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**EDUCATIONAL QUALIFCATION**

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| **COLLEGE/SCHOOL** | **QUALIFICATION** | **CGPA/PERCENTAGE** | **YEAR OF PASSING** |
| National Law University, Jodhpur | LL.M. (IPR) Course | 7.75 | 2017 |
| ICFAI University, Dehradun | B.B.A. LL.B. (IPR Hons.) | 8.31 | 2016 |
| Auxilium Convent School, Bandel | Indian School Certificate Examination (Class XII); Affiliated To CISCE Board | 84.50% | 2010 |
| Auxilium Convent School, Bandel | Indian Certificate of Secondary Education Examination (Class X); Affiliated To CISCE Board | 62.80 % | 2008 |

**ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS AND COURSES**

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| **COURSE** | **INSTITUTION** | **TIME PERIOD/PROGRESS** |
| FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME, 2021 TITLED ‘EXPLORING SELF: A NEW PARADIGM IN EDUCATION’ | KIIT UNIVERSITY, BHUBANESWAR | June 20- June 26, 2021 |
| ‘FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM ON IPR CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT AND PEDAGOGY FOR TEACHING CHANGING DIMENSIONS OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS IN THE ERA OF GLOBALIZATION’ | DPIIT-IPR CHAIR AND CENTER FOR IPR AT MAHARASTRA NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY, NAGPUR. | June 01- June 07, 2021 |
| FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME, 2020 | KIIT UNIVERSITY, BHUBANESWAR | June 22- June 28, 2020 |
| REFRESHER COURSE:  CEERA-NLSIU-Third One Week “Prof. (Dr.) N.R. Madhava Menon Refresher Course for Law Teachers | NATIONAL LAW SCHOOL OF INDIA UNIVERSITY, BENGALURU. | June 7- June 13, 2019 |
| INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT ARBITRATION AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS | IPR CHAIR, NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY, JODHPUR | July 25-July 29, 2016 |

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

**KIIT School of Law, KIIT University, Bhubaneswar [August, 2019- Present]**

**Academic Responsiblities:**

* Organized skill development sessions for the IPR (Hons. Group) students in the form of a Guest Lecture on *"Due Diligence prior to Trademark filing with a special focus on Trademark search"***.** The session was addressed by Mr. Nitin Abhishek, Attorney, De Penning & De Penning on 5th March, 2022.
* Organized skill development sessions for the final semester IPR (Hons. Group) students in the form of a Guest Lecture on *IP Audit & Valuation: Organizational Perspective & Methods***.** The session was addressed by Assistant Professor Gouri Ashok Gargate, IP Law & Management, IIT Kharagpur on 6th October, 2021.
* Organized skill development sessions for the final semester IPR (Hons. Group) students in the form of a Guest Lecture on *‘Commercialisation, Portfolio Analysis and Valuations: Role of an IP Manager’*  on 21st August, 2021. The session was addressed by Mr. Pulkit Popli Sir, IP Portfolio Manager, One IP International Pvt. Ltd., Sydney, Australia.
* Organized skill development sessions for the fifth semester General IPR paper students in the form of a Guest Lecture on " Practice in Media and Entertainment Laws" on 21st August 2021. The session was addressed by Sudha Sameekshya, IPR Attorney and Advocate.
* Preparation of syllabus, reading materials, internal assessment schemes and skill development components for the assigned Law (Hons. and general) and B.Tech (Elective) papers.
* Delivering lectures on assigned subjects by adopting various suitable teaching methodologies and aids.
* Effectively adapting and carrying out online classes, viva and examination, invigilation and e-evaluation in the pandemic scenario.
* Preparation and moderation of question papers for the mid and end term examination conducted by the University.
* Supervising LL.M. student for carrying out and completing their dissertation work.
* Supervising and assisting IPR Hons. Group students to write and publish research papers on their interested areas.
* Rendering opportunities for research based internships under my guidance to interested students.
* Maintaining daily activity records and other details over the KIIT SAP Portal.

