

Inaugural TISS-LeapVault CLO Awards held in Mumbai at the 4th annual Chief Learning Officers Summit India

Mphasis wins a Gold award in the Global L&D Team of the Year Category

Indian & International Luminaries like Dr. R K Pachauri, DG & CEO of TERI, Dr. S Parasuraman, Director, TISS, Mr. Mike Canning, CEO, Duke CE, Ms. Kylie Bell, Austrade at the awards ceremony.

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The fourth edition of the Chief Learning Officers (CLO) Summit India was held here in Mumbai on 1 – 2 November 2012. **Amongst many firsts, the summit saw the inaugural TISS-LeapVault CLO Awards.** TISS, Tata Institute of Social Sciences is the founding academic partner of the summit since 2009.

“The TISS-LeapVault CLO Awards are a unique effort to understand, recognize and celebrate the best Learning & Development practices amongst corporation in India. We are extremely happy with the growth of the CLO Summit and the addition of the awards in the 4th year further delivers upon our vision for the summit which is to build India’s most premier platform for Learning & Development.” says Dr. S Parasuraman.

The awards are nominations based and the inaugural edition itself attracted applications from leading Global and Indian Corporates both from the private and public sector. The awards recognize the stellar efforts in various aspects and methods of people development through learning. They were given away in 15 categories by International & Indian luminaries present at the ceremony attended by well over 300 learning, HR and talent management leaders from across the country.

The two-day summit was organized by LeapVault, a premier executive development & knowledge media company. The summit also saw the introduction of the 1st ever ‘Global Execed Forum’ and the ‘Mobile Social and E-learning Conference & Expo’ in India.

“This is the second year that ICSI has partnered with the CLO Summit. I was pleased to witness a world class event with high-end content, excellent speakers and interactions which were geared towards redefining professional learning. What was striking and needs to be noted is the contemporary relevance/irrelevance of many best practices acquired over time addressed aptly in the Break-Out sessions. We look forward to our continued association with the most innovative professional learning and development platform in India.” CS S N Ananthasubramanian, Vice-President, The Institute of Company Secretaries of India

The summit was a landmark event in the learning & development, training, coaching space in India and the world with 100 Indian & International speakers. Key thought leaders included, Dr. R K Pachauri, DG & CEO of TERI, Ajit Balakrishnan, Founder & CEO of Rediff, Australian Cricketer Adam Gilchrist, Management Guru Rama Bijapurkar, Bollywood director Sanjay Gadhvi, spiritual Guru Jaya Row and bestselling authors Raksha Bharadia and Ashwin Sanghi. International and Indian speakers from leading corporates and institutions like Accenture, Duke CE, ICarnegie,

CapGemini, Facebook.com, GE, Aditya Birla Group, GenPact, Siemens, CIMA, NDTV, Infosys, L&T, Reliance Industries, Maruti Suzuki, SCI, Asian Paints, IFTDO and other thought leaders.

"The Australian Trade Commission, the Australian Government's trade, investment and education promotion agency was delighted to associate with the 4th Annual Chief Learning Officers Summit as Partner Country – Australia. The summit was well organised, well attended and included very high quality content. The participating organisations and profile of speakers were impressive and represented industry leaders from across India." Ms. Kylie Bell, speaking about the summit

The summit was supported by the Department of Public Enterprises, Government of India and The Government of Australia was a country partner. The International Labour Organization and the Institute of Company Secretaries of India were Institutional Partners. Frankfurt School of Finance & Management and Duke CE were the Strategic Partners. Media Partners included The Wall Street Journal and Knowledge @ Wharton. The Indian Society of Training & Development and The Indo American Chamber of Commerce supported the summit.

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