

Department of Biotechnology, FASH, KAHE & IPR Cell, KAHE

Report on International Day celebration - World Intellectual Property Day - 2019

World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) member states initiated World Intellectual Property Day in 2000 to raise public awareness about the role of IP in daily life, and to celebrate the contribution made by innovators and creators to the development of societies across the globe.

Since its inception in 2000, **every year on April 26, World IP Day** highlights, through the lens of a specific theme, how IP rights encourage innovation and creativity. This year's theme is **“Reach for Gold: IP and Sports”**

In the process to spread the **vision of World Intellectual Property Organization**, Our institution took lead by giving opportunity to the **Department of Biotechnology, FASH** along with **IPR Cell** to celebrate **World Intellectual Property Day** on **April 26th 2019** in our campus with the aim to learn about the role that intellectual property (IP) rights play in encouraging innovation and creativity among teaching faculties, research scholars and students.

The session started by welcome address from **Dr. A. Sanglimuthu**, Associate Professor, **Department of Biotechnology (FASH)**, followed by Presidential address from our beloved Vice Chancellor **Dr. S. Sudalaimuthu** and felicitations for the sessions was honored by **Dr. R. Sundararajan (Registrar, KAHE)** , **Dr. M. Palaniswamy (Dean, FASH)** and **Dr. Prabu, G.R (HoD (i/c), Department of Biotechnology, FASH)**.

Now after the felicitations, the session was hand over to the resource person for the day **Lt. Dr. K. P. Sridhar**, Coordinator, IPR Cell, KAHE on **intellectual property (IP) rights** its type, how to get patent etc. The speech was very much attractive; with lot of information on all aspects of IPR and open discussion with audience were followed.

Finally session conclusion with vote of thanks was assumed from **Mr.Nishu Sekar, Assistant Professor, Department of Biotechnology (FASH)**, and session ended with all rising for National Anthem.



Resource person Lt. Dr. K. P. Sridhar, Coordinator, IPR Cell, KAHE delivering the lecture on intellectual property (IP) rights



Participants of the programme