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PROGRAM

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Wednesday, April 27, 2022

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| 9.00 – 9.10 | **Opening Ceremony** |  |
|  |  | * Mr. Walid Abdelnasser, Director, Division for Arab Countries, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva * Representative from Algeria * Representative from Tunisia |
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| 9.10 – 9.40 | **Topic 1**: | Innovation on Medical Technologies: National Landscape |
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|  |  | 1. Speaker from Algeria 2. Speaker from Tunisia |
| 9.40 – 10.00 | **Topic 2**: | Overview of Intellectual Property |
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|  |  | Speaker: Ms. Nina Belbl, Associate Legal Officer, Patents and Treaties Law Section, Patent and Technology Law Division, WIPO, Geneva |
| 10.00 – 10.25 | **Topic 3:** | Public Health, Intellectual Property and Trade – Current Activities, Challenges and Responses   1. Mr. Hans Georg Bartels, Senior Program Officer, Global Challenges Division, WIPO, Geneva |
| 10.25 – 10.35 | **Break:** |  |
| 10.35 – 11.00  11.00 – 11.25  11.25 – 11.40 | **Topic 3 (cont’d)** | 1. Ms. Josefita Pardo de Leon, Legal Affairs Officer, Intellectual Property, Government Procurement and Competition Division, World Trade Organization, Geneva 2. Ms. Erika Dueñas Loayza, Technical Officer, Health Products Policy and Standards Department, Medicines and Health Products Division, World Health Organization, Geneva   Questions and Answers |
| 11.40 – 12.10  12.10 – 12.20 | **Topic 4** | Implementation of Flexibilities in International Treaties  Speaker: Ms. Giulia Ragonesi, Legal Officer, Legislative, Policy and Technology Advice Section, Patent and Technology Law Division, WIPO, Geneva  Commentator: Ms. Josefita Pardo de Leon |
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Thursday, April 28, 2022

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| 9.00 – 9.30 | **Topic 5**: | Importance of patent information and its use in addressing the pandemic |
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|  |  | Speaker: Mr. Ituku Elangi Botoy, Industrial Property Information Officer, TISC Development Section, Technology and Innovation Support Division, IP for Innovators Department (IPID). |
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| 9.30 – 11.30 | **Topic 6**: | Practical session: Use of patent information and data for facilitating innovation and access to medical technologies |
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|  |  | Tutor: Ms. Amina Maillard, Patent Information Manager, Medicines Patent Pool |
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| 11.30 – 11.40 | **Closing Ceremony**  Mr. Andras Jokuti, Director, Patent and Technology Law Division, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva | |

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