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# **One Day Workshop On Introduction to Intellectual Property Rights**

**Thursday, 20 April, 2023**



## **Workshop Summary Report**

**Organized by  
Internal Quality Assurance Cell in Collaboration with  
Department of Chemistry & Department of Library and  
Information Science.**

## About the Workshop



Ideas, innovation, and creative expression based on which the public is ready to confer the status of property have been classified as intellectual property rights (IPR). IPR give the inventors or developers of property certain exclusive rights in order to profit commercially from their creative or research work or reputation. Although India has joined the global patent system, academic institutions still lack knowledge and experience on the subject of intellectual property rights (IPR). For any educational institution to fulfil its objective of distributing knowledge and establishing a research base, it needs to maintain secrecy in connection with such information in order to file for IP registration. For universities, institutions, and colleges, maintaining a correct balance and fine tuning academic brilliance with academic integrity as well as the protection and utilization of IPR is becoming increasingly crucial. This not only helps in minimizing the extent of intellectual property crimes, which are increasing in the digital era, but also encourages the development of creative ideas and research by securing them. This workshop is a step towards raising awareness about IPR among the educational institutions in rural areas as well as acquainting the participants with the best practices for protecting IP violations and enforcing strong mechanisms for IPR filing

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Lighting of the lamp by Shri Yuvraj Chalkhor,  
Secretary, VSPM Academy of Higher Education,  
Dr Ashwini Paradkar, Resource Person, SFS  
College, Nagpur, and Dr Sanjay Tekade, Principal J.  
N. College Wadi, Nagpur

Introductory remarks by Dr Nitin Kongre, convener of the Workshop on Introduction to Intellectual Property Rights



Shri. Yuvraj Chalkhor, Secretary, VSPM Academy of Higher Education, Nagpur inaugurating the Workshop on Introduction to Intellectual Property Rights



Dr. Sanjay Tekade, Principal, J. N. College, Wadi addressing the gathering



Keynote Address by Dr Ashwini Paradkar,  
S. F. S. College Nagpur



Dr Ashwini Paradkar, S. F. S. College Nagpur, delivering an expert talk on Introduction to Intellectual Property Rights in the technical session



## Overview of the Technical Session

The resource person **Dr. Ashwini Paradkar** discussed the following points;-

**Introduction to Intellectual Property:** The workshop begin with an overview of what intellectual property is and its various forms, such as patents, trademarks, copyrights, and trade secrets.

**Importance of Intellectual Property:** Emphasis on the importance of protecting intellectual property for individuals, organizations, and the economy.

### **Types of Intellectual Property Rights:**

**Patents:** Explanation of the patent system, the process of obtaining a patent, and its benefits.

**Trademarks:** Understanding the role of trademarks in branding and their registration process.

**Copyrights:** Exploring the realm of copyrights, including the protection of creative works and copyright registration.

**Trade Secrets:** Discussing the concept of trade secrets and how to protect them.

**Intellectual Property Strategies:** Strategies for managing and leveraging intellectual property assets effectively. This could include licensing, commercialization, and technology transfer.



**IPR in Academia:** How intellectual property rights apply in educational and research institutions. Encouraging students and faculty to be aware of IP issues in their work.

**Legal Aspects:** An overview of the legal framework surrounding intellectual property, including international treaties and national laws.

**Case Studies:** Real-world examples of successful IP protection and issues faced by individuals and organizations.

**Ethical Considerations:** Discussing ethical concerns related to intellectual property, such as plagiarism, fair use, and responsible research.

**IPR and Innovation:** How IPR can encourage innovation and creativity.



Resource Person Dr Ashwini Paradkar answering the queries of the participants. Dr N. V. Gharad, chairperson of technical session.

## Valedictory Function



Honourable Secretary Shri Yuvraj Chalkhor, Principal Dr. Sanjay Tekade, Dr. Ashwini Paradkar, IQAC Convener Dr. Gharad and Convener of the Workshop Dr. Kongre were present for the valedictory function.

Dr Premlata Kurhekar, Co-convener of the Workshop was the Master of Ceremony

The workshop was concluded with the valedictory function and the distribution of certificates to participants.

Dr Nitin Kongre  
Convener, IPR

Dr Narendra Gharad  
IQAC, Convener

Dr Sanjay Tekade  
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