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Department of Computer Science and Engineering

Name of Activity: INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS WORKSHOP

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#### **Introduction:**

On May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024, the Department of CSE Year, in collaboration with the Institute of Engineers (India), successfully organized an online workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights" for all faculty members. The workshop was led by Dr. Rutuja Sujit Kadam (Assistant Professor, Vishwakarma Institute of Information Technology, Pune). Dr. Kadam is highly regarded for her extensive expertise in Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), with a significant academic and professional background in the field. Her involvement in various research projects and active participation in IPR initiatives has made her a distinguished figure in the academic community.

The workshop commenced with a comprehensive introduction to Intellectual Property Rights delivered by Dr. Kadam. She thoroughly navigated the fundamental concepts of IPR, providing participants with a deep understanding of the subject. The initial session delved into the intricacies of patenting and copyrighting, laying a strong foundation for the faculty members to grasp the essential elements of IPR.

Following the introduction, Dr. Kadam conducted a live demonstration of the steps involved in filing a patent. She provided a detailed walkthrough of the entire process, from drafting a patent application to submitting it. This practical session ensured that participants were able to comprehend the complexities involved in securing intellectual property rights.

The workshop also included detailed explanations of various aspects of copyright law, where Dr. Kadam elaborated on the scope of protection, the rights of authors, and the process of registering a copyright. She emphasized the importance of safeguarding original works and provided strategies for identifying and addressing potential infringements.



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Additionally, best practices for copyrighting were discussed, equipping participants with the necessary knowledge to effectively protect their intellectual creations.

The entire workshop was organized by IEI Students' Council under the guidance of respected Director, **Dr. Geeta S. Lathkar**, Faculty Advisor & HoD of CSE Department, **Dr. Archana Rajurkar** and IEI coordinator, **Mr. Rahulsingh G. Bisen**. With the efforts of IEI council members under the guidance of IEI coordinator, the event had turned into great success.

### **Activity Details:**

• Date:17<sup>th</sup> March, 2024

• Time: 3:30PM – 5:30PM

• Location: Online

### **Participants:**

• Participants: All Faculty members

#### **Outcome of the Event**

The event provided faculty members with a comprehensive understanding of IPR, including practical applications in patent filing and copyright protection. The live demonstrations and detailed explanation of filing patents and copyrights by Dr. Rutuja Sujit Kadam enabled participants to effectively grasp the complexities of intellectual property rights, equipping them with the knowledge to safeguard their intellectual creations.

#### **Relevance with Program Outcomes**

#### 1. Engineering Knowledge (PO1):

 The webinar enhanced participants' understanding of the legal and technical aspects of IPR, which is crucial for applying engineering knowledge to protect innovations.



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#### 2. Problem Analysis (PO2):

 Participants learned to analyze and navigate the complexities of patenting and copyrighting, enhancing their ability to address IPR-related challenges.

#### 3. Design/Development of Solution(PO3):

 The practical sessions on patent filing and copyright registration equipped faculty members with the skills needed to design and implement effective IPR protection strategies.

#### 4. The Engineer and Society (PO6):

O By learning about the ethical and legal responsibilities related to intellectual property, participants gained insights into how engineers can contribute to societal well-being by safeguarding intellectual assets.

#### 5. Modern Tool Usage (PO5):

 The live demonstration of the patent filing process familiarized participants with the tools and techniques required for securing intellectual property rights.

#### 6. Ethics (PO8):

The focus on copyright laws and patent processes underscored the importance of ethical considerations in the protection and use of intellectual property, aligning with the program outcome of practicing engineering with integrity.

#### **Attachments:**

• Any supporting materials (photos, videos, presentations, etc.)







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## · Feedback from participants

- o Positive aspects:
  - "The workshop provided a clear and concise understanding of IPR, and the practical demonstrations were very helpful in applying the concepts."
  - "The session covered all key aspects of IPR comprehensively, making it easy to understand the importance of protecting intellectual property."
- o Areas for improvement
  - "Including more real-world case studies could further enhance the relevance and applicability of the content."



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 "The session on patent filing felt a bit rushed, making it difficult to fully grasp all the steps involved. Allowing more time for detailed walkthroughs would be beneficial."

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