

Second IP & Innovation Researchers of Asia Conference

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**Faculty of Law
Universitas Indonesia**



Testimonials



Kuhu TIWARI

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It was an overall magnificent experience. The Second IPIRA Conference has not only provided a platform to exhibit the work in progress to the global IP community but also gave a wonderful opportunity for networking and gathering ideas from varied people of different origins. When the IPIRA Organizers said that IPIRA is a family; it literally felt like a family. Special mention should be given about the exquisite cultural evening and expedition arranged by the organizers, as it added more vibrancy to our learning experience



Keita SATO

Professor

*Chuo Law School
Chuo University*

It was great pleasure to join the 2nd IPIRA Conference 2020. I think it is meaningful for everyone to come together and discuss future intellectual property laws in such a difficult situation. I thank the IPIRA Organizers and all the staff, including yellow jacket students. We all know researchers can grow up only by good debate. See you all at the next conference again!



Taslima JAHAN

*Researcher in Intellectual Property
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Dear Organizers, I am giving my heartfelt congratulations and my thanks for the participation to the second success of the IPIRA Asia Conference. This time, the Faculty of Laws, Universitas Indonesia, arranged the ceremonious events in collaboration with WIPO, WTO, the University of

Geneva, and Texas A&M University. The Organizers arranged a wonderful, memorable event to understand Intellectual property from an effective point of view of the industry and academic research. IPIRA is not a confined platform for Asian or IP legal regime. It facilitates scholarship for any discipline involved in advance science and technology and features a multidisciplinary approach to research. IPIRA arranged number of parallel sessions related to innovation, Artificial Intelligence, life science, socio-economic impact issues of different intellectual property, which needs adequate attention in developing countries policy making and laws. It also included a Workshop for researchers, teachers and all participants to encourage impactful research. The dynamism of this event must be appreciated. It fosters friendships and connections between young IP researchers and academics at different Universities, policy analyst of international organization, and development agencies. IPIRA creates a family bond and promotes friendly discussion between intellectual property scholars around the globe. The organizers genuinely cared for all participants from the arrival to the moment of departure. Beyond the three days journey of discussion and workshop, the excursion refreshed altogether in an optimistic bond through the network of IP activities. Last, but not least, I really appreciate the greenery campus view of the Faculty of Law, Universitas of Indonesia and their ability to arrange mesmerizing traditional cultural events. Thanks to the Organizers and my IPIRA family to stay in connection!



Stefan PAPASTEFANOU
PhD Student and Lecturer
Bucerius Law School

The Second IPIRA Conference was truly an academically and personally enriching experience. Not only was it very well organized and provided an excellent conference surrounding, it also enabled scholars from all over Asia and beyond to participate in an inspiring academic exchange. The topics covered a broad range of IP-related issues, from recent developments in core issues to more fundamental approaches in the Asian IP network and interconnection. The panels were excellently organized and in a convincing framework. The program allowed for more academic as well as casual exchange. Thereby, it proved to be a great opportunity to network for involved parties. The huge variety of represented institutions and countries made this experience even more interesting. It is always a great change to meet scholars and personalities from other parts of the world to broaden one's own horizon and get different perspectives. Those perspectives were not only due to the different IP legal systems but also due to the different legal cultures and personal experiences of the participants and presenters. This combination of academic and personal exchange helped to create an environment which is very helpful in bringing Asian IP law scholars closer together and further the creation of a closer relationship of Asian legal cultures. This tight network will likely prove to be very useful in addressing modern challenges in IP law as well as potentially providing a more interconnected Asian solution. I want to express my gratitude to the organizers for the excellent concept of the conference.



Mayuree SENGUPTA

Researcher

Indian Institute of Management, Kashipur

The Second IPIRA Conference was an outstanding platform to share and learn about extant IP research. Notwithstanding its Asian antecedents, I found it to be a global event in every sense of the term. A big thank you to the wonderful Organizers, the team, and the student volunteers.



