

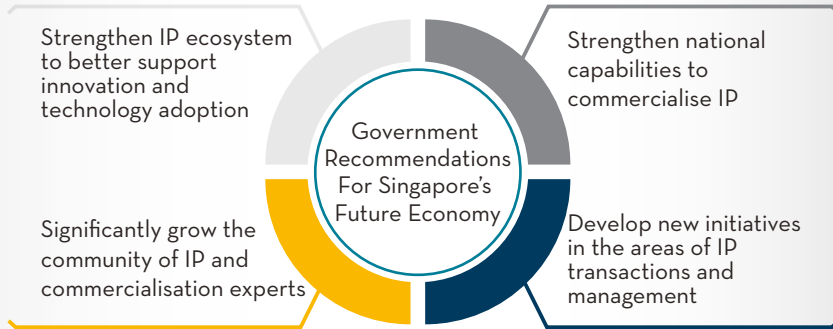
Master of IP and Innovation Management

In Collaboration with:



IP?OS
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY
OFFICE OF SINGAPORE

IP Management is a Must-have Skill as Singapore Advances TOWARDS AN INNOVATION-DRIVEN FUTURE



UNIQUE FEATURES OF THE PROGRAMME

- Multidisciplinary programme integrating knowledge and skills from three disciplines - business, technology and law.
- Focuses on practice-based learning to nurture individuals seeking careers in areas such as patent agency, IP management or IP technology advisory, innovation or R&D management.
- Engages in the application of skills and authentic learning through a 6-month Applied Project with industry partners.
- Approved programme for Singapore patent agent qualification.
- Validated by the industry, and incorporates invaluable insights as taught by renowned IP experts, practitioners and thought leaders.



WAYS That MIPIM Enhances Your Career Value TODAY AND TOMORROW



Trains you to translate IP into valuable business advantages



Arms you with future-proof skill sets for tomorrow's economy



Imparts to you transferable know-how that widens career options

INTERESTING FACTS about IP Careers That You Might Not Know

Study shows that
**INDUSTRIES
IN SINGAPORE** 
with above-average usage of IP

**PAY 29%
MORE SALARY.**



NOT JUST THE TECH SECTOR!

Pharmaceutical, Fintech, Life Science, Lifestyle, F&B and Retail also thrive on **INNOVATIONS.** 

By selecting this specialisation track, you embark on an enriching learning journey to become a Patent Agent, a profession that is regulated in Singapore. First of its kind in Singapore at a Master's level, not to mention being one of the limited number of such courses offered worldwide, this track is approved by IPOS and recognised under the Singapore patent agent legislation.

Its practice-based approach equips you with vocation-ready capabilities, and prepares you for the Singapore Patent Agents Qualifying Examinations, a legislative requirement for registration as a patent agent in Singapore.



**PATENT
AGENCY**



This skills-based specialisation track arms you with the expertise to help organisations effectively manage IP challenges and opportunities at different phases of the innovation life cycle. With courses covering areas from IP creation and protection to management and exploitation, you will be able to translate innovation and IP into valuable business and commercial outcomes.

"MIPIM was my first choice when I wanted to up-skill myself. The pragmatic curriculum combined with engaging interactions with lecturers and classmates from diverse backgrounds are truly insightful experiences!"

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INSEAD



IP MANAGEMENT



Through this specialisation track you will be groomed to become a sought-after member of your organisation who possesses the skills to manage and transform research, IP and innovation into commercial products and value. Your unique know-how will also help to empower businesses to support innovation and technology adoption, thereby improving their ability to thrive in an information-driven economy.

"The programme is broadening my perspective of IP and technology management as I am transiting from a researcher to an IP professional. The opportunities to interact and collaborate with classmates from different sectors of the economy are inspiring and highly educational"

DR ZHANG QINYUAN
Keysight Technologies



IP
TECHNOLOGY



COMPULSORY COURSES (20 cu)

- Foundation IP Law*
- IP Asset Management
- IP & Business Strategy
- IP Intelligence

PATENT AGENCY

Compulsory Courses (30 cu)

- Advanced Patent Law*
- Patent Practice in Singapore*
- Patent Office Action*
- Patent Claims*
- Patent Applications*
- Patent Infringement & Validity*



