



THE TECHLAW
GROUP MEETING
BANGALORE, INDIA

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THE TECHLAW SPRING MEETING

Program

The Spring Meeting of the TechLaw Group will take place over four days from 19 March, 2014 through to 22 March, 2014 with the 19th and the 22nd comprising optional tours. As it is the first time many of you are visiting the country we have tried to provide you with a sample of Modern India.

We start with a company tour of two businesses that symbolize Modern India in unique but intrinsically different ways. Both companies are unique innovators in the technology space, one responsible for building India's reputation as a destination for high quality software services and the other in showcasing Indian innovation and our ability to design world class technologies suited for local conditions. The company tour is open for members and spouses

The TechLaw Board meeting will be held at the Taj West End Hotel and will be followed by cocktails and dinner for members and spouses at the celebrated Karavalli restaurant.

The TechLaw CLE Program, entitled the Butterfly Effect will be held at the Taj West End Hotel. The program will run all day and we are expecting a number of representatives from some of the leading information technology companies in Bangalore to attend. That evening, the TechLaw Group dinner will be held at the Olive Beach restaurant, run by one of India's most innovative modern chefs with a unique custom built menu designed just for the TechLaw Group.

On all three days, alternate spouse programs have been designed to take you through various aspects of the rich *tradition and culture of South India*. We end the TechLaw Group Spring 2014 meeting with a walking/ riding tour of Bangalore designed to answer one question - how did Bangalore come to be what it is.

The detailed agenda of activities over the entire duration of the TechLaw Group Spring Meeting has been set out over the following pages.

MEMBERS *Agenda*

The TechLaw Members Program has been designed to expose the members to various aspects of the cultural, economic and social life of modern India.

Day1

19 March, 2014

THE COMPANY TOURS

Bangalore is the technology capital of the country and there is no better way to start than to see where it all happens.

We will start the day with lunch by the Poolside at the Taj West End Hotel. Immediately after lunch we will board the buses for the tour of two incredible technology companies - one a software giant that in one generation put India firmly on the technology map of the world, the other an innovative product company that demonstrates how Indian innovation can generate world class products and intellectual property. A bus has been organized to transport members and spouses to and from Electronics City.

The detailed program for the day is as follows:

11.30 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.	Lunch
Venue	The Poolside (Taj West End Hotel)
1.00 p.m.	Bus departs for the Infosys Campus.
Departure Point	The Lobby Circle (Taj West End Hotel)
1.00 p.m. - 2.00 p.m.	Travel to the Infosys Campus.
2.00 p.m. - 4.00 p.m.	Tour of the Infosys Campus.
Venue	Infosys Campus
4.00 p.m.	Bus departs for the Mahindra Reva Electric Car Factory
Departure Point	Infosys Campus
4.00 p.m. - 4.30 p.m.	Travel to the Mahindra Reva Factory
4.30 p.m - 6.30 p.m.	Tour of the Mahindra Reva Electric Car Factory.
Venue	Mahindra Reva Factory
6.30 p.m.	Bus departs for the Taj West End Hotel
Departure Point	Mahindra Reva Factory
6.30 p.m. - 7.30 p.m.	Travel to the Taj West End Hotel
7.30 p.m. - 8.30 p.m.	Dress for dinner
8.30 p.m. - 11.30 p.m.	Dinner
Venue	The Masala Club (Taj West End Hotel)

Day2

20 March, 2014

TECHLAW BOARD MEETING

The day will start with Lunch which will be served at the Blue Ginger Lawns at the Taj West End Hotel. The venue of the TechLaw Board Meeting will be at the Tamarind Conference Room at the Taj West End Hotel. After the Board Meeting, we leave for the Karavalli Restaurant for cocktails and dinner.

The detailed program for the day is as follows:

1.00 p.m. - 2.00 p.m.	Lunch
Venue	The Blue Ginger Lawns (Taj West End Hotel)
2.15 p.m. - 5.00 p.m.	TechLaw Board Meeting
Venue	The Tamarind (Taj West End Hotel)
5.00 p.m. - 7.00 p.m.	Free time
7:00p.m.	Transport departs for the Karavalli Restaurant
Departure Point	The Lobby Circle (Taj West End Hotel)
7:00 p.m. - 7.30 p.m.	Travel to the Karavalli Restaurant
7.30 p.m. - 8:00p.m.	Cocktails
Venue	The Gardens (Karavalli Restaurant)
8.00 p.m - 10.00 p.m.	Dinner
Venue	The Karavalli Restaurant
10.15 p.m.	Buses depart for the Taj West End Hotel
Departure Point	The Karavalli Restaurant
10.15 p.m. - 10.40 p.m.	Travel to the Taj West End Hotel

Day3

21 March, 2014

THE CLE PROGRAM -THE BUTTERFLY EFFECT

The registration for the CLE Program opens at 9:30 a.m. and the first panel starts at 10:00 a.m. The program runs through the day till 5 p.m. with a 45 minute break for lunch. Delegates from the legal departments of some of the top Indian technology companies have been invited to attend.

