

Institute of Directors (IOD)

4th Delhi & NCR “IOD Members’ Meet 2026”
&

A Special Celebration on the Eve of International Women’s Day

Theme:

Diversity, Digital Competence & Future-Ready Boards:
Strategies for Next-Gen Directors

Saturday, 07th March, 2026

VENUE: - INDIA INTERNATIONAL CENTRE, NEW DELHI (INDIA)

Registration/Networking & Refreshments

1830 – 1900hrs

Opening Remarks **Lt. Gen. Surinder Nath, PVSM, AVSM (Retd.)** **1900 – 1910hrs**
President, Institute of Directors

Special Presentation **Mr. Lalit Ambastha** **1910 – 1920hrs**
(by the Partner
Organisation)
Founder, Patentwire Consultants Pvt. Ltd.

Special Presentation **Mr. Pradeep Chaturvedi** **1920 – 1930hrs**
Vice President, Institute of Directors

Keynote Address **Amb. Bhaswati Mukherjee** **1930 – 1940hrs**
Independent Director, JK Lakshmi Cement Limited & Multiple Board

Panel Discussion **Diversity, Digital Competence & Future-Ready Boards:** **1940 – 2000hrs**
Strategies for Next-Gen Directors

Moderator **[TBA]**

Speakers **[TBA]**

(Q & A) Interaction with Audience

Women Special Talk **Representation to Influence:** **2000 – 2030hrs**
Rethinking the One-Women Rule in India Boardrooms

Speakers **Adv. Pooja Suri**
Independent Director, Oil India Limited &
Numaligarh Refinery Limited

Ms. Maithreyi Swaminathan
Independent Director, Juniper Green Energy &
Founder, Global ESG Advisors

Adv. Seema Joshi
Independent Director, MB Power MP Limited &
Hindustan Powerprojects Private Limited

(Q & A) Interaction with Audience

Life Members Felicitation Ceremony

2030 – 2100hrs

Special Remarks [TBA]

Chief Guest
Hon'ble Justice Ritu Raj Awasthi
Vice-Chairman, Institute of Directors, India
Judicial Member, Lokpal of India
former Chairperson Law Commission of India
former Chief Justice, Karnataka High Court

FELICITATION OF IOD's LIFE MEMBERS
(from July 2025 to February 2026)

Vote of Thanks **Mr. Manoj K. Raut**
CEO & Secretary General
Institute of Directors **2100 – 2110hrs**

Women's Day Cake Cutting Ceremony

Networking Dinner **2110hrs**

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