

**MES Asmabi College, P. Vemballur
Research & PG Department of Botany
Certificate Course – Intellectual Property Rights
ASCEP07**

Department: Research and PG Department of Botany.

Name of the Course: Certificate Course on Introduction to IPR

Course Objectives

- To bring innovation and excellence in teaching and research.
- To generate critical awareness among students, teachers and the younger generation on the correlation between technology and society.
- To promote interdisciplinary approach in teaching and research, as well as to make it socially relevant.
- To promote a high degree of awareness on intellectual property rights in general and in particular patents, trademarks, copy right, traditional knowledge and geographical indications which have become crucial concerns to society at the local, regional, national and international milieu.
- To give a direction to identify issues and concerns at local/regional/global problems through training of the required human resources.

Syllabus

1. Intellectual Property Rights(IPRs)
 - a) Genesis and growth
 - b) Theoretical framework of IPR
 - c) Early conventions
 - d) WTO, TROPS and new global Regimes (10 hours)
2. Intellectual Property Rights
 - a. Copyrights
 - b. Patents
 - c. Geographical indications
 - d. Trademarks
 - e. Industrial designs (10 hours)
3. IPR and India; Historical overview
 - a. IPR Regulations in India
 - b. India and Patent Act
 - c. India and TRIPs (10 hours)

Reading list

1. Alikhan & Shahid. (2004). *Intellectual Property and Competitive Strategies in the 21 Century*. New Delhi, Kluner Law International.
2. Angnekar & Dwijen. (1996). *GATT, Intellectual Property Rights, and the Seed Industry: Some Unsolved Problems*. New Delhi, Joseph Henry Press.
3. Bird, C., Subash, Robert & Jain C. (Ed).(2009). *The Global Challenge of Intellectual Property Rights*. New Delhi, Edward Elgar Publication.
4. Blakeney & Michael. (1996). *Trade Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights: A Concise Guide to the TRIPS Agreement (Intellectual Property in Practice)*. Sweet & Maxwell Publishers.
5. Blakeney & Michael. (1997). *Intellectual Property Aspects of Ethno biology*. Sweet and Maxwell Publishers.
6. Karki, M.M.S. (2009). *Intellectual Property Rights; Basic Concepts*. Atlantic Publisher.
7. Katrack, Homi. (2004). *The WTO and Developing Countries*. Palgrave Macmillan.
8. Keayala, B.K. (2004). *Trips Patent System and Doha Declaration: Implementation Process by India*. Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Contemporary Studies Published.
9. Koul, A.K. & Ahuja, V.K. (edt). (2001). *The Law of Intellectual Property Rights: In Prospect and Retrospect*. Faculty of Law, University of Delhi.