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IPR AWARENESS WORKSHOP (16th December 2017)

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The Department of Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering, SVEC organized a one day IPR Awareness Workshop on $16^{\rm th}$ December, 2017.

The workshop was inaugurated by the Chief Guest Dr. A. K. Garg, Director, HoD International Cooperation & Bilateral Trade IPR) Meity, Government of India, New Delhi and Guest of Honour Shri. S. Thangapandian, Deputy Controller of Patents, Indian Patent Office, Chennai. Dr. P. C. Krishnamachary, Principal, Sree Vidyanikethan Engineering College, Dr. C. Subhas, Dean Academics, SVEC, Dr. M. Saravanan, Convener and Head, Department of Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering and Heads of Departments in SVEC also graced the inaugural function.

Dr. A. K. Garg focused on IPR initiatives and emphasized on the importance of intellectual property rights specifically in the area of Electronics & Information Technology. He also described the support offered by the government in Patents filing and processing. Shri. S. Thangapandian, presented on IPR basics and explained clearly the steps involved in filing and processing patents. He shared his experience in Patent filing procedures with various case studies. Mr. I. Prem Charles, Director, Allinnov Research and Development Pvt. Ltd, presented a detailed explanation on 'Prior Art Search' and discussed about the importance of prior art search before proceeding to patent filing. Dr. K. C. Varaprasad, Professor, SVEC, shared his expertise on Basics of Trademark and Copyrights.

139 faculty members attended this programme and were benefitted.



Inaugural Function of IPR Awareness Workshop (L-R) Dr. M. Saravanan, Convener & Head, EIE Dept., Dr.C.Subhas, Dean Academics, SVEC, Dr. A. K. Garg, Director, MeitY, GoI, New Delhi, Shri. S. Thangapandian, Deputy Controller of Patents, Chennai, Dr.P.C.Krishnamachary, Principal, SVEC, Tirupati.



Dr.A.K.Garg, Director, delivering his expert talk.



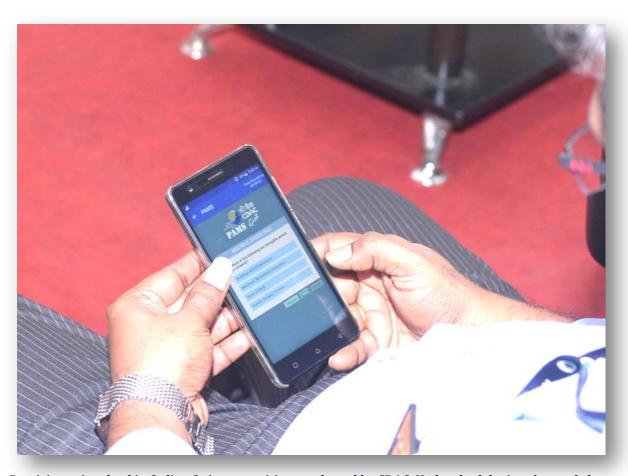
Shri. S. Thangapandian, delivering his talk



Dr.K.C.Varaprasad's talk on "Trade Mark & Copyrights"



Mr.I.Prem Charles explaining "Prior Art Search".



Participant involved in Online Quiz competition conducted by CDAC, Hyderabad during the workshop.