

## World Intellectual Property Day - 2024

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The Institute Technology Management Unit (ITMU) of ICAR-Directorate of Cashew Research (DCR), Puttur organized a programme for the celebration of World Intellectual Property (WIP) Day on 9<sup>th</sup> May 2024 at 10:30 AM under the chairmanship of Dr. J. Dinakara Adiga, Director, ICAR-DCR, Puttur at Video Conference Hall, Silver Jubilee Building of ICAR-DCR, Puttur. The theme of this year's WIP day celebration is "IP (Intellectual Property and the SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals): Building Our Common Future with Innovation and Creativity".

Dr. Siddanna Savadi, PI (ITMU) & Scientist (Biotechnology) welcomed the audience and delivered the introductory remarks highlighting the importance of Intellectual property and its present need for aligning with Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The IP expert Dr. Pinki Chakraborty, Advocate & Patent Registration Agent, United & United, New Delhi delivered a technical talk on the theme of WIPO Day-2024 and presented the audience with valuable knowledge on patent registration with major focus SDGs. On the occasion, a publication on Technology Inventory of ICAR-DCR technologies for commercialization prepared by ITMU team of ICAR-DCR, Puttur was released by the Director. It was followed by presidential remarks by the Director who emphasized on importance of IPs in research institutes. The programme was concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Manjunatha K, Scientist (FMP) & Co-PI, ITMU, ICAR-DCR at 12:30 PM. The programme was attended by the Scientists, Technical staff, Senior Research Fellows (SRF), Young Professionals (YPs), students and interns (Total No. 29).



IP expert Dr. Pinki Chakraborty, Advocate & Patent Registration Agent, United & United, New Delhi delivering a technical talk on the WIPO Day-2024 theme “IP (Intellectual property and the SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals): Building Our Common Future with Innovation and Creativity”



Release of Technology Inventory on ICAR-DCR, technologies for commercialization by Dr. J. Dinakara Adiga, Director, ICAR-DCR, Puttur