

Fourth IP & Innovation Researchers of Asia Conference

Online

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Testimonials



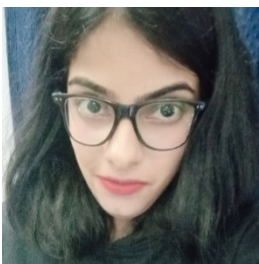
Vehbi Umut ERKAN
Assistant Professor
Ankara University

Thank You for this distinguished conference. It makes me happy that next year will I see and participate this conference. It was very important for me to listen to the distinguished participants from all over the world. Learning their ideas is very valuable both for improving myself and for my academic studies. If it takes place in the future, I would like to listen to this conference where it is held.



Royal RAJ S
Assistant Professor of Law
Tamil Nadu National Law University

The 4th IPIRA Conference was indeed an event that has transcended all challenges posed by the pandemic. Though virtual, it was once again an intellectual feast for the scholars from across the world. Kudos to the organizers!



Tripti BHUSHAN
TRIPS Fellow
Jindal Global Law School

It was a very nice experience to be a part of the Fourth IPIRA conference. I think IPIRA has the capability to bring together the best minds (academicians and researchers)altogether at one platform to produce excellent research work in the field of IP.This platform indeed gives the opportunity to all the IP enthusiast to come forward and discuss on latest issues buzzing out and develop research ability .IPIRA has given me the chance to bring out the best in the discourse by interacting with other fellow researchers from different countries and gather extensive knowledge .



Mafruza SULTANA
PhD Candidate in International Law
South Asian (SAARC) University

It is my immense pleasure to be a part of IPIRA. I always felt connected to the IPIRA research group. And of course, that connection inspired me to present a paper on "Terrorism, Investment and Intellectual Property Rights (Innovation): The Connection Roots and challenges' in the session of "IP and Investment" chaired by Professor Tatsuhiko Ueno, Law School, Waseda University. I find IPIRA is one of the strongest academic bonds and portray the full image of IP related issues.



Jiong HE
Associate Professor
East China University of Political Science and Law

It is a privilege for me to participate in the Fourth IPIRA Conference. This event provided a great platform for brainstorming on IP issues, as well as for catching up with old friends and making new friends. May I express my heartfelt gratitude to all my fellow participants and organisers, especially to Prof. Calboli for such a wonderful event! I hope that we can meet not only online, but also in person in the near future!



Ana PENTEADO
Adjunct Professor
Notre Dame University

Great gathering of minds, I participated on many sessions that were really interesting and challenging on IP issues. Highly recommended!



Rudra SHARMA
Teaching Faculty
National Law University

I see the IPRA conference being improved every year and it has been more effective every year. It is really good and useful. By name it is of Asia Pacific. However, it covers global issues on intellectual property. Hopefully, we can meet physically in the times to come. I also appreciate the leadership and management of the organisers.



Ajoy JOSE
PhD Candidate
Rajiv Gandhi School of IP Law, IIT Kharagpur

4th IPIRA was a huge success and I'm really impressed with every detail of your effort. I would like to take this opportunity to thank you and your team for your hard work "before, during, and after" this virtual conference. It was well-organized. I have never been to a conference where I felt like I got to know so many new people so well. I'm so proud to be part of 4th IPIRA.



Athira P S
Assistant Professor
National University of Advanced Legal Studies

I thank you for giving me the wonderful opportunity to be a part of this prestigious event- the sheer intensity of the program as well as the intellectual wealth we were exposed to, let me immerse in intellectual property tenets and developments for these 4 days.

The plenary sessions and parallel presentations were excellent and refreshing. I would also like to acknowledge the professionalism displayed in every aspect of the conference. I would like to be a part of future events and hope to be included in this network for all upcoming programs as well.



Zehra ÖZKAN ÜNER
*Faculty of Law
Ankara University*

IPIRA 4th edition was amazing as the 3rd edition. Not only did IP scholars meet and discussed the recent developments at the conference, but also the presenters like me had a chance to have feedback from eminent professors and valuable researchers to improve their papers. It's very valuable, however, the most meaningful aspect of IPIRA is not this. IPIRA is beyond a conference, it is a network, it is a kind of a family in which we can share our experiences, struggles, advantages, and disadvantages we are facing within IP teaching. I am really grateful to be part of this incredible and inspiring network. I would like to thank once again Prof. Irene Calboli and her team.



