



# ONE WEEK NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON

## INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS: RELEVANCE AND IMPORTANCE IN THE GLOBAL ERA

**ORGANISED BY**

CENTRE FOR INNOVATION AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS, RGNUL PUNJAB

**IN COLLABORATION WITH**

CELL FOR IPR PROMOTION AND MANAGEMENT, GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

**NOVEMBER 22 - NOVEMBER 26, 2021**



# RAJIV GANDHI NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF LAW, PUNJAB

The Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law (RGNUL), Punjab, was established by the State Legislature of Punjab by passing the Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab Act, 2006 (Punjab Act No. 12 of 2006). The Act incorporated a University of Law of national stature in Punjab, to fulfill the need for a Centre of Excellence in legal education in the modern era of globalization and liberalization. RGNUL started functioning from its Headquarters-Mohindra Kothi, The Mall, Patiala w.e.f. 26 May 2006. The University acquired approval of the Bar Council of India (BCI) in July 2006. The University also got registered with the University Grants Commission (UGC), New Delhi under Section 2(f) of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 and has been declared fit to obtain grant from the (UGC) under Section 12-B of the UGC Act, 1956. RGNUL operated from heritage building of the erstwhile Patiala State, Mohindra Kothi,

The University was accredited with 'A' Grade by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) in 2015. RGNUL, Punjab was granted autonomy under UGC Regulations, Clause 5 Dimensions of Autonomy for Category-II Universities in April 2018. The Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, ranked RGNUL the first amongst the cleanest Higher Educational Institutions, Swachh Campus (2019) in the category of Government Residential Universities.

## Vision of RGNUL

*"Our endeavour is to serve the society through reforms in legal services by way of preparing professionally competent lawyers, inquisitive researchers, able administrators, conscientious judicial officers, and above all, socially responsible citizens, who shall be whole- heartedly and continuously engaged in the process of nation building."*

# CELL FOR IPR PROMOTION AND MANAGEMENT

CIPAM is a professional body under the aegis of Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade(DPIIT) which ensures focused action on issues related to IPRs and addresses the 7 identified objectives of the policy. CIPAM assists in simplifying and streamlining of IP processes, apart from undertaking steps for furthering IPR awareness, commercialization and enforcement.

## **Its objectives are:**

- Simplifying and streamlining of IP processes by formulating and implementing a focused strategy for each policy objective.
- Coordination with State level agencies and Ministries/ Departments of the Government of India, industry bodies as well as international agencies; IP cells to be set up.
- IPR awareness campaign across the country in schools,colleges/universities and the industry.
- Training and sensitization porgrammes for enforcement agencies and Judiciary; coordination for effective enforcement of IPR rights.
- Study and facilitate implementation of best practices for promotion and commercialization of IP within the country.

CIPAM in partnership with industry associations has conducted IPR awareness programmes in various states. These programs received a very positive feedback from business owners, students, academicians, etc. The IPR Awareness Campaign is being conducted in schools, universities and industries across India.





# CENTRE FOR INNOVATION AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

RGNUL, Punjab aims at teaching and promotes research in IPR specialization course which is to synergize all types of IPRs in all the fields of sciences, technologies, engineering and other field of studies and further to promote the innovations in the interest of all the stake holders. RGNUL, Punjab has itself been established as the Nodal Center of Academics and Professionalism in legal education and is yet to establish itself in specialising in Intellectual Property Clinics (IP Clinics). The University has created 17 Centres for Advanced Studies and Research, which are dedicated in promoting various legal clinics in the field of Law.

Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) is an emerging area in the field of research. Considering wider scope in terms of Agriculture-IPR, Sports, Health and Music Industries in the northern region of country, Intellectual Property Rights education, promotion and protection are the dire needs of the region in view of globalized competitive world. This will boost the economic status of stakeholders and state economy by educating, strengthening and capacity building of the industrialists. Efforts by RGNUL to create enabling milieu by way of modernizing the IPR infrastructure as well as implementing various programs for creation of awareness among the professionals as well as general public will be a mile stone of success. Any academic/research activity require quality human resources to manage the research positions in terms of financial and technical support in order to conduct any substantive research based on a multidisciplinary approach in the field of Intellectual Property, and RGNUL is the perfect choice in this context. Therefore, we believe in including research activities as part of RGNUL, Punjab in the field of IP on a number of socio-legal and Socio-economic parameters, strata of the society, technological fields, R & D trends, etc.





# ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

The objectives of the workshop are:

- To raise awareness on the issues of Intellectual property and their violations
- To identify educational and social strategies to address the issue.
- To collect, share and develop innovative responses and best practices for elimination and prevention of violation of intellectual property rights
- To give recommendations and concrete proposals for action for elimination and prevention of crime related with intellectual property
- To discuss the emerging issues relating to intellectual property.

**Platform:** The Workshop would be conducted on an online platform (Cisco WebEx).

**Expected Audience:** The expected audience would be the members of legal fraternity, academicians, research scholars, students and professionals.

**Registration:** Registration form for the workshop can be found here. The registration deadline is 18th November 2021. [Click here](#) to register.

**Registration fees:** ₹200/- (inclusive of GST), [Click here](#) for payment.

**CERTIFICATES SHALL BE PROVIDED ON THE SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF THE WORKSHOP. (100% ATTENDANCE IS MANDATORY)**

**THE TIMINGS OF THE WORKSHOP SHALL BE FROM 2.00- 4.00 P. M. EVERY DAY.**

# SPEAKERS



**N. SUBRAMANIAN**

ASSISTANT MANAGER  
CIPAM, NEW DELHI

TOPIC: INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY  
RIGHTS: AN INTRODUCTION  
DATE: NOVEMBER 22, 2021



**LOHITA SUJITH**

SR. DIRECTOR, COPYRIGHT & DIGITAL ECONOMY  
MOTION PICTURES ASSOCIATION, MUMBAI

TOPIC: ENFORCEMENT OF PROTECTION OF  
COPYRIGHT LAWS IN THE DIGITAL ERA AND  
CHALLENGES

DATE: NOVEMBER 23, 2021



**SHIVAKUMAR R**

PARTNER AT K&S PARTNERS,  
NEW DELHI

TOPIC: PATENTABILITY CRITERIA  
WITH CASE LAWS  
DATE: NOVEMBER 24, 2021



**GAURAV GOGIA**

PRINCIPAL ASSOCIATE,  
UNITED IPR, NEW DELHI  
REGISTERED PATENT AGENT  
TOPIC: DISCOURSE OF THE  
TRADEMARKS LAW  
DATE: NOVEMBER 24, 2021



**SAURABH VASHISTH**

PARTNER AT K&S PARTNERS,  
NEW DELHI  
TOPIC: EMERGING TRENDS IN IPR  
WITH RELEVANCE TO ARTIFICIAL  
INTELLIGENCE  
DATE: NOVEMBER 25, 2021

## PATRONS



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