MEDIA ACCREDITATION FORM
Participation fee is waived for accredited journalists
(Please see details of Media Accreditation Procedure below)

PERSONAL DETAILS (all fields must be completed):
Prefix (Mr., Mrs., Miss, etc.):
First Name:
Family Name:
Title/Function:
Nationality:

CONTACT DETAILS (all fields must be completed):
Media:
Street:
City:
State/Province:
Country:
Zip/Postal code:
FAST TRACK ACCREDITATION DETAILS:

☐ I am accredited at the United Nations in Geneva  ☐ New York  ☐ Vienna  ☐

Note: By default accredited media are placed on the WIPO media information mailing list. Should you not wish to continue to receive WIPO media information releases after this event please check the following box. ☐

PLEASE SEND YOUR ACCREDITATION FORM AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION TO THE WIPO PRESS OFFICE BY
fax +41 22 338 8280 or e-mail: publicinf.mail@wipo.int  
AT LEAST TWO WEEKS PRIOR TO THE CONFERENCE AND/OR THE MEETING
MEDIA ACCREDITATION PROCEDURE

*No media badge will be issued by the WIPO Press Office to journalists whose application does not conform to the established procedure.*

APPLYING FOR MEDIA ACCREDITATION

The accreditation procedures for the Conference on Intellectual Property and Public Policy Issues and/or the event on Meeting the Needs of the Visually Impaired Persons: What Challenges for IP? are based on those established by the United Nations.

Each journalist must submit an individual application and is requested to complete the entire Accreditation Form. The Form must be returned with all the following documents:

- A letter of assignment on official letterhead of a media organization signed by the Editor-in-Chief (or the News Editor for radio/TV);
- A photocopy of a press card valid at least at the end of 2009;
- A copy of your passport or national ID.

Copies of links to two articles/reports published within the last 6 months, for which the journalist is credited, *may* also be requested.

Each accompanying staff member (sound engineers, cameramen, support staff, etc.) must also complete a separate Accreditation Form and return it with:

- A letter of assignment signed by the Editor-in-Chief (or News Editor for radio/TV) and
- A copy of their passport or national ID.

Fast track accreditation is granted to members of the UN Press Corps (with a valid UN press accreditation), as well as holders of a Swiss press card. However, while these journalists do not need to resubmit the supporting documentation listed above, the accreditation form must be completed and returned to the WIPO Press Office. Please send completed forms to fax: +41 22 338 8280 or publicinf@wipo.int.

The WIPO Press Office must be satisfied that anyone applying for media accreditation, whether through the normal or fast track procedure, is a professional journalist and represents bona fide media formally registered as a media organization in a country member of WIPO or of the United Nations. The WIPO Press Office reserves the right to request supplementary documentary evidence to be able to establish the status of applicants. Media accreditation is
not granted to the information outlets of non-governmental organizations. Applications are considered on a case-by-case basis and the decisions of the WIPO Press Office are final.

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BADGE COLLECTION

In order to collect your badge, you must present a valid passport or national identity card.