**Administrative Responsiblities:**

* Presently working as a **Faculty Coordinator for the Center for Intellectual Property Studies**, KIIT School of Law.
* Working as a part of the research team on *“Developing a Legislative Frmework for the protection of Trade Secrets in India”****.***Its a joint venture of Centre for Intellectual Property Rights Research and Advocacy (CIPRA) & Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt. of India) Chair on Intellectual Property Rights, National Law School of India University, Bangalore in association with KIIT School of Law, Bhubaneswar, Odisha.
* Organized the Annual IP Conclave, 2021(29th-31st October, 2021) under the Center for Intellectual Property Studies, KIIT School of Law.
* Organized Webinar on *‘Intellectual Property Law in the age of Social Media*’ on 29th October, 2021. The session was addressed by Prof. Irene Calboli, Professor of Law- Texas A&M University, School of Law.
* Organized Workshop in association with Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Intellectual Property Management on *‘Intellectual Property Rights- Patents and Designs Process’* on 30th October, 2021. The session was addressed by Mr. Pankaj Borkar, Deputy Controller of Patents and Design of RGNIIPM, Nagpur.
* Faculty Coordinator for the session on *‘Intellectual Property Law in Corporate Legal and In-house Legal Practice’* in the 12th Mega HR Conclave organized by the University on 25th September, 2021.
* Organized IP Week on the event of World Intellectual Property Day from 19th April- 26th April, 2021.
* Organized Webinar on 'Covid 19 Impact on Intellectual Property rights' on 24th April, 2021. The session was addressed by Dr. Rajat Agarwal, Professor at Department of Management Studies, IIT Roorkee and Dr. Gargi Chakraborti, Associate Professor at NLU, Jodhpur.
* Presently, working as **Assistant Editor for KIIT Journal of Law and Society**, School of Law, KIIT Deemed to be University, Bhubaneswar.
* Mentoring and taking overall responsibilities of the assigned mentees. Grooming, assisting and guiding them in every sphere.
* Appointed as the **Assistant Superintendent of KIIT School of Law**, Girls Hostel.
* Assigned with monthly hostel duties by the University which requires visits to different hostels and understanding the concerns of students as well as of the hostel authorities.

**The Indian Institute of Legal Studies, Siliguri [Feb, 2018-June, 2019]**

**Academic Responsiblities:**

* Prepared lesson plan, project topics and assignment topics for assigned subjects.
* Delivered lectures on assigned subjects by adopting various methodologies and aids.
* Maintaining students’ attendance sheet and motivating students who are irregular.
* Evaluate and grade students’ in their end term semester examinations conducted by the University, class tests and other assignments.
* Assisted students in empirical and doctrinal research work.
* Taken viva voice examinations and evaluated it based on their projects.
* Prepare question papers for the end term examination conducted by the University.
* Given responsibility to mentor a list of students.
* Taken up research work and have prepared article for college law journal, IILS Law Review and also recently presented a paper on the National Seminar organized by the college on theme “*Right to Freedom of Speech and Expression under National and International Laws*.”

**Administrative Responsiblities:**

* Member of the organizing committee for SAARC Law Conclave: 2018 conducted by Indian Institute of Legal Studies, Siliguri.
* **Faculty in Charge of the Moot Court Committee** and have successfully conducted the Intra-Moot Court Competition for the session 2018-2019.
* Organized Regional Seminar on “*Biodiversity with special reference to Conservation of Wildlife: Issues and Challenges”* and invited three Divisional Forest Officers of the region as resources persons for the session.
* Given the responsibilities to organize cultural programmes in college.

**SUBJECTS TAUGHT:**

**For LL.B. students**- Intellectual Property Law, Law of Torts, Contract Law, Environmental Law, Property Law, Family Law I, Labour and Industrial Law I & II.

**For IPR Hons. Students**- IPR Valuation and Management,IPR Transaction and Litigation, Law relating to Trademarks.

**For LL.M. students** (Constitutional Law Group)- Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles.

**INTERNSHIPS**

**Mr. Tapan Kumar Mallick, Advocate, Barasat Court [May-June 2016: 4 weeks]**

* Researched on laws relating to Indian Contract Act, Essential Commodities Act, Industrial Dispute Act, and Payment of Gratuity Act.
* Attended Court Proceedings during the internship period.

