

## **Nominated Officers for Society Year 2015- 2016**

### **1) President – Dr Roshini R Easow (Already Elected last year)**

Roshini Easow has been a member of ASHRAE since 2009, initially as a part of the Western India Chapter. She looked after student activities and continued the same role when ASHRAE Mumbai was formed. She has been CTTC Chair and Vice President. Roshini is a Mechanical Engineer and holds a PhD from IIT Bombay. She has 30 years experience as faculty at Sardar Patel College of Engineering, Mumbai. She is a Presidential Member of the ISHRAE Mumbai chapter and has also served ISHRAE as National Chair for student affairs.

### **2) Nitin Naik- President Elect**

Nitin Naik is a Graduate Engineer with over 25 years experience in the HVAC industry. He is an entrepreneur for the last 15 years. He has been an ASHRAE member for more than 5 years. He has served the chapter in multiple roles, as Chapter Technology Transfer Chair, Research Promotion Chair, Chapter Secretary, Treasurer, Vice President and currently serving as Honors and Awards Chair. Nitin is an active ISHRAE member having been the President of the Goa Chapter, Zonal Chair (Advocacy), National Vice Chair (Programs), National Secretary & Regional Director. Currently serving as the Member – Governing Council for the ISHRAE Institute of Excellence (IIE)

### **3) Viresh Ruhal-Vice President**

Viresh is a Mechanical Engineer from NIT Warangal. He has 24 years of experience in the industry. Currently he is working as GM Marketing for M/s Flaktwoods ACS India Pvt Ltd. He was the President of the ISHRAE Mumbai Chapter (2010-11) and has served ASHRAE Mumbai Chapter in the capacity of Students Chair and Membership Promotion Chair in the past. Currently he is serving as the Secretary of the ASHRAE Mumbai Chapter.

### **4) Jayesh Deshpande-Secretary**

Jayesh Deshpande is a Mechanical engineer with 24 years of industry experience in HVAC field mainly in sales and marketing. He is currently Sr. Vice President (Applied Business), Daikin Air conditioning India Private Ltd. He started his career with Kirloskar Pneumatic. Later he was with McQuay and moved to Daikin after McQuay's acquisition by Daikin Industries. He has served 2 terms as Treasurer of ASHRAE Mumbai Chapter.

### **5) Bhavesh Panchal-Treasurer**

Bhavesh is a Mechanical Engineering Graduate from Pune University. He has a rich experience of more than 10 years in the field of HVAC&R. He started his career as a Project engineer and moved to Sales function a year later. He has been working mainly in the sector of Pharmaceutical, Food, Marine, Oil & Gas, Laboratories, Clean Rooms etc. He has worked with companies like HMX, Flaktwoods, TROX. Currently he is heading the sales operations in India, Bangladesh & Srilanka for Euroclima India Pvt Ltd. Bhavesh has served the Society as the YEA chair for 2 terms.

### **6) Nivedita Jadhav**

Nivedita has been the Historian, Research Promotion Chair as well as Chapter Technology Transfer Committee Chair since being associated with ASHRAE Mumbai Chapter. With ISHRAE, she has served in the National Committee as well as the local Chapter Committee at

the local Thane Chapter. Professionally, she is an Engineer with 27 years of experience and is now the owner of ARGO Solutions, dealing in high purity water treatment Systems.

### **7) Bhavesh Mehta**

Bhavesh is a Mechanical engineer with more than 25 Yrs experience. He is working in Reliance Industries Limited as Deputy General Manager – Engg Design as a part of the MEP ( Mechanical , Electrical & Plumbing ) Design team for Retail Chain across India.

He has been handling the student activities of ASHRAE Mumbai chapter for past 2 years. Bhavesh is also core committee member of IGBC ( Indian Green Building Council, CWC fellow member of ISLE – Indian Society of Lighting Engineers, Member of FSAI – Fire and Security Association of India , AMCA - Founding Individual Member AMCA India,IPA – Indian Plumbing Association andIIID – Institute of Indian Interior Designer. In ISHRAE, Bhavesh is Western Zonal Chair-Students for SY 2015-16

### **8) Shankar Sapaliga**

Shankar is a Mechanical engineer having 44 years of experience in HVAC industry. He worked for 31 years in Voltas in various capacities in project planning, procurement, project execution, testing commissioning and design validation of large central plants. Also worked on energy management and associated with manufacturing in product development. He was President, ISHRAE Mumbai Chapter during 2013- 14. Currently he is Research Promotion Chair. Professionally, he is Senior Consultant-HVAC with International Copper Association India.

### **9) Shrey Mahajan**

Shrey is a Mechanical Engineer. He was very active as a student member of ISHRAE. He served as Publicity head, General Secretary and President for ISHRAE Student Chapter in years 2009, 2010 & 2011 respectively. In ISHRAE, Shrey has been an active member of the organizing committee for various 'Acreserve' Seminars and ACREX 2010 and ACREX 2013. He is working with Daikin Airconditioning India Pvt. Ltd. since July 2011, presently as Sr. Engineer VRV Business.

### **10) Manoj Khati**

Manoj has been associated with ASHRAE, since 2004. He served as President for ASHRAE Western India Chapter (WIC) 2009 ~ 2010. During his tenure, he was instrumental in forming three ASHRAE Chapters from ASHRAE WIC for Pune, Mumbai & Western India (Ahmedabad) bringing society within the reach of its members. Currently he is associated as Strategy Consultant with Overseas & MSME local companies. Prior to this, he was associated with MNC Organization in area of Industrial Fans. He has completed his Masters in Management and Bachelor in Engineering.

