

A. Course Handout

Institute/School Name	Chitkara University Institute of Engineering and Technology		
Department Name	Department of Computer Science & Engineering		
Programme Name	Bachelor of Engineering (B.E.), Computer Science & Engineering		
Course Name	Open Elective 1- IPR & Cyber Laws - I	Session	2024-2025
Course Code	23OE004	Semester/Batch	3 rd /2023
L-T-P (Per Week)	2-0-0	Course Credits	2
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1. Objectives of the Course

The objectives of this course on 'Protecting Business Innovations' are:

- To understand how trademark laws can be used to protect business innovation
- To understand learning about how trademark law works in theory
- To focus on the legal issues involved from a practical business perspective rather than from a purely legal viewpoint
- To understand Strategies that strengthen other forms of innovation protection.
- To demonstrate students' interest in learning about protecting innovation.
- To encourage students to develop ideas and further protect business innovation ideas using patents.
- To provide learners with an understanding of Copyright law

2. Course Learning Outcomes

Student should be able to:

	Course Outcome	POs	CL	KC
CLO01	Understanding of Protecting Business Innovations via Trademark, Strategy, Patent, Copyright	PO1, PO3, PO10	K1	Factual Conceptual
CLO02	Development of understanding of Innovative ideas and protection of them	PO1, PO2, PO3, PO4,	K2	Conceptual Conceptual
CLO03	Justification of legal issues	PO3, PO5, PO12	K1	Conceptual Procedural
CLO04	To become more committed in protecting innovation	PO2, PO3, PO5, PO9, PO11, PO12	K2	Factual Procedural

Revised Bloom's Taxonomy Terminology

*Cognitive Level =CL

*Knowledge Categories = KC

Course Learning Outcomes	PO 1	PO 2	PO 3	PO 4	PO 5	PO 6	PO 7	PO 8	PO 9	PO 10	PO 11	PO 12
CLO1	M				M			M				H
CLO2	M		H		L	H		M				M

CLO3	M				M	M		L				H
CLO4	M				H	M		M				L

H=High, M=Medium, L=Low

3. ERISE Grid Mapping

Feature Enablenet	Level(1-5, 5 being highest)
Entrepreneurship	3
Research	2
Innovation	2
Skills	1
Employability	3

4. Recommended Books:

B01: Protecting Your Company's Intellectual Property: A Practical Guide to Trademarks, Copyrights, Patents and Trade Secrets, by Deborah E. BOUCHOUX (2009)

B02: 'Protecting Innovation: The Corporate Innovator's Guide to Patents, By Kyle Shea Coleman and John Darrell Goodhue (2021).

B03: 'Growing Business Innovation: Developing, Promoting and Protecting IP' by Jonathan Reuvid (2019).

5. Other readings and relevant websites:

S.N.	Link of Journals, Magazines, Websites, and Research Papers
1.	Entrepreneurship and IP strategy, By Prof. Gouri Gargate, IIT Kharagpur (NPTEL) https://youtu.be/ufD2sU85EiM
2.	Protecting Business Innovations https://youtu.be/mUja4iwbrTE

6. Course Plan:

Lecture Number	Topics	Recommended Books
1-2	Introduction to Trademark: Overview, Trademark importance to business, Importance of trademarks to society, What can be protected by trademark, Trademark Registration and Jurisdiction, Trademark Rights and Litigation.	B01
3-4	Trademark Global Issues and Challenges: Overview, Trademark Usage and Priority, Local vs Global Registration, USA vs China Trademark Registration Lawsuits	B01
5-6	Risks of Losing Trademark Rights, Cyberspace Trademark Issues, Grey-Market Goods, UK Passing Off Law.	B01

