



WORKSOP REPORT

One day workshop

ON

"INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS"

15th March 2018, St. Josephs College, Irinjalakuda

A workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights was held on 15th April 2018 in the Auditorium of St. Josephs college Irinjalakuda. It was jointly organised by Patent Information Centre (PIC)-Kerala state Council for Science Technology and Environment(KSCSTE) and St. Josephs College, Irinjalakuda

Intellectual Property Rights are a set of exclusive rights protected by law which are accorded to inventor or creator to protect his invention or creation for a certain period of time. Intellectual Property has been the fuel that powers the engine of prosperity, creativity, fostering invention and innovation.

In today's globally competitive environment, intellectual property has placed itself on a pedestal in the context of economic growth and is becoming increasingly important.

The increasing significance of intangible assets in the global economy is forcing academic institutions to actively manage their Intellectual Property as a key drive for building and sustaining their competitive advantage, creativity, invention and innovation, for achieving superior performance.

Thus IPR, in this way aids the economic development of a country by promoting healthy competition and encouraging scientific innovations& inventions, industrial development and economic growth.

Intellectual Property Rights are now being used not only as a tool to protect creativity and generate revenue but also to build strategy alliances for socio-economic and

on a topic 'Overview of Intellectual Property Rights'. Shri. Arun Alfred, Project Scientist, PIC-Kerala, KSCSTE, handled 'Patent Searching procedures and Support from PIC-Kerala for IPR protection'- Ms. Jancy John, Registered Patent Agent, Kollam. Presented the topic 'Patenting System in India and Patent filing procedures'

St. Josephs college Irinjalakuda is indebted to KSCSTE for their constant support in conducting this workshop

Submitted to the Principal, St. Josephs College, for the Needful

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Forwarded with best compliments to the KSCSTE PIC for the needful

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technological growth. Accordingly, in order to foster the protection of innovations and creativity, the Patent information centre under the Kerala State Council for Science, technology and environment is dedicated to mobilize the use of such technological advancement for the economic development of the State. Hence in Association with Patent Information centre, Communicable Disease Research Laboratory, St. Josephs College, Irinjalakuda is organising a National Workshop on IPR, and this event is supported by NCC unit of our College.

Communicable Disease Research Laboratory of our college, has become an internationally reputed research lab with 24 international Research articles and 4 Major research projects in the field of public health within a short span of time since becoming operational on 22nd November, 2013. At present CDRL has seven Research Scholars, a National Post-Doctoral Fellow and a Scientific Officer. Every year, this Research Lab is organizing various scientific programmes, in this year, we are proud to have a National workshop on -one of the most present time- need based, relevant, topic around the globe- The Intellectual property rights.

In the inaugural session, Dr. Aneesh E M, programme co-ordinator delivered the welcome speech. The College vice Principal Dr. Sr Isabell presided over the function. ADGP, B Sandya IPS Inaugurated the event and Col H Padmanabhan, delivered the key note Address and, Project Scientist Dr Arun Alfred . KSCSTE –PIC, has Addressed the gathering. A total of 116 delegates registered and participated the event. For the inauguration entire college community had been present in the auditorium

The Technical session of the programme started at 9 am, Adv. Febin James, Trademark Attorney & Partner, Legalites IP Services, Thrissur the first session. He has explained about Trade mark, Industrial designs, Geographical Indicators protection of plant varieties and farmers rights.

