Muhammad Masum BILLAH

Assistant Professor

College of Law

Sultan Qaboos University

This was the first time I participated and presented at a IPIRA conference. I had a pleasant time at the conference. I highly appreciate the superb arrangements the organizers made for every step of the conference starting from the selection of conference venue, hotels, to preparation of arrival kit, assistance by volunteers, and to foods and cultural programs. I hope to see this wonderful conference to continue for many years to come.



Riccardo SEGATE

PhD Researcher

Faculty of Law

University of Macau

I was truly pleased to be part once more of the IPIRA family, by joining its second conference, this time in Jakarta. Having attended the first too, in Kuala Lumpur, I was impressed with the rapid growth of the organisation and, despite virus-related hurdles, I was equally delighted to

notice further improvements in the background logistical engine. IPIRA is a very nice intuition, a "place" to be for all IP scholars based or interested in Asia. It made me academically discover Malaysia last year, and now Indonesia; this displaced residual disciplinary Eurocentrism and boosted open-mindedness and cooperation. The paper I presented last year, on trade secrets, will be published soon by an UCLA journal, and I will happily share it with those in the network who feel interested in the topic. This year I presented a research about copyrightability of algorithm-generated "musical artworks" in the European Union, thus bridging West and East, if West and East still exist (...not really sure, though!). I will do my best to keep an eye on the forthcoming initiatives and I thank again all organisers as well as the old and new friends I have met at these two conferences. Special mention to this edition's student volunteers, who have proven remarkably kind and helpful.



Padmaja Charumathee WIJESOORIYA

Lecturer

Faculty of Law

General Sir John Kotelawala Defence University

The second IPIRA Conference is the best forum for upcoming young researchers and innovators in the Asian Region. It creates a top-level forum to share our research outcomes and exchanges other thoughts related to IP Research. I would like to extend my good wishes to the conference chair and the other organizers of the Universitas Indonesia, especially the yellow angels. I wish all the very best for the upcoming IPIRA Conferences!



Valeriy LISITSA

Professor and Head

Department of Business Law, Civil and Arbitration Procedure

Novosibirsk State University

The IPIRA Conference has really become a forum uniting a lot of scholars, practitioners and policy-makers from not only Asia, but also other parts of the world! The Conference held at the Universitas Indonesia in Jakarta, Indonesia, on 27-28 February 2020 has showed the high level of research papers and presentations, created platforms for interesting discussions and exchange of different ideas among participants, as well as provided a unique possibility to watch traditional Indonesian dances and to participate in other fantastic cultural events during the Conference! Thanks a lot to the organizers of the Second IPIRA Conference, colleagues and students from the Universitas Indonesia for a such fruitful and fascinating conference!



Ziyan QIU
Doctoral Candidate
Graduate School of Law
Nagoya University

The Second IPIRA Conference was a fruitful and awesome event. With skillful presenters gathering from different countries, this event witnesses many wonderful ideas created under group discussion and encourages us to cooperate together in the future. Sincere appreciation to the organizers for their efforts in organizing a successful global event!



Sean O'CONNOR
Professor of Law
Antonin Scalia Law School
George Mason University

IPIRA 2020 was easily the best way to connect with Asian IP and innovation colleagues—and meet new ones—all in one great location.



Angwara CHAIANONG
Instructor
Pridi Banomyong Faculty of Law
Dhurakij Pundit University

I am extremely grateful to the organizers of the Second IPIRA Conference that providing me an opportunity to connect with lovely IP family. I have received valuable feedbacks and comments for my topic. I additionally enjoyed the workshop on the research methodologies on the last day in which IP academic shared their true experience with the audience. Also importantly, many thanks to WIPO for awarding me a scholarship to attend the event. “It was really fruitful conference.”



Giorgio COLOMBO
Professor
Graduate School of Law
Nagoya University

It was an immense pleasure to take part in the Second IPIRA Conference. The organizers were able to put together a perfect combination of experienced scholars and promising researchers: it was indeed amazing to be exposed to such a variety of research hints and suggestions. The event permitted to explore relatively unbeaten paths in research, as well as to listen to up-to-date contributions on some of the most debated issues in IP law. I look forward to participating in the Third IPIRA Conference as well.



