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Event Name: A Webinar on "Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), Patent, and Design Filing Processes"

Date (s) of Conduction: 18th March 2024

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No. of Participants: 218

Organized by:

Department of ECE & Basic Science & Humanities, BVRIT HYDERABAD College of Engineering For Women, in collaboration with Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Intellectual Property Management(RGNIIPM), Govt of India, Nagpur

About the Event:

On 18th March 2024, the Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering at BVRIT HYDERABAD College of Engineering for Women, in a collaborative effort with Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Intellectual Property Management(RGNIIPM), Govt of India, Nagpur hosted a groundbreaking webinar focusing on Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), Patent and Design Filing Processes. The webinar aimed to demystify the complexities of IPR and provide actionable insights into the patent and design filing processes, alongside highlighting career opportunities within this burgeoning field. Distinguished speakers, including industry experts and academic scholars, shared their profound knowledge and experiences, enriching the attendees' learning experience.

Agenda and Proceedings

The webinar was meticulously structured to cover all facets of Intellectual Property Rights, from foundational concepts to the nuances of patent and design filing. The agenda unfolded as follows:

1. Welcome Address and Introduction:

Dr. Pardhu Thotttempudi, Assistant Professor in the Department of ECE, inaugurated the session with a warm welcome to all participants and an overview of the webinar's theme and objectives. Dr. Pardhu emphasized the significance of IPR in the contemporary research and innovation landscape and set the tone for an insightful session.

2. Institutional Overview:

Dr. K.V.N Sunitha, the Principal of BVRIT HYDERABAD College of Engineering for Women, provided an enlightening briefing about the institution's milestones, academic excellence, and

remarkable engineering education and research achievements. She also spotlighted the college's robust placement record, underscoring its commitment to fostering industry-ready professionals.

3. Introduction of the Keynote Speaker:

Dr. V. Madhavi, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, introduced the keynote speaker, Dr. Bharat N Suryawanshi, delineating his extensive background and contributions as an Assistant Controller for Patents and Design. Dr. Madhavi highlighted Dr. Suryawanshi's instrumental role in advancing IPR awareness and education in India.

4. Main Presentation:

Dr. Bharat N Suryawanshi embarked on a comprehensive presentation, dissecting the intricacies of Intellectual Property Rights, the strategic process of filing patents and designs, and the requisite documentation for IPR filing. With real-world examples and case studies, Dr. Suryawanshi illuminated the path for participants aspiring to protect and commercialize their innovations. Furthermore, he explored the spectrum of career opportunities in the IPR domain, encouraging students and professionals to consider these avenues. An interactive Q&A session followed, fostering an environment of inquiry and discussion.

5. Vote of Thanks:

The webinar concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks by Dr. L. Bhargava Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of ECE, who expressed gratitude towards the speakers, participants, and the organizing team for their dedication and efforts in making the webinar a resounding success.

Participation and Engagement

The webinar witnessed enthusiastic participation, with over 350 attendees tuning in live from diverse geographical and academic backgrounds. The interactive Q&A session underscored the participants' keen interest in IPR and their eagerness to engage with the subject matter at a deeper level. The queries ranged from technical aspects of patent filing to career guidance in IPR, all of which Dr. Suryawanshi addressed with clarity and insight.

Feedback and Impact

The feedback collected post-webinar was overwhelmingly positive, with participants commending the presentations' clarity, depth, and practical relevance. Many expressed their appreciation for the opportunity to interact directly with experts and gain valuable insights into IPR. The session enhanced participants' understanding of IPR and inspired many to explore further education and career prospects in this dynamic field.

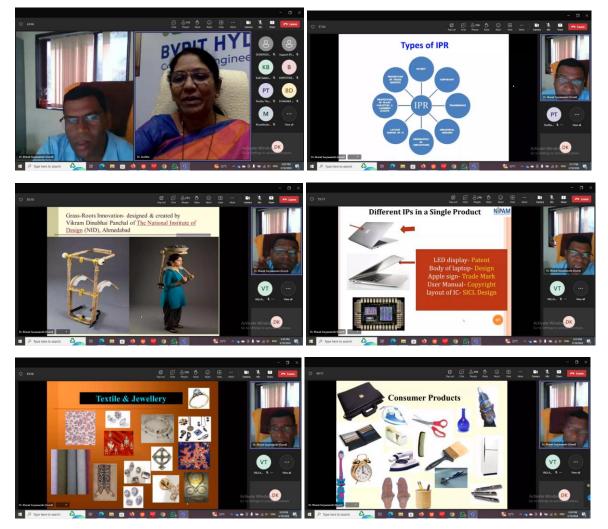
Conclusion and Future Directions

The webinar on Intellectual Property Rights, Patent, and Design Filing Processes marked a significant milestone in BVRIT HYDERABAD College of Engineering for Women's endeavors to bridge the gap between academic knowledge and industry practices. It has set a precedent for future events aimed at enriching the academic and professional landscape with cutting-edge knowledge and opportunities. We look forward to organizing more such events, fostering a culture of innovation and intellectual property awareness among students and professionals alike.

Acknowledgments

We extend our heartfelt thanks to all the speakers, participants, and organizing team members for their invaluable contributions to making this event a success. Special thanks to Dr. Bharat N Suryawanshi for sharing his expertise and to all the attendees for their active participation

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