

## **Testimonials**

Fifth IP & Innovation Researchers of Asia Conference

Nanyang Technological University

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## Zehra OZKAN UNER



Assistant Professor Ankara University, Faculty of Law

IPIRA offers the opportunity to meet and get feedback on your paper from incredible professors and researchers from all over the world. It is really a privilege to be part of this Conference which won't be able to occur without Prof. Calboli and her amazing team. I am looking forward to the  $6^{th}$  edition.



Mayuree SENGUPTA Researcher Indian Institute of Management

The Fifth IPIRA Conference in hybrid mode was organized seamlessly and had a plethora of interesting presentations. A big thank you to Prof. Irene and entire IPIRA fraternity.



Laina RAFIANTI Lecturer and Researcher Faculty of Law, Universitas Padjadjaran

IPIRA conference is the most outstanding Conference ever. This conference meets IP scholars and researchers from all over Asia and the world. Supported by WIPO and WTO scholars, this conference breaks a leg for the future IP policy and practice.



**Rahi ALHAT** PhD Research Scholar Symbiosis International University

The conference arranged by IPIRA was indeed a wonderful experience. This was my first ever international conference. Every details about the conference was well planned and navigated. I

never thought that i would get an opportunity to be part of it. Thank you so much for this opportunity. Looking forward to be part of it in future too.



Afzal WANI Pro Vice Chancellor IILM University

The Fifth IPIRA, held from 1 st March to 3 rd March 2023, was an emerging global mile stone for IP & amp; Innovation Researchers, attained only after a very concerned intellectual diligence of hundreds of scholars, professors, executive officers, lawyers and activists. It was no less than a global movement, which may in years to come be a great agency to help the global community in the areas of law, management of IPR and related activities from trade to administration and governance. Smooth organisation of the conference was a great example of management skills.

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



I am so grateful to participate in the Fifth IPIRA Conference. This is a wonderful platform for brainstorming on IP issues, as well as for communicating with IP scholars not only from Asia but also all over the world. May I express my heartfelt gratitude to all my fellow participants and organisers, especially to Prof. Calboli for such a great event! It was a pity that I was not able to participate off line in Singapore. I hope that we can meet in person next year!



Shih-wei CHAO JD Candidate UC - Berkley

It was a wonderful experience meeting IP scholars and practitioners from all over the world at IPIRA 2023. I was amazed at the quality and wide range of research topics presented, and without doubt learned a lot about developments in various areas of IP. Many thanks to the organizers for

their hard work, to Nanyang Technological University for the marvelous venue, and to fellow participants for all the insights and socializing!



Alexander LOU PhD Candidate Tsinghua University School of Law

I had a good time at the Intellectual Property & Industry Research Alliances 2023, where I presented my paper on "Fair Use in Douyin: From US Copyright to Chinese Personal Information." It was like being at a party full of intellectual property enthusiasts, and I loved every minute of it! The keynote speakers were amazing, and I particularly enjoyed the panel discussions on fair use and copyright law. It was great to see so many experts come together to share their insights and perspectives on these important issues. I look forward to attending future events and continuing to engage with this vibrant and dynamic community of experts and professionals.



Huan ZHANG PhD candidate City University of Hong Kong

It was a very nice experience to participate in the 5th IPIRA Conference. It is a very good platform to communicate with and learn from many brilliant minds in the IP field worldwide. As a PhD student, I presented my research and received inspiration and encouragement. Many thanks to the organizers for providing such a precious opportunity.



KD RAJU Professor of Law Rajiv Gandhi School of IP Law, IIT Kharagpur

I had the privilege of attending the IP Asia conference at Singapore NTU, and it was an incredible learning experience. The conference was well-organized, and the speakers were knowledgeable and engaging. I was impressed with the level of expertise and insights shared by the speakers, which ranged from young researchers to senior academics in the field of intellectual property. Overall, I found the conference to be an excellent platform for learning, networking, and exchanging ideas with fellow professionals in the field. I am grateful for the opportunity to attend and look forward to applying the knowledge and insights gained in my work. Special thanks to Prof.Irene and the team for the wonderful hospitality.



Gunjan Chawla ARORA Assistant Professor Institute of Law, Nirma University

It was a great learning experience and moreover, the fact that we are able to share our research interest across such a vast platform, indeed is a perfect opportunity!



Anna POKROVSKAYA Patent Expert Russian Federation, Moscow

I was delighted to be part of this year's IPIRA Conference as a speaker. All the organized parallel sessions were incredibly interesting, and the topics were exceptionally engaging to discuss. It was an incredible experience in exchanging views on a variety of sensitive issues in the field of intellectual property. I would like to note the high organization of the conference, despite the attendance in the online format. I hope to participate in this remarkable conference next year as well!"



