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**About Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab:** Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law (RGNUL), is a public law school and a National Law University located in Patiala, Punjab, India. It was established in 2006 by the Punjab Government (Punjab Act No. 12 of 2006) as a university dedicated to the field of Legal Education. RGNUL offers a 5-year B.A. LL.B (Honours) programme and a 1-year LL.M. with an intake of 196 seats per annum and 40 seats per annum, respectively. Admission to these programmes is through Common Law Admission Test (CLAT). Ph.D programmes are also offered. Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law was ranked 13 among law colleges in 2019 by The Week., The National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) ranked it 10 among law colleges in 2020.

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**About Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur:** Maharashtra National Law University Nagpur (MNLU) (also known as National Law University, Nagpur or NLU Nagpur) is a National Law University and a public law institution established by the government through a public enactment as the Maharashtra National Law University Act (Maharashtra Act No. VI of 2014). The university is the 19th National Law University established in India and is located in the Orange City of Nagpur, Maharashtra. The Chief Justice of India serves as the Head of the institution.

**DPIIT-IPR Chair, Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur:** The Centre for Intellectual Property Rights was established by the Maharashtra National University, Nagpur in the 2017, for justifying Intellectual Property rights of an individual and at the same time keeping balance of public right to access to such Intellectual Property. The nature of Intellectual property is pluralistic and thus it needs special protection. The main objective of protecting intellectual property is to ensure development of society. While keeping this societal interest in focus, it is necessary to protect individual interest and henceforth intellectual property rights of an individual is protected. The centre aims to create an awareness of intellectual property rights and to discuss the upcoming issues relating to the Intellectual Property, which will be helpful for the government in making policies relating to Intellectual Property.





**About SRM University, Sonapat:** SRM University, Haryana (SRMH), also known as SRM University, Delhi-NCR, Sonapat, is a private university located at the Rajiv Gandhi Education City in Sonapat, Haryana, India. The university was established in 2013 by the SRM Institute of Science & Technology Trust (SRM IST Trust), Chennai[2] through The Haryana Private Universities (Amendment) Act, 2013 which also established Shree Guru Gobind Singh Tricentenary University, Jagan Nath University, NCR, GD Goenka University and K.R. Mangalam University. The university is part of the SRM Educational Group which also includes the parent deemed university, SRM Institute of Science and Technology, headquartered in Chennai, and another private university, SRM University, Sikkim, among other institutes.

### Concept Note:

The International Seminar on Emerging Trends of Intellectual Property Rights 2021 is taking place on 17th April 2021 Online. The International Seminar on Emerging Trends of Intellectual Property Rights is being organized by Law Mantra Trust, The Indian Law Institute, New Delhi, RGNUL-Punjab, CNLU Patna & Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur.

The Seminar aims to examine and analyze the Emerging Trends of Intellectual Property Rights of today's times. The International Seminar will be attended by various international delegates and speakers as also representatives from the national Diaspora representing the stakeholders in the digital ecosystem and alive web. These would include representatives from the Central Government & State Governments, various Ministries, Law Enforcement Agencies, Police, Business, Information Technology, Corporate Sector, Academicians, Scholars, Service Providers, International Organizations and distinguished thought leaders.

### Objective

To provide a platform for stake holder like organizations working in international and national level, legislatures, civil societies, researchers, practitioners, academicians, activists and policy makers to deliberate and discuss on what is required to build strategies and to address the constraints in inclusive practices towards betterment of the society.

**The Organizing Committee welcomes original papers, relating to, but not limited to the following topics:**

1. Current emerging trends in Intellectual Property Regime;
2. Intellectual Property challenges in the field of pharmaceuticals;
3. Intellectual Property and Sustainable Development;
4. Protection of Geographical Indication and Traditional Knowledge;
5. Procedural & Registration Aspect of Trade Marks;
6. Interface between IPR & Competition Law;
7. Geographical Indication & Protection of Traditional Knowledge;
8. Abuse of Dominant Position;
9. Copyright & Fair Use;
10. Law relating to Copyright and the Entertainment Industry;
11. Geographical Indication and Protection of Traditional Knowledge;
12. Intellectual Property challenges in the field of agriculture and pharmaceuticals;
13. Challenges of Enforcement of Protection of Copyright Laws in the Digital Era;
14. The interface between Designs and Copyright Laws.



Note: These Themes are not exhaustive; Authors are open to work on any topic related to above-mentioned theme.

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Selected will be published in book bearing ISBN, International Journal of Legal Research and Governance (Print Journal) bearing ISSN and Law Mantra Journal. (If Paper will Selected for Publication in Book bearing ISBN, Contributor have to Contact Publisher and will have to pay charge if any one wishes to procure Hard Copy of Book as per bill raised by Publisher ).



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Both Author and Co-Author have to register separately.

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Submission of Abstract	25th March
Confirmation of Abstract Selection	27th March
Registration	09 <sup>th</sup> April
Submission of Draft Paper (Proposed Paper)	14 <sup>th</sup> April
Seminar Date	17 <sup>th</sup> April
Submission of Final Paper	2 <sup>nd</sup> June, 2021
Publication of Selected Paper	By March, 2022

### **Who Should Attend?**

Students, Research Scholars/Faculties/Academicians, Corporate Delegates, Business entities, Lawyers.

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