Sadhana SRIVASTAVA
Senior Scientist
Indian Council of Medical Research

It was a very interesting conference, It was one of the largest gathering of patent attorneys I have attended. I thoroughly enjoyed the meeting and had very fruitful interactions with several colleagues. I have also made many friends which I would like to be in touch with. It was very well organized. Overall iIPIRA-20 was an exciting meeting for patent professionals.



Dai YOKOMIZO
Professor
Graduate School of Law
Nagoya University

It was so nice participating in the Second IPIRA Conference in Jakarta. Thanks to the organizers, I had a precious time. I was truly glad to see colleagues again, and I enjoyed and learned a lot

through the sessions I attended. It was a wonderful memory that the staffs kindly guided me to the law library and the beautiful campus. Thank you very much!



Mafruza SULTANA
Research Scholar
Faculty of Legal Studies
South Asian University

The Second IPIRA Conference was an impressive International Conference and updated me on Intellectual Property Law developments. The IPIRA network is a place to meet scholars around the globe. It was a golden opportunity to share my views with professors, lecturers, experts, practitioners, and students from across Asia and beyond. I found different types of scholarship, papers that argued for the protection of IPR and other that highlighted critical aspect of protection. I had the privilege of presenting my paper and IPIRA gave me a fantastic opportunity to get comments from experts working in this area. It was a great privilege and a matter of pride to be a part of the program. I love to extend my gratitude to the organizers, sponsors and the ‘Yellow angels’ for their efforts and kindness.



Mohammad Ataul KARIM
Senior Lecturer
Department of Law
East West University

The IPIRA Conference 2020 was a grand success! It was well structured, nicely planed and wonderfully organized under the bold leadership of the Organizers, generous support from sponsoring agencies and partner organizations, tireless efforts by ‘Yellow Angels Volunteers’, and warmly welcomed by the host institution-Faculty of Law, Universitas Indonesia. It was a great learning for me! Learning and sharing not only took place within the parallel sessions and plenaries but also continued during the tea, lunch and dinner breaks. See you, IPIRA Family, in 2021!



Althaf MARSOOF
Assistant Professor
Nanyang Business School
Nanyang Technology University

This was one of the best academic conferences I have ever attended. The Organisers who were involved in putting this event together can take a bow and be hugely proud. On a personal note, I feel that I am now truly part of the Asian IP community. If not for this conference and the IPIRA network, I don't think junior academics (such as myself) will have the opportunity to present and share their research in a forum that draws in many established and senior professors, scholars and researchers from around the world, as well as experts from the WTO and WIPO. What I find unique about this conference is that it encourages discourse and exchange of ideas between academics holding a variety of ranks and positions from both developed and developing countries. Such a fusion is hard to find in the world of IP. By seeking to bridge existing gaps and challenging conventional barriers both in academic structure and IP scholarship, this conference fosters a better and more meaningful understanding of IP law and policy. I am also very grateful to the opportunity that junior academics are given to chair panels. The experience that we get from taking on such roles is immense. I am (and I am sure I can speak for all junior academics) truly indebted to the Organisers of IPIRA and the network of scholars. IPIRA: Live Long and Prosper!



Paul Thomas SUGDEN
Lecturer
Monash Business School
Monash University

The most enjoyable part of IPIRA was the sense of community and the welcoming of newcomers to the field at both senior and junior career stages. The discussions and connections and presentations of a broad range of topics, demonstrated the importance of IP to the development of the future societies. The conference was a nurturing platform for scholars beginning their journey to deliver their research for the first time, and I am proud to have been involved. The conference was a credit to the sponsoring institutions and they should be proud their name were associated with this conference.



Lihini Madushika DE SILVA

Lecturer

General Sir John Kotelawala Defence University

I thank all of you for organizing this very successful IPIRA Conference and workshop. Not only the speakers of each session, but also the audience of each session contributed a lot to the intellectual discussions. This is one great experience we get by attending this conference specifically on IP.



