

## **Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs) and IP management for start up**

**Date: 28th May 2021**

**Description:** A webinar was arranged on "**Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs) and IP management for startup**" by the **DPU Foundation for Innovation, Incubation, and Entrepreneurship** on Friday, 28th May 2021. The session started with a welcome note given by Dr. Zafar Azeem.

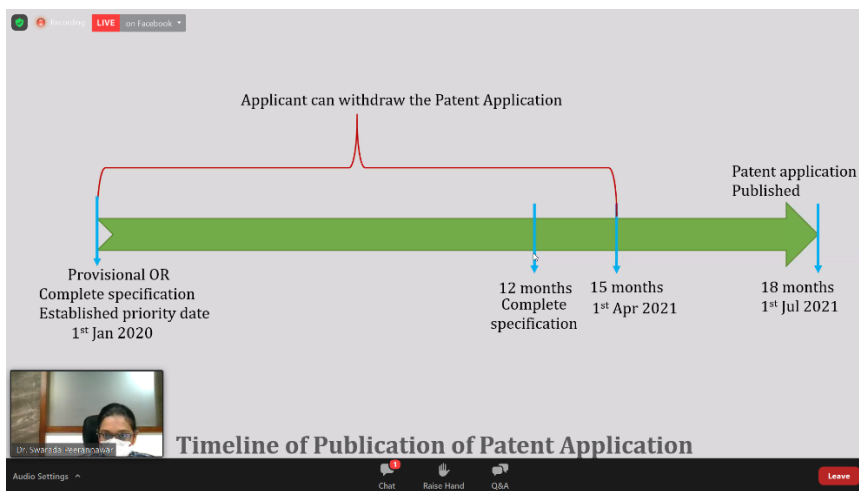
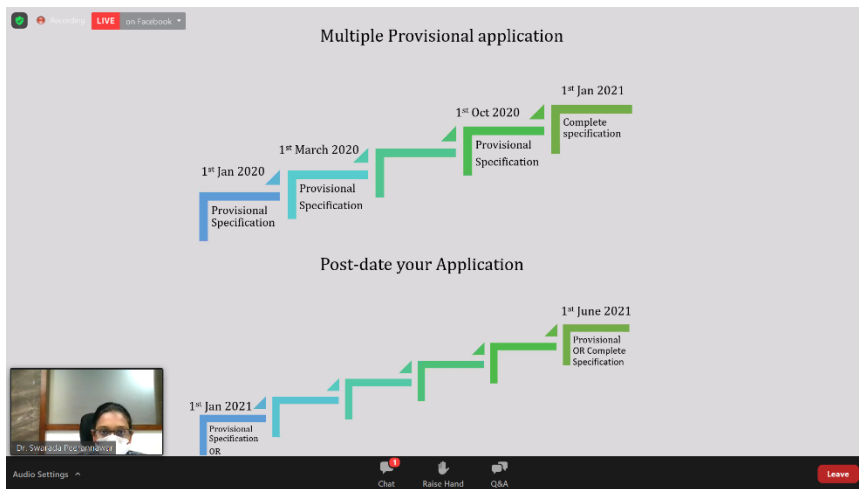
At the beginning of the session, Dr. N. J Pawar Vice chancellor of Dr. D.Y. Patil Vidyapeeth spoke about how important it is to sensitize students, faculty, and entrepreneur on patent laws and how they should protect their intellectual property. He also suggested that they should arrange idea competition and shortlist certain ideas and guide them for patenting, as DPU has such a diverse course. He was positive that every year they can get a minimum of 75-100 patents registered with proper encouragement and sessions like this.

Dr. Swarada Peeranwar was the key speaker and one of the organizers of the event. Dr. Swarada holds M.Sc. in Organic Chemistry and Ph.D. in Computational Chemistry. Dr. Swarada explained about steps involved in the patent application and the types of the patent application. She discussed how multiple provisional application works and the process after completion of the application. The provisional specification contains the title and description of the invention. The complete specification should be filed within 12 months from the date of the first provisional application or else it will be abandoned. The patent application gets published in the official journal after 18 months earliest priority date. Patent rights start from the date of application.

She discussed the timeline of the publication patent and its withdrawal. One can withdraw the application within 15 months from the date of filing. She also mentions how the patent office will not examine an application unless it is published and a request for examination is filed. The application request can be filed within 48 months from the date of filing. She threw some light on the First Examination Report (FER) how it is issued and what it contains. The response to FER must be within 6 months. She also spoke about the Controller's decision and the refusal of the patent. When the applicant refiles the document within the stipulated time the application is reexamined. If there is no pre-grant opposition the patent is granted. The controller's decision for refusal of the patent is applicable before the Intellectual Property Appellate Board (IPAB). No patent is refused without giving an opportunity of being heard. The hearing happens at patent office or via Video conferencing or audio-visual communication devices. Then the controller takes the final decision.

At the end she took a small quiz to check the understanding of the participants, many gave accurate answers. It was a successful event.

**Photograph:**



## Patent Application

### Provisional Specification

- First provisional application secures the priority date of your invention.
- Provisional application never get published.
- Multiple provisional application can be filed for single inventive concept within given timeline.
- Final complete specification can be submitted by combining all earlier filed provisional specification, provided they belongs to same inventive concept.
- Provisional specification contains Title and the Description of the Invention.
- The description contains the field of invention, background object of the invention and statement of the invention.
- Provisional specification cannot be filed in case of a Divisional or PCT Application.

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