

REPORT OF THE TWO DAYS WORKSHOP ON 'INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS'



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1. Programme Objective

Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs) is concerned with the protection of tangible and intangible property i.e. it is a "Product of Mind". World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) states that "Intellectual Property" includes rights related to works in literary and artistic fields, the performance of artists, broadcasts (in the form of CD, DVD, tape recording etc), innovations in science and technology, industrial designs, trademarks, service marks, etc. IPR helps to promote creativity and innovation among researchers. IPR protection plays a key role in gaining a modest advantage in terms of technological gains for achieving higher economic growth in a market-driven economy.

- ❖ To provide an overview of Intellectual Property Rights.
- ❖ To comprehend the patent and design system in India.
- ❖ To guide researchers/inventors in respect of patenting their inventions.
- ❖ To provide an awareness on the importance of Trademark and Geographical
- ❖ Indication (GI) registration, the role of Government in taking IPR to individuals.

2. About Patent Information Centre – TNSCST

The Tamil Nadu State Council for Science and Technology (TNSCST) serves as a liaison between the Government of India and the State Government to initiate, supervise and conduct successful research by giving opportunities to rural, unemployed and economically backward researchers with the sole aim of promoting and inculcating quality research. The Council operates with maximum utility towards synergising

Colleges, Universities and educational organizations by inculcating features of good research and providing opportunistic windows for research-savvy individuals. In order to facilitate Intellectual Property Rights, the Patent Information Centre has been established at the Tamil Nadu State Council for Science & Technology, Chennai.

The Centre handles enquiries on IPR, creates IPR awareness, establishes IPR cells in Various Universities/ Institutes of Higher Education and promotes IPR filings within the State with the support of the Department of Science & Technology, Government of India, New Delhi to provide facilitation services regarding intellectual property to everyone, especially to Science and Technology community. All scientists, technologists, researchers, innovators, R&D establishments, financial institutions, business entrepreneurs, non-government organizations (NGOs) and individuals utilize the facilities of TNSCST's Patent Information Centre (PIC).

3. Report of the Programme

A Two-day Technical Workshop on “Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)” sponsored by the Tamil Nadu State Council for Science and Technology Patent Information Centre and Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, Newdehli has been organized by the Department of Botany, Internal Quality Assurance Cell and Intitution Innovation Council (IIC), G. Venkataswamy Naidu College, Kovilpatti on 21st July 20223 & 22nd July 2023, With Dr. B. Makesh Kumar, Associate Professor and Head of the Department of Botany as an organizing secretary. Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs) is concerned with the protection of tangible and intangible property i.e. it is a "Product of Mind". World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) states that "Intellectual Property" includes rights related to works in literary and artistic fields, the performance of artists, broadcasts (in the form of CD, DVD, tape recording etc), innovations in science

and technology, industrial designs, trademarks, service marks, etc. IPR helps to promote creativity and innovation among researchers. IPR protection plays a key role in gaining a modest advantage in terms of technological gains for achieving higher economic growth in a market-driven economy, hence by this theme this workshop was conducted.

On the first day of the workshop on the 21st July 2023 morning at 10:00 A.M the inaugural function was started with the welcome address given by Dr. R. Veeralakshmi, Assistant Professor of IT and Convener of IIC. The workshop formally opened with symbolic ritual of lighting the lamp by all the dignitaries of the function. The toils of the Department of Botany and their achievements were released in the format of their Departments news letter. Dr. P. Mahedran, Secretary of our College presided over the inaugural function. The Chief guest of the Inaugural Function Mr. T. Srinivasan, Joint Partner and Patent Attorney, Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan, Chennai released the first copy and our College Secretary Dr. P. Mahendran received it. Then Felicitation address was given by Dr. M. Subbulakshmi, Principal and Dr. G. Venkatasalapathy Director of Self Financing Courses. Chief guest of the Inaugural Function Mr. T. Srinivasan, Joint Partner and Patent Attorney, Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan, Chennai was introduced by Dr. R. Lakshmanan, Assistant Professor of Botany. Chief guest in his address he emphasised the importance of Patent drafting and filing.

