



Minutes of the Meeting

Overview of IPR with case laws

An invited talk

24 August, 2022 (10AM onwards)

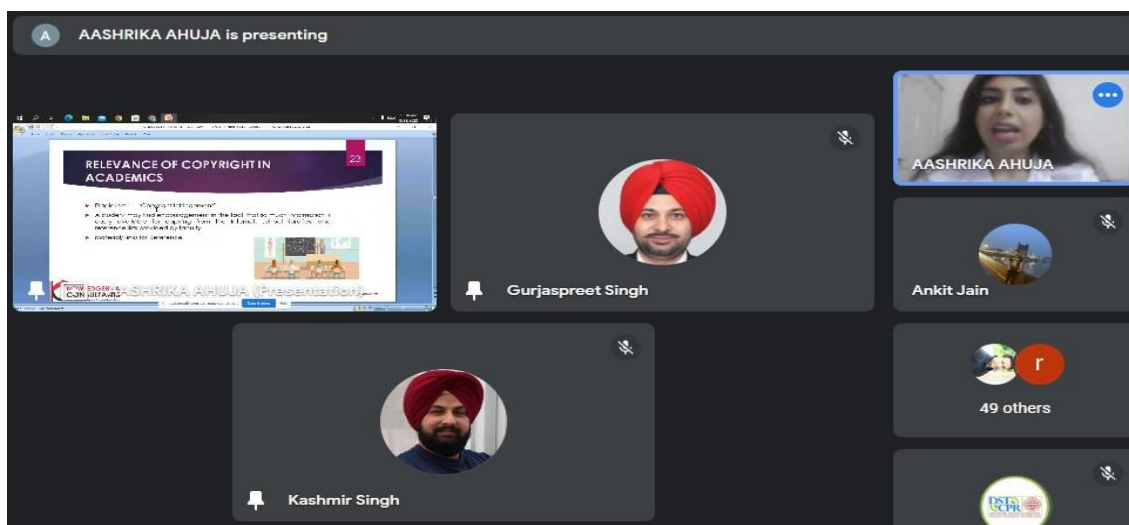
Venue: Online- Google Platform

Speaker: Ms. Aashrika Ahuja, Advocate & Associate Partner for Knowledgentia Consultants Corp. Legal & Intellectual Property Rights Firm.

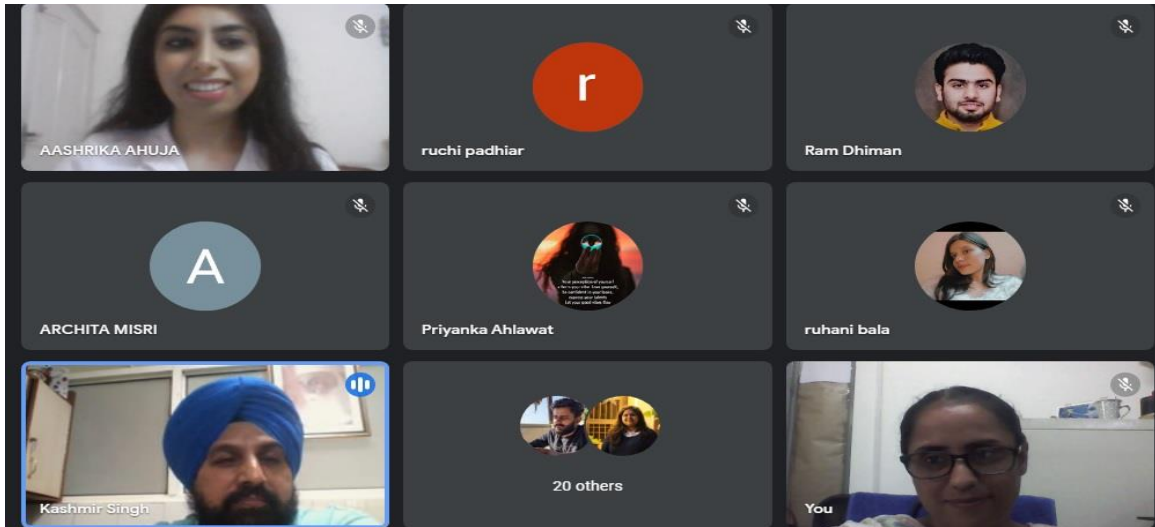
Agenda: An invited talk to deliberate on intellectual property rights and its types along with need for protecting IPR with help of case studies.