Hishinuma TAKESHI

Professor

Nagoya Gakuin University

I extremely enjoyed the 2nd IPIRA Conference. Hospitality and extended arrangements have been so amazing. I thank again for your distinguished works.



Meera MATHEW

Assistant Professor

Symbiosis Law School, Noida

The 2nd IPIRA Conference was an unforgettable experience. Under the able leadership of the Organizers and with the support of WIPO, WTO and the University of Indonesia, the conference-paper presentations and workshop were really excellent. Not only I could present the paper and received the inputs, but also the networking I could enjoy and benefiting from was significant. For an IP researcher this is the ideal conference to deliberate, discuss and form more ideas.



Dilip SHARMA
Assistant Professor
ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad

I would like to once again thank the Organizers for giving me this wonderful opportunity to attend the Second IP & Innovation Researchers of Asia (IPIRA) Conference held at Universitas Indonesia. I am also thankful to WIPO for granting me the WIPO scholarship for attending this conference. I will surely be looking forward to attend the upcoming conferences organized by IPIRA in near future.



Catharina BUDININGSIH
Lecturer
Faculty of Law
Parahyangan Catholic University

Thank you very much for your all hard work for the Second IPIRA Confer4ence4, it is very appreciated. God Bless you.



Saurav GHIMIRE
Ph.D. Candidate
Centre for Private and Economic Law
Vrije Universiteit

The Second IPRIA conference was truly an amazing opportunity for a doctoral student like me. It was full of enriching experiences. Notably, I got a chance to share my work and receive feedback from the scholars whose works I have been closely following. Besides, it was very enjoyable and benefitting to befriend other young IP scholars from Asia. I strongly believe this will facilitate future research collaborations in the region. I am very grateful to WIPO for sponsoring me to attend the conference. Already counting days for the next edition



Laina RAFIANTI
Lecturer and PhD Candidate
Faculty of Law
Universitas Padjadjaran

IPIRA, Always get a new thing, still, get new friends, even have great pictures. The next IPIRA, I'm looking forward to this event.



Piergiuseppe PUSCEDDU
Ph.D. Candidate
Tilburg Law and Economics Centre
The University of Tilburg

Great event, nicely organized and gathering so much knowledge from all over the world. An occasion to catch-up with old friends and meeting new colleagues.



Ansar Mahmood JASPAL
Legal Researcher
The Research Council of Oman, Oman

Thank you for organizing such a successful conference despite a lot of hurdles especially the Coronavirus epidemic. It was an amazing experience to be part of the IPIRA Family at the Second IPIRA Conference in Jakarta, where the researchers shared topics covering all aspects of IPRs, including farming, Digitalization, Medicine and Artificial Intelligence. The Cultural Event was mind-blowing and the tour of Mini Indonesia was not only interesting but also informative and a beautiful addition to the IPIRA Conference. The organizers lead by example to accomplish the mission successfully. Salute & Hat offs to the tireless works of the organizers, administrators and volunteers who spend hours and hours to make the event successful and unforgettable. The IPIRA Network is no doubt a ray of hope pioneering for creativity to secure a better life for all.



Roza Siyum GETACHEW
Director, Lecturer and Researcher
School of Law
Wollo University

I would like to say many thanks to the organizers for the opportunity to join in this prestigious event, for well organized conference, great hospitality, well composed program, interesting IP topics. I am also grateful to meet with researchers from other countries who have innovative researches. Hopefully, it could upgrade to my knowledge and more increases my interest in the field of IP. I had a wonderful time at the conference and learned so much from the presenters. The conference was very enjoyable and I was honored to be able to present my research at this prestigious event. I definitely would like to join your conference again.



Twinkle MAHESHWARY
Assistant Professor
Kirit P. Mehta School of Law

Attending the IPIRA Conference was a great experience for me. It was my first International Conference and I am already looking forward to the next one. It helped me a lot to have different perspective of my paper. Being in contact with learned professors from around the globe and able to share our thoughts on a subject is something that is not present in many National Conferences. The event was very well managed and organised. The students in yellow jackets made the stay so hospitable and pleasant for all of us!



