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GTU organized Two days Advanced workshop on

“Patent Search, Drafting & Filing” on

27th & 28th July 2013 (Saturday & Sunday)

GTU Ahmedabad campus, ACPC Building, Ahmedabad

Gujarat Technological University had organized Two days workshop on “**Patent Search, Drafting & Filing**” at GTU Ahmedabad campus, ACPC Building, Ahmedabad on 27th & 28th July, 2013, Saturday & Sunday. In this workshop only students and faculty who possess completed project were invited. In this workshop, 35 team of BE, ME and M. Pharm students as well as faculty members took active participation.

Honb. Dr. Akshai K. Aggarwal, Vice chancellor of GTU, though could not able to remain present during the event due to other provisions, but conveyed his best wishes to all the participants.

On Day-1, **Mr. Padmin Buch**, Managing Director, GITCO Patent Cell, Ahmedabad had given a talk on “*Overview of IPR and importance of Patent Search*”. Then after, **Dr. Manish A. Rachchh**, Program coordinator of GTU IPR program and Associate Professor of GTU had given a talk on “*Patent Search using Open Source Database*” with example. After post lunch session, participants have did patent search using ESP@CENET and IPO database and prepared summary report of Patent Search. **Dr. Manish A. Rachchh** and **Mr. Anil Pandey**, IPR coordinator, CII, Ahmedabad assisted the participants in this patent search process. By undergoing this exercise, participants can come to know that whether their work is patentable or not. Out of 35 teams, 10 teams work was found to be patentable at the end of this exercise.

On Day-2, **Dr. Manish A. Rachchh**, Program coordinator of GTU IPR program, has taken a session on “*Patent Drafting and Filing Procedure in India*” and elaborate different embodiments required to include during filing of provisional patent application. **Mr. Anil Pandey**, IPR coordinator, CII, Ahmedabad has given “*Demonstration on Drafting of Provisional Patent Application*” using Engineering invention. **Mr. Vinaykumar Pandya**, Patent Attorney, Ahmedabad has given “*Demonstration on Drafting of Provisional Patent Application*” using Pharmaceutical invention. After post lunch session, **10 team members project** which were found patentable, completed their drafting with help of expert. They are going to file their patent within few days.

Mr. Hiranmay Mahanta, GTU Innovation council, motivated the students to come forward with their invention and assure that GTU will provide all kind of support to draft and file their patents. Further, he also mentioned that once students will have patent, then GTU will support them to transfer their technology to potential buyers.

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All the participants had shown tremendous interest during entire two days program and expressed their views like ...

“I want to thank you for organizing two day workshop on patent. It was very helpful workshop for us and we learned lot of things from this workshop. Please keep doing this kind of workshops in future. We are going to file our patent application.”

– **Dhaval Shingala**, M. Pharm (Chemistry), L. M. College of Pharmacy, Ahmedabad

“It is my humble request to GTU that such type of workshops should be organized in all the institutes for benefit of pre-final and final year BE students to take IDP/UDP projects to next level.”

- **Sukhadia Jay**, BE (7th Sem), ADIT, V.V. Nagar

“So far we were unaware about Patent search and hence decided one project for IDP. But during this workshop, we found that there is already patent on said project. Thanks to GTU to organize this workshop at right time and saved us from undertaking duplicate research. Now we will select the project, which will completely novel.”

- **Chinmay Gajjar and Tejas Lodha**, BE (7th Sem), LDRP, Gandhinagar

Looking at the feed backs received from participant’s side, **Honb. Dr. Akshai K. Aggarwal** has given permission to organize such kind of Patent workshops on regular basis for the benefit of students at Ahmedabad as well as to different zone level too.

To make the program successful **Mrs. Usha Banker (OSD)**, **Mr. Harshad Patel**, **Mr. Uday Kanabar** and **Mr. Jignesh Patel** have done tremendous efforts.

A report of the workshop is available at youtube at

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ovKx4Xnhukg&feature=c4-overview&list=UUGL6PHjFJs78CnqGoZleFYg> .

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Mr. Padmin Buch, MD, GITCO delivering session on “*Overview of IPR and Importance of Patent Search*”



Felicitation of **Mr. Padmin Buch** by one of the participants at the end of his session



Dr. Manish A. Rachchh, Associate Professor of GTU delivering session on “*Patent search using Open source database*”



Mr. Hiranmay Mahanta giving an overview about plan of GTU Innovation Council to help students to file their patents and their commercialization later on

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Dr. Manish A. Rachchh, Associate Professor of GTU delivering session on *"Drafting & Filing of Patent in India"*



Participants are drafting their Provisional Patent application with help of experts on Day-2



Felicitation of **Mr. Anil Pandey**, IPR Coordinator, CII, Ahmedabad who has given demonstration of *"How to draft Engineering Patent?"*



Felicitation of **Mr. Vinaykumar Pandya**, Patent Attorney, Ahmedabad who has given demonstration of *"How to draft Pharmaceutical Patent?"*

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Participants View -1

35 teams of participants from more than 15 colleges of Engineering & Pharmacy



Participants View -2

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