



Indian Knowledge Systems Division
Ministry of Education

CSIR- Traditional Knowledge Digital Library Unit
Ministry of Science & Technology

IKS-TKDL Workshop on

Traditional Knowledge - Intellectual Property & People's Rights

Workshop-11 (Total 7 Sessions-1.5 hrs/day)

Lecture Session: 17th to 21st August, 2026

Assessment: 24th August, 2026

Interactive Session: 1st September, 2026

Time: 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Mode: Online Program

Language: English/Hindi

Registration Closes :

9th August 2026, 11:59 p.m.

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Background:

India is home to a rich culture and traditions that have traversed over thousands of years, and continue to be relevant to our current and future times. The National Education Policy (NEP)-2020 lays emphasis on an inclusive curriculum in which traditional knowledge plays an important role for both teachers and students. The Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS) Division of the Ministry of Education and the CSIR-Traditional Knowledge Digital Library (CSIR-TKDL) Unit have joined hands to provide awareness and training on matters related to traditional knowledge in the context of intellectual property rights (IPR) as well as the knowledge holder(s) rights. This initiative by the IKS Division and CSIR-TKDL Unit is towards disseminating the value that our traditional knowledge holds towards addressing national aspirations on growth and development, while also laying emphasis on the ethical principles that need to be followed while handling and working with such knowledge.

Objective:

The workshop on Traditional Knowledge: Intellectual Property & People's Rights aims to:

1. Equip learners with an understanding of Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS), Traditional Knowledge (TK), Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), and People's Rights.
2. Provide insights into our rich heritage and key IPR topics, including Patents, Copyrights, Trademarks, Plant Varieties, and Geographical Indications.
3. Emphasize ethical research principles in TK, recognizing both codified and oral knowledge, with a focus on protecting the rights and livelihoods of knowledge holders.
4. Enhance academic and professional understanding of TK, IPR, and People's Rights, covering awareness, protection criteria, rights, and ethical guidelines for handling TK.

Specific Requirements / Eligibility:

Participation in the workshop is open to all members of the IKS Community, UG & PG students, Research Scholars, all levels of Faculty Members and independent researchers keen to learn about the subject.

Language: Lectures and discussions will be carried out in English, with use of Hindi, where feasible

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Please register using the Link or QR Code:

Zoho Form: <https://zfrmz.in/RA9YGN9oy68x2jELQoKh> OR <https://tinyurl.com/3x259xaz>