Martin J. ADELMAN
Theodore and James Pedas Family Professor
George Washington University Law School

The IPIRA Organizers along with a strong academic team at the law school of the University of Indonesia orchestrated an amazingly strong IP conference in spite of the headwinds created by

the corona virus. Both the plenary and panel sessions were excellent and covered a wide range of IP topics. The Organizers were assisted by a remarkably strong group of law students dressed in yellow jackets who acted with good humor and remarkable knowledge. Finally, the conference participants enjoyed an evening of culture put on by performers who were either law students or professors. All and all a wonderful conference that showed off the best of Asia as well as the well-known organizational talents of the Organizers.



Ajay K SHARMA

PhD Scholar

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Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur*

The 2nd IPIRA Conference was a successful convergence of the proclaimed young researchers with the experienced academic and industrial partners to address the emerging IPRs Challenges in the age of global technological advancements. IPIRA addressed these challenges and created awareness on various contemporary issues, most importantly, "Access to the medicines" and "Criminal enforcement of counterfeiting." The organizers did an outstanding job with respect to selecting papers of high academic quality with relevance to IP and other overlapping laws in the Asian region. I interacted with so many scholars and experts, which ultimately helped me to take my idea to the next level of advance research. I expressed sincere gratitude to the Organizers for the smooth functioning of this excellent conference. I am looking forward to working with you all in every possible future event throughout the globe.



Ria Wierma PUTRI

Lecturer

Faculty of Law, University of Lampung

The 2nd IPIRA was the best chance for newcomers like me to get up-to-date development on IPRs Law in a short period." It lets me to exchange conversations with many researchers face-to-face from different countries as well as establish a network. Hearing, discussing, about how other researchers are reviewing on broad topics. Packed with great knowledge and keynotes speakers, it was a good place to initiate collaboration and get new ideas. The art performance was superb and enchanting. The super team of the IPIRA committee, thank you so much for all hard work.

However, I do hope there will be a longer special session on the IPR research workshop to help beginner scholar coping with IPRs research. I hope the network will continue to engage consistently.



Shirin SYED
IP Researcher
North Maharashtra University

It was such a pleasure to attend the Second IPIRA Conference. Delightful to see the significant growth of IPIRA network in its second year, I am sure it will be going to be phenomenal in the coming years. The three-days event brought together researchers, practitioners and policymakers across Asia with a common platform of IP with their set of issues and perspectives. It was an excellent opportunity for all of us to understand and explore the dynamics of IP issues in such an organised way. I would like to extend my special wishes to its organisers who were brave enough to be zealous despite the covid19 scare around. We also got to see a glimpse of beautiful and colourful Indonesia.

Unfortunately, several colleagues could not attend the Second IPIRA Conference this year due to the regional outbreak of the Covid-2019 coronavirus in China and South Korea, even though, at the time of the Conference, no cases had yet been found in Indonesia.

The Organizers still wanted to include our colleagues who could not travel, and we are publishing their testimonials in the next pages. The same were displayed at the Conference.



Sang Jo JONG
Professor of Law
School of Law
Seoul National University

Apology again for not being able to participate in the IPIRA Conference this time. Actually, I bought a ticket to Jakarta and I was supposed to meet you tomorrow. Unfortunately, the sudden outbreak of corona virus crisis developing into a pandemic made my government strongly recommend people not to attend any large meetings such as seminars or church worship. I am impressed by a superb job you and your team made in organizing the IPIRA Conference. All the participants must have been excited to enjoy listening to and discussing a variety of topics in the Conference. Simply it is a great regret to say that I miss all of you and all of wonderful presentations. I just hope to see you next year. Wishing all of you a good health and a wonderful conference,



Justyna OŻEGALSKA-TRYBALSKA
Associate Professor
Director of the WIPO-Jagiellonian Master's Degree Program
Faculty of Law, Jagiellonian University

