

**DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE
JAWAHARLAL NEHRU COLLEGE
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Dated 1st March 2018

To,

The Principal
Jawaharlal Nehru College
Pasighat

Sub:- Final Report of the One Day Seminar on IPR held on 16th February 2016

R/Sir,

This is to inform you that the Department of Political Science in collaboration with the IQAC, J. N. College had successfully conducted the One Day Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights on 16th February 2018 as per Office Order NO.JNC/IQAC-54/2017-18, Dated 12th September, 2017.

As the Organising Secretary, I am submitting here the Final Report of the proceedings of the Seminar. Please find herewith the enclosed copies of Final Report with Photographic evidence, Abstract of Papers presented, Newspaper Clipping of the Seminar etc.

This is for your kind information only.

Yours Sincerely

(Dr Romeo Dupak)
Organising Secretary

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- 2) IPR Cell, J.N.College for information
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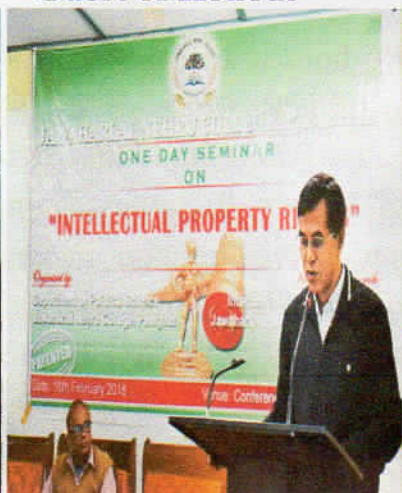
With a view to create awareness and sensitize the teaching faculty of Jawaharlal Nehru College, about the beneficial aspects of patenting their creative and novel ideas, and inventions as well as various issues related to infringement of IPRs particularly copyrights, the Department of Political Science in collaboration with the IQAC of the college organized a one day Seminar on “Intellectual Property Rights” on 16th February 2018 in the Conference Hall. The One Day Seminar was exclusively organised for the Teaching Faculty of the College.

Chief Guest



**Dr Milorai Modi
Principal**

Guest of Honour



**Dr.S.D.Choudhury
Vice-Principal**

Keynote Speaker



**Dr. Narang Tari
Head of Department**

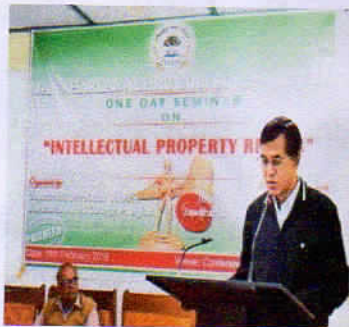
Dr. Milorai Modi, Principal, and Dr. S.D.Choudhury, Vice Principal J. N. College were the Chief Guest and Guest of Honour of the Seminar. In his speech, Dr Milorai Modi expressed sincere appreciation and thanks to both IQAC and the Department of Political Science for having organized the Seminar on the relevant topic. While sharing his views on the seminar he opined that IPRs are given to the creator or innovator for his or her creation for certain

period of time basically to protect the originality of the product. He said that notion of IP was realized by Philosophers like John Locke and utilitarian thinkers who advocated for protection of the creative inventions. While underscoring the significance of the IPRs protection in the contemporary era he also echoed the sentiments of the critics who are skeptical of the IPRs as the chances of losing the originality and monopoly remain high when piracy and counterfeiting have become the order of the day. He also opined that striking a right balance between the need of the users and creators is very essential to ensure the originality of the works. He expressed hope and expectation from the various participants for the fruitful discussion on the topic.

Dr Narang Tari, Head of Department, Political Science welcomed the participants and delivered the keynote address in which he explained the fundamentals of the IP and various aspects of IPRs in India. He outlined the whole gamut of process involving enforcement of IPRs and various issues related to infringement of those rights. In a nutshell, he addressed different aspects of IPRs indicating the scope for intellectual and academic discourse on Intellectual Property Rights.

Amidst healthy and scholarly discussion, 5 (five) papers were presented covering different aspects of IPRs such as TRIPS, Patents, Copyrights and Industrial perspectives etc. Dr S.D. Choudhury, Vice Principal of the College discussed on the Govt. of India's IP policy framework which delineate the agenda for creative and innovative India by means of strong and effective IP policy. Dr. D.P. Panda spoke on "IPR: Industrial Perspectives", Mr. Tara Singh Gibo "Trade Related Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS), Mr Hari Loyi "Patents" and a joint paper by Mr Marshal Gao and Dr Romeo Dupak on "Copyrights."

Faculties of the College presenting their Papers



Dr S. D. Choudhury



Dr D. P. Panda



Mr T. S. Gibo



Mr Hari Loyi



Mr Marshal Gao

Dr M. A. Salam, Head of Department, Economics acted as the Resource Person and moderated the proceedings. He observed that the potentials of Traditional knowledge of Arunachal can be harnessed in view of IPRs under the Global framework. Arunachal Pradesh contains a lot of Traditional Knowledge base in all works of life like method of treating ailments, medicinal plants in the Himalayan range, local cuisines, traditional attire, folk dance, song and music, potential of eco-tourism and variety of flora and fauna can be protected under Geographical Indication (G.I) or under the Patent Rights or Copyrights. He emphasized that these traditional knowledge should be documented properly and should be incorporated in the Traditional Knowledge of Digital Library (T.K.D.L), New Delhi.

Dr S.N. Yadav Coordinator Internal Quality Assurance Cell, J.N. College also spoke on the occasion. The Seminar ended with presentation of brief summary of the proceedings by Mr Danggen Dameng, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science and distribution of certificates to the paper presenters by Dr M.A. Salam, Resource Person.

Distribution of Certificates by Dr M.A.Salam, Resource Person



Dr S.D.Choudhury



Dr D.P.Panda



Mr T.S.Gibo



Mr Hari Loyi



Mr Marshal Gao

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Organising Secretary