# **Centre for Intellectual Asset Protection**



## SOFTWARE AS A PATENT

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Director, IPEVER As per Section 3(k) of Indian patent acts, 1970 - Mathematical modeling,

computer programs and algorithms are NOT patentable. The disruption and penetration of artificial intelligence algorithm made possible to

promote the existing a typical computing device enabled application into a self-configurable system of application. Number of technology enthusiasts have created a good number of technological solutions possibly included with so called algorithms. Then, how we could get the relevant IPR protection?

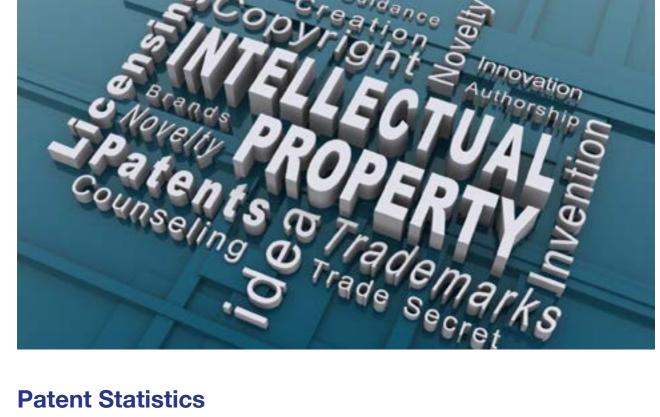
### Inventor may have strategy in contemplating a kind of IPR they require, including copyright, patent, and trade secret to avail the protection for their invention which included

with software algorithm. If their choice is a Patent, a careful description is essential in this case. They may consider listing the hardware components, possibly unique and the functionality of each,

how all associated with each other and what way their components are different from the prior arts, in addition to this, Inventors have to add the features and value addition through the software algorithm. In this way, it has been made clear as they are seeking the protection for the device/system which assembled with a few novel, and/or inventive functional components which receives the support from algorithms.

Key is to not focus on the software algorithm, but to enumerate the whole device/ system and can describe how the software algorithm provides the support. Thus, you may avail the patent protection for your device/system which included

HIGHLIGHTS



### Filed 18 responses to First Examination Reports.

the IP assets of SRMIST.

with your software algorithm.

In the month of APRIL, 2022, we

Received 12 First Examination Report issuances on our patent applications.

**WORLD IP DAY** 

happy and proud to celebrate WORLD IP DAY as a new centre specially created to protect

As we all know **THE WORLD IP DAY** is celebrated on 26th April, 2022 and we feel

In this event we organised a seminar on "SIGNIFICANCE OF IP IN THE START **UP ROAD MAP"** by **Mr. G. Arun Kumar**, IP Attorney, ARUN ASSOCIATES, Chennai. This event was presided by the Dr. T. V. Gopal, Dean CET and graced by Dr. Nepolean, Dean Research, Dr. Revathi Venkatraman, Chair SCO and

Dr. Shantanu Patil, Associate Director, IIEC.



**EVENTS** 





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**INVENTION HARVESTING & IP IN ENTREPRENEURIAL JOURNEY** 

20th MAY 2022

Time: 10am - 11am Venue: SIIEC Inspiration Studio, 5th Floor, Basic Engineering Lab Building 1. Mr. Samuel Niranjan, **Guest Speakers:** Founder - Partner,

**EVENT 1:** 

Date:

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