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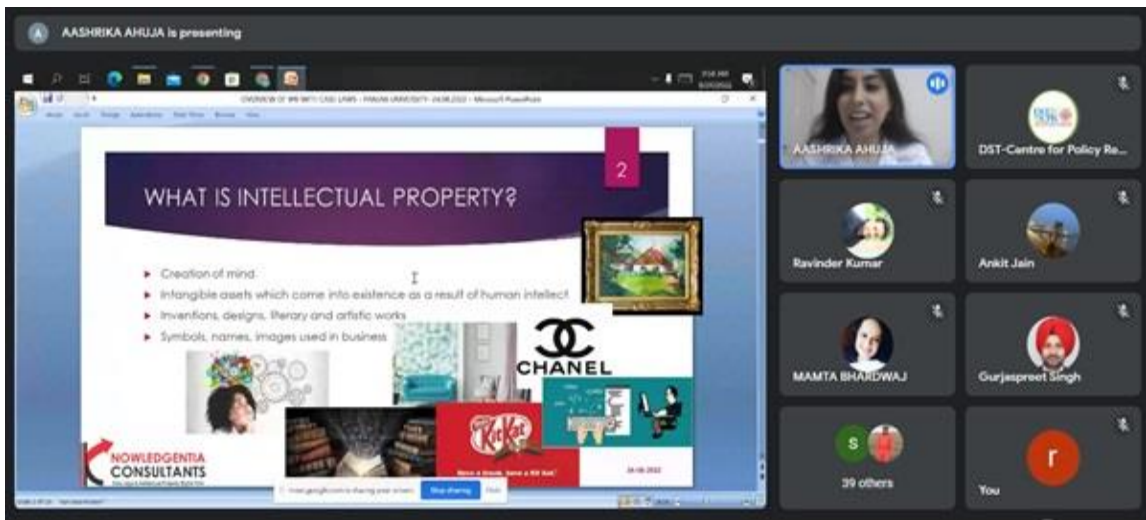
1. DST-Centre for Policy Research, Department of Chemistry and Department of Biotechnology, Panjab University, Chandigarh in collaboration organized an invited talk by Ms. Aashrika Ahuja on the topic 'Overview of IPR with case laws'. Prof. of Biotechnology, Kashmir Singh, coordinator, DST-CPR, PU was the Convener of the event and Prof. of chemistry, Gurjaspreet Singh, Local Coordinator, GIAN/MHRD-UGC was the Co-convener of this event.



2. Dr. Sukhdeep Kaur (Scientific Officer, DST-CPR, PU) welcome the speaker at the google platform on behalf of the organizers and highlighted the importance of the agenda of this event.



3. Speaker shared views on implications of the effect of registration of IP and importance of IP as a source of development of economy as well as Science and technology. Ms. Aashrika threw the light on what is IPR for a layman than move on to talked about what IPR for an academic institution mean.



4. She highlighted the role of IPR in achieving sustainable development goals (SDGs) and appraised the importance of IPR for the betterment of the environment. She stressed upon how innovation plays an important and proven to be an assets to achieve SDGs. She highlighted the initiative by World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) in strengthen the role of IPRs towards SDGs.
5. Ms. Aashrika talked about different types of IPR such as trademark, copyrights, patent and trade secrets. She deliberated on copyrights, how related rights/ neighboring rights plays a crucial role while filling copyrights for an innovation within their own country.

6. She explained the contract types that one should know before entering into a contract and highlighted the meaning of 'fair use'. She talked about geographical indicators that play an important role for tracking traditional things and locations.
7. She touched upon patent filling and threw light on design registration. As well as she highlighted the role of these two in academic research and later discussed how IPR related capacity building is the need of the hour for an academic institution dealing in science and technology.
8. Towards the end of her talk she quoted different types of case studies to enlighten the participants about the need of IPR and invited the questions from the participants.
9. Prof. Kashmir Singh thanked the speaker and highlight the need for awareness of the IPRs in today's era.
10. Dr. Sukhdeep Kaur gave the vote of thanks at the end of the talk.