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INDORE**

***NATIONAL WORKSHOP  
ON  
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS***

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## **ABOUT THE WORKSHOP**

Intellectual Property (IP) refers to intangible creations of the human mind, usually expressed in a tangible form that assigns certain rights of property. It has become an essential part of global society, especially due to the fact that the world is moving towards a knowledge economy.

Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) can be defined as the rights given to inventors over their creations. IPR usually provides the creator an exclusive right over the use of the creations for a certain period of time. The importance of intellectual property rights for economic activity in a world that relies on innovation is obvious, but differs from country to country and depends on one hand on the amount of resources that a country allocates for the creation of intellectual assets, on the other hand on the amount of protected knowledge and information used in production and consumption.

There is a need to create public awareness about IPR and its role in the global knowledge economy. With this view School of Data Science and Forecasting, Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore has organised one day National Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights. The Workshop covered various aspects of IPR, including Patents, Copyrights, Trademarks, etc. The experts invited from different institutes discussed in detail IPR related issues during technical sessions. The participants include Academicians, Scientists, Research Scholars, and Innovators.

## **OBJECTIVE**

The Workshop had an objective of creating a basic level of understanding of IPR amongst the participants.

## WORKSHOP SESSIONS

The workshop on “Intellectual Property Rights” was inaugurated by Hon’ble Vice-Chancellor, DAVV. On this occasion, Prof. Dhakad interacted with teachers and researchers. He also discussed some issues related with patents and IPR policy.

- ✓ **Session-1** In First session of the workshop, Prof. Ashutosh Saxena, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad discussed about Strategies for patents, Validity of patents. On average, he says a patent is valid only for 20 to 25 years. He also talked about patent rights and government rules.
- ✓ **Session-2** In the second session of the workshop, Mr. Yashwant Dev Panwar, Head, Patent Facilitating Centre, TIFAC, DST, New Delhi discussed about IPR Management in Academic Institutions. He suggested that how to convert idea into intellectual property using creation. He talked on IPR, Patent, Trademark, Copyrights, Geographical indication and Plant variety protection. According to Mr. Panwar, every University should have the IPR Policy and IPR Audit. He also discussed about facilities and funds available at TIFAC for registration of patents.
- ✓ **Session-3** In the third session of the workshop, Dr. Kumar Saurabh Chief Architect, Innovation Division, IBM, Bangalore discussed about Invent Now: Generating Creative Ideas for Successful Invention Disclosures.
- ✓ **Session-4** In the fourth session of the workshop, Ms. Seema Gupta Patent Consultant, EcoPreneurs, New Delhi discussed about Indian Patent System and Process. She had given useful information regarding importance of IPR cell. According to Ms. Gupta, patents are the sources of information and by that information one can get knowledge and information about new trends and future technologies.

## OUTCOME:

The Workshop focused on Patent Process-Patent writing, searching, filing, granting, etc. IPR Management in Academic Institutions Patentability of Innovations. It enhanced the chances of getting Patents.

## PHOTO SESSION



Prof. Ashutosh Saxena, University of Hyderabad



Dr. Kumar Saurabh, Chief Architect, Innovation Division, IBM, Bangalore



Mr. Yashwant Dev Panwar, Head, Patent Facilitating Centre, TIFAC, DST, New Delhi



Ms. Seema Gupta, Patent Consultant, EcoPreneurs, New Delhi