



Research Policy

Academic Research :

1. All the faculties are motivated to pursue Ph.D and to publish at least 1 paper / Sem (Mini. 3 per year) in the SCI / WoS /Scopus / UGC Journal.
2. Faculty must encourage the students to publish at least 1 paper before completing their course period.
3. Faculty shall organize the Seminar / Workshop to create awareness on IPR Patent Filing, Copyrights & Trade Marking.
4. File Patent, Copyright along with students based on research work and innovative ideas developed.
5. Organize the Technical competitions / Workshops / FDP / STTP / Conference Periodically related to research activity.

Industrial Research :

1. Faculty shall identify or work with suitable industry in coordination to get research project / consultancy work.
2. Faculty shall prepare and submit necessary documents and Utilization Certificate after completion of research project / consultancy work.

Funded Research :

1. Faculty shall submit the research proposals to various funding agencies like AICTE / DST / CSIR / DRDO etc.
2. Faculty shall organize programs to create awareness among the students about various funding schemes for innovation & startup.
3. Faculty shall submit the proposal to organize the Workshop / Seminar / FDP and conferences to funding agencies.

Patent and IPR

The inventors shall be the owner for all the intellectual property inventions, which includes patent and the inventions invented or created by the inventors/creators who include faculty members, research, scholars, students and those who make use of the resources of the Mohamed Sathak AJ College of Engineering, Chennai

The inventions created by the College personnel without using college resources and created outside their assigned/normal duties of teaching/research shall be owned by the inventors and the revenue generated out of such inventions shall be shared in the ratio of **70:30** between the inventor and College respectively.

If an IP has emerged as a result of an Institutional/Industrial consultancy, sponsored to Mohamed Sathak AJ College of Engineering, Chennai the concerned industries and Mohamed Sathak AJ College of Engineering Chennai shall own the IP. This however will not apply to those IP that are covered under specific Memorandum of Understandings (MoU's) where the action shall be carried out as per the provisions of the MoU's. If the IP is a result of funds sponsored by an outside agency, then the IP will be shared the Mohamed Sathak AJ



College of Engineering, Chennai and the sponsoring agency on case by case basis, as per MoU / Agreement/Undertaking.

Patent fee:

- The college will pay 50 % of the patent registration expenditure to motivate the faculty and students to file more number of patents.
- The patent renewal fees will be paid by the college for the first seven years in all cases when patent is taken by college name.
- If it is joint patent with sponsoring agency, then the patenting cost will be equally shared. If the other agency does not show interest in such process, the college can either continue the patent by paying the fees for its full term or withdraw application for the patent protection, at its discretion.

Revenue sharing:

The revenue sharing arrangements are as below:

- 30% (Thirty Percent) of the total revenue (lump sum payment, royalty or any other form) accruing from the commercial exploitation of IP owned by the college shall be credited to Inventors. 70 % of the revenue shall be credited to the college.
- The college bears the charges incurred for processing and acquisition of intellectual property rights and the college shall bear the maintenance charges for the first 7 years or till commercialization, whatsoever is earlier.

Conversion/Transfer of IP:

- The college shall anytime share the ownership of the IP with the prior consent with the inventor. In such condition inventor shall be the co-owner of the invention and the college, shall be instrumental in process of conversion.

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