GENERAL FOUNDATION COURSE: UG

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Code and No	Courses	Credits	Marks
HUR-UG-F103	Intellectual Property Rights	4	100

IPR-UG-F103: INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

Unit I. Concept of Intellectual Property: National and International Perspectives

Concept of Intellectual Property: meaning and nature

International Dimension of Intellectual Property Rights: WIPO and TRIPS

Unit II. Types of Intellectual Property:

Patents: Basic Legal Framework/Salient Features of Indian Law

Copy Right: Basic Legal Framework/ Salient Features of Indian Law

Trade Marks: Basic Legal Framework/ Salient Features of Indian Law

Geographical Indication and Trade Secrets/ Undisclosed Information

Industrial Designs

Unit III. Enforcement of IPRs:

Enforcement: Its different modes in different Intellectual Property Rights

Unit IV. Emerging Areas of IPRs:

IPRs and Biotechnology

IPRs and Computer Software

IPRs and Biodiversity

IPRs, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore

Protection of Plant Variety

Reading List:

- Anne-Marie Mooney Cotter (2003) Intellectual Property Law. Routledge Cavendish
- Torremans, Paul (2008) Intellectual Property Law. Oxford: Oxford University Press

- Tina Hart, Linda Fazzani, Simon Clark (2006) Intellectual Property Law, Palgrave Macmillan
- Kluwer, (1998) Patent Co-Operation Treaty Hand Book. Sweet and Maxwell
- Cornish, W.R, (1999) *Intellectual Property Law* .Sweet and Maxwell
- Special attention should be given to literature of the U.N. System, WIPO and the UNESCO