

HRD Chair on IPR, CUSAT

Report of the activities during 2014-15

The IPR Chair at the Cochin University of Science and Technology has undertaken the following activities during 2014-15.

1. Post Graduate Teaching and Research

- a. Courses for Post graduate of CUSAT
 - i. “Introduction to IPR: Patent Law and Practice” for the PG students for CUSAT – One batch students from the School of Management Studies.
 - ii. Foundation I on IPR: General Principles, Nature & Content – One batch students of LLM (IPR) PhD and MIP PhD (jointly with Prof. (Dr.) N.S.Gopalakrishnan)
 - iii. Foundation II on IPR: Intellectual Property Rights – The Social Relevance – One batch students of LLM (IPR) PhD and MIP PhD (jointly with Prof. (Dr.) N.S.Gopalakrishnan)

2. Policy Research

3. Research Publications

- a. Research Papers

Chair Professor

Prof. (Dr.) N.S.Gopalakrishnan,

- i. *Principles of Intellectual Property*, along with Dr. T.G. Agitha, Eastern Book Co. 2014 (2nd Edition)
- ii. Compulsory Licence under the Indian Patent Law, along with Madhuri Anand, Reto M. Hilty and Kung-Chung Liu (Eds), *Compulsory licence: Practical Experiences and Ways Forward*, Springer, 2014 (Chapter-1)
- iii. Protection of Traditional Knowledge Under Nagoya, cochin University Law Review (2014)

Research Officer

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- i. Compulsory Licence under the Indian Patent Law, along with Prof. (Dr.) N.S.Gopalakrishnan, Reto M. Hilty and Kung-Chung Liu (Eds), *Compulsory licence: Practical Experiences and Ways Forward*, Springer, 2014 (Chapter-1)

Training and Extension work

a. Seminar / Conference organized

- i. IP Day, 24th April 2014

b. Seminar / Conference participated

Chair Professor

- i. Member of International Experts, Review the Bill for the protection promotion, development and management of Indigenous Knowledge System, Government of South Africa, Cape Town, 2nd to 5th December 2014

Research Officers

Arathi Ashok

- i. Participant in Two Day Workshop for Law Teachers in Kerala on Teaching and Research in IPR organised by Inter University Centre for IPR Studies, Cochin University of Science and Technology, Kochi – 22 on 5th and 6th May 2014

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- ii. Speaker on Leveraging IPR in Academia and R&D Institutions and Panelist in Panel Discussion on Industry Academia Collaboration organised by Federation of Indian Micro & Small & Medium Enterprises, CGPDITM, Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt. of India on 23rd August 2014

c. Extension work

- i. Assisted a number of teachers and researchers from CUSAT and other institutions to seek IPR protection for their creations.
- ii. Assisted many institutions as resource persons to promote IP awareness.
- iii. “Distance Learning Programme”, World Wide Academy, World Intellectual Property Organization, Geneva
- iv. “Review of the Bill for the protection promotion, development and management of Indigenous Knowledge System”, Department of Science and Technology, Government of South Africa

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