**Mr. Sankar Ganguly, Judge’s Court, Chinsurah, Hooghly [May-June 2015: 4 weeks]**

* Researched on laws related Hindu Marriage Act, Domestic Violence Act, Motor Vehicle Act and Consumer Protection Act.
* Attended cases on various forums in Civil, Criminal/Sessions cases, motor accident claim cases and consumer dispute cases.

**Bose and Mitra, Solicitors & Advocate, Kolkata [June-July 2014: 4 weeks]**

Worked on matters relating to:

* Maritime law, with focus upon matters relating to maritime claim and maritime lien, arrest of vessels, charter parties and International Conventions governing the same.
* The Indian Contract Act and the Partnership Act with emphasis on unregistered partnership firm.
* The Contempt of Courts Act.
* The West Bengal Premises Tenancy Act.

**HelpAge India (NGO), Kolkata [May-June 2013: 4 weeks]**

* Researched on several legal provisions associated with the rights of elderly people.
* Also conducted research on various schemes and policies adopted by government in this regard.
* Visited old age homes and also came to know the legal aspects of their working.

**Gandarpan (NGO), Kolkata [May-June, 2012: 4weeks]**

* Studied and researched on the laws that are in connection with the laws of deceased organ, tissue donation and of its grafting and the donation of posthumous body.

**Mrs. Anamika Pandey, Calcutta High Court [May-June, 2012: 4weeks]**

* Legal Research in the laws and regulations relating to Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996.
* Attended various arbitration meetings before the arbitrator.
* Assisted in drafting of writ petitions, Plaints, Legal notices and Injunction Application, under Arbitration and Conciliation Act, Power of Attorney and proof reading of the same.
* Attended conferences and court proceedings on regular basis with the advocate.

**ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT**

Received scholarship from 1st Semester to 10th Semester during my graduation in ICFAI University, Dehradun.

**MOOT COURT EXPERIENCE**

* Participated in 4th Indrapastha National Moot Court Competition (October 2015).

**PUBLICATIONS**

* Paper titled *"Intellectual Property management in ‘IOT and Big Data integration in healthcare for smart health monitoring.’* published under Scopus indexed journal “Journal of Positive School Psychology '' (ISSN 2717-7564).
* Book Chapter titled *‘Reverse Payment Settlement and its remedy under the Antitrust Laws: A comparative study of the United States, European Union and India’* has been accepted for publication in the edited book entitled IPRs in Knowledge Era: Changing Contours by the DPIIT IPR-Chair, Osmania University.
* Book chapter published titled *‘Digital Health and Access to Healthcare: Identifying New Horizons under the Intellectual Property Law Regime’* ‘Intellectual Property Rights: Breaking Conventionalities and Future Prospects’ IUP Publications Hyderabad, ICFAI, 978-81-949152-7-0, Page155-166 April 2021.
* Paper titled *‘Effectiveness Of Calculating Comparable Assets For Patent Valuation’*, published at NLUA LAW REVIEW, VOL. 3 NO. 1, ISSN NO. 2455-8680. January, 2020.
* Newspaper article titled *‘Ray Of Hope For The Leprosy Affected’* published atThe Statesman, February, 2019.
* Paper titled *‘Protection From Unauthorized Character Merchandising Under Indian Legal Regime’* published at IILS LAW REVIEW, VOL. 5, ISSUE 1, ISSN NO. 2320-5318, October, 2018.

**IN PROCESS:**

* Manuscript entitled “Human Trafficking: Issues and Solutions in the light of Regional Cooperation” has been submitted and presently under consideration for publication in 2021 issue of “KIIT Journal of Law and Society.”

