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## Report on One Day State Level Workshop: Intellectual Property Rights In India

**Date:** 28th September, 2018.

**Venue :** GJ Hall, Sindhi College , Kempapura , Hebbal , Bengaluru.

One Day State-Level Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights In India was organised by Sindhi College in Association with Center for Intellectual Property Research and Advocacy (CIPRA), National Law School of India University, Bengaluru and Bengaluru University First Grade Principals' Association.

The workshop was intended to spread the awareness of intellectual property rights in India, inviting participants across the city from various institutions including faculties and students. Eminent resource persons in the field of IPR were invited to enlighten on the subject.

The Chief Guest for the workshop was Prof.Dr.T.Ramakrishna, Ministry of HRD Chair Professor on IPR, Head, Centre for IPR Research & Advocacy (CIPRA), Head, IP Facilitation Centre of Ministry of MSME, National Law School of India University, Bengaluru. The guest briefed on the concepts of Intellectual Property, Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks with real time examples and case studies of Hush Puppies, Kearns v/s Ford Motors (Windshield wipers) etc. The chief guest also suggested for introducing IPR Cell at Sindhi College which will be personally supported by CIPRA.



The Guest of Honour was Dr.M.Jayappa, President, Bengaluru University First Grade Principals' Association. Dr.B.S.Srikanta, Principal, Sindhi College, presided the session with his knowledge on intellectual property rights and how important it is to be aware of it in the field of academics.

### Session-I:

The resource person for the first session was **Mr. R. Devan**, Joint Controller of Patents and Design, Patent Office, Chennai. The session was started with introduction to Patents, popularly used for public utility and technology share. The requirements and procedure for obtaining the Patent, Novelty and Technological inventions and eligibility to obtain the same was briefed in the session. The resource person also discussed about the Non-Patentable inventions and eligibility for Patent Agent, Patent Examiner and Patent Analyst.



### Session-II:

The second session was taken over by Dr. Satyadeep Kumar Singh, CIPRA, NLSIU, Bengaluru. The resource person discussed about Copyrights Law Administration and Enforcement in India, Copyrights Protective Work, who can obtain Copyrights, the Bundle of Rights associated with Copyrights and the term of Protection of Copyrights in different fields.



### Session-III:

The Third session was handled by Mr . Harikrishna Holla, Senior Advocate, Bengaluru. The speaker briefed about Intellectual Property Rights Acts enacted by Parliament to Protect Intellectual Property in India, Legal requirements of Trademarks, Service marks, Rights Conferred on Owner of a Trademark, Domain name - Dispute Resolution through Electronic mail WIPO.



### Session-IV:

The last session was engaged by Mr.Mohammed Habibulla, GI Registry, Chennai. The resource person spoke about Geographical Indications (GI) of Goods Act with examples, Prohibition of Registration of certain GI, Requirements for filling of GI Application, Steps involved in GI Registration.



**Participants:** There were more than 300 participants including faculties and students from Law Colleges, M.Com and M.Com(FA) students from other institutions of the city.

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