

REPORT ON WEBINAR
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

6th MAY 2020

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Sri Guru Nanak Dev Khalsa College jointly organised a webinar on the topic “**Intellectual Property Rights**”, in collaboration with the IQACs of Anand Institute of Social Work, Anand, and Bhopal School of Social Sciences, Bhopal. The speaker was Dr. Shweta Singh, the founder and CEO of Ennoble IP, Women Innovation and Entrepreneurship Foundation. She is a lawyer with a specialization in Intellectual Property Rights.

Dr. Shweta began by stressing on the importance of IPR. She discussed the main characteristics of Intellectual Property Rights, and explained the major types of Intellectual Property rights. She then introduced the idea of a patent, and what all items would fall into the domain of patenting. She explained in detail the various stages in the process of filing a patent. Ms. Singh gave pertinent reasons for filing patents, including how it helps in raising the research quality, accreditation and ranking of an institution. It may also help with funding and encouraging startups. The presentation was an eye-opener for many, and received accolades from the participants for its clarity and relevance.

The program concluded with an interactive session where the participants raised their queries and the resource persons answered.

Dr. Ninad Jhala, Principal, AISS proposed vote of thanks.