

## IPOC-Mission&Vision

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We are pleased to inform the Intellectual Property Owners Chapter (IPOC) under the wings of the Malaysian Invention and Design Society (MINDS) has been formed in December 2007. Mission 1. Supporting members' interests relating to IP legislative issues

2. Creating awareness on IP and the importance of its rights to members and the general public
3. Providing IP information and educational services
4. Analyzing, advising and contributing to the IP Systems development of the country
5. Supporting members in patent commercialization

Vision To be the association that champions and represents the interests of all intellectual property owners in Malaysia .

The following are reasons why we are writing to invite you to participate in the activities of IPOC

1. Copying and infringement are very rampant. Legal proceedings are extremely costly, and tedious often leading to IP owners' disadvantages.
2. Industrialists and the public are generally manipulative, if not ignorant about IP rights and benefits. Therefore do not recognize and respect IPs.
3. There is currently no collective voice to represent the rights and interests of IP owners.
4. The sharing of different experiences among members can help inventors in areas of patent protection, product modeling, investor recommendation, product manufacturing, commercializing, and product development funding.

Do you know ? Every month MINDS organizes a Saturday Lecture with many insightful topics related to invention, patenting , creativity etc. The talks are held by experts in each field. Benefits include the networking session held after each lecture, which will link various parties , benefiting all. Be part of the inventor community , registration is open for membership.

(Kindly contact Cheri at 03-71182066, to reserve your seats. )  
 Membership forms available on website at [www.minds.org.my](http://www.minds.org.my)

You are most welcome to contact any of our committee members whose contacts are provided hereunder ( or the secretariat at 03-71182064 ).

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