**SEMINARS, WEBINARS AND OTHER WORKSHOPS**

* Presented in Two-Day Online Workshop on *“Developing a Legislative Frmework for the protection of Trade Secrets in India”* organized by Centre for Intellectual Property Rights Research and Advocacy (CIPRA) & Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt. of India) Chair on Intellectual Property Rights, National Law School of India University, Bangalore in association with Kalinga Institute of Industrial Technology (KIIT School of Law), Bhubaneswar Odisha on 16th & 17th March, 2022.
* Chaired the session and participated in the Panel Discussion in the National Conference on *“The Role of IPR in Promoting National Growth through Technology, Innovation and Traditional Knowledge”* organized by Indore Institute of Law, under the aegis of IIT Indore on 23rd December, 2021.
* Judged the rounds of 10th Chapter of International Virtual Law Fest LEX Bonanza 2021 held at Indore Institute of Law, Indore from 17th to 19th December, 2021.
* Participated in *‘A Dialogue on Wildlife Laws and Awareness towards the Environment’* on the event of World Environment Day organized by Wildlife Crime Control Bureau, Governance of India, in collaboration with School of Law, KIIT Deemed to be Univerisity, Bhubaneswar on 5th June, 2021.
* Presented a paper titled *‘Digital Health and Access to Healthcare: Identifying New Horizons under the Intellectual Property Law Regime’* at Two-Day National E-Conference on ‘Intellectual Property Rights: Breaking Conventionalities and Future Prospects’ organized by Center of Excellence for Intellectual Property Rights, ICFAI Law School, ICFAI Foundation for Higher Education, Hyderabad on 17th & 18th April, 2021.
* Participated in the Two-Day Workshop in *‘Practical Aspects of Trademarks and Patents’* organized by School of Law, Ajeenkya DY Patil University, Pune on 27th & 28th February, 2021.
* Participated in Round Table Discussion on ‘*Contemporary Constitutional Law Developments’* organized by Center For Constitutional Study and Research, School of Law, KIIT Deemed to be University, January, 2020.
* Participated in a workshop on *‘How to write an impactful Research Proposal’* organized by Association of Indian Universities in collaboration with School of Law, KIIT Deemed to be University, December, 2019.
* Participated in National Workshop on ‘*Intellectual Property Rights in Electronics and IT sector’* organized by KIIT Deemed to be University, August, 2019.
* Participated and volunteered in 3rd SAARC Law Conclave on the topic *“Trans-boundary Water Conflict in South Asia: Towards Water for Peace”* organized by the Indian Institute of Legal Studies, North Bengal University, Siliguri on 28th & 29th April, 2018.
* Participated and volunteered in ‘*National Conference On Copyright And Technology’* organized by DIPP Chair on IPR, National Law University, Jodhpur (April, 2017).
* Participated in national legal essay writing competition, essay titled *‘Critical Analysis Of Biotechnology Regulatory Authority Of India Bill In Terms Of Human Rights’* organized by Faculty Of Law, ICFAI University, Dehradun, January, 2015.
* Presented a paper titled ‘*The Tobin Tax: Coping With Financial Volatility’* at an International Seminar on Corporate Jurisprudence held at Amity University, Lucknow. January, 2014.
* Presented a paper titled ‘*Adequacy Of Environmental Legal Framework In Tourism Industry’* at environmental law paper presentation, held at University Of Petroleum And Energy Studies, Dehradun, February, 2013.

**ORGANISATIONAL EXPERIENCE**

* Faculty-in-Charge for the Center for Intellectual Property Studies, KIIT School of Law, KIIT Deemed to be University, Bhubaneswar.
* Assistant Editor for KIIT Journal of Law and Society, School of Law, KIIT Deemed to be University, Bhubaneswar.
* Faculty in Charge of the Moot Court Committee, Indian Institute of Legal Studies, North Bengal University, Siliguri.
* Member of the core organizing committee of legal aid, legal literacy and legal awareness camp organized by Faculty of Law, ICFAI University, Dehradun (October, 2015).

**OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

* Ed Support Volunteer in Make A Difference (NGO) (2014-2015). Responsibilities include delivering value education and MAD’S vision of better outcomes for children in shelter homes.

**LANGUAGES KNOWN**

* English, Hindi and Bengali.

**HOBBIES AND INTERESTS**

In my leisure period I mostly enjoy painting, reading inspirational books and cooking new dishes. Apart from academic work, I like to associate myself with different organisations providing social services to underprivileged children and that occupies my time during vacations.

I hereby confirm all the above mentioned statements.

Place: Mumbai

Date: 05.05. 2022 **Rituparna De**