## **WEBINAR ON**

## "INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS AND DOCTRINE OF FAIR USE UNDER COPYRIGHT"

The Commerce Department of Janki Devi Memorial College has conducted a National Webinar on the topic "Intellectual Property Rights and Doctrine of Fair Use under Copyright" On 12th January 2022 (Wednesday) from 11 am onwards.

The session was arranged to equip and polish the understanding of students regarding the various aspects of intellectual property rights and laws governing the same. There was an overwhelming response of around **450 students and faculty**.

The session began with a warm welcome by Principal Prof. Swati Pal where she emphasized on how intellectual property rights are critical in protection of ideas and creativity. Further Dr. Chanchal Chopra (Teacher-in-charge of Commerce Department) greeted the guests and the gathering.

The session was carried forward by our esteemed Chief Guest Dr. KP Singh and (Scientist F, Directorate of Extra Mural Research) and the speakers for the day - Dr. Neelam Tyagi (Assistant professor at School of Law, Faculty of Law) and Dr. Ishita Sharma (Professor at School of Law, University of Petroleum and Energy studies). They informed us about the various categories of Intellectual property rights comprising of copyright, patent, trade secrets etc.

Dr Neelam further explained the details about the duration of copyrights for different forms of literary work, musical work etc. The students gained insights into the whole procedures regarding different forms of intellectual properties, the remedies available in case of infringement.

The second half of the webinar was taken over by Dr Ishita Sharma. She discussed about the concept of Fair Use under Copyright and the factors to consider for fair use such as the amount of work, the purpose and use of work etc. This was further discussed in detail with the help of several case studies such as **Academy of General education**, **Manipal vs. B Mallini Mallya**.

It was an extremely fruitful session which helped in deeper understanding about the topic and the various legal aspects associated with it. All the queries were handled by our esteemed speakers patiently. The session ended with a Votes of Thanks to the Chief Guest and the Speakers along with the audience of the session.







