

REPORT ON INDIAN PLUMBING PROFESSIONAL LEAGUE 2019
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In its efforts to work with and give back to the community & world at large, Indian Plumbing Association (IPA) has developed a unique initiative called as IPPL (Indian Plumbing Professionals League), which mixes learning & gaming in a bid to generate awareness & create conversation around important issues.

Recognizing the fact that engineers possess versatile & trouble-shooting minds that can help fill in the gaps between science, technology & community, IPPL was launched with the basic ideology of encouraging plumbing engineers from various stake-holding positions in the fraternity (consultants/ architects/contractors/students) to be aware, first & foremost, of what good plumbing is about. It was kick-started with an event in 2018 in Mumbai that witnessed the participation of teams from 13 chapters from all over India.



IPA (Delhi Chapter) organized IPPL 2019 at Hotel Park Inn by Radisson in Delhi, spread across four consecutive Saturdays in September 2019. The entire event was supported by 29 sponsors and the turn-out was even bigger, with the participation of 24.5 teams.



IPPL 2019 Participants along with organizing team of IPADC

Here's a brief in-a-nutshell view of how IPPL 2019 unfolded.

Technical presentations from all 15 chapters were addressed by experts & experienced trainers through the first three weeks, who also shared their expertise on codes & green plumbing methods for use of water. Use of recycled treated water, supply of safe potable water as well as systems on rain water harvesting methods were also discussed. Sponsors also made presentations on new technologies, products and their optimum usage in saving of energy and water. Needless to add, the conservation and efficient usage of water & energy is at the root of the challenges all of us are facing today, globally.



Mr. Subhash Deshpande conducting the training session

The presentations were delivered in interesting formats, best-suited to deliver knowledge minus baggage and all the participants enjoyed the seminars while imbibing know-how of new technologies.



(From L) Mr. Vinay Gupta & Mr. Nishant Gupta conducting the training sessions



(From L) Mr. Sudhir Mathur & Mr. Alok Gupta, Jaipur Chapter after completing their training sessions

On the concluding day of IPPL 2019 event, which was September 28, 2019, a written examination was held to assess the work done thus far. In the written examination, M/s. KPDK Team got first position. At the end of this, top three teams were called for the final buzzer round for the selection of the winning team. Finally, team from M/s. CESPL, Noida (Mr. Badri Vishal Agnihotry, +919891720781 & Mr. Ravi Kumar, +919560882895) won the final of IPPL 2019 organized by IPA-Delhi Chapter.



Buzzer Round in progress



Prize Distribution

All three teams were presented with trophies & mementos by the Guests of Honour **Ms. Madhurima Madhav, Scientist 'C' & Dy Director (Civil Engg.), Bureau of Indian Standards** and **Dr. KB Sood (Hospital Consultant, M/s. Nous Hospitals Consultants)**. The teams were also all given merit certificates of participation. Lunch at the event was enjoyed by all, and the event saw its conclusion with a note of thanks given by Mr. M.K. Gupta, Chairman of IPA (Delhi Chapter).



Mr. M.k. Gupta & Mr. C.S. Gupta Felicitating Ms. Madhurima Madhav with Honorary Membership of IPA



Dr. K. B. Sood delivering the speech



Vote of thanks given by Mr. M.K. Gupta

The winning team will now represent IPA - Delhi Chapter in the Grand Finale scheduled to be held at Bangalore on October 11th & 12th, 2019.