#### Report on One day Workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights(IPR) Awareness"

One Day Workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights(IPR) Awareness" was organized by Saraswati College, Shegaon, on 15 -09-2017 TO 16-09-2017 at 11.00 AM in the Seminar Hall. The Expert Advocate Prathmesh Mane was invited to conduct the workshop. Prof. Shivam Khedkar welcomed the guest. Guru Nanak Institutions of technology, Hyderabad is organizing a two day Workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)Awareness" in collaborated with Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, Govt. of India on 15th and 16th September, 2017. Thisparticular workshop will elaborate on the issue related to patents filing and procedure of patent issues filing, importance and scope of IPR in academic research. In order to enhance innovation, competitiveness and economic growth in India, it is imperative to harness IP. More specifically, with the phenomenal growth of Indian IT sector and its need to move up the value chain, it is important that to foster innovation, IPR generated in India needs to be legally protected and exploited. Low awareness of IPR procedures and methodologies specifically for a complex area like E&IT is one of the reasons for a low IP portfolio from India. With the growth of the IT industry as well as other technical sectors an urgent need is felt to protect the IPR generated out in India. Scientists and scholars alike need to be able to protect their ideas and ensure that their Intellectual property is protected. The government of India, through its made in India campaign is further promoting innovation in fields of electronics, computers software, telecommunication and creating large public awareness about the pivotal role of IPR in globalized knowledge economy. There were 150 enthusiastic participants in all including students and staff members who participated in the workshop on IPR.

Vote of thanks was delivered by Dr H S Saini.

# **"IPR Awareness"** on 15<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> September 2017



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#### Venue

Room No. 107, Seminar Hall, P.G Block, Guru Nanak Institutions Technical Campus (Autonomous)

### WORKSHOP

## Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights

### Discuss emerging trends in IPR legislation

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

A two-day workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) Awareness" was conducted at Guru Nanak institution's technical campus under the sponsorship of Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology. S. V. Ranganayakulu, Dean - R&D was the programme director of the workshop.

Samudrala Venu Gopala Chary, Telaganana State representative at New Delhi inaugurated the conference. Students, academician, researchers and doctors from different institutions participated. Experts from different patent facilitation centres and IP analysts spoke on IPR and litigation issues. Venkatsam Rajamani, Indian Patent Office, Chennai, spoke on trade mark and brand protection while M. Vijaya Kumar, Sr IP Analyst from I-win patent services spoke on basics of Intellectual Property Rights, emerging trends in IPR legislation in electronic and software industry and scope of IPR in academic research. Mohan Krishna from Pendikanti Law College spoke on copyright issues in the digital environment and IP Commercialisation.



