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Brief Report on One Day Workshop on

Dimensional Issues & Challenges of Intellectual Property Rights”

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Brief Report

With the blessings of Almighty God and the motivation and high spirits of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof N.K. Joshi Sir, One Day Workshop on the topic "Dimensional Issues & Challenges of Intellectual Property Rights" has been successfully organized by the Organizing Committee headed by Prof S.D. Sharma Director, Dr Rajendra Prasad Law Institute Kumaun University Nainital. The Resource Persons were from different walks of life which include **Prof. Raman Mittal**, Dean, Campus Law Centre, University of Delhi and **Prof. S C Roy**, Dean, Research & Development and Director, Centre for Innovation, Research & Facilitation in Intellectual Property for Humanity and Development, Chanakya National Law University, Patna.

The event held on 30th of June 2020 and was the third successive effort put up by the Organizers. The enormous response was well recognized through the registration of around **500 participants** (165 participants were Academicians, 50 were Advocates, 40 were Research Scholars, 40 were entrepreneurs and 205 were Students). The Data Analysis Chart of which has been annexed herewith as Annexure I.

Inaugural Session



The online virtual workshop started with the inaugural ceremony, Dr. Deepakshi Joshi (Member, Organizing Committee) delivered her inaugural and introductory address quoting Thomas Jefferson, **"He, who receives an idea from me, receives instruction himself without lessening mine; as he who lights his taper at mine, receives light without darkening me."**

First of all she paid her deep reverence to his Excellency Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Kumaun University Prof. N.K. Joshi Sir, for taking initiative and providing illuminating ideas and valuable suggestion to organize this workshop, which would have its economic, social and cultural impact on the society. During the Inaugural



session, the resource persons namely Prof. Raman Mittal (Dean, Faculty of Law, DU) and Prof. S C Roy (Dean, R&D, CNLU), Prof. S.D. Sharma Organizing Director (Director, Dr. Rajendra Prasad Law Institute), Prof. A.K. Pant (Dean & Head, Faculty of Law, SSJ Campus), Prof. D.K. Bhatt (Former Dean, SSJ Campus) and the faculty members of SSJ Campus Almora and Rajendra Prasad Law



Institute were virtually present along with the participants from various colleges, research institutions and Universities across the country. Prof. A.K. Pant (Dean & Head) on behalf of Kumaun University presented the welcome address. The event started with the blessings of **Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof N.K. Joshi**. He insisted on the role of Law Faculty for spreading legal awareness among the society. He also advised the students to make the best use of the opportunities available in the present days and appreciated the efforts of the organizers for their conscientious efforts at pushing academic frontiers in a way that can benefit the

society during this period of health emergency.

Technical Session



The Technical Session was started with the theme introduction by Prof S.D. Sharma. He gave a brief Introduction of the topic, significance of Intellectual Property Laws in the international competitive environment of today, the burning issues faced by the society and the need to amend the legislations making it more acceptable and practicable.

First Session

The session was started with the highlights of the academic and professional journey of Prof. Raman Mittal, (Dean, Faculty of Law, University of Delhi). Prof. Mittal initiated the talk with the statement that **“Law and Property are born together and they die together”**. He emphasized on the



concept of intellectual property and its placement on the pedestal in the context of economic growth and its increasing importance in present day and the inter-relationship of Law, Property and Intellectual Property. He also emphasized on the Intellectual Property (IP) working as a fuel that powers the engine of prosperity, fostering invention and innovation. The increasing significance of intangible assets in the global economy is forcing business organizations to actively

manage their IP as a key driver for building and sustaining their competitive advantage and achieving superior performance. He had touched almost all the issues on the topic. The session ended with overwhelming response from the

viewer's side.

Second Session

The Second talk was given by **Prof S.C. Roy**, Dean-Research and Development, Director, Centre for Innovation, Research & Facilitation (CIRF) in Intellectual Property for Humanity & Development (IPHD), Chanakya National Law University, Patna. He deliberated that the patent system has, in recent years, enjoyed levels of use far beyond what would have been imagined only a decade ago. Numbers of patent applications have never been higher and there are a number of examples that patents have helped support the development of an ever-increasing range of technology.



Yet this success has not given rise to universal satisfaction, either within the immediate circle of administrators and users of the patent system, or among the intended beneficiaries of the system more widely in society. The speaker acquainted the audience with the issues related to Patent by stating that the system today faces two main challenges: an internal challenge, concerning the actual operation of the system; and an external challenge, concerning the policy role, and the economic and social impact of the patent system. He has



delivered his expert views on the lack of awareness of Intellectual Property Laws among students, researchers, academicians, corporate, entrepreneur, NGO's working in skill development areas and common people . He emphasized that there must be an

encouragement to generate and create inventions, legal and legislative framework shall be strengthened in a beneficial way, in the interest of an individual as well as in the interest of consumers. There is a great need for modernization and strengthening of the administrative framework, and commercialization of IPRs, for example Petty-Patents may also be granted to the small inventors, in order to encourage such inventions and thereby promoting overall

development of human capital." It was highly informative session and the participants enjoyed his lecture.

