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### **Report**

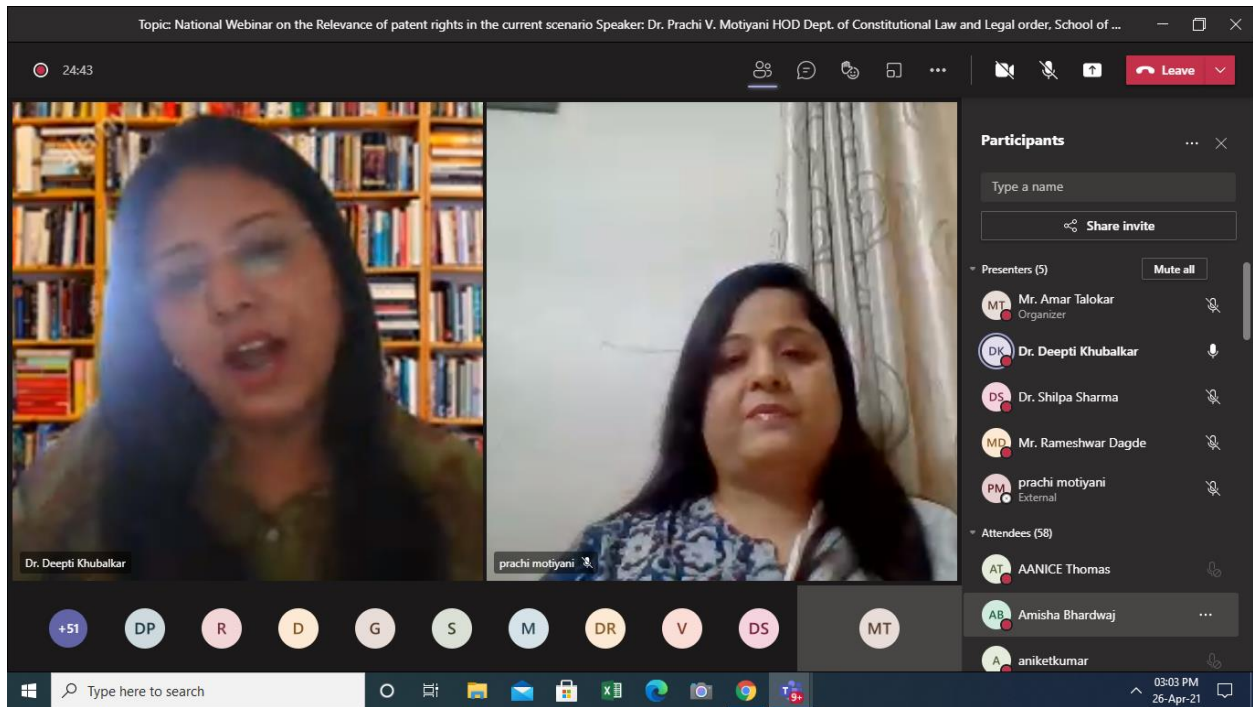
#### **National Webinar on the Relevance of patent rights in the current scenario.**

**26<sup>th</sup> April 2021**

On the occasion of World IP Day, Center for Intellectual Property Rights and Advocacy at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a National webinar on the relevance of patent rights in the current scenario on 26<sup>th</sup> April 2021 from 03.00 p.m. to 04.00 p.m. The webinar was organized under the guidance of Dr. Sukhvindar Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur.

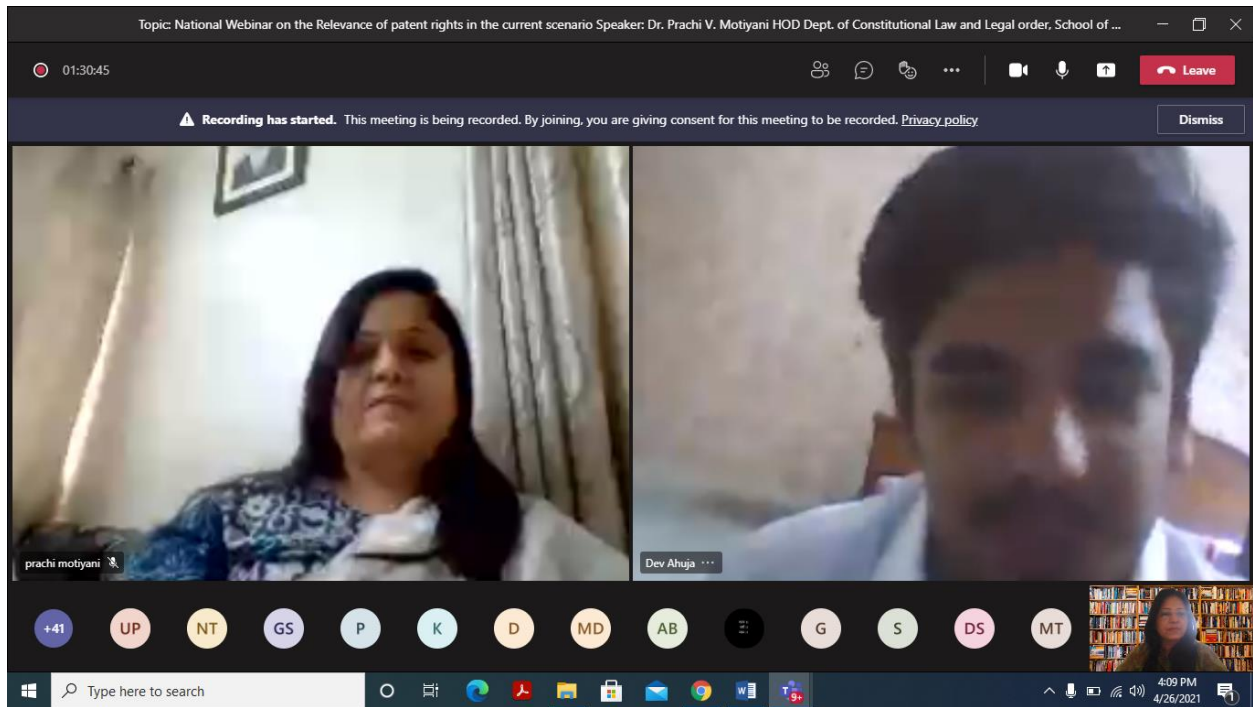
Dr. Prachi Motiyani, HOD Dept. Of Constitutional Law and Legal order, School of Law, Gujarat University, Ahmedabad was invited as a guest speaker. Dr. Prachi was welcomed by Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. During her interaction with students, Dr. Prachi highlighted the importance of Patent in current scenario. She discussed that at present the coronavirus is placing a huge strain on hospitals, doctors and nurses. But in times like these, IP is more important than ever and its benefits are even greater. She said to truly fight back researcher, scientist, business owner relies on patent to put great idea on paper. The hard work of researchers, creators all around the world protected under IP and supported by strong patenting norms. During the address, she covered various issues like human rights, right to health and rights of pharmaceutical companies and traditional knowledge.

The Lecture was followed by question answer session. Webinar was attended by 73 participants including students and staff. The Programme was moderated by Dr. Deepti Khubalkar and the vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. Dev Ahuja, Student and member of CIPRA cell at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.



Dr. Deepti Khubalkar welcoming the guest Dr. Prachi Motiyani





Mr. Dev Ahuja proposing Vote of thanks