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## **Educational Qualification**

- **LLB** from Y C Law College (Pune University), Pune
- **Registered Patent Agent** with IPO (Registration No: **IN/PA/2012**).
- **Advanced International Certification Course on IP Panorama** organized by WIPO (World Intellectual Property Organization) and KIPO (Korean Intellectual Property Organization)
- Post-Graduation Diploma in Patent Law from NALSAR University, Hyderabad.
- **General Course on Intellectual Property DL-101**, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO).
- **M. Sc. First class (Zoology with specialization in genetics)** in 2008 from RYK College, Nasik (Pune University).
- **B.Sc. First class with distinction (Zoology)** in 2006 from Garware College (Pune University).

## **Professional Experience**

- **Practicing as IP Lawyer (Since 2016) with expertise in:**
  - Patentability Analysis
  - Infringement Analysis
  - Prior Art Search
  - Freedom to Operate Search
  - Patent Drafting
  - Trademark search and Application
- **Visiting Faculty at Modern Law College, Pune for Diploma in Intellectual Property Rights (Since 2017)**
- **Patent Associate at GMGC, Pune (Aug 2014 – Feb 2015)**

Skills Acquired:

- GI (Geographical Indication) Search and Application
- Patentability Analysis

- **Patent Analyst at CSIR-URDIP, Kothrud, Pune (Sep. 2008 - Sep 2013)**

Skills Acquired:

- Patentability Search
- Prior-art Search
- Novelty Search
- Worked for REACH (Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of chemicals) Projects- Creation of Dossiers by Summarization of Toxicology Reports on endpoints including Genotoxicity, Developmental Toxicity, Carcinogenicity, Acute Toxicity, Metabolism, Skin Irritation, Skin Sensitization, Eye Irritation and Photo allergy.
- Literature Analysis on Toxicology endpoints: Preparation of reports containing the toxicity profile of the chemicals and Botanicals.

**Conferences/Seminars Attended**

- Conference on “**Patinformatics for Research and Business Planning**” held by SIS & URDIP on 20 & 21 March 2012
- Conference on “**Recent Trends in Patinformatics**” held by SIS & URDIP on 9<sup>th</sup> Dec. 09
- National Symposium: “**Genes to Drugs: In silico approach**” held by CDAC at Pune.
- Project Presentation at Zonal level at ‘**AVISHKAR**’ competition held by Pune University.
- Poster Presentation in National Symposium on “**Recent Trends in Malarial Studies**”.