company's Finances and being part of the senior management team that identifies, builds and drives the Company strategy. He has also played a key role in the Company's transformation journey.

Hiten is a Chartered Accountant from the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. He started his work career as Asst. Manager Finance with ICICI Prudential Asset Management Limited in 1999 and spent close to 18 years with the Prudential group, learning, growing and contributing in various regional and country specific roles spanning multiple Asian markets. He moved to Malaysia in 2010 as the Chief Financial Officer for Prudential Asset Management (now known as Eastspring Investments), and helped the Company transform by building a sustainable growth strategy and transforming the back office operations for the Company.

COMMITTEE MEMBER

CA MUKTA MALHOTRA

Ms. Mukta Malhotra is a Chartered Accountant and holds a certification in IFRS from ACCA, UK. She has close to 6.5 years of experience in Finance and Accounting, IFRS and auditing of some of the largest multinational corporations.



She is currently working with Larsen & Toubro in KL, Malaysia, looking after finance operations across the ASEAN region. She is also a member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants

Her experience includes finance and accounting, cost controlling and budgeting, working capital management, treasury management for forex exposure, in-house transfer pricing, statutory audit of multinationals, and International Financial Reporting Standards and its impact. She has worked with the Ind AS (IFRS) Implementation Committee of ICAI, New Delhi, and Deloitte Malaysia.

A Chartered Accountant professional by day, poet, and writer by night, she loves watching thrillers and going on vacations.

MRA between ICAI & MICPA

Introduction: On 4th December 2020, the ICAI and MICPA virtually signed a MRA to recognize the qualification of each other and admit the qualified members in good standing by prescribing a bridging mechanism. The MRA demonstrates the strengthening ties and commitment between both the countries.

Objective: The parties recognize the value of opening up global opportunities for their respective members. The purpose of this MRA is to set out the terms and to determine the basis upon which recognition for membership of appropriately qualified members of each party may occur.



Conditions:



MICPA members in good standing who have achieved membership via the MICPA qualification route shall be admitted as ICAI member (CA) based on the following conditions:

- a) Passing the ICAI examination of two papers namely:
 - Corporate & Allied Laws;
 - Taxation
- b) Obtaining not less than three years of relevant experience;
- To meet the additional requirements of evidence of good character and payment of membership fees.



ICAI members of good standing who have achieved membership via the ICAI qualification route shall be admitted as MICPA member based on the following conditions:

- a) Passing the MICPA examination of two papers namely;
 - Business & Company Law;
 - Taxation
- b) Obtaining not less than three years of relevant experience;
- To meet the additional requirements of evidence of good character and payment of membership fees.



Signing Ceremony with Dr. Veerenderjit Singh, President of MICPA and CA Prabhat Kumar, Former chairman of MICAI

Other Information:

This MRA shall have an initial term of 5 (Five) years from the date of signing.

Both the institutes agree to work more collaboratively, in areas of professional interest, viz:

- ★ Develop educational programme relating to accountancy
- ★ ICAI's e-learning platform to be accessible to MICPA members.
- ★ Jointly organize symposia, conferences, short courses and meetings on accountancy.
- * Exchange information pertaining to developments in technical, teaching, training and student development.
- ★ Conduct any other areas of co-operation as agreed to by the Parties from time to time.



Committee members MICAI at MRA signing ceremony



Felicitation lunch for Dr. Veerenderjit Singh MICPA President

Seminars, Activities and Social events

Executive committee under the guidance of mentor committees are working rapidly since the Chapter's formation to ensure the growth of the Chapter and the satisfaction of member's professional needs.



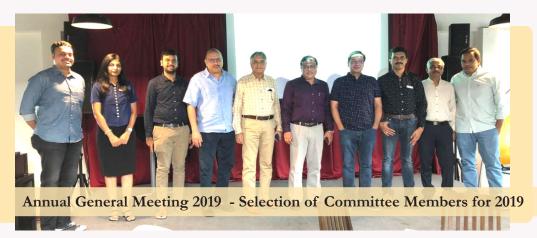
The Chapter plans to carry out technical sessions once in a month in line with CPE requirements of ICAI, covering latest developments & global practices in the areas of Accounts, Finance, Audit & Taxation by eminent speakers.

For the dynamic progress of chapter in terms of professional networking the chapter organised a booth at MIA International Accountants Conference 2020 held at Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre (KLCC) along with representatives of ICAI India to promote selection of India for hosting World Congress of Accountants 2022



Seminars, Activities and Social events

In order to realize its goal of persistent professional enrichment of its members the chapter periodically organizes professional lectures, seminars and workshops which are addressed by distinguished speakers.



The chapter also aims to perform social events which along with entertainment provide opportunities to the members and their families to intermingle and bond their relationship to build a community of like-minded professional accountants who will find it easier to settle down and contribute positively to the growth of the Malaysian economy.







SPORTING EVENTS

Geographically, Malaysia is almost as diverse as its culture, Rugged mountains, rainforest clad slopes sweep down to floodplains teeming with forest life. Cool highland hideaways roll down to warm, sandy beaches and rich, humid mangroves which gives us an opportunity to plan a lot of outdoor activities right from hiking, trekking, bicycling, water rafting and sports like cricket, bowling and other sports tournaments to provide a platform for members and their families to interact with each other on an informal basis and test their sporting skills.



SOCIAL EVENTS

It is said that no matter how advanced we may become in finance, science, technology, systems and knowledge but we still strive for social interaction as the bedrock of social development.

The Malaysia chapter is to organize get together for the members and their families which includes picnics, family educational trips, movie shows, well-being yoga sessions, karaoke, quiz competitions and other talent programs for children

MICAI Annual Diwali Party



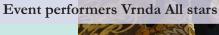


An annual event is as an occasion for the members and their families to meet and bond their relationship and demonstrate their cultural skills. The chapter plans to arrange Diwali gala dinner as it is very popular among the members and draws a large attendance.



Event Emcees Mr. Sudhir Kamath & Ms. Yashika Mangla







List of Members

Sr. no.	Committee members
1	Jagdish Sandeep Agarwal
2	Yeshwanth Kumar K
3	Aditya Khurana
4	Prakash Chetwani
5	Kunal Tayal
6	Devang Merchant
7	Sudhir Radhakrishna Kamath
8	Jayanta Chaterjee
9	Mukta Malhotra
10	Sweta Yadav
11	Hiten Asher
12	Raj kumar Shah
13	Renjo Viegas
14	Prabhat kumar
15	Rajan Mittal

Sr. no.	Member names
16	Aditya Vikram Mohan
17	Aiyar Raman Anantharaman
18	Ajay Kumar Gupta
19	Ameer Matte
20	Anand Arya
21	Anil Kumar Gupta
22	Anil Mungad
23	Ankit Gupta
24	Anvesh
25	Aritra
26	Avinash
27	Avneet Singh Joneja
28	Bajrang Kumar Kedia
29	Baljinder Singh
30	Bhrigu Dhingra

Sr. no.	Member names
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