The detailed program for the day is as follows:

- 9.30 a.m. - 9.45 a.m.** Registration for the TechLaw Conference
- 9.45 a.m. - 10.00 a.m.** Opening Remarks by Richard Gray
- 10.00 a.m. - 11.30 a.m.** Panel 1: Social Media and the Internet
- Moderator** Andreas Meissner
- Panelists** Paul Hunt
Randall Colson
John Menton
David Mirchin
- 11.30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.** Coffee Break
- 11.45 a.m. - 1.15 p.m.** Panel 2: Managing a Global Workforce
- Moderator** Agne Lindberg
- Panelists** Nelson Dong
Alessandro Vasta
Raphael de Cunto
Ajay Raghavan
- 1.15 p.m. - 2.00 p.m.** Lunch Break
- 2.00 p.m. - 3.00 p.m.** Panel 3: New Technologies
- Panelists** Rahul Matthan
Sunny Handa
Craig Thorburn
- 3.00 p.m. - 3.15 p.m.** Coffee Break
- 3.15 p.m. - 4.45 p.m.** Panel 4: Doing Business Abroad
- Moderator** Ralph Pais
- Panelists** Richard Gray
Kosturi Ghosh
Samuel Lee
Didier Sangiorgio
- 4.45 p.m - 5.00 p.m.** Closing remarks by Richard Gray
- 5.00 p.m. - 7.00 p.m.** Free time. Dress for Dinner
- 7.00 p.m.** Transport departs for the Olive Beach Restaurant
- Departure Point** The Lobby Circle (Taj West End Hotel)

7.00 p.m. - 7.20 p.m. Travel to the Olive Beach Restaurant

7.30 p.m. - 10.30 p.m. TechLaw Dinner

Venue The Olive Beach Restaurant

10.30 p.m. Transport departs for the Taj West End Hotel

Departure Point The Olive Beach Restaurant

10.30 p.m. - 10.45 p.m Travel to the Taj West End Hotel.

Day4

22 March, 2014

THE WALKING/ RIDING TOUR OF BANGALORE

The Bangalore walking tour is an original city experience covering history, culture and discovery, in Bangalore. This is NOT a typical sightseeing tour, but an interactive "India immersion" that helps visitors appreciate the diversity and depth of Indian culture as we visit ancient temples, bustling markets, colonial-era buildings, and experience modern lifestyles. The narratives and choice of route have been customized for TechLaw and the tour is designed to ensure that the hassles of city travel (traffic, weather conditions and unscheduled roadblocks) are minimized.

The Tour will commence from the raintree at the Taj West End at 9:00 a.m.

The detailed program for the day is as follows:

- 9.00 a.m.** Assemble for the commencement of the tour.
- Assembly Point** The Raintree (Taj West End Hotel)
- 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.** The Walking/ Riding Tour of Bangalore
- 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.** Lunch
- Venue** The 13th Floor Restaurant
- 2:30 p.m.** Buses depart for the Taj West End Hotel
- Departure Point** MG Road
- 2:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.** Travel to the Taj West End Hotel

SPOUSES PROGRAM

Agenda

The TechLaw Spouses Program has been designed to dovetail into the Member Program and offer the spouses an alternate program replete with local cultural experiences that take place during the Board meeting and the CLE Program.

Day 1

19 March, 2014

The Company Tours

The spouses are welcome to join the Company Tour of the Infosys and the Mahindra Reva campuses. The detailed program for the Company Tour has been provided in the Member Agenda above. For those spouses who do not wish to attend the Company Tour, an alternate program can be organized. Spouses will have the option to visit one of the many spas in Bangalore, attend a yoga session or partake in some retail therapy. If you would like to discuss options of things to do and places to see please call Ahalya Matthan who will be happy to work out some options for you.

Day 2

20 March, 2014

On 20 March, 2014, both members and spouses have the option of driving to South Bangalore to visit the famous Bull Temple and learn a bit more of the history of Bangalore. Those who would like to partake of some history and culture early in the morning should let me know when you get to Bangalore and we will organize a transport and the guide. Transport will depart from the Taj West End Hotel at 8:30 a.m. Please note, that for the temple visit please refrain from wearing shorts.

Lunch will be served at the Taj West End hotel. After lunch, as the Members go in to attend the Board Meeting, we have organized a saree tying workshop at the West End Hotel designed to help you master the art of draping the traditional 6 yard Indian saree. After this we will head out to various shops in the city, starting with the Mysore Saree Udyog and working our way through Raintree, Amrapalli and Bandej where we will have the option to shop for more traditional Indian products at handicrafts and specialist stores.

Based on how many shopping bags have been accumulated at the end of this process, spouses can either head back to the hotel or directly for cocktails and dinner at the karavalli restaurant the rest of the evening will follow the Program as set out in the Member's Agenda.