Afzal WANI
*Professor of Law
GGS Indraprastha University*

Fourth IP & Innovation Researchers of Asia (IPIRA) Conference has left an indelible mark on our minds memorizing an Online meeting of record number of scholars delving deep on scores of emerging IP issues of data protection, artificial intelligence, cyber mechanics, biodiversity, traditional knowledge, trade dress manipulations, IP during the pandemic, etc. The event has made the IPIRA Community strong enough to get together to its great agenda as a forum for intellectual exchanges between researchers interested in IP and Innovation law in Asia and beyond. It was a pride participation of researchers, young and old, from across nations with remarkable enriching experiences and notable progress with incentivising effect.



Luz SANCHEZ
Lecturer
University of Murcia

It was a real pleasure to participate in the Conference, a very enriching event and nice experience. I will try my best to repeat next year. Congratulations for the organisation.



Iyen Joy AKHIGBE, LL.D
Cyberlaw & Dispute Resolution Foundation

My attendance at the 2022 Fourth IPIRA Conference was a first for me. Amazingly, the discussions were so engaging that I felt that I was in an in-person conference. I have benefitted immensely from this virtual conference and can convincingly say that I am now more acquainted with contemporary issues in the IP space. I congratulate all participants especially the organisers for their dexterity and I look forward to such future engagements.



Ziyang QIU
Researcher
Nagoya University

Sincere appreciation to organizers for offering a wonderful opportunity at the 4th IPIRA conference! This yearly event is always inspiring and informative, especially for its openness to researchers around the world and maturity to encourage idea sharing. Hope for another great meeting next year!



Krishna AYRA
School of Law
Indira Gandhi National Open University

The fourth IPIRA Conference-2022 is my first conference. The sessions attended by me as a Ph.D. research scholar and adviser were very insightful which covered all aspects of IP Law including Geographical Indications Intellectual Property, Trade and Development. In my individual opinion the diversification of the panels has given an excellent opportunity for all of us to refresh our professional knowledge and experience from this conference a bridge between the Policy Makers and academia will be strengthened in right perspective.



Giovanni Maria RICCIO
Professor
University of Salerno

IPIRA 2022 was an amazing experience. Unfortunately, I was unable to attend all the sessions due to the time difference. However, it was extremely inspiring and challenging having the possibility of learning many issues from prominent scholars as well as from younger researchers. Undoubtedly, one of the most fascinating meetings in the IP sector.



Mayeree SENGUPTA
Researcher
Indian Institute of Management, Kashipur

The Fourth IPIRA Conference was informative, enriching, and as fabulous as the previous years. A big shout-out to Professor Calboli and the organizing team for pulling off a very successful event once again in spite of pandemic challenges.



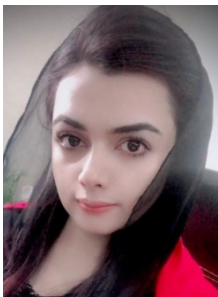
Justyna OŻEGALSKA-TRYBALSKA
Intellectual Property Law Chair
Jagiellonian University

It was a privilege to participate and present at the Fourth IPIRA, which was truly fantastic and enriching virtual journey to the IP world! It was undoubtedly a perfectly organized international conference that brought together great presenters from all over the world and put it on the map of the most important annual events in the field of IP.

The 2022 edition provided excellent opportunities for worldwide discussion on the most emerging IP and innovation-focused topics and networking. An interesting IPIRA programme covered all IP areas and innovation and new technologies, including the most emerging issues, such as IP and Covid-19 vaccines, copyright in the digital age, new technologies and the future IP management, Artificial Intelligence and IP. Fourth IPIRA was an excellent platform for international academic discussion and networking and integrating senior and junior researchers.

Congratulations to the Organizers, and thank the IPIRA team for their hard work and assistance! A constant and special thank you to Professor Irene Calboli for her leadership, commitment, positive energy and extraordinary capacity to integrate IP academics and researchers worldwide.

I am very much looking forward to the Fifth IPIRA 2023.



Sehrish QAYYUM
Assistant Professor
Pakistan Navy War College

The IPIRA conference 2022 was a well organised and thought-provoking multidisciplinary online event. It was incredible to engage in intense discussions and exchange ideas with eminent personalities from across the world. The conference gave me an opportunity to participate in interactive sessions on various IP related issues with experts from WIPO, international organizations and other leading universities. I was able to have so much fun with other participants from all around the world, and it was an experience I shall forever cherish. Thank you IPIRA, it was wonderful! Expect to meet you all in an in-person session in the coming year hopefully.