### **11) Vikram Murthy**

Vikram is an Electrical Engineer from IIT Kanpur. He has 40 years experience in the HVAC Industry .

Currently Director Univac Environment Systems Pvt Ltd for Unitary and applied HVAC Products & Systems located at Mumbai and Trustee of Tropical Air conditioning & Refrigeration Institute, Mumbai , which imparts training in Building Engineering Services for

Students , Working Professionals and Corporates. He serves on ASHRAE Technical Committee TC 5.2 for Duct Design, Electronics Communication Committee and GGAC Chair of ASHRAE Mumbai Chapter. He currently serves ISHRAE as Chair for Web Initiatives, Marketing and Journal Committees. He is a Past President of ASHRAE Mumbai Chapter, the Rotary Club of Bombay Film City and ISHRAE Mumbai Chapter, as well as Regional Director and National Secretary of ISHRAE

### **12)Shantanu Laghate**

Shantanu is a Mechanical Engineer with more than 45 years of experience in India, Middle East and CIS. He is an ISHRAE Fellow of ISHRAE. He holds a MTech from IIT Bombay and is a Certified Energy Manager (CEM) of - Association of Energy Engineers, USA. He is a specialist in Design, Installation and Energy Management of Mechanical and Electrical Services. He has worked many organizations including Voltas as Technical Advisor to the COO and Executive Director (EMR&BG), WS Atkins and Partners (overseas) DUBAI as Head of Mechanical Site Operations and with Mohammed Salahuddin Consulting Engineering Bureau.

### **13)Sudipta Sanyal**

Sudipta Sanyal is a Mechanical Engineer having over 32 years of experience combined with extensive knowledge in the design and implementation of MEP solutions for data center facilities. He has joined GTS Technology ITSA team at IBM India Pvt. Ltd, as a Sr. Consultant. Prior to joining IBM , he had worked with M/s Emerson Network as a senior director – Application engineering for HVAC solutions in data center, M/s Voltas in their MEP division as project manager & DCL an renowned consultancy firm in power sector . He is member of ISHRAE & ASHRAE . He is an accredited Tier designer of UTI( UpTime Institute), USA. He is currently Chief Architect-Data center Infrastructure at IBM India Pvt. Ltd. He has been a member of BOG of ASHRAE Mumbai chapter in SY 2014-15.

### **14)Amod Dikshit**

Amod is a Mechanical Engineer with 24 years of experience. He is Director of Dikshit Consultants & Engineers Pvt. Ltd. since 1991. He has executed various types of projects, having completed more than 2000 projects. He is currently Membership Promotion Chair and has been a member of CWC of ISHRAE Mumbai Chapter for last 2 years. He has been a member of BOG of ASHRAE Mumbai chapter in SY 2014-15.

### **15)Arvind Pandey**

Arvind is a Mechanical Engineer with a post graduation in Marketing and International Business. He has 21 years of cross-functional experience in HVAC/ Information Technology / IT Hardware and Related Solutions includes air & power solutions to mission critical applications.

Currently he is Head of India operations of Ecocool Tech. Prior to that he was General Manager at Clivet, National Sales Head, Blue Box Ltd., Director-Air Channel, Emerson Network Power. He has been a member of BOG of ASHRAE Mumbai chapter in SY 2014-15.

### **16)Sooraj Nair**

Sooraj is a graduate mechanical engineer, with more than 17 years of experience in the Field of MEP design and construction management and has worked in some of the reputed consultancy and construction firms such as AECOM, Spectral ,Eskayem and ETA before joining Ramboll . Sooraj has international construction exposure in the MEP field with his stint in Dubai where he was involved in building the world's tallest Hotel Building the J.W Marquee. He has the right mix of Design and construction experience and presently leads the MEP team of Ramboll India Domestic operations.

### **17)Mihir Sanghavi**

Mihir holds a B.E. (Electronics) with 20 years of experience. He is presently Managing Partner in Auro Engineering Company, Andheri(E) and deals primarily in manufacturing of Heat Exchangers. He is also a partner in ACE Corporation, Andheri (E), dealers of HVAC products and HVAC Contractors, A Director in Oxygen Entertainment, an event management company. Mihir is an active member of ISHRAE and ASHRAE Mumbai Chapters. Mihir has served ISHRAE in the capacity of –Member of Chapter Working Committee, Mumbai, Advocacy Chair, Mumbai Chapter and has been instrumental in fostering good synergy with RATA where he is a Managing Committee member

### **18)Sanjay Kumar Verma**

Sanjay is an MBA with Mechanical Engineering. He has 17 years experience with Trac Fujico, Chennai; Director in Nu Dyna Engineers, Mumbai; Regional Head for East Zone, Climaveneta. In 2013 he promoted SARA HVAC Systems. **SARA HAVC System is one of Authorized Business associates of Daikin for their VRV products for West Zone and also the Business Chanel partner for CLIMAVENETA for their Chillers and Precision Air-conditioners in Maharashtra.** He was an active member of ISHRAE Deccan Chapter before coming to Mumbai. He currently looks after student activities in ISHRAE Mumbai Chapter.

### **19)Subodh Moghe**

Subodh has nearly 16 yrs experience in the industry. He started his career with M/s Premier Refrigeration Limited - a company involved in Design manufacturing and installation and commissioning of Refrigeration Packages. For 5 yrs he was involved in Designing and manufacturing of refrigeration packages. For the last 11 years he is in the field of HVAC (1 yr with Voltas International and 10 yrs with M/s Tecnimont). Currently, he heads the HVAC group with a team of 10 HVAC engineers.