

Tuesday, October 15, 2024

6pm – 8pm Welcome Reception at The Fullerton Hotel

Wednesday, October 16, 2024

8:45am Welcome Remarks

9am – 9:55am Remedies for Patent Infringement

Co-Moderator: Jennifer Wu, Partner, Groombridge Wu Baughman & Stone
Co-Moderator: Christopher Chan, APAC General Counsel, Jones Lang LaSalle
Raymond Chen, Circuit Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit
Rodney Gilstrap, Chief Judge, United States District Court, Eastern District of Texas
Jaepil Yun, Judge, IP High Court of Korea
Otto Licks, Founding Partner, Licks Attorneys
Tony Yeo, Managing Director, Intellectual Property, Director, Dispute Resolutions and Head,
Healthcare & Life Sciences, Drew & Napier LLC

10am – 10:55am UPC Updates and Lessons Learned

Moderator: Sabine Age, Partner, Hoyng Rokh Monegier
Boris Kreye, Partner, Bird & Bird
Joe Reisman, Partner, Knobbe Martens
Benjamin Ruckert, Partner, Bardehle Pagenberg
Tess Waldron, Partner, Powell Gilbert LLP

10:55am – 11:15am Networking Break

11:15am – 12:10pm How IP Disputes Are Resolved: Judges, Juries, and Arbitration

Moderator: Nick Groombridge, Partner, Groombridge Wu Baughman & Stone
Stanley Lai, Chairman of the Board, IPOS, Partner, Allen & Gledhill LLP
Chuan Wee Meng, Chief Executive Officer, Singapore International Mediation Centre
Yan Wang, Partner, Han Kun Law Offices
Vivekananda Neelakantan, Deputy Registrar, Singapore International Arbitration Centre

12:10pm – 1:10pm Lunch

1:15pm – 2:10pm The practical and policy importance of trade secrets: global trade implications and global enforcement strategies

Moderator: Claudia Frost, Partner, Steptoe LLP
Roger Chang, Partner, Lee & Li
Vivian Wei Cheng, Patent Attorney, JurisAsia LLC (exclusively associated with Gowling WLG)
Stephen Ryan, Global Head of Litigation, TechnipFMC
Sheila Swaroop, Partner, Knobbe Martens
Jeremy Want, Principal, Smart & Biggar LLP

2:15pm – 3:10pm SEP/FRAND Licensing

Moderator: Matthias Kamber, Partner, Paul Hastings LLP
Peter Camesasca, Partner, Peter Camesasca Advokaat BVBA
Le Chen, Head of IP Policy, Europe, Xiaomi Corporation
Chung Nian Lam, Partner, Wong Partnership LLP
Melanie Mueller, Attorney at Law, Boehmert & Boehmert

Thursday, October 17, 2024

9am – 9:55am Patent Office Perspectives

Moderator: Sandra Kuzmich, Managing Partner, Haug Partners LLP
NAITO Yasuaki, Director, Intellectual Property Department, JETRO Bangkok
Farheena Rasheed, Deputy General Counsel for Intellectual Property Law and Solicitor,
United States Patent and Trademark Office
Rena Lee, Chief Executive, Intellectual Property Office of Singapore
Ann Edillon, Director, Bureau of Patents, Intellectual Property Office of the Philippines

10am – 10:55am Judicial Perspectives [areas of uncertainty / development]

Moderator: Patrick Keane, Executive Shareholder, Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney PC
Jiyul Ahn, High Court Judge, IP High Court of Korea
Klaus Bacher, Presiding Judge, German Federal Court of Justice
Sharon Prost, Circuit Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit
Valerie Thean, High Court Judge, Singapore Supreme Court

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11:15am – 12:10pm IP Treaty and International Trade Trends

Moderator: Jonathan Spadt, Shareholder, Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney PC
Trina Ha, Chief Legal Counsel and Director, Legal Department, Intellectual Property Office of Singapore
Jimmie Reyna, Circuit Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit
Corey Salsberg, VP, Global Head IP Affairs, Novartis
Masayuki Yamanouchi, Partner, Anderson Mori

12:10pm – 1:10pm Lunch

1:15pm – 2:10pm Legislative developments and changes in the administrative state

Moderator: Jessica Hannah, Partner, DLA Piper LLP (US)
He Jing, Partner, Gen Law Firm
Ute Kilger, Partner, Boehmert & Boehmert
Erik Puknys, Partner, Finnegan Henderson Farabow Garrett & Dunner LLP
Sidsel Hauge, European Patent Attorney, Group CEO, AWA

2:15pm – 3:10pm Cost of IP Disputes Including Litigation Funding

Moderator: Michael Sandonato, Partner, Venable LLP
Klaus Haft, Partner, Hoyng Rokh Monegier
Jonathan James, Managing Director, Fortress Investment Group LLP
Kiran Patel, Senior IP Counsel, General Licensing, Philips North America
Jonathan Stroud, General Counsel, Unified Patents, LLC

4:00pm – 6:30pm Reception at Singapore Supreme Court
In conjunction with the Intellectual Property Office of Singapore
Court room, museum, and top floor city view tour from 4 to 4:30pm

Friday, October 18, 2024

9am – 9:55am Navigating Patentable Subject Matter Across Borders: Examining Patent Eligibility In Software & Technology in Brazil, Japan, Korea, Singapore and the U.S.

In an era of rapid technological innovation, determining what constitutes patentable subject matter is increasingly complex, especially across different jurisdictions. This panel will bring together practitioners and patent experts to discuss and compare the evolving standards of patentable subject matter in Brazil, Japan, Korea, and Singapore, with a particular focus on software, business method patents, artificial intelligence (AI), and technology. The panel will also explore the intersection between patent eligibility and other concepts, including patent inventorship. By exploring how these jurisdictions approach patent eligibility issues, this panel will provide valuable guidance on how to navigate patent strategies across borders to secure global IP protection for cutting-edge technologies.

Moderator: Rudy Kim, Partner, Paul Hastings LLP
Toyotaka Abe, Partner, TMI Associates
Matthew English, Partner, Marks & Clerk Singapore LLP
Seong-Soo Park, Partner, Kim & Chang
Roberto Rodrigues, Partner, RNA Law
Alfred Yip, Director, Patent Search, Examination & Analytics, Intellectual Property Office of Singapore

9:55am – 10:15am Networking Break

10:15am – 11:10am Artificial Intelligence: Patent Rights, Trade Secrets, and Beyond

Moderator: Patrick Coyne, Partner, Finnegan Henderson Farabow Garrett & Dunner LLP
Simon Chesterman, Professor, National University of Singapore, Senior Director (AI Governance), AI Singapore and Principal Researcher, Office of the UN Secretary-General's Envoy on Technology
Kevin Duan, Partner, Han Kun Law Offices
Thomas Griffiths, Managing Principal, Davies Collison Cave
Scott Pickett, Head of US IP, TechnipFMC
Abigail Tan, Senior Manager, Legal, Elastic

11:15am – 12:10pm U.S. Attaché Perspectives on IP Protection and Enforcement in Southeast Asia

Moderator: Matthew Kohner, U.S. Intellectual Property Attaché for Southeast Asia
Dawn Barriteau, Department of Homeland Security (DHS) / Homeland Security Investigations (HSI) Regional Attaché
Robert Thommen, U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) Regional Attaché

12:15pm Closing Remarks