



IPCA Annual General Meeting

22nd February 2025

The AGM of IPCA Centre was held on the 22nd of February at The Metropolitan Hotel, New Delhi. This focused event marks the review of the completed two years, election of the new teams and serves as a platform for sharing the vision of the new President.

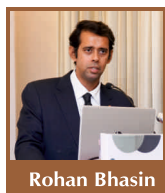
The process was overseen by the President - Mr. Rohan Bhasin, Chief Election Officer & Immediate Past President - Mr. Sagar Goel Patrons & Past Presidents - Mr. Sanjeev Gupta & Mr. Jatin Aggarwal Vice President - Mr. Rohit Duggal, Hon. General Secretary - Mr. S Mahadevan, and Hon. Finance Secretary - Mr. Nimish Agrawal. Over 150 members of IPCA attended the event.

The auspicious event started with the lighting of the lamp. The dignitaries did the honours. Hon. Finance Secretary Mr. Nimish Agrawal read out the financial report for the year. Further breaking the custom wherein, the Hon. General Secretary gives a presentation on the events and achievements in the past two years IPCA President Mr. Rohan Bhasin took over the responsibility of summarizing the journey of last 2 years enabling him to express his gratitude to the IPCA Apex Committee, Central Body, Régions, Secrétariat along with all members and his family.

Mr. Rohan Bhasin in his farewell speech spoke about his presidential journey of 2 years and promised his continued



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Rohan Bhasin

association with IPCA. He enumerated on how his team achieved their vision of member engagement, women empowerment, wellness and introduction of the Gen Next into the IPCA sphere. There were more than 30+ activities conducted during this tenure where it would be wrong to specify any event as each event was always close to our hearts. The numbers endorse the increased levels of engagement but what is

more important is the innovative objectives wherein distinctive designing is undertaken to provide impetus to knowledge sharing platforms, international exhibitions, representations to Government, wellness, virtual seminars, mental wellbeing through sports forums and many more. The IPCA Journal and e-Mailer have been sharing industry insights, updated tax and legal metrology circulars along with various IPCA activities conducted and upcoming events. The launch of the IPCA Rajasthan Region, being the 11th active region for IPCA, was a memorable and cherished event. He thanked each one for their support and wished the very best to the new team taking over.

An impromptu speech highlighting the long journey and contributions of Mr. Rohan Bhasin to the Association was given by Mr. Jatin Aggarwal & Mr. S Mahadevan. They appreciated Mr. Rohan Bhasin's contribution was way beyond his presidential years. They, along with the central body, gave Mr. Rohan Bhasin a token of appreciation amongst loud applause.

Being one of the last ceremonies, the outgoing President gave awards to regions that has done appreciable work during his tenure. The awardees were as appended below



IPCA Delhi-Haryana-Lucknow Region – Best IPCA Residential Sojourn Award 2023-25

IPCA Western-UP Ghaziabad KSS & IPCA Ghaziabad Badminton League (GBL): Best Regional Event & Khelo IPCA Revolution Award 2023-25

IPCA Maharashtra Region KSS & IPCA IPL 3: Innovative KSS Award & Khelo IPCA Award 2023 -25

IPCA Eastern UP Agra Region – IPCA Biennial Host Region 2023-25

IPCA Gujarat Region: Best Membership Drive Award 2023-25

IPCA Kerala Region: Best Wellness Event 2023-25

IPCA AP-Telangana Region: Academia Outreach Award 2023-25

IPCA MP-Chhattisgarh Region: Collaborative KSS Award 2023-25

IPCA Rajasthan Region – IPCA New Region 2023-25

Mr. Sagar Goel, the Chief Election Officer and Patron then commenced the official proceedings of the day. He along with the President Mr. Rohan Bhasin announced the members of new body. The newly



appointed members were felicitated and duly honoured by putting the coveted IPCA Lapel Pin.



IPCA Central Committee 2025-27	Post	Company's Name	Mobile
Rohit Duggal	President	Bharat Solvent & Chemical Corpn.	9811040146
Suresh Mahadevan	Vice President	Metcon Coatings & Chemicals (India) Pvt. Ltd	9821120111
Sandeep Goyal	Hon. Gen. Secretary	Zchem Polymers India Pvt Ltd.	9811037851
Rajiv Parekh	Finance Secretary	Godavri Paints Pvt Ltd	9821551332
Anirudh Karwa	Executive Member	Victor Agencies	9810523030
Deepak Shah	Executive Member	Deepak Paints	9391010219
Dipak Shah	Executive Member	Sapphire Chemicals	9825051045
Jesal Parekh	Executive Member	R. Nagardas & Co	9322239209
Kapil Mohan Bansal	Executive Member	Bansal Chemicals	9910213648
Manoj Agrawal	Executive Member	Sunmax Paints Pvt. Ltd.	9412535053
Mayank Goel	Executive Member	Sharp Coating Pvt Ltd	9999344556
Nimish Agrawal	Executive Member	Karo Chem Pvt Ltd	9821551332
Sanjeev Goswami	Executive Member	Jai Bharat Chemicals	9999386685
Subhas Nair	Executive Member	Crystal Paints	9846066475
Suji Kumar Mathew	Executive Member	APC Paints	8606398200
Suyash Singhal	Executive Member	Surface Paints Pvt Ltd	9919112867
Vikram Sharma	Executive Member	Indian Aerosols Pvt. Ltd.	9891315151



Mr. Rohit Duggal, President IPCA 2025-2027 took center stage and presented a thought provoking and inspiring presentation on his plan of action for the years 2025-27. The focus on the next few years would be engagement, implementation and consolidation with new initiatives being undertaken. The synopsis of his vision statement is appended below.

"My vision for IPCA (2025-2027) is centered on member engagement, regional empowerment, digital transformation, regulatory advocacy, and international collaboration. Our focus will be on strengthening partnerships, creating business opportunities, and supporting innovation to ensure the continued success of the paint and coatings industry.

Through a progressive and inclusive approach, we aim to keep IPCA at the forefront of industry advancements, driving growth, compliance, and global outreach".

The presentation was concluded with stress on IPCA Engage activities along with support and active participation of all regions. The Members of the Apex, Central and Regional Committees then gathered for a group photo session. The members then adjourned for an entertaining night of live music, drinks and dinner.

The Central Body Meet preceded the AGM at the same venue duly attended by all post holders as detailed below





IPCA, Central Body Meet 22th February 2025, The Metropolitan Hotel, New Delhi

The CBM for the new team of IPCA for the year 2025-2027 was held at The Metropolitan Hotel on the 22th of February 2025 preceding the well attended IPCA AGM which was a full house wherein all office bearers are elected in a democratic way as per the by-laws of IPCA.

CBM REPORT

PURPOSE

The CBM is basically a class room session for all the new office bearers who are explained the legacy, by-laws, functioning and vision of IPCA. The meeting commenced with all office bearers introducing themselves which was followed by a detailed discussion of the review of the preceeding 2 years as well as the action plan for the coming two years. The upcoming IPCA Biennial Conference 2025 Udaipur was discussed with the team to ensure higher participation levels, improved content and making the flagship event a resounding success. The purpose for the meet is necessary brain storming and fine tuning the road map ahead with the deadlines for each and every event.