Elective Courses (10 cu)

Choose two or Applied Project from:

- Commercialising Innovation
- Licensing IP
- Monetising Innovation: Taxation & Valuation
- Patent Information & Search
- Applied Project

IP MANAGEMENT

Compulsory Courses (25 cu)

- Managing IP Portfolio
- Patent Information & Search
- Assessing IP in Branding & Franchising
- Licensing IP
- Commercialising Innovation



Elective Courses (15 cu)

Choose three (excl. Applied Project) or one + Applied Project from:

- Monetising Innovation: Taxation & Valuation
- Assessing Technology
- Advanced Patent Law
- Patent Claims
- Patent Applications
- Patent Practice in Singapore
- Patent Office Action
- Patent Infringement & Validity
- Applied Project

IP TECHNOLOGY

Compulsory Courses (25 cu)

- Advanced Patent Law
- Patent Information & Search
- Assessing Technology
- Licensing IP
- Commercialising Innovation



Elective Courses (15 cu)

Choose three (excl. Applied Project) or one + Applied Project from:

- IP in R&D and Innovation
- Monetising Innovation: Taxation & Valuation
- Managing IP Portfolio
- Patent Claims
- Patent Applications
- Patent Practice in Singapore
- Patent Office Action
- Patent Infringement & Validity
- Applied Project

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Note:

*The 7 courses highlighted are recognised under the Patents (Patent Agents) Rules 2001 as fulfilling the requirements for completing the Graduate Diploma in IP and Innovation Management with specialisation in Patent Agency (GDIPIMP).

Classes are conducted in the evening, from 7pm to 10pm, over 4 semesters (24 months) for Master's qualification and 3 semesters (18 months) for Graduate Diploma in IP and Innovation Management with specialisation in Patent Agency (GDIPIMP).

ADMISSION INFORMATION

Application period is until end-April. Classes commence in July.

Shortlisted candidates may be required to undergo one or more interviews and/or take such written admission or other evaluation tests as may be prescribed by the Singapore University of Social Sciences from time to time.

The offer of admission is dependent on the number of places available in individual programmes. The decision of the Admissions Committee of the University is final and binding. The University reserves the right to refuse admission and is not obliged to offer an explanation for the non-admission of unsuccessful candidates.

TUITION FEES AND FUNDING SUPPORT

Master of IP and Innovation Management

S\$38,520 (inclusive of GST) for Singapore Citizens/Permanent Residents

S\$46,224 (inclusive of GST) for Other Residents

Graduate Diploma in IP and Innovation Management with specialisation in Patent Agency

S\$22,470 (inclusive of GST) for Singapore Citizens/Permanent Residents

S\$26,964 (inclusive of GST) for Other Residents

Our tuition fees are on par with those of other local universities. The amount of course fees you pay in each semester depends on the number of courses you take in that semester. The course fees cover all study materials, classes, tutor supervision, assignments and examinations. They do not include fees for textbooks and other additional items specified by Singapore University of Social Sciences from time to time.

There may be additional items that are not covered by the tuition fee. These could include items such as additional recommended textbooks, re-sit examination fee, etc.

Through IPOS and the Workforce SG (WSG), the IP-PCP provides course fee and salary support to eligible companies whose employees undertake IP training through the MIPIM/GDIPIMP programme, please visit <https://www.ipos.gov.sg/ippcp>

The SkillsFuture Study Award for Intellectual Property (IP) Sector is targeted at early to mid career Singaporeans seeking to acquire or level up their IP skills. The bond-free award of S\$5,000 can be used by successful applicants to defray expenses associated with continuing education and training for career development, please visit <https://programmes.myskillsfuture.sg/Portal/ProgramListing.aspx?source=SFSA>

Some courses receive SkillsFuture funding and may also be taken individually via the College of Lifelong and Experiential Learning (CLEL). For information about SkillsFuture funding, please visit <http://www.suss.edu.sg/SkillsFuture>

Admission Requirements

Applicant must possess an undergraduate degree or an equivalent qualification from a recognised institution.

In addition, applicants, who are interested to go for the Patent Agency and IP Technology specialisation, should preferably possess a Science, Engineering or Technical degree.

Please refer to suss.edu.sg/MIPIM for more details on admission requirements.





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