I sincerely regret missing both the privilege to contribute to the 2020 edition of IPIRA with my presentation on the consequences of a new EU SPC manufacturing waiver for the access to medicines in third countries, as well as a unique occasion to meet distinguished scholars from the Asia region. The participation in this excellent initiative bringing together academic researchers with a passion for IP for a long time was my priority for 2020. Congratulations to the IPIRA organizers for the perfect organization of such a big event in this challenging time. *I wish all participants successful presentations, discussions and celebrations of this extraordinary event!*



MA Le
Associate professor
Deputy Director of International Exchange Center
East China University of Political Science and Law

Because of the virus COVID-19, my ECUPL colleagues and I cannot attend the 2020 IPIRA which I have been looking forward to since engaging in this event first launched in Malaysia last year. I have to miss the precious opportunity talking about Chinese patent law and learning from you either as a presenter or a moderator ... IPIRA is not only an important conference for Asian scholars but also an international platform to make different voices heard. Topics might be from specific territory while insights can work broadly. Just like the virus, we do believe Chinese people will defeat it and the experiences therein will be beneficial to the whole world. Let's cherish IPIRA and learn more from each other! Though we could not be there, we would like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank those who make IPIRA possible. We are grateful to the organizations involved in this event, WIPO, WTO and the academic institutions. Thank you for your amazing job and kind regards for us. With the unforgettable experience for the 1st IPIRA, we can tell that the coming event in Indonesia will be another great success. We are grateful to the preparation work for the conference from the host Universitas Indonesia. Although we will not be there, we appreciate the hospitality shown by emails. We do hope that all the participants spend a pleasant and fruitful time in Jakarta with the coming forum. We are looking forward to it next year. All the best to you!



Lucky GEORGE
Assistant Professor
School of Excellence in Law
The Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University

Thank You IPIRA Organizers for your support and encouragement. it was my dream to be part of the conference, if I would be able to attend the conference this will be my first International Conference. Because of family constraints I was not able to attend last year, and this year I cannot attend due to travel restriction. For sure, I hope to be part of it in 2021!



Shambhu Prasad CHAKRABARTY

Head Research Fellow

CRSGPP

West Bengal National University of Juridical Studies

It is really a matter of ill luck that the Carona Virus has taken a toll more than the virus itself. . . . This has been the case of majority of us who missed the 2nd IPIRA 2020. However, I wish with a heavy heart the success of IPIRA 2020 and and also request for an online presentation of papers during the conference, as it would be more than a sad affair to miss it completely. I personally, have a lot of fond memories surrounding the 1st IPIRA that was held in Malaysia and was overwhelmed to be a part of the second edition taking up the burden of putting Traditional Knowledge on the fore in my presentation. And what a platform it would have been in a country which has a sui generis legislation to protect traditional knowledge! This miss cannot be equated under any circumstances with any alternative. I am already missing it, to say the least. IPIRA has been a motivator and a guide and I am missing the opportunity to meet. But would wish all the participants who made it the very best.



Dashpuntsag ERDENECHIMEG

Professor and Dean

Faculty of Law

Otgontenger University

I was supposed to attend the IPIRA Conference in Jakarta but cannot join the conference due to travel restriction. Therefore, I would like to express my heartfelt thanks to each of you who are organizing such an excellent conference and those working behind the scene for creating and making this platform a reality! I would also like to give a special thanks to the Speakers of the second IPIRA Conference and the Faculty of Law, Universitas Indonesia for hosting the event. Since this conference covers very global aspects of the IP field, I am sure you will share the new and exciting results of your research and many of you will work towards future collaboration in research interest of intellectual property. It was a great pleasure for me to take part in the first edition of IPIRA where I had an amazing opportunity to present my research and receive very useful feedback from leading IP scholars. After the conference, I successfully defended my PhD last year. In this respect, I am thankful to the WIPO Academy for sponsoring me to attend the conference and I hope one day I will be able to help other scholars to achieve their goals just as

all the conference organizers and WIPO Academy have helped me. I wish you all the success and really look forward to participating in the third edition.



