







IPR Certification Course Workshop Series Report

9, 10, 15, 16, 24 and 25 March 2021 | 2pm-5pm | EC Seminar Hall

Organized by- KSCST BMSCE IP Cell, IIC BMSCE
Total Participants- 34
Speaker of the event series- Advocate Vivek Anand Sagar, Consultant and IP attorney, KSCST

Vivek Anand Sagar is a consultant and IP attorney KSCST expert in patents and intellectual property rights (IPR) and consultant to Karnataka State Council for Science and Technology (KSCST).



The course comprised of 6 sessions on various topics:

Day 1 (March 9, 2021)-

- Intellectual Property Rights as a powerful tool for student innovation and young minds.
 - Intellectual Property (IP) systems can be critical in helping new ventures transform their innovation potential and creativity into market value and competitiveness. Intellectual Property rights (IPR) allow innovative entrepreneurs to protect their inventions.
- Patent & subject matters and filing procedures. Was explained in detail. by giving the participants the clear view of the step by step procedure

Day 2 (March 10, 2021)-

- Prior Art Search- Importance and Use
 This helps to identify the closest prior arts and thus can define the scope of protection in patent claims. This can even lead to a reduction in the prosecution time due to the need for fewer office actions and claim amendments.
- Practical Hands on session on Prior Art search.
 All of the participants were asked to take their laptops and tabs to have an hands on session

Day 3 (March 15, 2021)-

- Patent and Non-patent literature review.
 - A patent search requires you to look beyond just databases of patent grants and applications. Patent searchers refer to this universe of materials as the non-patent literature. For example, you may need to look for similar inventions described in scientific literature.
- Hands on session on Patent drafting, claims and specifications.
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Day 4 (March 16, 2021)-

- Patent procedure in Patent office and First Examination Report(FER)
- Prosecution- Infringement case studies

Case studies helped us in understanding the various aspects as individual situation described which will help us in establishing Successful Business Model through Partnerships and Smart uses of IP

Day 5 (March 24, 2021)-

- Industrial Designs Search, Procedure- Infringement case studies. Industrial process or means whether manual, mechanical or chemical, separate design.
- Copyrights, Infringement- Plagiarism in research.
 Copyright infringement is the use of works protected by copy right law without permission for a usage where such permission is required, thereby infringing certain exclusive rights granted to the copyright holder, such as the right to reproduce, distribute, display or perform the protected work, or to make derivative works ..

Day 6 (March 25, 2021)-

- Copyright exceptions and Case studies.
- Trademark Rights, Geographical indication- Invaluable Treasure on Incredible India

A written test was conducted and course was concluded by distribution of certificates to the active participants.

Mr. Sagar said that the mere publication of the project in reputed journals will be wasteful and it will also give room for plagiarism, without compensating the person responsible for the innovations. He also said that those who complete a project should first get a patent for their work before publishing it in the journals.

Faculty Coordinators:

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9TH MARCH 2021



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IPR WORKSHOP DAY 6

25TH MARCH 2021





Distribution of certificates



Group photo with the Speaker