Following the inaugural function, in the first session, Mr. M Madhanraj, Assistant Controller of Patents & Designs, Intellectual Property Office, Chennai delivered an informative speech on “Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs) - An Introduction”. He was introduced by Mr. P. Muthuselvam, Assistant Professor, Department of English. In the post-lunch, the first session Mr. T. Srinivasan, Joint Partner and Patent Attorney.

Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan, Chennai delivered a lecture on “Case studies - Discussion of sample patent applications”. The second session was handled by Ms. S. Gomati Padma Thilaga, Scientist B, Patent Information Centre, TNSCST, Chennai, she delivered a lecture on “Importance of Trademark and Geographical Indication (GI) registration”. In her presentation she clearly differentiated and discussed Copyright and Trademark. The day one of the Two days technical workshop ended with refreshing tea.

On the second day, the first session started with Mr. A. Lakshminarayana, Examiner of Patents & Design, Intellectual Property Office, Chennai. He delivered a lecture on “Patent and Design system in India”. In his presentation he emphasised the Patent filing procedure and processing systems in India. The second session was handled by Ms. S. Gomati Padma Thilaga, Scientist B, Patent Information Centre, TNSCST, Chennai, she delivered a lecture on “Tools for Patent Search; Role of Government in IP promotion and facilitation”. In her lectured he explained different search engines and tool for patent search and also she emphasised Patent Information Centre role in creating awareness among the public.

In the valedictory function, Mr. S. Sankar Ganesh, Assistant Professor and Head of the Department of Electronics welcome the gathering. Participants from the different Colleges shared their feedback on the dais. Our beloved Principal Dr. M. Subbulakshmi and Dr. G. Venkatasalapathy Director of Self-Financing Courses, GVN College Kovilpatti distributed the certificates to the participants. Dr. R. Saravana Selvakumar, Assistant Professor of English delivered the vote of thanks.

5. Programme Schedule

PROGRAMME

Day I 21st July 2023 (Friday)

10:00 AM -11:15 AM : INAUGURAL FUNCTION

- ❖ Prayer
- ❖ Welcome Address **Dr. R. Veeralakshmi,**
IIC Convener.
- ❖ Lighting the Lamp
- ❖ Releasing the Botany Department News Letter
- ❖ Presidential Address **Dr. P. Mahendran.**
Secretary, G.V.N.College, Kovilpatti.
- ❖ Felicitation **Dr. M. Subbulakshmi,**
Principal, G.V.N.College
Dr. G. Venkadasalapathy,
Director – Self Financing Courses
- ❖ Chief Guest Introduction **Dr. G. Chelladurai**
Assistant Professor of Zoology
- ❖ Chief Guest Address **Dr.T. Srinivasan**
Joint Partner and Patent Attorney
Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan,
Chennai.

11:15 AM -11:30 AM : Tea Break

SESSION I

11:32 AM -11:35 AM : Resource Person Introduction

Mr. P. Muthuselvam
Assistant Professor, Department of English.

11:35 AM -01:00 PM : “Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs) - An Introduction”

Mr. M Madhanraj
Assistant Controller of Patents & Designs,
Intellectual Property Office, Chennai.

01:00 PM -01:58 PM : Lunch Break

SESSION II

- 01:58 PM -02:00 PM : **Resource Person Introduction**
Dr. R. Lakshmanan
Assistant Professor, Department of Botany.
- 02:00 P -01:00 PM : **“Case studies - Discussion of sample patent applications”**
Mr. T. Srinivasan
Joint Partner and Patent Attorney.
Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan, Chennai.
- 03:00PM -03:15 PM : **Tea Break**

SESSION III

- 03:32 PM -03:35 PM : **Resource Person Introduction**
Dr. V. Uma
Assistant Professor, Department of Botany.
- 03:45 PM -04:30 PM : **“Importance of Trademark and Geographical Indication (GI) registration”**
Ms. S. Gomati Padma Thilaga
Scientist B
Patent Information Centre
TNSCST, Chennai.

Day II 22nd July 2023 (Saturday)

SESSION IV

- 09:48 AM -10:00 AM : **Resource Person Introduction**
Dr. K. Marisamy,
Assistant Professor, Department of Botany.
- 10:00 AM -11:15 AM : **“Patent and Design system in India”**
Mr. A. Lakshminarayana,
Examiner of Patents & Design
Intellectual Property Office,
Chennai.

