



# 2016

## Annual Report

THE CHARTERED INSTITUTE OF LOGISTICS AND TRANSPORT, SINGAPORE



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## WiLAT Asia MoU Signing Ceremony



WiLAT Hong Kong, Singapore, Malaysia and Sri Lanka signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) in Singapore on 8 January 2016 to officiate the formation of WiLAT Asia. The MoU was signed in the presence of over 30 invited guests and witnessed by WiLAT Global Convenor Aisha Ali Ibrahim, Global Advisor Dr. Dorothy Chan, and International Vice President cum CILT Malaysia President Dato Radzak Melek. The signing ceremony was held at CILT Singapore with the support of CILT Singapore Chairman Mr. Karmjit Singh and his team. CILT Singapore hosted dinner at the Singapore Cricket Club the same evening.





## 2016 SMU Logistics & Supply Chain Symposium



The 2016 SMU Logistics & Supply Chain Symposium - a yearly affair, was held on 7 March 2016 at Suntec Singapore Convention and Exhibition Centre. Presented by the Singapore Management University (SMU) and co-organised by the Fujitsu- SMU Urban Computing and Engineering Corp. Lab (UNiCEN) and DHL-SMU Green Transformation Lab (GTL), the symposium centred on two topics - Urban Mobility & Circular Economy.

Mr Robert Yap Min Choy, Chairman of SMU (School of Information Systems) Board of Advisors gave the opening address, followed by two keynote speakers, Ms Katharina Tomaff, Deutsche Post DHL and Dr Hee Limin of Singapore Centre for Liveable Cities.

CILTS supported the symposium with Chairman Karmjit Singh chairing the panel discussion.

# Annual General Meeting



The CILTS Annual General Meeting was held on 11 March 2016 at CILTS' Jalan Kilang Barat Secretariat Office in the evening.

Chairman Karmjit Singh presided over the AGM, with Vice Chairman Prof Chin Hoong Chor, Honorary Secretary Ivan Neo and Honorary Treasurer Chia Peck Yong present.

The one-and-half-hour meeting elected two new Board Directors - Dr. Teo Chee Chong and Mr. Edward Lau.

The meeting ended with a simple buffet dinner, which provided Board Directors and members the opportunity of catching up and net-working.



## Professor Caroline Chan



Professor Caroline Chan, Head, School of Business IT and Logistics RMIT University was in Singapore and paid a visit to CILTS.

Among other issues Prof Chan discussed RMIT and SIM Global's networking event on 17 March, in which Chairman Karmjit was invited to deliver a talk on Singapore as a logistics hub.

Chairman Karmjit Singh and Prof Chan also discussed about possible collaboration between the two institutions.





## Suzhou Industrial Park Admin Committee

At the invitation of the Ministry of Trade and Industry, CILTS arranged a lecture on "Singapore As A Logistics Hub: Journey & Experience" to a visiting group of 18 Chinese visitors from Tonji University, Shanghai Urban Construction & Planning Institute and Suzhou Industrial Park.

The Chinese team was on a study trip to Singapore from 18 to 22 April

The lecture was delivered in Mandarin by Prof Peter Kuok Seng Hwee.





# Logistics for Dangerous Goods & Hazardous Material Handling Course

Another run of the Logistics for Dangerous Goods & Hazardous Material Handling Course was conducted on 18 May 2016.



## VIL Students taking e-learning SCPD Tests

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Three Vietnam Institute of Logistics students took their e-learning Supply Chain Professional Development (SCPD) modular examination on 20 May 2016 in Ho Chi Minh City.

The examination was monitored 'live' by CILTS in Singapore via Skype.



## TUM Asia MSc in Logistics & Transportation Programme

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CILTS conducted the Port Planning Course for TUM Asia's MSc in Logistics & Transportation Programme.

The lectures were conducted over a one-week period from 16 to 20 May 2016.

The lectures were delivered by Kenneth Tan & Timothy Chao.





## Visitors from India

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Dr. Nidhi Sripan from New Delhi, India paid a visit to CILTS on 18 June 2016. She was keen to know the activities and capabilities of CILT Singapore.

Chairman Karmjit Singh briefed Dr. Sripan on CILTS e-learning Supply Chain Professional Development (SCPD).





## WiLAT Global and WiLAT SG

A total of 24 participants turned up for the WiLAT SG segment of the WiLAT Global Walk 2016 on 22 June.

The 45-minutes walk around Marina Bay area, after a day of light rain, was refreshing and energising. The beautifully lighted buildings of the areas were an added attraction.



## Chairman at NIDA, Thailand

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At the Invitation of Prof Siwiga Dusadenoad, CILTS Chairman Karmjit Singh was at NIDA (National Institute of Development Administration), Bangkok, Thailand on 26 June 2016 to deliver a lecture “Singapore as a Global Logistics Hub” to 33 MSc students majoring in Logistics.





## Guandong Intelligence Transport System Association

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Through the introduction of IE Singapore, CILTS conducted a one-day course for the Guandong Intelligence Transport System Association. Led by two Deputy Secretary General, Mr. Zhang Tian Wen and Ms Su Fanglei, the group comprised senior executives of members companies:

1. Guangzhou Communication Information Construction Investment and Operation Co.Ltd
2. Guangzhou Kunlong Information System Co.Ltd
3. Shenzhen Genvict Technologies Co.Ltd
4. Guangdong Lingnantong Co.Ltd
5. Guangzhou ITS Communications Equipment Co.Ltd

The course was conducted by Prof Peter Kuok, who is currently advising the Jamaican Government on the development of a logistics hub. The classroom lecture was conducted in the morning, followed by the 'moving class' in the afternoon, with a visit to URA Gallery and One-North. On-the-spot lecturing was also conducted in the moving coach.



