



**NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY AND JUDICIAL ACADEMY, ASSAM**

**PROGRAMME: BA,LL.B (HONS)FYIC**

**DETAILS OF COURSE OFFERED**

**EVEN SEMESTER (VIII)– ACADEMIC YEAR .....**

<b>SL. NO</b>	<b>COURSE CODE</b>	<b>COURSE TITLE</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T/P</b>	<b>CR</b>	<b>CH</b>
<b>1.</b>	<b>804 IPR OP IV</b>	<b>FUNDAMENTALS OF PATENT LAW AND PRACTICE</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	

**A. CODE AND TITLE OF THE COURSE: 804 IPR OP IV, FUNDAMENTALS  
OF PATENT LAW AND PRACTICE**

**B. COURSE CREDIT: 4 (TOTAL MARKS 200)**

**C. MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION: ENGLISH**

**D. COURSE COMPILED BY: DR TOPI BASAR**

**E. COURSE INSTRUCTOR: DR TOPI BASAR**

1. **COURSE OBJECTIVES-** The main objective would be to learn the basic principles and essential features of the patent law in India. The paper would cover the specific areas of patent law as given in the module below as to have a holistic understanding of the patent law. We will also focus on practical dimension of patent law like filing, drafting and other procedures involved.
2. **TEACHING METHODOLOGY-** Both Lecture and practical /project method will be adopted. Under teaching mode all respective modules will be covered in the class. Whereas in project/practical part students will be given assignment to submit or present their work on a topic of their choice or assigned by the teacher. To inculcate practical application of subject in real world.
3. **COURSE OUTCOMES**
  - To understand the basic concepts and fundamental principles of patent law and its practical utility
  - To lay down foundation for specialised domain of the subject
  - To ignite interest and fascination for the subject.
4. **COURSE EVALUATION METHOD-**

**Internal assessment: 70% (140 marks)**  
**Semester End Examination: 30% (60 marks)**

Sl no	Internal Assessment	
1	Assignments ( written or in presentation mode)(2 Assignments of 20 marks each)	40 marks
2.	Seminar/Group Discussion ( topics will be announced by concerned course teacher)	20 marks
3	Class Tests ( twice in a semester)	2x 35 = 70 marks
4	Attendance in class	10 marks
5	Semester End Examination	60 marks

## Format for Recording Marks

Sl no.	Name of student	Assignment ( 20 marks each)	Seminar/GD (20 marks)	Class Test (35 marks each)	Semester End Examination (60 marks)	Attd. (10 marks)

### 5. DETAILED STRUCTURE OF THE COURSE (SPECIFYING COURSE MODULES AND SUB-MODULES)

**MODULE I-** key terms in definition, application, grant, term of protection, what are not inventions

**MODULE II-** Provisional or complete specification, claims, patent agent

**MODULE III-** compulsory licensing in medicine, convention application and pct application

**MODULE IV-** Exhaustion principle, bolar exemption, parallel import

Note- Relevant Case laws will form part of the modules.

### 6. PRESCRIBED READINGS

- VK Ahuja-law relating to intellectual property rights, lexis nexis, 2017.
- P. Narayanan –Intellectual property law, eastern law house, latest edition.
- The patent Act 1970, Universals bare Act, latest edition.

- Feroz Ali Khan-The law of patents-with a special focus on pharmaceuticals in India, lexis nexis latest edition