



**Gandhinagar Institute of Technology**  
A Report on  
“Patentability of Computer Related Inventions In India”  
(10<sup>th</sup> December, 2020)

**Objective:**

Gandhinagar Institute of Technology SSIP-IPR Cell conducted 1 days on ‘Patentability of Computer Related Inventions In India’ on 10<sup>th</sup> December, 2020. The workshop was organized to provide exposure to the patent drafting. This program was exclusively design for GIT Faculty members.

**Program Overview:**

"In this session Dr Gandhi informed computer faculty members regarding the patentability criteria of computer related information. He added that the software is not directly patented in India but it can be granted patent if it is attached with novel hardware, an invention which is unique and capable of industrial use. However, the copyright can be obtained for such cases. He also informed that It openly reaffirms the exclusion of the software patents and introduces a three-step test to determine the applicability of sec. 3(k) of the Patents Act to computer-related inventions. This opinion focuses the new guidance, by placing it in the context of the leading role of India in the technological and social developments revolving around the Internet of Things."

We are really thank full to Dr H N Shah, Director for providing such opportunity to organize and host workshop.

**Photo Gallery:**



Session 1– Dr Anish Gandhi



Session 2– Dr Anish Gandhi