Question-Answer/Discussion Session

The last 40 minutes were full of discussion and question answer round. In which the participants asked their queries from the panel of experts. The panel tried to answer all the queries irrespective of shortage of time. On the request of the participants, the Organizers extended the



session for 35 more minutes. Some of the queries of the participants taken up by the expert panel have been mentioned below:

1. How would IP regulations change as a result of Pandemic? Do we see any need for reforms as a lot of Chinese apps etc are now being banned and new model of governance may be needed?
2. How DNA sequence information can be utilized for protection of released crop varieties under IPR?
3. Why atomic power inventions are are not patentable?
4. How can one prove originality in copyright when both seem to be identical?
5. How are IPR infringement damage calculated?
6. In view of yesterday's order under section 69A of IT Act 2000, the government. "BLOCKED" 59 apps. Is there any difference between "BLOCK" and "BAN"?
7. How protection of IPR is justify in terms of economic right of its owner?
8. Why IPR is important current global scenario?
9. Are people aware of other Provisions of the Constitution?
10. Can the Constitution be amended for strict IPR legislation?

11. There are clone apps in the market after the ban of 59 Chinese apps like CHINGARI as an alternative of tik tok. Is this not a violation of IP Law?

The Session ended with the **vote of thanks**, proposed by Dr Suresh Chandra Pandey (Assistant Course Coordinator), Dr Rajendra Prasad Law Institute.



Feedback Session

The one day Workshop was concluded with the Virtual Feedback Session, where the participants expressed their views through live chat about the Lecture Workshop. They expressed their gratitude for organizing the workshop on such a relevant area. Many participants requested for similar Lecture Workshops in future as well. They have appreciated the Organizers for conducting such an intellectual program for the benefit of Lawyers, Academicians, Research scholars, entrepreneurs and students. The resource persons got overwhelming response from the participants' side. They were highly impressed by the knowledge of the Resource Persons and



had interaction with them. They have cleared almost all their doubts. The Resource Persons also appreciated the efforts of the Organizing Team. The organizing team thanked all the Resource Persons for sparing their valuable time for this event. All the participants from different fields were also acknowledged for their active participation in the Course. The participants were given **E- Certificates** for participation.

LIFE JOURNEY OF THE RESOURCE PERSONS



Prof. Raman Mittal, Dean Faculty of Law, University of Delhi, An eminent scholar and academician, with Specialization in Intellectual Property Laws, Law of Contract and Cyber Laws. Authored and edited various books in the field of IPR, Competition Law, International Law, Copyright & Trademarks, Cyber Laws, Law of Contract, Family Law, Legal Aid and many more. There is a long list of Research Papers published in various International and National Journals.

He has delivered lectures to the Officials of Judicial Services, at Delhi Judicial Academy and also the officials of Public Administration. He has undertaken various Research Projects and thereby contributed in the policy making of the Central Government time to time. He was also the member of the Drafting Committee who drafted the Copyright rules 2012, a research project of HRD Ministry. He has also undertaken the Research Project granted by the Max Planck Institute of Intellectual Property and Competition Law, Munich, Germany. He is the member of **Licensing Executive Society International**.



