

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE
ON
**PROSPECTS AND CHALLENGES FOR
INNOVATIVE IDEAS IN
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS**

Organised by
**Centre for Commercial Laws, IPR and
Innovation, SSOL**



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ABOUT SHARDA UNIVERSITY



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CONCEPT NOTE



IPRs play a very important role in the development of individual and the society. IPRs protect and encourage the creators for innovation and economic gain. It also leads to a healthy competition among creators and users, which ultimately leads to the progress of the society. The transfer of technology is important for developmental research. It is helpful in the solution to global challenges in the field of alternate energy resources, new products to the consumers and pharmaceutical development.



Challenges to the enforcement of intellectual Property Rights in today's globalised world have shown that, there are many unanswered questions and grey areas in the prevalent Intellectual Property laws. Intellectual Property Rights in this technologically advanced era is pluralistic in nature, i.e., they are a culmination of different theories that have been developed with time. There have been numerous disputes about the interpretation, scope, and justifications of intellectual property. These disputes raise a variety of legal, moral, economic and political issues. Last three decades have seen many new facets of Intellectual Property and many issues have been seen with regards to them. Fields of Intellectual properties like Artificial Intelligence, Traditional Knowledge, Traditional Cultural Expressions, protection of Geographical Indications, Patenting of DNA, plants, etc. have seen more rising issues and have opened the doors for protection to many new fields of Intellectual Properties.





Keeping all these aspects in mind, The Union Cabinet has approved the National Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) Policy on 12th May, 2016 that shall lay the future roadmap for IPRs in India. The Policy recognises the abundance of creative and innovative energies that flows in India, and the need to tap into and channelize these energies towards a better and brighter future for all. It views IPRs holistically, taking into account all disciplines across and thus aims to create and exploit synergies between all forms of intellectual property (IP), concerned statutes and agencies. It sets in place an institutional mechanism for implementation, monitoring and review. It aims to incorporate and adapt global best practices to the Indian scenario.

Sharda School of Law takes this opportunity to provide a platform for the intellectual discourse by organizing Two days International Conference on "Prospects and Challenges for Innovative Ideas in Intellectual Property Rights". This Conference poses to revisit the laws related to Intellectual Property and the innovative ideas in the current scenario to discover and explore suggestions to overcome existing lacunas in the laws.



THEMES

- Legal framework of IPR in India: Copyright, Patents, Trade secret, Trademark, Design, Lay out, Geographical Indication (GI), Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers Rights (PPVFR), Biological diversity, Genetic Resources (GR), Traditional Cultural Expressions (TCE), IPR Policy and allied Laws.
- Challenges related to Copyright.
- Issues related to Patent in Pharmaceutical Sector and Protection of Medicinal Plants.
- Redressal mechanism in IPR: Tribunals, Special courts, Mediations, ADR
- IPR issues in Digital Domain
- IPR and Human Rights and Human capital development.
- IPR and Media Law
- IPR and Artificial Intelligence
- IPR and Knowledge Driven Economies.
- IPR and the Enforcement Mechanism: Problems and Prospects.
- Intellectual Property Rights and Evaluation of Innovations & Intangible Assets.

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- IPRs and TRIPS: International Norms and their Domestic Implementation.
 - IPRs and Biological Diversity
 - IP Protection and Challenges in the Health Sector
 - IPR and Farmer's Rights
 - IPR and Space law
 - IPR and Competition laws
 - IPR and Traditional Knowledge.
 - IPR and Fashion Industry.

**The theme is not restricted to the above-mentioned topics; any topic related to IPR is permissible.

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 - Last date of registration- August 20th, 2023.
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 - Date of National Seminar: September 1st & 2nd, 2023. (Offline & online)
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