## Award for Director Mr. Kenneth Tan

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Mr Kenneth Tan , Managing Director of The Shipping Academy and a Director of CILTS, was presented with an award on 21 August 2016 by the Singapore

Minister for Defence, Dr Ng Eng Hen for Mr Tan's voluntary shipping and consultancy services extended to the Ministry of Defence.





# Katsina State Institute of Technology & Management.

A specially customised 2-day course was designed and conducted for the Katsina State Institute of Technology & Management. Katsina State, Nigeria on 7- 8 September 2016 at CILTS Training Centre.

The Nigerian team was led by Mr. Loh Siew Meng, Rector of Katsina State Institute of Technology & Management



Mr Michael Lam, President of CILT Macau was in Singapore to attend the LTA – ULTP Singapore International Transport Compress and Exhibition.

CILT Singapore met up with Mr. Michael Lam on 18 October for dinner.

The meeting provided an opportunity for both CILTs to exchange ideas and allow CILT Singapore to find out first-hand the 2017 CILT International Convention that CILT Macau will be hosting.



Mr. Michael Lam (centre standing) with CILT Singapore ED Koh Teow Ngan, Board Director Loh Chow Kuang, Hon Sec. Ivan Neo & Chairman Karmjit Singh.

## Sir Peter Hendy CBE Chairman of Network Rail, UK

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Sir Peter Hendy CBE, Chairman of Network Rail, United Kingdom, was in Singapore to attend the LTA – UITP Singapore International Transport Congress and Exhibition (SITCE) held on 19-21 October 2016.

Sir Peter Hendy CBE, invited by the Ministry of Transport, Singapore as the Distinguished Speaker, gave the opening keynote address at the conference on 19 October.




# WiLAT SG Networking Session



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**WiLAT SG  
Networking Session**



**Women in Logistics  
and Transport**


<b>Date</b>	: 27 October 2016
<b>Time</b>	: 7pm to 9pm
<b>Venue</b>	: Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport Office
<b>Address</b>	: 5 Jalan Kilang Barat #06-03 Petro Centre Singapore 159349
<b>Fee</b>	: \$15 (Member)
<b>Fee</b>	: \$20 (Non Member)
<b>Contact</b>	: 6275 0233 <a href="mailto:secretariat@cilt.org.sg">secretariat@cilt.org.sg</a> (CILT Secretariat)

**Speaker: Dr. Ingrid Raj, DHL Express, Vice President, Air Capacity Sales - Asia Pacific**

Dr. Raj has accumulated more than two decades of experience in the cargo end of the aviation industry. Dr. Raj also held positions with Sri Lankan Airlines and Lufthansa Cargo before joining DHL in 2007. Dr. Raj has had countless achievements including Sales Oscar for outstanding performance from Lufthansa Cargo and currently facilitating the award winning Certified International Manager (CIM) program to enable the 10,000 DHL Express global leaders make a meaningful bottom line difference to customers businesses. Dr. Raj earned an MBA and Doctorate in Business Administration (DBA) at the University of Bradford, and is certified in a host of aviation specific trainings.

**Topic: Competitive Advantage of Asia Pacific**

Dr. Raj will be sharing some of her valuable experience in the male dominated logistics industry. As the logistics business crosses borders, she will also be sharing her views on the need for talent and leaders to do likewise. Please join us for an inspiring and thought provoking session focused on deepening awareness of individual strengths and motivation factors to develop personal resilience that will enable us to navigate the path to the next level in our logistics leadership journey.







# The Third International Conference on Logistics Development

The Third International Conference on Logistics Development, organised by CILT China and China Communications and Transport Association (CCTA) was held in Suining, China from 31 October to 1 November 2016.

Chairman Karmjit Singh, CILTS Director Prof Lau Hoong Chuin and CILTS Member William Lam represented CILTS. WILAT SG was represented by Chairperson Kelly Lee. Prof Lau and William Ho Wai Lin each presented a lecture at the conference on 31 October 2016.



Prof Lau delivering his lecture







Karmjit with CILT Australia, Karyn Welsh.



Karmjit with CILT Indonesia, Rahim Tahir.



Karmjit with Suining Mayor

## Overseas Visitors from KATSINA,

Chairman Karmjit Singh received three visitors from Katsina State Institute of Technology and Management on Thursday, 3 November 2016 :-

Mr. Rabiul Nasir, Special Advisor for Science & Technology, Governor's office, Katsina ;

Mr. Ma'a Balarabe, Registrar, Katsina State Institute of Technology and Management; and

Mr Loh Siew Meng, Rector, Katsina State Institute of Technology and Management.

The visitors were keen to develop closer ties with CILT Singapore, especially in our CILTS e-learning Supply Chain Professional Development Programme.





## CALF PAP Visit Programme

CILTS hosted the CILT Hong Kong CALF Programme in Singapore from 7 to 11 December 2016.

CILTS extends its thanks and gratitude to the following companies which hosted the site visits:-

- Keppel Logistics
- Singapore Aero Engine Services
- PSA International
- DHL Innovation Centre
- URA Gallery



## WILAT X'mas Mixer

The 2016 CILTS/ WiLAT SG X'mas Mixer was held at the Singapore Cricket club on 8 December 2016.

A total of 60 CILTS members, WiLAT members, friends of WiLAT, as well as the visiting CILT Hong Kong CALF programme delegates attended the function for an evening of fun, good food and networking.

