



**DHARMASHASTRA NATIONAL LAW
UNIVERSITY, JABALPUR**

**CENTRE FOR ADVOCACY,
PRACTICE, AND RESEARCH IN
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

presents

Single Credit Course

on

**IMPACT OF DIGITAL SPACE ON
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS**



Dates: 29th & 30th November 2025



DHARMASHASTRA NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY, JABALPUR



Dharmashastra National Law University, Jabalpur (M.P.), was established in the year 2018, by the Madhya Pradesh Dharmashastra National Law University Act, 24 of 2018, with the object of advancing the cause of legal education and achieving excellence as a university for imparting value-based legal education to undergraduate as well as postgraduate students. DNLU is dedicated to providing high-quality legal education that prepares students to excel in the field of law and contribute to the legal profession and society at large. It actively supports faculty and student research initiatives, organizes seminars, conferences, and workshops, and encourages publications in reputed legal journals.

The motto of the University is 'सत्यं वद, धर्मं चर', which has been enshrined in Verse eleven of the Shikshavalli Section of the Taittiriya Upanishad. It literally means "speak the truth and conduct in accordance with dharma. At the end of the course, in the Dikshant Samaroh, the Guru shows the further path to his pupils and asks them to follow the path of truth and stick to the dharma.



CENTRE FOR ADVOCACY, PRACTICE AND RESEARCH IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY



The Centre for Advocacy, Practice and Research in Intellectual Property (CAPRIP) is set up at the Dharmashastra National Law University, Jabalpur, to ensure capacity building and advocacy on various facets of Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) among students, research scholars, professionals, industry experts, and society at large. The objective of this centre is to advocate for everyone who is in need of comprehensive knowledge about IPR and its application and to provide consultancy for dispute resolution.

CAPRIP is dedicated to advocating, practice, and research by engaging in various activities, including consultation for different IPR and IP-related aspects of IPR for MSME & Start-ups, Capacity building programs, exploring the interface of IPR with other law subjects through workshops, seminars, and courses; engaging in collaborative research with other foreign and national institutions; and engaging in activities invoking thought-provoking discourse with various stakeholders, including artisans, inventors, advocates, IP law firms, etc.



IMPACT OF DIGITAL SPACE ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

The rapid expansion of digital technologies in India, including broadband, streaming services, e-commerce, and Generative AI, has transformed the production and consumption of creative and technological works. The existing legal framework, comprising the Copyright Act 1957, the Patents Act 1970, the Trademarks Act 1999, the IT Act 2000, the Intermediary Guidelines, and the Digital Media Ethics Code Rules 2021, struggles to keep pace with issues of digital piracy, software patentability, cross-border infringement, and AI Authorship.

Copyright law faces issues due to increasing global access and growing ease of copying. Patent Law confronts ambiguity in Section 3(k) for software and AI Inventions. Digital marketplaces have magnified trademark infringement and cope with counterfeiting. The Courts are also adopting traditional remedies to solve these issues in digital context. However, these mechanisms has their own limitations.



SINGLE CREDIT COURSE

The Single Credit Course organised by CAPRIP, DNLU, is on the theme ‘Impact of Digital Space on Intellectual Property Rights’. The Course will be conducted in online mode. This course will explore the evolving impact of digital technologies on IPR, critically examining the adequacy of existing laws and the need for reform to meet the challenges emerging in the digital age.

This course will offer sessions led by leading experts in the IP Field, including academicians, industry experts, and practitioners. The course is designed to make participants aware and engage them in a meaningful discourse on the impact and issues due to the intersection of IPR and digital space, evaluate their understanding, and deliberate on practical reforms.

The course will include sessions on the intersection of digital space and different IPRs, Competition Law, and the International Perspective on it. It will also include evaluation through activities based on discussions in each session.



RESOURCE PERSONS



Prof. (Dr.) Anindya Sircar

Chair Professor, DPIIT Chair, NALSAR University of Law, Hyderabad

speaking on Patent & Integrated Circuit Layout Design Issues in Digital Space

Prof. (Dr.) Ghayur Alam

Senior Professor of Law, National Law Institute University, Bhopal

speaking on Intellectual Property and Competition Issues in Digital Space



Dr. G.R. Raghavendra

Senior Consultant (IPR), Department of Promotion of Industry & Internal Trade (DPIIT), Government of India

speaking on Copyright & Industrial Design Issues in Digital Space

Dr. Gargi Chakrabarti

Associate Professor and Controller of Examination,
Dharmashastra National Law University, Jabalpur

speaking on Geographical Indication Issues in Digital Space



Mr. Pranay Bali

Partner, ALG India Law Offices LLP

speaking on Trademark Issues in Digital Space

Dr. Gunjan Chawla Arora

Assistant Professor of Law, Institute of Law,
Nirma University, Ahmedabad

speaking on International Perspective of IPR Issues in Digital Space





PATRON IN CHIEF



Prof. (Dr.) Manoj Kumar Sinha,
Vice Chancellor, DNLU

COURSE CHAIR



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REGISTRATION

Who May Register?

- Students pursuing LL.B./B.A.LL.B./LL.M. from any recognised University.
- Research Scholars and Academicians
- Industry Professionals
- Practitioners

How to Register?

Participants can register for the course by filling out this [Google form](#) and paying the registration fee through this [link](#).

Registration Fee:

- For Students - Rs. 200/-
- For Research Scholars/Acadmicians/Industry Professionals/Practitioners - Rs. 500/-

Important Dates:

Last Date for Registration

25th November 2025

Dates of Single Credit Course

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