

	<h1>Gujarat Technological University</h1> <p>Invites Application for Admission in 4th Batch of</p> <h2>“Post Graduate Diploma in IPR”</h2> <p>(Off Campus Program) (2018-2019 Batch)</p> <p><u>Batch starts from December 2018</u> <u>Last Date to apply 25th December 2018</u></p>
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PREAMBLE:

Intellectual Property Right (IPR) and in particular Patent is playing a key role in the current knowledge based economy of any country. In the last year, from India nearly 45,000 patents have been filed. But out of these 70% patents have been filed by multinational company and OR foreign individuals and rest by Indian researchers. In the year 2015 onwards China is filing nearly 10,00,000 patents in each year. Out of which nearly 20% patents have been filed by multinational company and OR foreign individuals and rest by Chinese researchers. The reason for this big difference between India and China patent filing is due to difference in IP literacy among the research community. In China, IPR is the compulsory subject at school level. Due to this many professional working in the field of IPR and patents are available in China.

Under the visionary leadership of **Honb. Prof. (Dr.) Navin Sheth**, Vice Chancellor of GTU is continuing its IP literacy programmes, University has so far organized more than 100 workshops in last eight years and by that way provided training to nearly 8,000 faculty members and students for the Basic to advance level of IPR as well as conducted workshops for students too. GTU has introduced “*Patent Search and Analysis Report (PSAR) Generation*” compulsory to BE (Sem 7) and M. Pharm (Sem 3) students. Further, “*Patent Drafting Exercise (PDE)*” is introduced in BE (Sem 8). Due to these efforts 356 patents have been filed by GTU students and faculty member so far.

Further, to increase the skilled human resource that are not only technically sound but also having in-depth knowledge of IPR and patents, GTU has launched “**Post Graduate Diploma in IPR**” course from September 2014. First batch completed their course in August 2015, Second batch completed their course in Sept 2016 and Third batch had completed their course in September 2018. This course has received a huge response from participants. And many pass out students are working in IP field based on learning from the course. Here by admission for 4th Batch of PGDIPR Course (2018-2019) has been started.

OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE:

1. Increase skilled man power in the field of IPR and Patents.
2. Students/faculty can take up this program along with their parallel study/work as a Skill development program.
3. There is big demand of technocrats, who possess knowledge of IPR and Patents in research based Pharmaceutical and Engineering industry, so this program will increase employability of our students.
4. After thorough training of this course, students can start their own consultancy firm in the field of IPR and Patents. So students can become Entrepreneur after going through this program.
5. Assured internship to all enrolled candidates at renowned law firms, IP analytics companies, organisations and institutes.
6. This will bridge the gap between Indian and Chinese figure of patents filing per year.

FEES, ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA and PROGRAM STRUCTURE:

Name of Course	Duration	Mode of study	Proposed Fees (Rs.)	Eligibility
PG Diploma in IPR (PGDIPR)	12 months	2 days per month (Usually Saturday & Sunday) (Total 24 days contact class)	Rs. 25,000/-	Student currently pursuing OR completed Master/ PhD in Pharmacy/ Engineering/ Management /Science OR Faculty members from Pharmacy/ Engineering/ Management colleges OR Any working professional possessing Basic graduation in any field Note: Minimum graduation in any field is MUST require. PREFERENCE WILL BE GIVEN TO SCIENCE STREAM BASED GRADUATES.

HOW TO APPLY

Candidate has to fill up the form attached separately with this circular. Fill up all details and send the form with necessary documents along with payment challan of Rs. 25,000/- fees paid using online SBI to below mentioned address with subject on the cover “Application for PG Diploma in IPR”. **APPLICATION FORM** is also available from below link:

<https://goo.gl/MgQRsr>

SEND APPLICATION WITH ALL ENCLOSURES TO:

The Registrar,
Gujarat Technological University,
Nr. Vishwakarma Government Engineering College
Nr. Visat Three Roads,
Visat-Gandhinagar Highway Chandkheda,
Ahmedabad – 382424 – Gujarat

On application mention heading as “APPLICATION FORM FOR PGDIPR COURSE”

For payment refer below mentioned guideline document:

<http://gtu.ac.in/ImpCircular/SBIPayment%20Instructions.pdf>

NOTE: While making payment through [SBI online payment gateway](#), **Select Payment Category as “PGDIPR COURSE FEE”**.

IMPORTANT DATES

Forms available from	:	14 th November 2018, Wednesday
Last date of submission of forms	:	25 th December 2018, Thursday
Commencement of Course	:	29 th – 30 th December 2018

TOTAL 60 SEATS ARE AVAILABLE FOR ADMISSION TO 4TH BATCH OF PGDIPR COURSE, WILL BE FILLED ON FIRST CUM FIRST SERVE BASIS. PREFERENCE WILL BE GIVEN TO SCIENCE STREAM BASED GRADUATES.