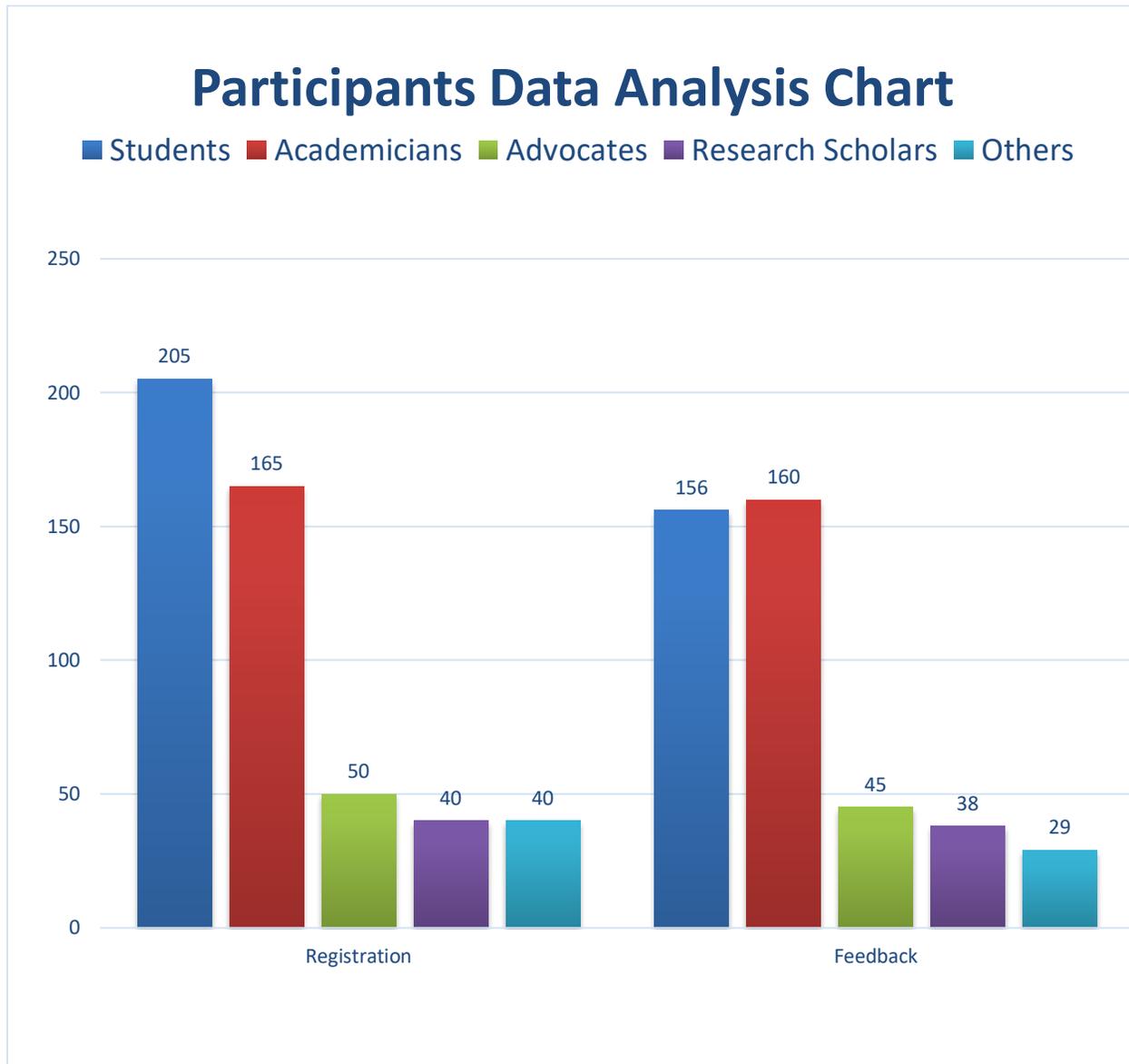
Prof. S.C. Roy, Dean-Research and Development, Chanakya National Law University, Patna. Sir is also the Director, Centre for Innovation, Research & Facilitation (CIRF) in Intellectual Property for Humanity & Development (IPHD).

He has teaching experience of about 23 years. His areas of interest are Jurisprudence, Criminology, Labor Law, Corporate Law, Intellectual Property Law, Insurance law, Legal Research Methodology, Human Rights, Sociology of Law & English Literature. He has credit of about 65 research papers being published in renowned National and International Journals.

He has authored and edited many books some of them are "An Analytical Study of Intellectual Property Rights in India" , " Lectures on Intellectual Property Law" and "Intellectual Property Rights: A Prismatic View (ed)", "Working of Patents: Law and Pharmaceutical Implications (ed) ", "Information Security: Law and Governance(ed)". He has participated and presented papers in more than 100 National and International Seminars / workshops. He has chaired many sessions of the National seminars and also organized various Seminars, symposiums and workshops at CNLU.

He has served as member of various Academic and Administrative Committees; and also held the responsibility of Academic & Research Coordinator of CNLU from July 2009 to March 2017. He has addressed Judicial Officers, Insurance trainees, entrepreneurs, NGOs, trainees of Disaster Management & participants of orientation program. He had been visiting Professor cum resource person in Judicial Academy Patna, NIPER Hazipur, Rajendra Agriculture University Pusa, BIPARD Walmi Patna, NIRDA Patna & UGC-ASC Lucknow University. He is on the editorial board of "A Journal of Asia for Democracy & Development", A National Journal of Comparative Law. He is the life member of Indian Institute of Insurance Mumbai, Indian Society of Criminology Chennai, Indian Society of Labor Economics, Associate member of Indian Institute of Public Administration New Delhi, All India Teachers Educators, All India Law Teachers Congress, Indian Council of Arbitration New Delhi, UGC Academic Staff College Nainital (Uttarakhand). He is also the member of ASIL (Asian Society of International Law).

Graphical Representation



Particulars	Students	Academicians	Advocates	Research Scholars	Others	Total
Registration	205	165	50	40	40	500
Feedback	156	160	45	38	29	428

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Date : 30th JUNE, 2020
Time : 02:00 pm to 04:00 pm

No Registration Fee. E-Certificate will be issued to participants.
Registration link <https://forms.gle/D6o4KXNfUeiE8oiC7>
Watch LIVE on YouTube link <https://youtu.be/xhxfURpoCGw>

Certificate



Online Workshop

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Certificate of Participation

This is to certify that Dr. Azad Hassan Ali Alrakwazy participated in the online workshop "Dimensional Issues & Challenges of Intellectual Property Rights".

Prof. S. D. Sharma

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Google Registration Form

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Did you find the Sessions Interactive ? *

- Yes
- No



Do you think the sessions were useful for you ? *

- Yes
- No

Any other suggestion you would like to extend for improvement of the future course?

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