- 11:15 AM -11:45 AM : **Tea Break**

SESSION V

- 11:45 AM -12:45 PM : **“Tools for Patent Search; Role of Government in IP promotion and facilitation”**
Ms. S. Gomati Padma Thilaga

**Scientist B
Patent Information Centre
TNSCST, Chennai.**

12:45 PM – 01:30 PM : **VALEDICTORY FUNCTION**

- ❖ Prayer
- ❖ Welcome Address - **Mr. S. Sanakar Ganesh**
Assistant Professor & Head
Department of Electronics
- ❖ Certificate Distribution
- ❖ Feedback from Participant's
- ❖ Vote of Thanks - **Dr. R. Saravana Selvakumar**
Assistant Professor, Department of English
- ❖ National Anthem

6. Participants

A total of 150 Participants were participated in this workshop and participation details attached in the separate PDF file.

Faculty and Students from the following colleges participated.

- Dr. N.G.P. Arts and Science College, Coimbatore.
- St. Johns College, Palayamkottai.
- Rani Anna Government College, Tirunelveli.
- St. Marys College, Thoothukudi.
- Sri Saradha College for women, Tirunelveli.
- Ayyanadar Jankai Ammal College, Sivakasi.

7. Beneficiaries

Faculty members from Arts, Science and Engineering, Industry Practitioners, Business Man, Research Scholars and PG students.

8.Key results

The following topics were covered in the two days session.

- Intellectual Property Rights(IPRs) - An Introduction
- Copyright and Trademark Management in India with case studies
- Procedure of Patent filing, Commercialization of patents
- Patent System in India
- Tools for Patent Searching - Panel Discussion on Life Science Inventions

9.Workshop Outcome

The participants gained knowledge on

- ❖ Procedural outline of the process of patenting.
- ❖ Drafting of Patents to improve the quality of research.
- ❖ Technology commercialization with successful case studies.

10. Phot Gallery

The program started with Invocation song



Lighting the Kuthuvizhaku by the Chief Guest



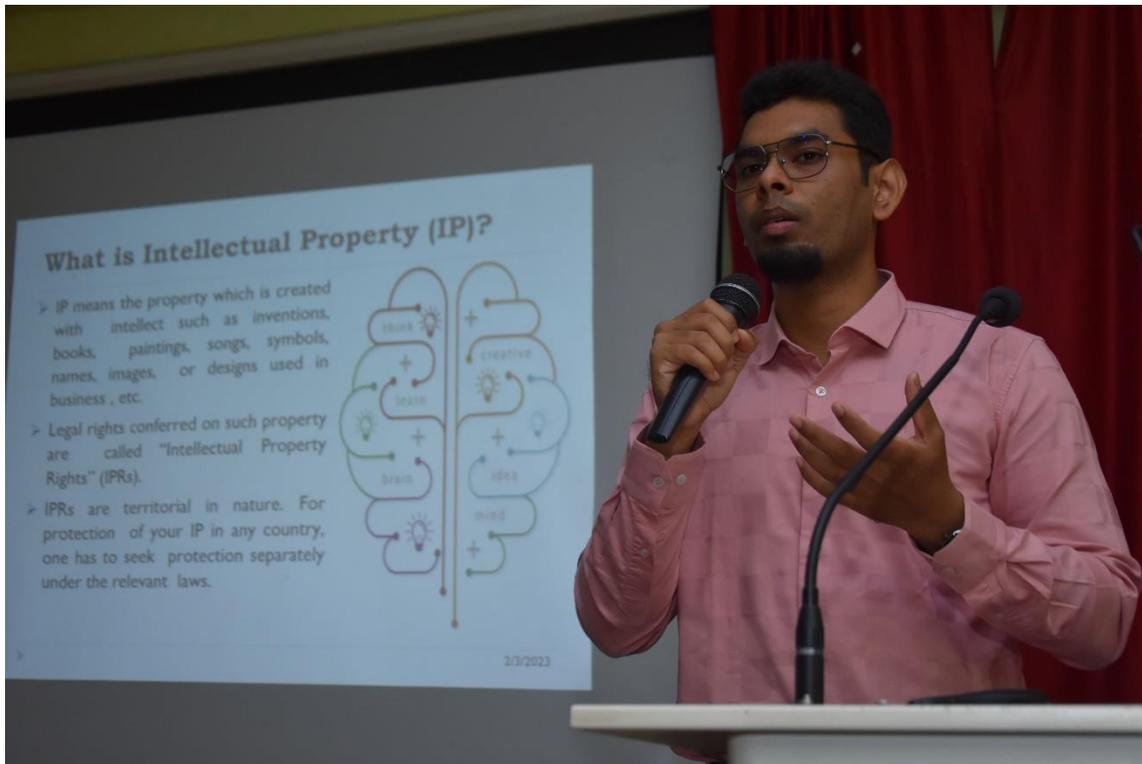
Presidential address delivered by our College Secretary Dr. P. Mahendran