M. Sunil GLADSON
Professor
School of Excellence in Law
The Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University

Dear IPIRA Organizers we will miss you all, but our minds will always be with you in all the programmes well organised by you and your team. We pray to God Almighty to make this programme a great success and we pray God for each participants' safe arrival and departure. Wish you all the very best. Thank you



Frantzeska PAPAPOPOULOU
Associate Professor
Law Faculty
Stockholm University

I looked forward to participating at the conference and discussing the results of my latest research project concerning Regulatory Rights in the pharmaceutical sector and their interaction with the traditional Intellectual Property Rights system. I was hoping to discuss the solutions adopted in the Asian countries with regards to supplementary protection, orphan drugs and pediatric extension as well as exchange experiences from our respective legal systems. I think IPIRA gives an amazing opportunity to meet and interact with colleagues from very exciting jurisdictions and I really looked forward to expanding my professional network and discuss cooperation both with regards to teaching as well as to research. I appreciate all the hard work of the organizers and congratulate them for their fantastic preparations. I am very sorry I will not be present since it really is the one conference I was hoping to attend in 2020. Unfortunately, the decision to withdraw participation was nothing I could influence. I will follow the works of the conference through facebook! Looking forward to 2021!



Vijay Makyam KUMAR
Chief Operating Officer
I-Win IP Service

I was supposed to be in Jakarta today and make a presentation on the “Use of Blockchain in IPRs Management and Required Legislative Framework: An Indian Perspective”. However, due to travel restrictions I am unable to present there physically. Still, I am associated with the entire team of IPIRA mentally. Missing you all there in Jakarta. The immense effort of the IPIRA Organizers in organizing this event and mobilizing these many IP Researchers on one platform is remarkable and I thank you for giving me this opportunity. It is very unfortunate that, due to the coronavirus many of us are unable to meet and exchange our research work. I am sure that, in the future, this platform helps us in collaboration for excellence in IP & Innovation research work.



Paramita DASGUPTA
Doctoral Candidate
West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences

It is now an established fact that the IP & Innovation Researchers of Asia Conference has earned its place as a singular initiative created to that provides an excellent forum for academics and researchers to present and discuss their papers and works-in-progress with eminent seniors and peers from across the spectrum of academia, policy, and all other relevant stakeholders carefully curated from the Asia, Asia-Pacific region and beyond. This initiative has, over a record period of two years created its own inimitable niche promoting truly enriching discussion and interaction which makes significant positive contribution towards the individual as well as collective enhancement of the academic discourse. I consider it a matter of immense honour and pleasure to have been selected to present my research at this august gathering, and look forward to many more years of such mutually happy collaboration.



Xianwei ZHANG
Assistant Professor
Faculty of Law
Shenzhen University

IPIRA is A great event, packed with so much knowledge and great presentations. It allows me to talk to many scholars and establish a network. I am going to attend the event every year!



Paula Caroline ZITO
Associate Teacher in Law
Adelaide Law School
The University of Adelaide

My abstract was accepted for me to present at the Conference, but I could not make the trip. I was very disappointed as I was very much looking forward to meeting all the participants and attendees. I wish you all the very best for the conference and thank you again for reaching out to me to participate in this way. I hope to see you at IPIRA 2021.



Ameya PANT
Associate
DMD Advocates

Dipesh JAIN
Independent Researcher
Bombay High Court

We wish to again express our regret over our absence. Participating in last year's IPIRA gave us a chance to understand different perspectives on the landscape of Intellectual Property, and the manner in which multiple jurisdictions implement the same. What delighted us the most was the curiosity with which each participant had engaged in terms of the varied topic. It truly was an experience which expanded our knowledge, and we would definitely love to participate in next

year's IPIRA for 2021. We once again Thank You for the opportunity that had been provided to us. We definitely wish to participate in 2021's IPIRA.



