



A UNIQUE BLEND OF INSPIRATION AND INNOVATION



Namaste

Welcome to the 53rd Lions ISAME Forum 2025 hosted by the vibrant state of Gujarat. Lions International has been a beacon of service and leadership, and we are immensely proud that this years World Lions International President, Lion A. P. Singh, hails from India.



This forum is a testament to the strength and unity of the Lions community, and we are confident in the visionary leadership of the host committee, formed under the guidance of Lions ISAME Forum Chairman, Lion Pravin Chhajed. Their dedication ensures that this event will be an unforgettable celebration of service, collaboration, and excellence.

While you're here, I encourage you to explore the historical charm of Ahmedabad and the modern marvels of Gandhinagar. The iconic Mahatma Mandir, where the forum is being held, stands as a symbol of Gujarat's progress and values. From the stunning Sabarmati Riverfront to the majestic Akshardham Temple, there's much to experience. Discover 'Gujarat ki Khushboo,' enjoy shopping, savour our cuisine, and take back memories to cherish forever.

Once again, we extend our warmest welcome to Gujarat.

Hey Chalo re Gujarat! Together, let's make this ISAME Forum an extraordinary event.

Shri Bhupendra Patel
Chief Minister of Gujarat



Dear LION Leaders,

The 53rd ISAME Forum is a unique blend of inspiration and innovation, uniting leaders, philanthropists, motivators, and future changemakers for an impactful gathering in Ahmedabad from December 15-19, 2025. With over 5,000 delegates from 30 countries, the event offers a truly global experience.



Participants can look forward to engaging sessions, the Young Leaders Dialogue, the dedicated Leo Forum, inspiring guests, cultural immersion, project tourism, and power-packed entertainment at a state-of-the-art venue. Highlights include the Presidential Banquet, a souvenir exhibition, five delicious meals daily, authentic Gujarati cuisine, exclusive forum kits, and spectacular evenings of celebration.

Delegates enjoy early bird registration benefits, special incentives for group participation, and warm hospitality to make their stay memorable. Building on a glorious legacy, the ISAME Forum continues to foster fellowship, service, and leadership across borders.

Regards,

LION Pravin Chhajed
Forum Chairman,
Past International Director

EXECUTIVE OFFICERS



A P Singh
International President,
2025-26



Fabricio Olievera
LCIF Chairperson,
2025-26



Mark Lyon
First Vice President,
2025-26



Manoj Shah
Second Vice President,
2025-26



Tony Benbow
Third Vice President,
2025-26



SCHEDULE



14 DEC

Arrival, Project Tourism, Sight Seeing & Shopping

15 DEC

Arrival, Registration, ISAME Leadership Meeting, SAME Meeting, GAT Area Meeting, LCIF & CSR Meeting, Project Tourism, Sight Seeing & Curtain Raiser

16 DEC

Arrival, Registration, First Consultative Assembly, Town Hall Events, Seminars, Opening Ceremony, Lions Bazar, Service Expo, Networking, Leo Forum, Young Leaders Dialogue, She Shakti, Project Tourism, Meals (Lunch & Dinner)

17 DEC

Plenary Session, Town Hall Events, Seminars, Lions Bazar, Service Expo, Project Tourism, Networking, Leo Forum, Young Leaders Dialogue, Meals (Lunch), Presidential Banquet (USD 80/- + GST)

18 DEC

Second Consultative Assembly, Plenary Session, Closing Session, Seminars, Leo Forum, Lions Bazar, We Serve India, Entertainment, Meals (Lunch & Dinner)

19 DEC

Departures with Golden Memories

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

The event will feature a variety of engaging sessions, including seminars, keynote speeches, panel discussions, and town hall events designed to inspire and inform. A dedicated Young Leaders Dialogue will provide a platform for young leaders to discuss key issues, develop leadership skills, and build networks with peers. Participants can look forward to fellowship events, mentorship programmes, leadership training, and valuable networking opportunities.

We will also host inspiring guests comprising public figures, spiritual leaders, and celebrated personalities from the fields of art, culture, and sports. Adding to the excitement, guests can enjoy power-packed entertainment, with unforgettable events to create lasting memories.

Attendees will have the chance for cultural immersion, exploring the rich cultural heritage of Gujarat, along with project tourism to visit prestigious service projects that showcase impactful community work.

The event will be held at a state-of-the-art venue, Mahatma Mandir in Gandhinagar, offering world-class facilities and an inspiring atmosphere. Building on a glorious past, the organisers proudly reflect on their impressive track record, having hosted two remarkable forums in 2004 and 2015, both successfully organised under the esteemed chairmanship of PID Pravin Chhajer.



ACCOMMODATION



HEAD QUARTER HOTEL

THE LEELA, Gandhinagar

- ♦ **USD 950/- | INR 79,000/-** (Inclusive of all taxes & Breakfast)
Duration: 4 Nights | Check-In: 15th Dec | Check-Out: 19th Dec
For single/double occupancy

DELEGATE HOTEL (Includes Breakfast & Taxes)

- ♦ Option 1 – **INR 8,500/-** per night for single/double Occupancy
- ♦ Option 2 – **INR 11,500/-** per night for single/double
- ♦ Transportation facilities will be available from the official registered hotels to the event venue.