Manjula Rani MALLEPALLI
*Professor, School of Law
Mahindra University*

The Fourth IP & Innovation Researchers of Asia (IPIRA) Conference, 2022 has given me an opportunity to understand the scholarly perspective and progress in the arena of intellectual property rights. It has been an excellent learning and intellectually invigorating platform for all the researchers across the world. This conference has given insights to the existing and futuristic challenges which a researcher has to contemplate the way forward for a better managed society. The meticulous efforts of the organizers in bringing all the researchers on a single platform and share their respective knowledge are commendable and noteworthy. Though the online conference has been a comfort and easy to attend many of the sessions which has given a multidimensional and interdisciplinary perspective to the researcher, I look forward to attend in person the forthcoming conference. The conference was a convergence of a divergent IP research studies.



Harshavardhan YADAV
*School of Legal Studies
Vikram University*

The Fourth IPIRA Conference has provided a great opportunity to get exposure to what's going on in the Intellectual Property Rights on a macro level. Despite the pandemic situation we still had a great knowledge sharing on IP and its development in the world. It was also an opportunity to mingle and network with IP thought leaders and researchers across the world.



Caleb ADELOWO
*Post Doctoral Research Fellow
North-West University*

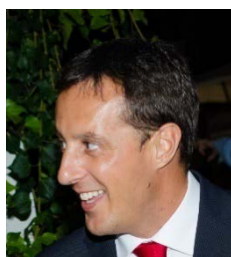
I am grateful to the organisers for the opportunity to present my work at the just concluded IPIRA Conference 2022 (online). The conference was eyes opener for me, as I could see diverse areas of

intellectual property and innovation across the globe that senior scholars and colleagues are working on. I was able to receive feedbacks on my paper, e-meet and e-interact with senior scholars in the field. I learnt so much from the special and thought-provoking practical and academic sessions. Kudos to the Prof. Irene and her team for bringing great participants together and for the success of the 4th IPIRA Conference. You have done so well!



Vera SEVASTIANOVA
Doctoral Student
Hanken School of Economics

Thank you for this wonderful opportunity to participate in your event as a speaker. I enjoyed the fact that you structured the panel I spoke at (just like others) in a clear and logical manner in terms of topics chosen for this panel; you followed the time restrictions strictly (though showed flexibility where necessary); you stimulated discussions and maintained a warm atmosphere of support and friendliness. The moderator you picked up for my panel is a famous scholar, so it was very useful to learn from her comments on the substance of talks as well as from how she managed the panel in administrative terms. The conference with such a high number of speakers might be challenging to set up and even follow, but you demonstrated true professionalism - I am glad that you regularly sent updates via email and did everything as promised. Also, while I experienced some unexpected problems with sharing my slides, you quickly solved the issue - the IT support was effective!



Massimiliano GRANIERI
Professor
University of Brescia

The IPIRA Conferences have been a ‘crescendo’ over the years and this Fourth Annual Conference was a success even in the online version. As a matter of fact, the IPIRA Annual Conference is a compelling appointment for scholars working in the field of intellectual property with a truly comparative approach, to get to know more of the current conversations in the world of intellectual property and innovation, to meet colleagues from Asia and other countries, and to build a scholarly network.



Rakhmita DESMAYANTI

*Faculty of Law
Trisakti University*

I was very happy join the 4th IPIRA Conference, cause I can learn IP form various countries and various subject. That's why I always want joint IPIRA Conference since the 1st. It was a great and success Conference. Thanks for the organizers, you are wonderful.



Liliia OPRYSK

*Associate Professor
University of Bergen*

It has been a pleasure to participate in the IPIRA Conference, and I am grateful for a chance to discuss the various topics related to Intellectual Property and Innovation with colleagues across the globe. I wish to thank the organisers for accommodating such a variety of topics in the very structured programme and making online conferencing experience seamless and enjoyable. I look forward to participating in the future IPIRA conferences!



Israel CEDILLO LAZCANO

*Lecturer/Researcher
Universidad de las Americas Puebla*

I enjoyed very much the opportunity and the experience provided by the organisers of the Fourth IPIRA Conference, in which I had the opportunity to share my research, interact with different points of view, for instance, to learn about the configuration of IP Law in the context of the Sharia, and obtain valuable feedback, which, certainly, will be useful for the development of my research.”



Gargi CHAKRABARTI

Associate Professor

National Law University Jodhpur, India

From its inception the IPIRA had established itself as an excellent platform for academicians and researchers of intellectual property. It is a pleasure to be part of the IPIRA from the beginning, and to enrich the knowledge on different subject matter of IP by listening to different presenter. The unique thing about IPIRA as per my perception is that it provides every presenter enough time to talk about the topic and at the same time it also provides the participants to put questions and add comments to get in-depth insight about the subject matter. The enthusiastic discussion helps the participants to know about policy and implementation of a subject matter and the updated information from different jurisdictions. Overall, it always gives us the food for thought and to go ahead with more credible research in IP field.