Vijay KUMAR

Research Scholar

Rajiv Gandhi School of Intellectual Property Law

Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur

First of all, my sincere apologies from the bottom of my heart for not turning up to the conference venue. I express my special gratitude to the IPIRA team for conducting this event successfully. It is my loss of opportunity to meet the galaxy of IP people coming from different jurisdictions. I have closely read the published bio and abstracts of the speakers, chairs, and participants. Interaction with these people would have been critical to enhance my IP jurisprudence. The selected papers show the diversity of the IP domain where people are working. The perfectly allocated panel for the presentation of the selected abstract is a testimonial of the hard work devoted by the organizing team. Even in the second edition of its inception, the IPIRA has demonstrated the promising bright future that lies ahead. I deeply regret not turning up to the event, and I reiterate that it's my personal and professional loss. However, I look forward to joining it in the next edition. I wish best to the IPIRA and its team.



Jiyu ZHANG

Associate Professor

Law and Technology Institute

Law School, Renmin University of China

I had been looking for this wonderful opportunity to meet and communicate with so many Asian IP scholars, and I was going to talk about the issue of algorithmic copyright enforcement. However, due to the spread of the unexpected coronavirus, I cannot attend the conference this time. I am truly sorry for that. I wish the conference a complete success and hope to participate next year.



Saad NUSRULLAH
Professor
Punjab University Law College

I attended first IPIRA Conference in Malaysia and had planned to attend 2nd IPIRA Conference in Jakarta but could not. I think IPIRA is a wonderful initiative of the organizers which gives the attendees a wonderful opportunity to meet, discuss and listen to top IP researchers and teachers from around the world. I wish organizers of the 2nd IPIRA Conference all the best and look forward to attending and presenting at the next IPIRA Conference!



Ananthu S HARI
PhD Student
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The second IPIRA conference is a well organised program. Unfortunately some of us could not attend it due to unfortunate reasons. I take this time to appreciate the wonderful effort by the organizers led by the Organizers and congratulate all the participants.



Brinda PAULRAJ
Assistant Professor
School of Excellence in Law
The Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University

Many congratulations to IPIRA conference organizers for successfully conducting the conference as scheduled. From the point of time I submitted the Abstract, I really wondered how this kept following up is possible from the organizers. In Each stage I get updated periodically. As 6

of our colleagues paper was selected we planned ourselves well in advance and very much excited and waiting for the conference. But before a day of our departure we were advised by our institution and Govt to think twice before taking up any abroad visit Which was really shocking. With heavy heart we were put to drop the plan. Regret for our absence And waiting for the next IPIRA conference.



Massimiliano GRANIERI

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Dear Friends and Colleagues at the second IPIRA conference, I wish you all the best for the wonderful conference. With great regret, the current situation with the corona virus in Italy prevented me to safely depart. I will be missing excellent sessions and presentations but with my spirit I am somehow there and I look forward to being an active part of the third IPIRA conference next year!



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My co-author and I were thrilled when our abstract was selected for the conference. This was going to my first IPIRA attendance. However, both of us could not travel to Jakarta. I was personally hoping to learn from peers and be a part of the network of IP scholars. I wish all the best to all the presenters and especially to the organisers of the conference. Hoping to be a part of IPIRA 2021!



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The diverse and thought-provoking IP issues in IPIRA 2019 provided me an enriching experience to develop new perspectives, which was filled with rich opportunities to collaborate. Moreover, I will never forget the good time I had and all the wonderful people I met in Kuala Lumpur. Hope you all have a great time in Jakarta. All the best!



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Waiting to get glimpses on IPIRA 2020 Conference sessions. And I am sure of IPIRA 2020 being a grand success. Will be waiting for IPIRA 2021!



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As someone engaged in research about neglected tropical diseases and the IP challenges to global health, I feel deeply that I could not attend the conference due to the current epidemic. The feedback would be invaluable and will be missed, at least until the Third IPIRA in 2021. Apologies for the absence in short notice and the best wishes!



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What a pity, that I could not attend the Second IPIRA Conference. The contents of the Program are very hot topics which are related between IP, innovation, technology transfer and current trend aspects such as AI, Blockchain, Medical use, Pharmaceuticals, Online business, GI, Plant variety, etc. I would like to thank the Organizers for their endeavor and dedication, without them, I would not have any chance to learn more from other foreign experts. Thanks to this Conference, the presenters could have additional chances to publish their papers on professional journals. I wish all of you very good health.