REGISTRATION CHARGES

USD 340/- | INR 29,000/-

Inclusive of all taxes

Inclusive of:

- ♦ Five meals
A wide variety of delectable cuisines to satisfy your taste buds, including the irresistible flavors of authentic Gujarati delicacies.
- ♦ Forum Kit & Gift
- ♦ Entry to a Spectacular & Entertainment Evening

PRESIDENTIAL BANQUET

- ♦ **USD 90/- | INR 7,500/- Inclusive of all taxes**

@ Praveg Adalaj a versatile & picturesque open-air venue near the iconic & historic Adalaj Stepwell

BANK DETAILS

Account Name: ISAME FORUM 2025 IFSC code: KKBK0000811

Account no: 2649499801

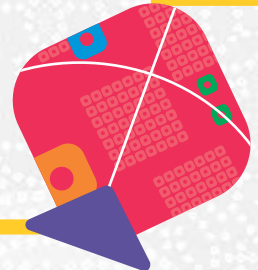
Bank: Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd, Sarangpur, Ahmedabad

Forbes^{INDIA} We Serve INDIA SEASON 2

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CELEBRATING INDIANS WHO SELFLESSLY SERVE INDIA



We Serve India is a unique initiative by Forbes India, in collaboration with Lions Clubs International, dedicated to honouring Indians who selflessly serve the nation. This inspiring platform celebrates individuals and organisations driving positive change across vital areas such as Women Empowerment, Education, Health, Wildlife Protection, and Environmental Conservation.

Through engaging sessions, keynote addresses, and recognition ceremonies, We Serve India shines a spotlight on real-life heroes whose dedication is transforming communities. Participants can nominate themselves or others for awards across multiple categories, showcasing exemplary projects and personal contributions that uplift society.

By celebrating these stories of service, We Serve India aims to inspire a national movement, encouraging citizens and institutions alike to take up impactful initiatives. From grassroots champions to established leaders, anyone committed to creating a brighter future is invited to be part of this journey.

GRAND FINALE | 17th Decemeber

Mahatma Mandir Convention & Exhibition Centre, Gandhinagar, Gujarat

- ◆ Senior leadership from Lions Clubs International, including Lion A P Singh, International President.
- ◆ A UN representative delivering a virtual keynote on “Humanitarian Innovation and Global Grassroot Alignment”
- ◆ A panel discussion on “Scaling Grassroots Innovation Across the Global South”, featuring experts from organizations like TATA Trusts, Dasra, UNDP and ILSS



CURTAIN RAISER

A spectacular fusion of Garba and Bhangra brings together the cultural pride of Gujarat and Punjab in one powerful performance. The rhythmic circles of Garba meet the energetic beats of Bhangra, symbolising unity, joy and the coming together of diverse traditions. This vibrant celebration is presented in honour of the newly appointed International President, Shri A P Singh.



ISAME FORUM SOCIAL MEDIA REEL COMPETITION

The ISAME Forum 2025 in Ahmedabad will feature an exciting Social Media Reel Competition to boost engagement and showcase the event's highlights. Open to all registered attendees, the competition invites participants to create 15–60 second reels capturing their experiences, key takeaways, and memorable moments.

Reels should be uploaded to Instagram, Facebook, or TikTok within 24 hours of the event's conclusion, using the official hashtag #ISAMEforumAHM. Entries will be judged on creativity, originality, engagement, and theme relevance, with top reels featured on official channels and awarded special prizes.

A hands-on workshop will guide attendees through reel creation, editing tools, storytelling techniques, and uploading best practices.

This initiative aims to enhance the Forum's digital presence, inspire wider participation, and help achieve Mission 1.5 by reaching more youth and women through social media.

SPEAKERS



SHIV KHERA
INTERNATIONAL SPEAKER

A global thought leader on leadership, ethics and personal excellence, Shiv Khera inspires action through his iconic message that winners don't do different things; they do things differently.



BRAHMAVIHARI SWAMI
MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER

A spiritual visionary and global change-maker, Brahmavihari Swami blends faith, culture and service to foster value-driven leadership and community transformation worldwide.



SISTER SHIVANI
MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER

A global ambassador of peace and self-mastery, Sister Shivani simplifies spirituality into practical wisdom, helping millions cultivate balance, clarity and inner strength.



SUHEL SETH
MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER

Suhel Seth, with his unmatched wit and sharp insights, bridges business, culture and public life, provoking fresh thinking and inspiring leaders to challenge the conventional.



SUJITH RAVINDRAN
MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER

Sujith Ravindran is a contemporary mystic and a serial author. He helps leaders, institutions and movements in the social, political and business domains.



LAKSHMI NARAYAN TRIPATHI
MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER

An unapologetic trailblazer for gender rights and human dignity, Lakshmi Narayan Tripathi's global advocacy is breaking barriers and redefining inclusion for the next generation.

PAST INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENTS FROM ISAME



Dr. Naresh Aggrawal
Past International President



Mahendra Amarasuriya
Past International President

CHIEF PATRON



Sangeeta Jatia
Past International Director

STEERING COMMITTEE



Ramesh Prajapati
International Director



Pankaj Mehta
International Director



S Magesh
International Director



Rajkumar Agrawal
International Director



HOST COMMITTEES



BOARD LIAISON
Ramesh Prajapati
International Director



FORUM CHAIRMAN
Pravin Chhajed
Past International Director



VICE CHAIRPERSON
Aruna Oswal
Past International Director



VICE CHAIRMAN
Harendra Shukla
Past District Governor



SECRETARY
Anil Agrawal
Council Chairman 2023-24



TREASURER
Sunil Gugaliya
Council Chairman 2024-25



MARKETING & BRANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON
Manish Bardia
Moving Pixels Pvt. Ltd.



PROGRAMME COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON
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