

Technical Assistance Database: Activity Details

Title:	WIPO-India Training Course on Patent Search and Examination for ASPAC Countries
Description:	The main objective of the training course is to enhance technical skills and knowledge of patent examiners from the ASPAC region through the use of online patent search engines and to equip patent examiners with new patent examination techniques for better assessment of patent applications in a defined field of technology. At the end of the training course, participants will be able to search and examine inventions using online tools which are available to the public, and to assess novelty and inventive steps in regard to inventions in a defined patent field.
Type:	Workshop
IP Subject Area:	Industrial Property
WIPO Sector:	Professional Development Program
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Venue City:	Nagpur
Venue/Host Country:	India
Activity held in Language:	English

Beneficiary / Participant Countries

Country Name	No. of Members / Participants
Bangladesh	1
Bhutan	1
Cambodia	2
Indonesia	2
Malaysia	2
Philippines	2
Sri Lanka	2
Total Number of Participants: 12	

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DRAFT PROGRAM

DAY 1

Session	Topic	Resource person
09.30 – 10.00	Registration	
10.00 – 10.05	National Anthem & Saraswati Vandana	
10.05 – 10.10	Welcome address by Mr. Pankaj Borkar, Head of RGNIIPM	
10.10 – 10.20	Introduction to the program by Mr. Mathew Rainey, WIPO	
10.20 – 10.30	Special address by Dr. K. S. Kardam, Senior Joint Controller of Patents & Designs, India	
10.30 – 11.00	Tea / Coffee Break Group photo	
11.00 – 12.00	Patent examination procedure in India	Dr. Sharana Gouda, Assistant Controller, Group Leader, Biotechnology, Chennai
12.00 – 13.00	Continued from last session	Dr. Sharana Gouda, Assistant Controller, Group Leader, Biotechnology, Chennai
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch Break	
14.00 – 15.00	Continued from last session	Ms. Meenakshi Yadav, Examiner, Biotechnology, Delhi

15.00 – 15.30	Tea / Coffee Break	
15.30 – 16.30	Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) procedure	Mr. Tshimanga Kongolo, WIPO
16.30 – 17.30	Continued from last session	Mr. Tshimanga Kongolo, WIPO
17.30 – 18.00	Discussion: question & answer	Dr. Sharana Gouda Ms. Meenakshi Yadav Mr. Tshimanga Kongolo

DAY 2

Session	Topic	Resource person
10.00 – 11.00	International Patent Classification & exercises	Ms. Anushri Kamble, Examiner, Biotechnology, Mumbai
11.00 – 11.30	Tea / Coffee Break	
11.30 – 12.30	Continued from last session	Ms. Sandhya Kothari, Examiner, Biotechnology, Mumbai
12.30 – 13.30	Continued from last session	Ms. Meenakshi Yadav, Examiner, Biotechnology, Delhi
13.30 – 14.30	Lunch Break	
14.30 – 15.30	Introduction to patent searching techniques	Ms. Sandhya Kothari, Examiner, Biotechnology, Mumbai
15.30 – 15.45	Tea / Coffee Break	
15.45 – 16.45	Continued from last session	Ms. Meenakshi Yadav, Examiner, Biotechnology, Delhi
16.45 – 17.45	Continued from last session	Ms. Anushri Kamble, Examiner, Biotechnology, Mumbai
17.45 – 18.00	Discussion: question & answer	Ms. Anushri Kamble Ms. Sandhya Kothari Ms. Meenakshi Yadav

DAY 3

Session	Topic	Resource person
10.00 – 11.00	Assessment of novelty (Exercise)	Mr. Matthew Rainey, WIPO
11.00 – 11.30	Tea / Coffee Break	
11.30 – 12.30	Continued from last session	Mr. Matthew Rainey, WIPO
12.30 – 13.30	Continued from last session	Mr. Matthew Rainey, WIPO
13.30 – 14.30	Lunch Break	
14.30 – 15.30	Assessment of novelty in the field of biotechnology	Dr. Anindya Sircar, External Faculty
15.30 – 15.45	Tea / Coffee Break	Dr. Anindya Sircar, External Faculty
15.45 – 16.45	Continued from last session	Dr. Anindya Sircar, External Faculty
16.45 – 17.45	Continued from last session	Dr. Anindya Sircar, External Faculty
17.45 – 18.00	Discussion: question & answer	Mr. Matthew Rainey

Dr. Anindya Sircar

DAY 4

Session	Topic	Resource person
10.00 – 11.00	Assessment of inventive step (Exercise)	Dr. Anita Jatav, Assistant Controller, Biotechnology, Delhi
11.00 – 11.30	Tea / Coffee Break	
11.30 – 12.30	Continued from last session	Dr. Sharana Gouda, Assistant Controller, Group Leader, Biotechnology, Chennai
12.30 – 13.30	Continued from last session	Dr. Anita Jatav, Assistant Controller, Biotechnology, Delhi
13.30 – 14.30	Lunch Break	
14.30 – 15.30	Assessment of inventive step in the field of biotechnology	Dr. Anindya Sircar, External Faculty
15.30 – 15.45	Tea / Coffee Break	
15.45 – 16.45	Continued from last session	Dr. Anindya Sircar, External Faculty
16.45 – 17.45	Continued from last session	Dr. Anindya Sircar, External Faculty
17.45 – 18.00	Question & Answer	Dr. Sharana Gouda Dr. Anindya Sircar Dr. Anita Jatav

DAY 5

Session	Topic	Resource person
10.00 – 11.00	Assessment of industrial application (Exercise)	Dr. Anita Jatav, Assistant Controller, Biotechnology, Delhi
11.00 – 11.30	Tea / Coffee Break	
11.30 – 12.30	Assessment of industrial application in the field of biotechnology	Dr. Anindya Sircar, External Faculty
12.30 – 13.30	Assessment of unity of invention (Exercise)	Dr. Sharana Gouda, Assistant Controller, Group Leader, Biotechnology, Chennai
13.30 – 14.30	Lunch Break	
14.30 – 15.30	Continued from last session	Dr. Anita Jatav, Assistant Controller, Biotechnology, Delhi
15.30 – 15.45	Tea / Coffee Break	
15.45 – 16.45	Assessment of unity of invention in the field of biotechnology	Dr. Anindya Sircar, External Faculty
16.45 – 17.45	Continued from last session	Dr. Anindya Sircar, External Faculty
17.45 – 18.30	Valedictory session: Discussion: question & answer Feedback, distribution of certificates,	Dr. Anindya Sircar Dr. Anita Jatav Dr. Sharana Gouda

closing ceremony