UNIQUE FEATURES OF THIS COURSE

- 120 hours of contact classes (This is highest among all similar kind of program)
- Off campus Program (Candidates can take up this course with his/her ongoing study or job)
- Chinese Patent System (This is 1st time offered by any institute in India)
- Japanese Patent System (This is 1st time offered by any institute in India)
- African Patent System (This is 1st time offered by any institute in India)
- Complete filing system coverage for Indian and International Filing of Patent, Design, Trademark and Copyright.
- Case study based learning (Each module will be supplemented with case study)
- Indian Patent Agent Exam Module (This is offered with PG Diploma course 1st time by any institute in India)
- Faculty from GTU, reputed law firms, IPR cells of Industry, Patent Officers and Foreign Experts will conduct the contact classes (This is to get diversified pull of expertise)
- Assured internship to all enrolled candidates at renowned law firms, IP analytics companies, organisations and institutes.
- It is necessary to attend minimum 75% contact classes during each semester, without which candidate will not be allowed to appear in the exam.

RESOURCE PERSONS

- Shri S. Chandrasekaran**, Ex-CGPDTM, Gov. of India, Chennai
Shri B. P. Singh, Deputy Controller of Patent, Indian Patent Office, Govt. of India, New Delhi
Dr. Unnat Pandit, OSD, Minister of Commerce & Industry, New Delhi
Prof. Heinz Goddar, German Patent Attorney, Munich, Germany
Dr. Rajesh Acharya, MD, H. K. Acharya & Co., Ahmedabad
Shri Padmin Buch, Senior Faculty, Head (IPR), EDI, Ahmedabad
Dr. Manish A. Rachchh, Director (R & D) & CEO, Accuprec Research Labs Pvt Ltd. Ahmedabad
Mr. Amit Patel, Assistant Professor (IPR), GTU
Dr. Kishor Vinchi, Vice President, IP Management, Macleods Pharma, Mumbai
Mr. Tushar Surti, Marketing Head (India), Gridlogics Ltd, Pune
Ms. Garima Sahney, Associate Partner, Saikrishna & Associates, Delhi
Mr. Anil Pandey, Head (IPR), CII, Western Region, Ahmedabad
Mr. Vinaykumar Pandya, Patent & TM Attorney, Ahmedabad
Mr. Harpritsingh Banker, Patent & TM Attorney, Ahmedabad
Dr. Alpesh Pathak, VP & Global IP Head, Intas Pharmaceuticals, Ahmedabad
Ms. Nilam Gadani, Head Patent Department, H K Acharya & Company, Ahmedabad
Mr. Ashish Gupta, Partner, Krishna and Saurastri, Delhi
Mr. Subhadip Sarkar, Senior Director-IP, Cognizant, Bangalore
Mr. Rohan Turior, Head of IP and Innovation, Fleet Guard Filters Pvt.Ltd. Pune
Mr. Prashant Patankar, IP Counsel – BASF, Mumbai
Mr. Govind Kedia, Director, Arctic Invent, Delhi
Mr. Suneet B Sabale, Owner & CEO, Brainiac IP Solutions.
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Mr. Shailesh Tavate, Head – IP Software Solutions, Johson Controls, India
Mr. K. Pradeep, MD, Prodyovidhi, Indore
Mr. Kumar Anjani, Senior Manager, Welspun Group – Mumbai
Mr. Nilesh Pandit, Patent Attorney, Tata Consultancy Services, Pune
Mr. Ketan Bhatt, Head Trademark division, H K Acharya & Company, Ahmedabad
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Mr. Harsha Duggasani, Assistant Manager IP, Bosch, Bangalore
Ms. Meera Sharma, Assistant Manager at Arkray Healthcare Pvt Ltd, Surat
Prof. Manishkumar Gupta, JNV University, Jodhpur
Dr. Shailesh Jain, Registered Patent Agent, Cadila Pharmaceuticals Ltd. Ahmedabad

(Above is brief list only apart from them, GTU is also inviting other eminent subject experts from diverse background to conduct sessions for this course)

FEW FEED BACK OF 3rd BATCH (2017-2018) PARTICIPANTS OF PGDIPR COURSE

"I enrolled PG Diploma in IPR course at GTU with consideration of helping my Swarnim Startup & Innovation University (SSIU) students for IPR support. I proud to say that GTU team has set fantabulous course structure with very good expert resources who delivered treasure of in depth knowledge in area of IPR. It was really great experience to interact with the dignitaries and experts. Beyond that I really enjoyed the working and learning with everyone. I thank one and all for sharing valuable inputs to improve my knowledge in IPR segment. It is really worthy to enroll for the PGDIPR from Gujarat Technological University."