Day 3

21 March, 2014

Depending on when the spouses are willing to start their day, the program for the 21st of March, 2014 can be suitably customized. If everyone is willing to get an early start then there is nothing like starting the day at the Gandhi Bazaar Flower Market where you will begin to understand how integrally flowers are inter-woven into the fabric of Indian life. After spending some time at the flower market we will head to the Brahmin's Café, an iconic but extremely traditional, local experience that is unique to Bangalore. From the Brahmin's Café we can head to one of the oldest temples in the city.

From there we will head to Tharangini, a traditional workshop where the age old technique of block printing is used to make sarees and other traditional fabrics. This will be the venue for a full blown workshop on the history of block printing, a review of the ancient technique, a discussion on the design influences, the techniques of colour mixing, the use of natural dyes, practical experiments with printing on paper with single and multiple colours and finally printing on silk cushions with single and multiple colours.

From Tharangini we will proceed to The Jewelry Project, a workshop run by the jeweler, Deepti Sudheendran where we will learn techniques of fashioning modern Indian jewelry and witness first hand demonstration of the art of jewelry making.

We will then proceed to Villa Pottipatti, a restored heritage property for lunch. From Villa Pottipatti we will head to the National Gallery of Modern Art, one of India's finest museums for modern Indian artists. After looking around the NGMA we can head back to the Hotel Taj West End to get ready for the Gala TechLaw Group dinner at the Olive Beach Restaurant.

Day 4

22 March, 2014

The walking tour of Bangalore is for members and spouses alike and the detailed program has been listed in the member agenda above.

Dress Code

While in India, the only important thing to consider while planning your travel is the weather. In March, it will be warm with temperatures around 35° C. It is also likely to be humid as evening showers are likely on some days. Under these conditions, there is usually no need for a sweater or a jacket.

In terms of what is appropriate dressing in the context of modern Indian culture, the simple answer is that for the most part anything that you would wear back at home would be acceptable in India. There are parts of the country that are more conservative - where may be worth considering more culturally appropriate attire in deference to local sentiment, but Bangalore is one of the most cosmopolitan cities in the country and you will see on the streets and in the hotel that people both young and old dress in much the same way as you would expect to see in your home countries.

The recommended dress code for the various events during the four days of the TechLaw Spring meeting are set out below:

The company tour - BUSINESS CASUAL.

For gentlemen

A business shirt and formal trousers. Jacket and tie is optional. Parts of the tour will be conducted outdoors at the hottest time of the day so it is perfectly acceptable to leave your jackets behind. However, we are visiting business campuses so it would be advisable not to dress too casually.

For ladies

A blouse/ shirt with trousers or a skirt. As with the men, there is no need for a jacket or a business suit but it will be advisable to try not to dress too informally out of deference to the business campus that we will be visiting.

Dinner – The Masala Club - CASUAL

The Masala Club seating will be partly outdoor but please come as casually dressed as you think appropriate - there is no obligatory dress code.

The Board Meeting - BUSINESS CASUAL.

The Board meeting will take place at the Tamarind Room in the Taj West End Hotel. The dress code is business casual.

The Dinner at Karavalli Restaurant - CASUAL.

The Karavalli restaurant has outdoor seating and even though we will get to the restaurant after sundown, the weather is likely to be warm. The dress code is casual.

The CLE Program - FORMAL/ BUSINESS CASUAL

It is advisable that speakers and moderators wear a suit for the Conference – at the least a jacket with a shirt and trousers (the tie is optional). It is unlikely that the audience will be wearing suits though it is entirely possible that some of the GCs who attend will wear jackets.

For those who are not speaking or moderating one of the panels of the Conference, business casual is entirely adequate.

The Dinner at Olive Beach - BUSINESS CASUAL.

The Olive Beach restaurant has outdoor seating and even though we will get to the restaurant after sundown, the weather is likely to be warm. There is no need to wear a jacket or tie.

The Story of Bangalore - Walking Tour

The tour is described as a walking/ riding tour. There will be a tour bus to get us from place to place but from time to time we will need to get out of the bus to explore the surroundings on foot. Please do wear comfortable clothes – linen shirts, collared t-shirts, jeans or trousers – and ensure you have comfortable footwear. The weather will be warm. At that time of the year there is a chance of rain in which case it could be humid as well. You can (and possibly should) bring your camera along as well.

Contacts

In case you have any questions or need any assistance at any stage during your time in India please feel free to call me or my secretary, Arundathi. Our mobile phone numbers are listed below and one of us should be reachable at all times:

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Ahalya has put together the entire program for the spouses so in case you need to reach her to ask any questions or make any changes to the program she is reachable on her mobile number below:

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At the Taj West End Hotel, in case you need any assistance whatsoever, please contact Shrimi Saloni and mention that you are a part of the TechLaw Group.

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