





Tuesday, October 15, 2024

6pm – 8pm Welcome Reception at The Fullerton Hotel

Wednesday, October 16, 2024

8:45am Welcome Remarks

9am – 9:55am Global Patent Remedies: Navigating the Maze of International Enforcement

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 Agé, Partner, Hoyng Rokh Monegier

Boris Kreye, Partner, Bird & Bird

Joe Reisman, Partner, Knobbe Martens

Benjamin Ruckert, Partner, Bardehle Pagenberg

Penny Gilbert, Partner, Powell Gilbert LLP

10:55am – 11:15am Networking Break

11:15am – 12:10pm 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

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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Networking Break

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IP Treaty and International Trade Trends

Moderator: Corey Salsberg, VP, Global Head IP Affairs, Novartis

Jimmie Reyna, Circuit Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit

Trina Ha, Chief Legal Counsel and Director, Legal Department, Intellectual Property Office of Singapore

Varuni Paranavitane, Of Counsel, Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett & Dunner, LLP

Masayuki Yamanouchi, Partner, Anderson Mori

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Lunch

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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

Rui Luo, Partner, Han Kun Law Offices

Vivekananda Neelakantan, Deputy Registrar, Singapore International Arbitration Centre

2:15pm - 3:10pm

Cost of IP Disputes Including Litigation Funding

Moderator: Michael Sandonato, Partner, Venable LLP

Sabine Agé, Partner, Hoyng Rokh Monegier

Kiran Patel, Senior IP Counsel, General Licensing, Philips North America

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

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

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Abigail Tan, Senior Manager, Legal, Elastic

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 (Al Governance), Al 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

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