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"Learning IPR fundas from IPR professionals/practitioners viz. Patent agents, Patent attorneys, Entrepreneurs, IPR heads of various MNCs, and Controller Generals of Patent Office was the stunning live experience for me. Just thank you is not enough for Course Coordinator of PGDIPR and G.T.U. for providing such a valuable opportunity to learn and grow."

Dr. Nishith Patel

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"Journey to gain knowledge and wealth but it is a path to know latest solutions or techniques that actually upbrining life to next level. Having knowledge from eminent subject experts will reduce time to understand fundamental of IPR. After attending PGDIPR course at GTU I believe that I am able to give solution to IPR related problems."

Mr. Jayvir Shah

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"I am very great full to join PGDIPR course. It is "A wonderful practical course"; both personally and professionally. It is a very good mixture of theoretical and practical training. The syllabus was excellent. Because of this course my Carrier objective get convert into IPR field and this help me to reach in practical field by adding my carrier in IPR profession during this course. And especially thanking GTU and coordinator of PDGIPR course for giving us stage and wonderful knowledge for having a magnificent carrier in IPR."

Priyanka Pawar

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"I am very satisfied with the content and quality of Post Graduate Diploma in IPR (PGDIPR) course at GTU during 2017-18 Batch. This course helps me to acquire knowledge and skills in the field of IPR and Patents. After thorough training through this course, now I can start my own consultancy firm in the field of IPR and Patents. This course helps to develop skills in areas like Prior Art/Patent Searches, Analysis, Landscaping, Claims & Specification Drafting, Filing and Prosecution of different types of IP. GTU's PGDIPR course has many unique features."

Dr. Chirag Jayantilal Patel

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"PGDIPR at GTU has clarified the concept of IPR and made 'U' turn in my professional attitude. I heartily thank to GTU and Personally the coordinators of PDGIPR course for arranging and doing hard efforts for setup and inviting highly professional experts with 15 to 20 years' experience in the field. The syllabus of PGDIPR covers all the aspects in depth for all IP segments. All the lectures were interactive and practical exercise were done nicely too. The effect of this huge effort will remarkably observe on Indian IPR system in coming days. May be this effort leads to make Ahmedabad as IPR hub."

Jiten Thakkar

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"I am Khushali Dhru. I am M.pharm student from GTU and at the time of joining this batch it was my 1st sem of M.Pharm and this course is very helpful for my M.Pharm studies and research work. And after completing this course I am sure it will create a strong base for my career buildup. This course and all the faculties gave me new vision and opportunities for IPR field. Happy to be a part of this batch."

Khushi Dhru

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"I found this course really useful and meaningful for a person like me who is an aspirant to work in the IP department of a company. I learned many new things which helped me to pursue my career in IP field. Lectures conducted were really good and interesting. Drafting related lectures really helped me to improve my skills in drafting patent application."

Urvashi Raval

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“It is appreciable that Gujarat technological University took an initiative to start up with a course which is not known much in India yet. They invited various resource person from different industries like-pharmaceutical, electronic, marketing, mechanical etc. We had an extensive and interactive session. The sessions gave knowledge of Indian and international patent system, with extensive and easy to learn and understand methodology. This course had increased my interest to pursue my career in the field of IPR. I once again acknowledge the faculty members and GTU for this initiative.”

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“We know that in today's scenario knowledge of Intellectual Property Rights is necessary for development of country and generation of wealth, and GTU is working very nicely to generate trained human resources in IPR domain via Post Graduate Diploma on Intellectual Property Rights (PGDIPR) Course. I am the student of PGDIPR 2017-18 batch I have learn so many things regarding intellectual property rights. And now I am able to give these knowledge to my colleagues and student. Expert Speakers were very sound and interactive during the sessions. I will suggest my friends from science back ground to do this course.”

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“The whole journey was remained so useful in making our renowned future. It had given a lot many opportunities to show our excellence. It was as knowledgeable as all the great experience. Speakers given their best effort in nourishing the growing plant like us.”

Urvi Shah

Senior Executive at Zydus Cadila Healthcare

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“I am very fortunate to be a part of GTU IPR Mission as student of PGDIPR. This course is one of the basic needs for the professional likes Pharmacy and engineering students to enter in IP domain. As various expert comes in to the classes, they provides all the necessary information related to patents and other IP domains.”

Ishwar Pawar

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“This initiative of GTU has been really helpful for us to expand our knowledge regarding IPR. We were taught everything based on current scenarios of the field and application of that to practical knowledge by very well-known professionals and it has been priceless.”

Stuti Doshi

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“A unique kind of syllabus across the country for course which covers everything about IPR. This course actually changed my way of looking towards research & how to convert it into business. A new thought process developed after the completion of this Course.”

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FOR FURTHER INQUIRY

For detail about syllabus, teaching pattern, exam pattern and like, please see website of PGDIPR course <http://gtuipr.gtu.ac.in/Default.aspx>

For any query, kindly contact:

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