Inaugural Address by the Chief Guest Dr. T. Srinivasan



Speakers of the Workshop







Participants received Certificates from the Principal



A Participant presented her feedback



DINAKARAN – 23.07.2023

கோ.வெங்கடசுவாமி நாயுடு கல்லூரியில் அறிவுசார் காப்புரிமை பயிற்சி பயிலரங்கு

கோவில்பட்டி, ஜூலை 23: தமிழ்நாடு மாநில அறிவியல் தொழில்நுட்பக் கழகம் மற்றும் புதுடெல்லி அறிவியல் தொழில்நுட்பத் துறை நிதிநல்கை ஆகியவற்றின் சார்பில் கோவில்பட்டி கோ.வெங்கடசுவாமி நாயுடு கல்லூரியில் 'அறிவுசார் காப்புரிமை' என்ற தலைப்பில் இரு நாட்கள் மாநில அளவிலான பயிற்சி பயிலரங்கு நடந்தது.

துவக்க விழாவில் தகவல் தொழில்நுட்ப துறை தலைவர் வீரலட்சுமி வரவேற்றார். தலைமை வகித்த கல்லூரிச் செயலாளர் மகேந்திரன் குத்துவிளக்கேற்றிப் பேசினார். கல்லூரி முதல்வர் சுப்புலட்சுமி, சுயநிதிப்பாடப்பிரிவுகளின் இயக்குநர் வெங்கடாசலபதி வாழ்த்திப் பேசினார். சென்னை அறிவுசார் காப்புரிமை அலுவலக உதவிக்கட்டுப்பாட்டாளர் மதன்ராஜ்



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'அறிவுசார் காப்புரிமை' என்ற தலைப்பிலும், லட்சுமிகுமரன் மற்றும் ஸ்ரீதரன் நிறுவனத்தின் இணை மற்றும் காப்புரிமை வக்கீல் ஸ்ரீநிவாசன் வழக்கு ஆய்வு-மாதிரி காப்புரிமை விண்ணப்பங்களின் விவாதம் என்ற தலைப்பிலும், காப்புரிமை தகவல் மையத்தின்

விஞ்ஞானி கோமதி பத்மாதிலகா 'வர்த்தக முத்திரை மற்றும் புவியியல் குறியீடு பதிவுகளின் முக்கியத்துவம்' என்ற தலைப்பிலும் பேசினார். தாவரவியல் துறைத்தலைவரும் மற்றும் தேர்வுக்கட்டுப்பாட்டு அலுவலருமான மகேஸ்குமார் நன்றி கூறினார்.