Shaista PEERZADA Associate Professor School of Law, Ajeenkya D Y Patil University

I want to express my heartfelt gratitude for giving me the opportunity to attend the 5th IPIRA Conference held at NTU, Singapore. Attending the conference and being a part of such a stimulating and enlightening experience was truly a privilege. I want to commend you and your team for organizing such a well-planned and organized conference. The range of topics covered by the speakers was diverse and insightful, and the knowledge they shared was truly valuable. The

conference allowed me to learn about the latest advancements in IPR and interact with professionals from diverse backgrounds. The networking opportunities provided by the conference were exceptional, and I had the chance to connect with some of the leading experts in the field. These connections will undoubtedly prove invaluable in my future work. Once again, I express my sincere gratitude for providing me with this wonderful opportunity. I look forward to attending more conferences organized by you and your team.



Aishwarya CHATURVEDI Assistant Professor Jindal Global Law School

I participated in the fifth Intellectual Property and Innovation Researchers of Asia Conference #IPIRA2023 held at Nanyang Technological University in Singapore, March 1-3, 2023. The conference successfully brought together IP scholars and professionals from all across the world. It was nice to receive feedback from scholars and legal professionals from all across the world. During the three days, I attended various sessions on trademark, copyright, artificial intelligence, patents, access to health, geographical indications, etc.. It was intriguing to learn about the latest developments in IP law and also to understand the concerns that plague this field. It also gave me an insight into the functioning and policies of international organizations such as WIPO and WTO.



Shambhu Prasad CHAKRABARTY

Professor University of Engineering and Management

IPIRA 5 has been an excellent opportunity to meet outstanding researchers and professors turned friends from across the world. Hearing insightful research papers being presented and the views raised by the knowledgeable audience was enriching. Nanyang Technological University as a venue for the conference was a dream come true. The excellent infrastructure with state-of-the-art facilities was extraordinary. The hospitality of the organising team was impeccable. I must thank Professor Irene Calboli, the person behind this incredible endeavour, along with all the organising committee members, for providing the right platform for scholars to deliberate on various dimensions of Intellectual Property Rights. Looking forward to IPIRA 6.

## Jacob George PANICKASSERIL

Assistant Professor School of Law, Bennett University



The IPIRA conference provides an excellent opportunity for IP aficionados particularly from the Global South to share their research in contemporary debates concerning IP rights in their respective States and also get a comparative cross-cultural feedback from peers during the panel sessions.



**Nadia NAIM** Senior Lecturer University of Aston

As an IP researcher in the international development of the IP ecosystem, the IPIRA conference is a must for IP scholars and academics to share their research and collaborate with experts. There plenary sessions are excellent and highlight the need for IP inclusivity and knowledge sharing.



**Paramita DASGUPTA** Assistant Professor National University of Juridical Sciences

This is my second year of association with the IP & Innovation Researchers of Asia (IPIRA) Conference, and I am very happy indeed to see it taken up a notch higher this year, both, in terms of sheer scale & scope, as well as the diversity of perspectives it had sought to accommodate. That IPIRA has well and truly carved out its own niche as a singular initiative as 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 Asia, the Asia-Pacific region and beyond – was evident for all to see; True to its spirit, this year too, IPIRA 2023 has succeeded in promoting truly enriching discussion and interaction which makes significant positive contribution towards the individual as well as collective enhancement of the academic and the wider policy discourse. I consider it a matter of immense honour and pleasure to have been selected yet again to present my research at this august gathering, and 'look forward to many more years of such mutually happy collaboration.

**Ronald TUNDANG** *PhD Candidate Chinese University of Hong Kong* 



I had a wonderful experience at the Conference. Getting input from other regional scholars and expanding my network were two key benefits of the Conference. I hope this will be regular, and I expect to develop new cues for joint research or publications from my interactions with IPIRA.



Shenali DIAS PhD Candidate University of Leicheser

Attending the IPIRA conference was a highly enriching and unforgettable experience. I am immensely grateful for the opportunity to present my research to my esteemed peers and to participate in the diverse and thought-provoking presentations delivered by fellow academics. Without a doubt, IPIRA's organizers deserve immense recognition and appreciation for their tireless efforts in bringing this exceptional event to fruition. I sincerely thank the organisers of IPIRA for making this event possible and I look forward to attending the next conference.



Sean O'CONNOR Professor George Mason University

IPIRA has become my "go to" IP conference in Asia. It is the best place to meet the most interesting IP and innovation scholars from across the full expanse of the continent.

## W. Oshada RODRIGO



Visiting Lecturer General Sir John Kotelawela Defence University

It was a great experience for me to present a research paper on Copyright Law at the 5 th IPIRA Conference held at Nanyang Technological University in Singapore attended by well-known scholars worldwide. The conference was well organised and the presenters and participants had the opportunity to generate a fruitful discussion on timely issues facing various aspects of Intellectual Property Law. It was a truly global conference which enabled participants to benefit from each other's knowledge and experience. I congratulate the organisers on the marvelous work they have done.

Hewei ZHOU Researcher Beijing University of Technology



It is a brilliant IP community. The orgnizers have done great work and all friends here have shared smart IP topics. I benefit from it a lot. Wish all we have done here would be continued.