Laina RAFIANTI

Faculty of Law

Universitas Padjadjaran

IPIRA succeeds in ensuring that becoming an academic is a long journey. Nothing instant just happens. Prof. Irene has given birth to great scholars in IP Law. She provides opportunities for anyone eager to be well-developed. From conference to conference, IPIRA made my scientific way of thinking increase, and I dared to be criticized, dare to criticize, discuss with others, learn to accept the opinions, and be encouraged from the spirit of learning from others. Especially after the opportunity to follow the IPIRA Colloquium at the end of 2021, I received a lot of lessons, passion and motivation from colleagues who joined the IPIRA forum. Thank you, IPIRA, thank you, Prof. Irene Calboli.



Lihini DE SILVA

Faculty of Law

General Sir John Kotelawala Defence University

The knowledge shared and the enlightening presentations at IPIRA were fascinating indeed. As many academics over the Asian region participate in the conference with many other experts from different

parts of the world, it is a very rare opportunity we get as young researchers in the field of intellectual property. Although the fourth IPIRA too was held online, the solidarity showcased throughout the conference was remarkable. I hope the conference will take place as an in-person event in the coming year and we could see each other physically.



Kuhu TIWARI

Research Scholar

Rajiv Gandhi School of Intellectual Property Law

Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur

IPIRA 2022 has been very enriching with the inclusion of diverse and emerging topics in the area of IP. Furthermore, like every year, IPIRA opened the opportunity for networking with established IP scholars across the globe. Like every year, this year's cultural events enhanced the charm of the academic event, especially for me and my colleagues from IIT Kharagpur. Since we bagged the opportunity to participate in the cultural event, where we reflected on the colors of Indian culture. Thank you and congratulations to the IPIRA organizing committee for successfully organizing this wonderful event. Hope to meet everyone in person for IPIRA 2023.



Niharika SALAR

Assistant Professor

NALSAR University of Law

I was introduced to IPIRA for the first time by Prof Calboli back in 2019 when I was in Singapore and since then, there has been no turning back. I consider this my utmost privilege to be a part of the IPIRA conference, not just from the attending community, but also from the organising community. Like always, IPIRA 2022 was a remarkable experience with major takeaways from a research standpoint. Prof Calboli ensures that she gets on board notable world scholars as panelists which makes them so much more accessible to comment on your respective research. Not to mention, being a part of the conference also gives a terrific opportunity to interact and communicate with scholars all over the world in similar fields. Looking forward to being a part of IPIRA 2023, hopefully in person!



Ataul KARIM
Academic Tutor
Munich IP Law Center

IPIRA Annual Conference, 2022 was a great success. It was an absolute privilege to be part of it. The plenary sessions were of high quality. It has provided a unique opportunity to engage and interact with the leading IP scholars and researchers from all over the world. I have immensely benefited from the comments and suggestions of the participants regarding my paper. I am eagerly looking forward to meeting with my IPIRA friends and colleagues in the next IPIRA Conference.



Dilip SHARMA
Assistant Professor
ICFAI Law School, IFHE

The Fourth IPIRA Conference provided a great learning opportunity to young academicians like me to share our views on the contemporary topics of intellectual property rights. As always, the conference was a grand success with the active participation of academicians and researchers from all over the world. Eagerly looking forward to once again meeting all the IP enthusiastic friends and colleagues across the globe in the next edition of IPIRA Conference.



Abhijeet KUMAR
Doctoral Researcher
Queen Mary University of London

The experience of participating at IPIRA has been excellent and academically fulfilling. From the enriching discussions of expert panels, to the comments and suggestions from the session moderators and other participants, to a very wide subject matter of work-in-progress presentations by researchers, the conference acts as a stimulator for thought provoking ideas in the field of intellectual property. The organisational capabilities of the team in accommodating individual requests while managing a very large panel of participants and presenters deserves a

separate mention and applause. This was my second participation at IPIRA and the network has been extremely helpful for building my research. I am looking forward to participating in the next edition of the same.



Michal BARYCKI
Doctoral Student
Jagiellonian University

The Fourth IP & Innovation Researchers of Asia Conference was a great opportunity for me to present results revealed from my to-date scientific research on my PhD thesis and to get valuable feedback from all the speakers participating in my panel. Attending in stimulating discussions among scholars gave me many beneficial inputs into my scientific work. The Fourth IPIRA conference was a great occasion for all participants to share their experiences and thoughts on the main, nowadays IP issues with international scholars from almost all continents and with representatives of the main IP governing organisations in the World. I would like to express my great gratitude to the Organizers, Scientific Committee, IT and student assistants for undertaking such an insightful and enriching the state of knowledge Academic Conference.