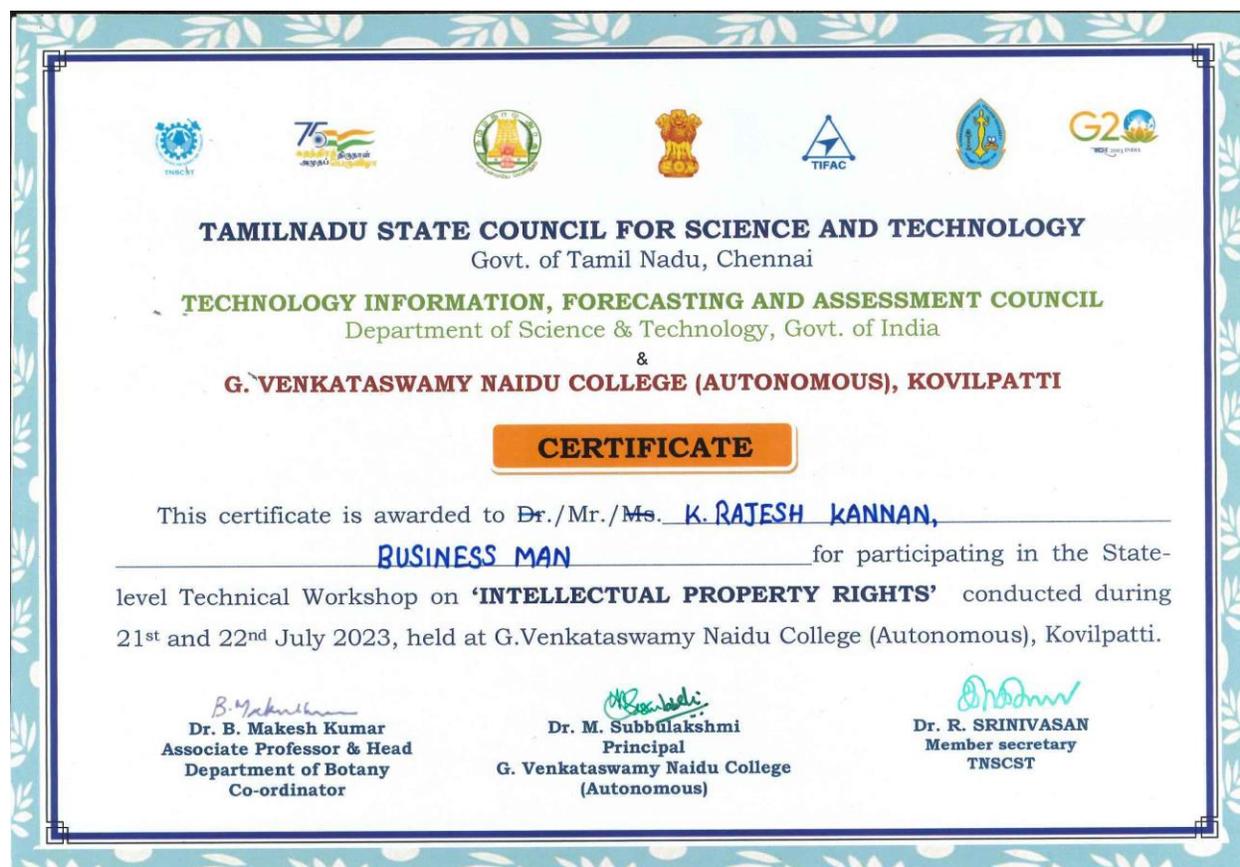
↑ கோவில்பட்டி கோ.வெங்கடசுவாமி நாயுடு கல்லூரியில் நடந்த மாநில அளவிலான 'அறிவுசார் காப்புரிமை' பயிற்சி பட்டறையில் பங்கேற்ற மாணவிக்கு சான்றிதழ் வழங்கப்பட்டது.

அறிவுசார் காப்புரிமை பயிற்சி பட்டறை

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தலைப்பிலும், வழக்கறிஞர் டி.ஸ்ரீநிவாசன் 'வழக்கு ஆய்வு - மாதிரி காப்புரிமை விண்ணப்பங்களின் விவாதம்' என்னும் தலைப்பிலும் சென்னை காப்புரிமை தகவல் மையத்தின் விஞ்ஞானி எஸ்.கோமதி பத்மா திலகா 'வர்த்தக முத்திரை மற்றும் புவியியல் குறியீடு பதிவுகளின் முக்கியத்துவம்' என்னும் தலைப்பிலும் பேசினார். நிறைவு நாளன்று பயிற்சி பட்டறையில் கலந்து கொண்டவர் களுக்கு சான்றிதழ்கள் வழங்கப் பட்டன. பயிற்சி பட்டறைக்கான ஏற்பாடுகளை தாவரவியல் துறைத்தலைவர் பா.மகேஸ்குமார் செய்திருந்தார்.

13. Certificate



14. Feedback from Participants

All lectures are very good

It was a very useful workshop

We learnt about the IPR process and types of rights.

Feedback form received from the participants attached in a separate file.