7-8	Trademark Infringement and Defenses: Overview, Trademark Infringement, Trademark Infringement Defenses, Trademark Violation Tests, Trademark lawsuit as a weapon.	B01
9	Cases: Ferrari vs Roberts Case, Crocodile Wars Case, New Balance China lawsuits	B01
10-11	Resource-Based Strategy: Economies of Scale, Network Externalities, Access to Resources	B02 & B03
12	Access to Markets and Customers, Knowledge as Advantage.	B02
13-14	Move Fast or Get Passed: Overview, Continuous Innovation, Intel vs AMD, Franchising, Alliances,	B02
15	Joint Venture and Licensing, The Love-Hate Relationship, International Strategy, Tesla is Going Global.	B03
16-17	E-commerce Strategy: Overview, Global Cyber Law, Mice & Elephants, Contracts Online, Terms and Conditions.	B03
18-19	Changing the Rule: Overview, Pricing Strategy, Big Data and Analytics @ Capital One, Most Profitable Song,	B02 & B03
20	Pricing of Drug, Why no Coca-Cola at Pizza Hut.	B02 & B03
21-22	Introduction to Patent: Overview, What is a patent, What do patents protect,	B01
23-24	Why do governments create patent How does a law get made, How do we get a patent, Where are patents valid.	B01
25	Process of getting a patent: Overview, Step 1: Obtaining a provisional patent, Step 2: Formal patent application, Step 3: Review and appeal process, Step 4: Going to court.	B01 & B03
26-27	Utility Patent Requirements: Novelty, Non-Obviousness, Demonstrating non-obviousness, Non-obviousness cases: PBJ & Bathroom Brush.	B01
28	Advanced patent topics: Overview, Software patents and business process patents,	B01
29-30	Patenting life, Patent trolls, Samsung vs. Apple, Grim Reaper and Pretzel Crisps Pretzel Crisps	B01 & B03
31-32	Introduction to copyright: Overview, What is copyright, How do I get copyright, What is excluded, Idea vs. expression, The rights granted, The infringement, Proof of infringement.	B01 & B03
33-34	Copyright Limitations: Overview, What is fair use, How does fair use apply, Why might it be unfair,	B01 & B03
35-36	What are other copyright limitations, Expired copyright, Entertainment protection risks, More copyright limitations.	B01 & B03
37-38	Derivative work and parody: Overview, What is derivative work, Is translation allowed, Derivative work examples,	B02

39	What is parody, Parody examples, Successful Parody, Failed Parody.	B02
40-41	Protecting software innovations: Overview, How to protect software innovations, How does DMCA affect rights, DMCA examples, How is "look & feel" protected,	B01 & B03
42	Business software and employment issues.	B01 & B03

7. Action plan for different types of learners

Slow Learners	Average Learners	Fast Learners
(Not required)	(Not required)	(Not required)

8. Evaluation Scheme & Components:

Evaluation Component	Type of Component	No. of Assessments	Weightage of Component	Mode of Assessment
Component 1	Self Learn Mode And Certificate Submission	1	100%	Online

9. Syllabus of the Course:

Subject: Protecting Business Innovations	
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S.No.	Topic (s)	Weightage %
1	Protecting Business Innovations via Trademark Introduction to Trademark: Overview, Trademark importance to business, Importance of trademarks to society, What can be protected by trademark, Trademark Registration and Jurisdiction, Trademark Rights and Litigation. Trademark Global Issues and Challenges: Overview, Trademark Usage and Priority, Local vs Global Registration, USA vs China Trademark Registration Lawsuits, Risks of Losing Trademark Rights, Cyberspace Trademark Issues, Grey-Market Goods, UK Passing Off Law. Trademark Infringement and Defenses: Overview, Trademark Infringement, Trademark Infringement Defenses, Trademark Violation Tests, Ferrari vs Roberts Case, Crocodile Wars Case, New Balance China lawsuits, Trademark lawsuit as a weapon.	30%
2	Protecting Business Innovations via Strategy Resource-Based Strategy: Economies of Scale, Network Externalities, Access to Resources, Access to Markets and Customers, Knowledge as Advantage. Move Fast or Get Passed: Overview, Continuous Innovation, Intel vs AMD, Franchising, Alliances, Joint Venture and Licensing, The Love-Hate Relationship, International Strategy, Tesla is Going Global. E-commerce Strategy: Overview, Global Cyber Law, Mice & Elephants, Contracts Online, Terms and Conditions. Changing the Rule: Overview, Pricing Strategy, Big Data and Analytics @ Capital	30%

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3	<p>Protecting Business Innovations via Patent</p> <p>Introduction to Patent: Overview, What is a patent, What do patents protect, Why do governments create them, How does a law get made, How do we get a patent, Where are patents valid.</p> <p>Process of getting a patent: Overview, Step 1: Obtaining a provisional patent, Step 2: Formal patent application, Step 3: Review and appeal process, Step 4: Going to court.</p> <p>Utility Patent Requirements: Novelty, Non-Obviousness, Demonstrating non-obviousness, Non-obviousness cases: PBJ & Bathroom Brush.</p> <p>Advanced patent topics: Overview, Software patents and business process patents, Patenting life, Patent trolls, Samsung vs. Apple, Grim Reaper and Pretzel Crisps Pretzel Crisps</p>	20%
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