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Sponsored Two-day Workshop On

**Understanding the Importance of IPR with a focus on IPR Issues
in Information Technology, Communication and Electronics Segments**

Jointly Organized by

Office of Patent Facilitation and Licensing Consultancy (OPFLC),
CURIN and IPR Cell Chitkara University H.P. set up by
State Council for Science, Technology & Environment, Himachal Pradesh

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Dates: September 15-16, 2017

Venue: Chitkara University, H.P.

Last Date for Registration September 12, 2017

Why Should You Attend?

- Opportunity to Listen to Leading IPR Experts and Attorneys
- Opportunity to Interact with Representatives of Ministry, Patent Office for IPR issues
- Tremendous IPR Knowledge Sharing Opportunity with 9 Keynote & Expert Talks
- One to One Interaction Session with the Experts
- Participate in Panel Discussion
- Networking Opportunity with Delegates of Different Fields & Backgrounds.
- No Registration Fee for Attending the Workshop.
- Open to Students, Research Scholars, Faculty, Industry Professionals and Start-ups of all Engineering and Sciences Domains
- Certificate of Participation

Theme of the Workshop

IPR plays an important role in the Economic Growth and in today's modern world, Information Technology (IT), Communication and Electronics are some of the most innovative, dynamic and highly advanced segments that drive economic growth. IPR thus plays an important role in value creation in these technologically advanced segments thereby fostering innovation.

Today there is a dire need for the technology businesses, start-ups and academic institutions focusing on research to understand and become aware of the key issues & recent developments in IPR related to technology segments.

Office of Patent Facilitation and Licensing Consultancy (OPFLC), CURIN and IPR Cell Chitkara University H.P. set up by State Council for Science, Technology & Environment, Himachal Pradesh with support from Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY) proudly announces a two day interactive workshop on '***Understanding the Importance of IPR with a focus on IPR Issues in IT, Communication and Electronics Segments***' to be conducted on **September 15-16, 2017**. The workshop will feature keynote talks and lectures by leading IPR Experts & Patent Attorneys in the areas of IT, Communication & Electronics. There will also be one to one session with the experts and a panel discussion session. Please see the detailed agenda.

Chitkara University H.P. Experience with IPR

Chitkara University Himachal Pradesh has a considerable experience in IPR related activities. University had set-up an OPFLC in August 2015 and has so far filed 27 patent applications in Indian Patent Office as on August 2017. In the year 2016 Himachal Pradesh Patent Information Center (HPPIC), State Council for Science Technology and Environment H.P. has approved a DST sponsored IPR cell to be set-up in Chitkara University, H.P.

About Chitkara University

Chitkara Educational Trust has established Chitkara University, Himachal Pradesh in the year 2008 under Himachal Pradesh Private Universities (Establishment and Regulation) Act, 2 of 2009. Chitkara University is NAAC accredited and UGC recognized State Private University which holds a strong commitment to high standards in all aspects of our educational activities, learning outcomes and support services to continuously strengthen the overall effectiveness of its operations. With several International collaborations and partnerships, the University has developed new scientific modes of learning by taking education beyond mere classroom teaching and makes it an interactive process to achieve new landmarks in the technical education, research and entrepreneurship.

For Registration Visit:

www.chitkarauniversity.edu.in/iprw

Detailed Agenda

DAY 1

S.No.	Time	Program	Resource Person
1.	9:00 - 9:30AM	Registrations & Tea	
2.	9:30-9:45AM	Inauguration & Welcome Address	Chief Guest - Scientist, Innovation and IPR Division, MeitY, Government of India
3.	9:45 - 10:30AM	Session 1: Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview on IPR and Components of IPR • Importance of IPR Awareness • Overview of patent system (India & International) 	Dr. Parikshit Bansal, Director, Corporate IP Consultants, Chandigarh
4.	10:30- 11:30AM	Session 2: Keynote Talk Patent Search and Patent Information	Dr. Nidhi Sandal, Scientist E, DRDO (Master Trainer, MeitY)
5.	11:30AM- 12:00PM	Networking Tea	
6.	12:00 - 1:00PM	Session 3: Developments in IP Related to Electronics and Telecommunication	Mr. Nitin Nair, Senior Partner & Chief Technology Officer, Banana IP Counsels
7.	1:00PM – 1:45PM	Session 4: Role of IPR in Information Technology & Computer Related Inventions – Relation, Impact, Challenges & Way Forward	Mr. Mayank Sood, Intellectual Property Attorney, K&S Partners
8.	1:45 - 2:45PM	Lunch	
9.	2:45 - 4:00PM	Session 5: Breakout Sessions Opportunity for the Participants to have one to one discussion with the experts	Dr. Parikshit Bansal, Mr. Nitin Nair, Mr. Mayank Sood and Ms. Ankita Tyagi

