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preceded by a pre-conference workshop on
eLearning Concepts and Methodologies

EPO Munich, Germany, June 8, 2009

PROGRAM

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Monday, June 8, 2009

Pre-conference workshop on eLearning: Concepts and Methodologies organized by the European Patent Academy (EPA)

Tuesday, June 9, 2009

9.30 – 10.00

Opening of the Symposium

Welcome address by:

Ms. Alison Brimelow, President, European Patent Office (EPO), Munich

Mr. Yo Takagi, Executive Director, Global Intellectual Property Infrastructure Department and the WIPO Worldwide Academy, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva

10.00 – 10.45 Theme One

Review of the Implementation of the Beijing Action Plan Adopted at the Second Symposium for Heads of IP Academies

Moderator: Dr. Li Yuguang, Deputy Commissioner, State Intellectual Property Office of China (SIPO), Beijing

Speakers: Mrs. Gao Hang, Deputy Dean, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) Worldwide Academy, Geneva

Mrs. Liliana Mendes, National Institute of Industrial Property (INPI), Rio de Janeiro

10.45 – 11.10 Coffee break

11.00 – 12.30 Theme Two

Key Developments in IP Academies' World to Meet the Needs of Professionals and Specialists

Moderator: Mr. Yo Takagi

Panelists: Mr. Helge Rasmussen, Principal Director, European Patent Academy (EPA), Munich

Mr. Robert Stoll, Dean, Global Intellectual Property Academy, United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO), Washington D.C.

Mr. Sergio M. Paulino de Carvalho, Director of Institutional Partnerships and Technological Information, National Institute of Industrial Property (INPI), Rio de Janeiro

Mr. Tae-Keun Rhee, Dean, International Intellectual Property Training Institute (IIPTI), Korean Intellectual Property Office, Daejeon

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch break

14.00 – 16.00 Theme Three Setting-up an IP Academy: Challenges, Potentials and Risks

Moderator: Mr. J.M. Zilliox, Director, Operations and Customers Care, EPA, Munich

Panelists: Mr. Gift Sibanda, Director General, African Regional Intellectual Property Organization (ARIPO), Harare

Mr. Marco Dinis, Head, Information and Promotion of Innovation, National Institute of Industrial Property (INPI), Lisbon

Mr. James Otieno-Odek, Managing Director, Kenya Industrial Property Institute (KIPI), Nairobi

Mr. John Asein, Director, Nigerian Copyright Institute, Abuja

Mr. Pavlo Tsybulov, Deputy Director, State Institute of Intellectual Property, Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine, Kyiv

Mrs. Ievgeniia Bachysh, Head, International Scientific-Educational Committee, State Institute of Intellectual Property, Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine, Kyiv

16.00 – 16.15 Coffee break

16.15 – 17.30 Visit to the Pschorrhöfe buildings of the EPO, Munich

19.00 – 21.00 Dinner reception hosted by EPA

Wednesday, June 10, 2009

9.30 – 11.00 Theme Four Funding of IP Academies: Mobilization of Resources and Return on Investment

Moderator: Mr. Gift Sibanda

Panelists: Mr. Ho Cheng Huat, Director, Intellectual Property Academy Singapore, Singapore

Mr. Ma Fang, Dean, China Intellectual Property Training Center (CIPTC), Beijing

Mr. Maurice Batanga, Denis Ekani Training Center, African Intellectual Property Organization (OAPI), Yaoundé

11.00 – 11.15 Coffee break

11.15 – 12.30 Theme Five Curriculum Design, Implementation and Evaluation of Training Programs

Moderator: Mr. Noël Campling, Director Know-How, EPA

Panelists: Mrs. Valentina Orlova, Deputy Rector, Russian State Institute of Intellectual Property (RGIIS), Moscow

Ms. Anna Grashchenkova, Principal Specialist, International Cooperation Department, Federal Service of Intellectual Property, Patents and Trademarks (ROSPATENT), Moscow

Mr. Goce Naumovski, Secretary General, Center for Intellectual Property Education of the Republic of Macedonia (CIPE), Skopje

Mr. Ho Cheng Huat

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch break

- 14.00 – 15.30 Theme Six Design of New Forms and New Programs of Training to Respond to Changing Demand and Emerging Global Issues
- Moderator: Mrs. Gao Hang
- Panelists: Mr. Tadashi Inoue, Executive Manager for Human Resources Development, National Center for Industrial Property Information and Training (INPIT), Tokyo
- Mrs. María de los Angeles Sánchez Torres, Director General, Industrial Property Office of Cuba (OCPI), Havana
- Dr. Li Yuguang
- 15.30 – 16.00 Coffee break
- 16.00 – 17.15 Theme Seven Inter-Academy Cooperation Initiatives and Adoption of the Draft Working Principles and Procedures of the Global Network of IP Academies
- Moderators: Mr. Helge Rasmussen and Mr. Yo Takagi
- Panelists: All participants
- 17.15 – 18.00 Theme Eight Adoption of Munich Action Plan and Closing of the Symposium
- Moderators: Mr. Yo Takagi and Mr. Helge Rasmussen
- Panelists: All participants
- 18.00 – 19.30 Reception hosted by WIPO

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