

Lerig 2021

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Dear Members of the Indian Leather & Leather Products Fraternity,

Greetings from CSIR-CLRI!

It is that time of the year when CSIR-CLRI announces LERIG and it gives me great pleasure in informing you that with your support and cooperation, we would continue with LERIG in 2021 in a 'hybrid format.' Given below is the theme and outline of the programme.



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Virtual LERIG on CISCO Webex Platform / Facebook LIVE and YouTube LIVE

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PROFILE: Organized every year during the last week of January, Leather Research Industry Get-Together (LERIG) marks the beginning of the Leather week celebrations. LERIG is organized by CSIR-CLRI in association with the stakeholders of the leather sector including Council for Leather Exports, Leather and Leather Products Trade Bodies and Associations with active support from CSIR Network Partners, Institutions and Universities. This annual event aims to provide a platform to deliberate the ideas and concerns of common interest and to evolve a comprehensive strategy for enabling an internationally competitive Leather Sector. The LERIG meet over the years has gained global participation and appreciation.

PANDEMIC & THE INDIAN LEATHER INDUSTRY: The Government of India has taken every major step to ensure that the manufacturers/ exporters of Indian Leather and Leather Products are supported during this unforeseen times. The Indian Leather Industry has braved the challenges.

However, many new normal are in place.

LERIG 2021 would be a platform to discuss the Impact of Science & Technology on Technology Development with a focus on Footwear.

Doyens and Leaders from our very own Industry would share case studies and together we will strengthen the Indian Leather and Leather Products Industry through technology led innovations.

IMPACT ON FOOTWEAR MARKET: The novel coronavirus Covid-19 pandemic could lead to an acceleration in the reshoring of manufacturing to Europe. The shift could be significant for countries such as Spain, Croatia and Portugal.

The move out of China is also benefiting countries such as Vietnam, but the pandemic has reduced the appeal of those destinations. Many companies - especially Japanese, Taiwanese and South Korean-have for some time been thinking of relying less on China and that the pandemic is speeding up the process. Impact Due to COVID-19 Pandemic:

- Order Cancellations
- Price Reductions
- Liquidity Crisis
- Bankruptcy Threats
- Uncertainty
- Unemployment
- Currency Risk
- Crisis management
- De-Globalization

THINK POSITIVE: Increase our Productivity. Reduce our Cost. Deliver on time

SESSIONS: Inaugural Session | Global Footwear Business | If you are not innovative, you have a challenge | Impetus on design innovation, R&D and Technology | Indian Footwear Industry looking ahead

HYBRID LERIG: CSIR-CLRI is planning a hybrid LERIG with the Speakers and a small audience participating following the norms of social distancing; while the speakers from other states and invitees will attend LERIG 2021 virtually.

Let us together make LERIG 2021 fruitful and meaningful to the Members of the Indian Leather and Leather Products Industry.

With warm regards,

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