DAY 2

S.No.	Time	Program	Resource Person
1.	9:00 - 9:30AM	Registrations & Tea	
2.	9:30 - 10:15AM	Session 6: Keynote Talk <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of the IPR activities in the state of Himachal Pradesh • What are the important general guidelines for the inventor who is seeking to patent his/her research/project/idea. 	Mr. Kunal Satyarthi, IFS Joint Member Secretary, State Council for Science, Technology & Environment H.P.
3.	10:15 - 11:00AM	Session 7: Patenting Electronic Inventions In India and The Impact of CRI Guidelines on Software Related Patents	Mr. Anil Kumar, Senior Consultant, Lex Orbis
4.	11:00- 11:30AM	Networking Tea	
5.	11:30AM -12:15PM	Session 8: IPR basics, Patentability criteria, IPO filing procedures, Examination process in IPO with emphasis on ICTE patents	Mr. B.P. Singh, Deputy Controller of Patents and Designs, The Patent Office
6.	12:15 – 1:00PM	Session 9: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highlights of the National IPR Policy & its impact on electronics & IT industry • Scheme for Start-up IPRs 	Mr. Anupam Trivedi, Patent Attorney, K & S Partners IP Law Firm, Gurgaon
7.	1:00 – 1:45PM	Session 10: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understanding the 3 I's: Idea, Innovation, Invention • How these 3 I's can lead to successful entrepreneurship • Importance of IPR for entrepreneurs 	Mr. S M Rounaque Mustafa, Founder & CEO, StartupActivator.com and Vice President, IIM Lucknow Incubation Center
8.	1:45 – 2:30PM	Lunch	
9.	2:30 - 3:30PM	Session 11 – Panel Discussion What all constitutes a strong IPR protection framework in a fast growing country like India to protect technology innovations & inventions	Panelists – Mr. Anil Kumar (Lex Orbis), Mr. Anupam Trivedi (K&S Partners), Mr. Kunal Satyarthi (HPSCSTE), Mr. S M Rounaque Mustafa (StartupActivator.com) & Ms. Kompal Bansal (Patent Attorney Corporate IP Consultants) Moderator – Dr. Archana Mantri (Pro VC, CURIN, Chitkara University)
10.	3:30 - 4:00PM	Valedictory: Certificates Distribution and Vote of Thanks	Chief Guest - Mr. Kunal Satyarthi, IFS Joint Member Secretary, State Council for Science, Technology & Environment H.P.

Core Organizing Committee

Name & Designation

Dr. Archana Mantri	Pro Vice Chancellor, CURIN, Chitkara University
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Registrations

- Last Date for Registration is September 12, 2017
- Two Methods of Registrations are available – 1) Online 2) Mail to Convener
- **Online** - You may register by filing out an online form available on event website – www.chitkarauniversity.edu.in/iprw
- **Mail to Convener** – Send a mail to sagar.juneja@chitkarauniversity.edu.in with following details – *Your Name, Profession, Department, Organization, Contact Number; Why you wish to attend this workshop.* In the subject of the mail write ‘IPR Workshop Registration’
- There is NO registration fee for attending the workshop

Logistics Support

- Free bus transport facility is available from various places of tri-city – Panchkula, Mohali, Chandigarh; Zirakpur, Kalka, Parwanoo and Nalagarh
- There is an accommodation arrangement available in the hostels on sharing basis at very nominal price.
- We will take care of local hospitality (Lunch and Refreshments) of all the delegates during the workshop.

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