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**Washington D.C., December 3 to 6, 2013**

PROGRAM

*prepared by* the *International* *Bureau of WIPO*

Tuesday, December 3, 2013

9.00 – 9.30 Registration and Administration Matters

9.30 – 9.45 Welcome addresses by:

Ms. Rachel Wallace, Director, Global Intellectual Property Academy, Office of Policy and International Affairs, United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO), Washington. D.C.

Mrs. Altaye Tedla, Head, Distance Learning Program, WIPO Academy, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva

9.45 – 10.00 Introduction of participants

10.00 – 11.00 **Topic 1: Strategic Goal VI of WIPO: Building Respect for**

 **Intellectual Property**

 **Attitudes to and Perceptions of IP**

Speaker: Ms. Eun-Joo Min, Senior Legal Counsellor, Building Respect for IP Division, WIPO

11.00 – 11.15 Coffee Break

11.15 – 12.15 **Topic 2: Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs): Current Issues in**

**Patents, Trademarks, Designs, Copyright, and Trade Secrets**

 Panelist: Ms. Marina Lamm and Ms. Jennie Ness

 USPTO, Office of Policy and International Affairs

12.15 – 13.45 Lunch Break

13.45 – 14.30 **Topic 3: Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights:**

 **International Approaches to Civil, Criminal, and Border**

 **Enforcement**

 Speaker: Mr. Michael Smith, Senior Counsel, Enforcement, Office of

 Policy and International Affairs, USPTO

14.30 – 14.45 Group Discussion on Topic 3

14.45 – 15.00 Coffee Break

15.00 – 16.30 **Topic 4: Practical Issues in IP Enforcement: Case Study on**

 **Counterfeiting, Health and Safety**

 Panelists: Ms. Charisma Hampton

 USPTO, Office of Policy and International Affairs

 Mr. Paul Brown

 Underwriters Laboratory

 Moderator: Judge Bernice Donald

16.30 – 17.00 Discussion

Wednesday, December 4, 2013

9.00 – 10.00 **Topic 5: Judicial Case Management**

 Speaker: Judge Bernice Donald

10.00 – 10.30 Group Discussion on Topic 5

10.30 – 10.45 Coffee Break

10.45 – 11.30 Topic 6: Trademark Infringement Analysis

 Speaker: Ms. Jennie Ness

11.30 – 12.45 Lunch

12.45 – 14.00 Visit to the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia

14.00 – 14.30 **Topic 7: Trademark Infringement Exercise**

14.30 – 15.15 **Topic 8: Issues in Adjudicating Trademark Infringement Cases**

 Speaker: Judge Bernice Donald

15.15 – 15.30 Discussion

15.30 – 15.45 Coffee Break

15.45 – 16.30 **Topic 9: Misappropriation of Trade Secrets**

 Speaker: Mr. Michael Smith

16.30 – 17.00 Discussion

Thursday, December 5, 2013

9.00 – 10.00 **Topic 10: Challenges and Issues Relating to Copyright Infringement and Piracy**

 Speaker: Ms. Catie Rowland

 U.S. Copyright Office, Library of Congress

10.00 - 10.15 Group Discussion on Topic 10

10.15 – 10.30 Coffee Break

10.30 – 11.30 **Topic 11:** **Issues in Adjudicating Copyright Infringement Cases**

 Speaker: Judge Bernice Donald

11.30 – 12.00 Group Discussion on Topic 11

12.00 – 13.30 Lunch Break

13.30 – 14.45 **Topic 12:** **The Role of the Internet and New Technology in IP Infringement**

 Speaker: Mr. Carlos Linares

 Recording Industry Association of America

14.45 – 15.15 Group Discussion on Topic 12

15.15 – 15.30 Coffee Break

15.30 – 16.15 **Topic 13:** **Civil Remedies**

 Speaker: Ms. Jennifer Blank

 USPTO, Office of Policy and International Affairs

16.15 – 16.45 Group Discussion on Topic 13

16.45 – 17.00 **Topic 14: Environmentally Friendly Disposal of Infringing Goods**

 Speaker: Ms. Eun-Joo Min

17.00 – 17.30 **Topic 15: Alternative Dispute Resolution in IP Cases**

 Speaker: Thomas Barton (via videoconference)

 James Cooper (via videoconference)

 California Western School of Law

Friday, December 6, 2013

9.00 – 10.00 **Topic 16:** **Investigating and Prosecuting Intellectual Property Crime Cases**

 Panelists: Mr. Michael Ellis

 INTERPOL

 William G. Ross

 Homeland Security Investigations

 United States National Intellectual Property Rights Coordination Center

10.00 – 10.30 Group Discussion on Topic 16

10.30 – 10.45 Coffee Break

10.45 – 11.00 **Topic 17: Criminal Sanctions: Sentencing and Proportionality**

 Speaker: Ms. Eun-Joo Min

11.00 – 12.00 **Topic 18: Adjudicating Criminal Intellectual Property Cases**

 Speaker: Judge Marvin Garbis

 U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland

12.00 – 12.15 Discussion on Topics 17 and 18

12.15 – 13.30 Lunch

13.30 – 14.45 **Practical Problems in Adjudicating IP Cases:**

 **Presentations by Participants and Group Discussion**

14.45 – 15.00 Coffee Break

15.00 – 16.30 **Practical Problems in Adjudicating IP Cases:**

 **Presentations by Participants and Group Discussion**

16.30 – 17.00 Evaluations, Presentation of Certificates, and Closing

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