

Applications are invited for the Project position of Ministry of Commerce & Industry, **IPR Chair Professor** in the Project titled "Establishment of IPR Cell" purely on contractual basis in the Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) Cell of the above office.

Project Staff Designation:	IPR Chair Professor
Number of Post:	01
Emoluments:	Consolidated ₹ 1.5 Lakh per month, and 3% increment upon the completion of eac 12 months.
Period of Appointment and Duration of the Chair:	5 years from the date of appointment.
Qualification:	An individual would be eligible to be appointed as an IPR Chair if he/she
	i.Has served as, or meets the eligibility criteria for serving as, a Professor or an Associate Professor as prescribed by the UGC; and possesses sufficient teaching and research experience in Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), or
	ii. Is an IP attorney who has practiced IPR law for a minimum of ten years, or with any other professional who has gained significant recognition in the field of IPR with no less than ten years of experience in the said field, or
	iii. Is a retired official of the IP Office under CGPDTM, holding a doctorate degree with a minimum of five years of experience working at Level 12 or above, such as Controller of Patent & Design Registrar of Trademark & Geographical Indications, or Registrar of Copyrights.
Age:	Up to 70 years, preferably below 65 years.
	 The IPR Chair Professor will be responsible for: i. Curriculum development and floating course on IPR for UG students Entry level course, to gain basic knowledge. ii. Curriculum development for a specialized and advanced course for Doctoral and Post-Doctoral students focussing on patent drafting and allied activities. It will focus on improving their technical skills pertaining to IP writing, viz. patent literature search, patent drafting, claim drafting, effective drawing development, etc. Such a course is proposed as 'Advanced course on Patent Drafting'.
Duties and Responsibilities:	 iii. Setting up of repertoire of IPR related information and knowledge readily required for effective day to day functioning and strengthening of IP cell. Some of these activities would include: a. Ready reckoner information sheets containing names/ details of probable IPR related firms. b. Instruction material for quick/ easy dissemination of IP related information to the intended audience through flyers/ brochures/ leaflets, etc. c. Intensive literature/ instruction material on IP for intended innovators of the institute. d. Effective course content development (in electronic and hard copy format) for knowledge preservation. e. Any other suitable activities deemed necessary to cater to the needs/ as per distinctive needs of innovators of the institute. iv. Effective conduct of studies commissioned by the DIPP on a time to time basis

-	v. Facilitation of filing IPR applications to promote IP filing by novice and experienced innovators of the institute. The IPR Chair Professor shall report to Dean, Research and Development, assist he Institute IPR Management Committee in framing IPR Policies for the Institute
	and also perform IPR related activities assigned by Dean, R&D.

General instructions to applicants:

Interested candidates must apply through a Google form link given below:

https://forms.gle/okBcSvh43UYfPG5C9

Further,

- 1. The applicants are required to apply only through ONLINE process and upload relevant documents accordingly. The last date for submission of application through ONLINE process by **25 July 2025**.
- 2. The prescribed essential qualification and experience indicated are a bare minimum, and mere possessions of the same will not entitle the applicants to be called for an interview. The Institute may restrict the number of applicants to be called for interview to a reasonable limit, on the basis of qualification and experience higher than that of the minimum prescribed in the advertisement. Therefore, applicants should furnish details of all the qualifications and experience possessed in the relevant field, over and above (if any) the minimum qualification prescribed along with the documentary evidence.
- 3. The Institute reserves the right to fill or not fill any or all of the advertised posts as it may deem fit.
- 4. The candidate is responsible for the correctness of the information provided in the application. If it is found at a later date that any information given in the application is incorrect/false, the candidature/appointment is liable to be cancelled/terminated.
- 5. The decision of the Institute in all matters of selection is final.
- 6. Canvassing in any manner would entail disqualification of the Candidature.
- 7. The candidates who are already employed under Central/State Govt./ PSU/ Autonomous Bodies/ Private Organization etc. will have to submit a No-objection Certificate (NOC) from the concerned employer in advance or at the time of the interview failing which the candidate will not be allowed to appear for an interview.
- 8. The candidates who have already applied against the earlier advertisement for the same post vide Adv.No: IITG/II&SI/Project Staff Rectt-2025/22, need not apply again. In case, NOC was not submitted against the earlier application, the candidates should send the scan copy of the NOC to Principal Investigator by email.
- 9. Shortlisted candidates will be informed and invited for a hybrid mode interview by email. The candidates will be shortlisted based on academic performance and relevant experience.

For any clarification:

Principal Investigator: Dean of Research and Development. Contact by e-mail: <u>dornd@iitg.ac.in</u>

No TA/DA will be paid to the candidates for appearing in the test and interview.

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