



Committed to Diligent and Innovative IP Solution

Human brain is an excellent creator.  
Ipram adds drive and energy to transform your creations into meaningful assets.

INTEGRITY

PERSEVERANCE

REACHING OUT

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MENTORING

# About Us

Ipram was founded on September 1, 2012.

Ipram strives to provide insight into various aspects of intellectual property rights, particularly patents. We aim to throw light upon the crucial and practical aspects of patents in a simplified and transparent manner which, we realize, tend to get cumbersome and absorb your time and energy considerably.

At Ipram, we believe in and stand for Integrity, Perseverance, Reaching out, Adding value and Mentoring. We are passionate about doing the best job we can for our clients by demonstrating the values close to our heart. Ipram caters to IP needs of everyone from a corporate to an individual. Ipram welcomes everyone and is willing to ponder upon every issue significant to you.

## Our Services...



### Patent and Non-Patent Literature Searches

1. Patentability Searches
2. Prior Art Patent / NPL searches
3. Equivalent searches to locate Indian / foreign patent from its foreign / Indian counterpart
4. Indian Patent Searches
5. Searches on specific product, process or technology



### Landscape, Evaluation and Clearances

1. Patent Landscape
2. Technology Mapping Report
3. Freedom-To-Operate Investigations
4. Risk Mitigation Strategies
5. Evaluations and Clearances of Recipe, Product, Process and Machine



### Patent Practice and Prosecution

1. Patentability advice and patent counselling
2. Assisting clients in identifying and prioritizing patentable inventions
3. Patent Strategy Development to maximize the value of a client's patent portfolio. Establishing procedures to protect IP capital
4. Drafting, filing and prosecuting the full range of utility patent applications (Indian and PCT) and drafting of foreign patents
5. Supporting filing and prosecution of national phase applications in respective jurisdictions.
6. Preparing and filing design patent application
7. Patent procedure guidance and advice on complex procedural and legal issues
8. Extending support to office actions in other jurisdictions
9. Applying strategic prosecution
10. Defensive publication
11. Drafting Confidential/Non-Disclosure Agreements
12. Translation of Patent / Non-Patent Literature





### Patent Challenges

1. Oppositions in India and Support to opposition proceedings in other Jurisdictions
2. Revocation proceedings
3. Support for Inter Partes Review / Post grant proceeding / Hatch Waxman Proceeding and Patent litigation



### Opinions

1. Freedom To Operate Opinion
2. Non-infringement Opinion
3. Patent validity Opinion
4. Patentability Opinion



### IP Due Diligence and IP audits

IP Due Diligence to assist in:

1. Patent portfolio management
2. Establishing patent related processes
3. IP valuation
4. Acquisition and Mergers



### Research, Intelligence Projects and Training

1. Execute Research and Intelligence Projects and conduct innovation workshop
2. Provide basic and advanced training in Patent Law Practices and Procedures for corporates, institutes and colleges

## Why Choose us

In less than 2 years from its inception, IPRAM became MSME registered, CRISIL rated firm with 4 registered trademarks in India. IPRAM's experienced, young and enthusiastic team collectively has over 45 years' experience in IPR and over 70 years of consolidated experience. We have expertise in the fields of Chemicals and Pharmaceuticals. In past 3 years, we have executed around 150 projects and served more than 30 clients.

Our systems demonstrate values close to our heart and include:

#### Web Based Project Management System

- Manages entire workflow of projects and allows setting of milestones, tasks and deadline alerts
- Provides Projects tasks with inbuilt timer to record time spent
- Client portal allowing real time tracking
- Provides file sharing and clients feedback, writing project notes and private messaging

#### Secured Cloud Storage

- Allows uploading, downloading and sharing of heavy and multiple files
- Allows sharing of files through e-mails and encrypted links
- Creates activity logs with IP Tracking

#### Patent Management System

- Allows client to access all patent related documents at one place
- Provides instant reminders and notifications of milestones and deadlines for patent related tasks

# Our Team

## **Pallavi Kharkar | Founder, Consultant and Patent Attorney (L.L.B., L.L.M., B. Pharm., M.Pharm.)**

Pallavi is sole proprietor and founder of IPRAM. She has over 17 years' experience in Pharma and Global IPR. She is Masters in both – Pharmaceutical Chemistry and Law (IP and International Business) and a registered patent agent in India. Pallavi's key role is in development of comprehensive protection strategies, designing Patent Challenges and providing clearances on various strategies related to product, process and technology. She has assisted clients in Litigation, Hatch Waxman Proceedings, Inter Parte Review Proceeding, Opposition proceeding and IP Due Diligence. Pallavi is an acknowledged expert in IP strategy – elected into the prestigious IAM – 300 in 2013 and 2014.

## **Sonali Bhokarika (Singh) | Patent Attorney (L.L.B., B.Pharm.)**

Sonali has been working in the field of IPR for last 11 years. She is Bachelor in both Pharmacy and Law and a registered patent agent in India. Earlier she had worked in a leading IPR firm in India for 5 years and then moved to work as an internal counsel in a leading Agrochemical Firm. Sonali has in-depth experience in patent prosecution, oppositions, infringement analysis, clearances, FTOs and validity opinions in the past and continues to do so. Sonali is a pleasure to work with and her coordination with patent offices is excellent.

## **Sandhya Kheraliya | Patent Attorney (L.L.B., B. Sc., M.Sc. in Organic Chemistry.)**

Sandhya is a Patent Attorney with 10 years' experience in IP. She is a registered Patent Agent and Bachelor of Law. She has done her B. Sc. (Specialized in Pharmaceutical, Fine chemicals and Industrial chemistry) and M. Sc. in Organic Chemistry. Sandhya has started her career as a Scientist in Fine Chemicals R&D. In her further assignment, Sandhya had worked with a leading Indian IP firm as Patent Associate and was involved in prior art searches, patentability analysis, patent mapping, patent Infringement analysis, patent drafting, filing and prosecution and opposition proceeding. Thereafter she has worked in Knowledge Cell of an Indian pharmaceutical company for around 3.5 years. Before joining IPRAM Sandhya had worked in NCE patents group of Leading Indian Pharmaceutical firm for 4 years. Sandhya has gained expertise in searches particularly using databases such as STN, SciFinder, Thomson Intergrity.

## **Vandana Mamidanna | Consultant (B.Pharmacy, L.L.B., LLM, Intellectual Property.)**

Vandana is an experienced IP lawyer and patent consultant based in Hyderabad, India. Vandana has extensive experience in Pharmaceutical and Intellectual Property Law and holds a Bachelor degree in Pharmaceutical Technology, a law degree from Mumbai University and a Masters of Law from George Washington University. She has managed various portfolios in the Intellectual Property, Regulatory Affairs, Project Management and Business Development sector within several large Indian and multinational pharmaceutical companies. She has held several academic positions. Vandana also serves as an Operations Head for Think Peace Organization, a Non Profit Entity that promotes citizen participation and collective action towards a better society. Her primary areas of work include tribal welfare and legal Literacy.

## **Subbalakshmi Mantripragada | Consultant (L.L.B., B.Pharm., M.Pharm. Dip. in Patent Law.)**

Subbalakshmi has over 13 years of work experience all together as scientist, in-house IPR counsel, consultant and as a lecturer. Her areas of expertise include Legal - Intellectual Property (Patents), R&D (Pharmaceutical Industry), Regulatory compliance, Quality Assurance, Project Management and Business Intelligence. She has good Domain Knowledge of Drug Lifecycle, Formulation Design, Analytics, Manufacture, Bioequivalence, Pharmacovigilance, REMS and Regulatory Compliance.

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