

GLOBAL IP Convention 2012

India Habitat Centre, New Delhi [India]

5-8th January, 2012

4 DAYS, 1 FOCUS - IP **(Program Agenda)**

08:00 am to 09:00 am

Registration and Networking

09:00 am to 10:30 am

INAUGURAL CEREMONY

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Welcome address:

- Dr. D. R. Agarwal, Director, ITAG Business Solutions Ltd (IN)

Inaugural address:

- Chief Guest Hon'ble Ms. Teresa Stanek Rea, Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Deputy Director of the USPTO (US)

Guests of Honour:

- Prof. Samir Brahmachari, Director General, CSIR and Secretary, Dept. of Scientific & Industrial Research (IN)
- Ms. Jayashree Watal, Counsellor, IP Division, WTO (Switzerland)
- Shri P. H. Kurian, IAS, Controller General of Patents, Designs & Trade Marks, Indian Patent Office (IN)
- Shri. Narendra Sabharwal, Former Deputy Director General, WIPO (Switzerland)
- Dr. R. K. Malhotra, Executive Director - R&D Centre, Indian Oil Corporation Limited (IN)
- Mr. Mahendra Agarwal, Managing Director, GATI Limited

Keynote address:

- Shri. Naresh Prasad, Executive Director & Chief of Staff, WIPO (Switzerland)

10:30 am to 11:00 am - Networking Coffee Break

DAY – 1 (January 5, 2012) - Thursday

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Chair: Ms. Teresa Stanek Rea, Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Deputy Director of the USPTO (US)

Speakers:

- **Prof. Dr.-Ing. Sigram Schindler**, Founder & CEO, TELES AG (Germany)
“Harmony in Patent Law: Agreement on Commonalities and Clarification of Diversities”
- **Mr. Tarek Fahmi**, Partner, SNR Denton US LLP (US)
“Patents in the Boardroom: Making IP Issues Accessible for Business Executives”
- **Dr. Madhumita Datta**, Patent Agent, Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP (US)
“Fast tracking Green Patents”
- **Ms. Sujatha Subramaniam**, Founder & Managing Partner, IDEE IP Consultants LLP (IN)
“Enforcement of Patents in India in view of recent Developments”

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11:00 am to 01:00 pm

Chair: Mr. Dominic Keating, Director of Intellectual Property Attaché Program at USPTO(US)

Speakers:

- **Mr. Pravin Anand**, Managing Partner, Anand and Anand (IN)
“IP Issues in Cloud Computing”
- **Ms. Joyce Ang**, Partner, ATMD Bird & Bird LLP (Singapore)
“Piracy on the Internet - Dealing with the cyber thieves”
- **Mr. Asim Singh**, Attorney, Singh Law Firm (France)
“Legal regime in France and Europe with respect to Internet piracy”
- **Mr. Bharat Dube**, Chief Executive and Chairman, IP Gurus (Singapore)
“Global warming, piracy and trademark counterfeiting”

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Chair: Prof. Kamal Puri, Director - Master of Intellectual Property Law Program, WIPO - Queensland University of Technology (Australia)

Speakers:

- **Mr. Lalit Bhasin**, President, Society of Indian Law Firms (IN)
“Data Privacy & Protection in relation to employees in IP”
- **Mr. V Lakshmi Kumaran**, Founder and Managing Partner, Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan (IN)
“Border enforcement Issues in India”
- **Mr. Rajinder Sharma**, Director Corporate Affairs & General Counsel-South Asia, DuPont (IN)
“Interface between IP Law & Competition Law”
- **Mr. Chander M. Lall**, Managing Partner - Lall & Sethi Advocates (IN)
“Gross National IP - the new measure for World Economics - An Analysis”

01:00 pm to 02:00 pm - Buffet Lunch and Networking

02:00 pm to 04:00 pm

Chair: Dr. Sigram Schindler, Founder & CEO, TELES AG (Germany)

Speakers:

- **Dr. Felix Gross**, Partner, Maikowski & Ninnemann, (Germany)
“Patent Litigation in Germany - Making a global patent litigation

Chair: Ms. Jayashree Watal, Counsellor, Intellectual Property Division, World Trade Organization (Switzerland)

Speakers:

- **Dr. Nanda P.B.A. Kumar**, Partner, Reed Smith (US)
“Freedom to operate -

Chair: Mr. Narendra Sabharwal, Former Deputy Director General, WIPO

Special Keynote Address by:

- **Ms. Teresa Stanek Rea**, Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Deputy Director of the USPTO (US)

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strategy more efficient”

- **Mr. Bart van Wezenbeek**, Senior Patent Attorney, Vereenigde (Netherlands)

“Tips for drafting a successful European patent application (specifics of European patent practice)”

- **Mr. Olaf Ungerer**, Partner, Eisenfuhr, Speiser & Partner (Germany)

“Experience in coping with patent trolls on both negotiation sides”

- **Ms. Monika Rai**, Patent Attorney, Olswang LLP (UK) “Developing a Cost-Effective Patent Strategy for Europe (protection and litigation)”

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biopharmaceutical product development and manufacture - uncovering and clearing IP roadblocks before entering market”

- **Mr. Thomas Moga**, Senior Attorney, Shook, Hardy & Bacon LLP (US)

“Using Interviews, Declarations and other Tools to Build the Bulletproof US Patent”

- **Mr. Santosh Chari**, Partner, Blake, Cassels & Graydon LLP (Canada)

“How to prosecute pharmaceutical patent applications worldwide: Different approaches taken to examining patent applications around the world”

- **Mr. Brian Kingwell**, Partner, Smart & Biggar and Fetherstonhaugh (Canada)

“Biotechnology Patents in a Post-Genomics World”

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“USPTO Implementation of the America Invents Act”

Speakers:

- **Mr. David Simon**, Chief Patent Counsel, Intel Corporation (US)

“Domestic Innovation Policies— success or failure”

- **Mr. Howard Miller**, Partner, Girardi Keese, (US)

“Enforcing Non-U.S. Originated Intellectual Property in the United States”

- **Mr. Abe Hershkovitz**, Founder, CEO & President, Hershkovitz & Associates, LLC (US)

“Patent Reexamination, Petitions, and Prosecution Tips Before the USPTO under the American Invents Act”

04:00 pm to 04:30 pm - Networking Coffee Break

04:30 pm to 06:00 pm

Chair: Mr. P. H. Kurian, IAS, Controller General of Patents, Designs & Trade Marks, Indian Patent Office (IN)

Speakers:

- **Dr. Aravind Chinchure**, AVP - Innovations, Reliance Industries Ltd. (IN)

“Licensing of Indian Innovations – Past, Present and Future”

- **Mr. Ram Menon**, Senior Licensing Counsel, Research In Motion (US)

“Patent Licensing in Mobile and Consumer Electronics”

- **Mr. Vinod Kumar**, Sr. Director,

Chair: Mr. John Ward, Global Trademark Counsel, Novartis Vaccines and Diagnostics (US)

Speakers:

- **Dr. Ludwig Kouker**, Partner, Boehmert & Boehmert (Germany)

“Appropriate Strategy for Creation, Protection and Litigation of Indian Trademark Portfolio in Europe”

- **Mr. Robert Kenney**, Partner, Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch LLP (US)

“Social Media: Implications on Trademark and Domain Name Prosecution”

Chair: Mr. T. C. James, Director, National Intellectual Property Organization (IN)

Speakers:

- **Ms. Pallavi Mehta Wahi**, Partner, K&L Gates LLP

“Domain Names, Social Media and Infringement: a 2011 U.S. Law Update”

- **Mr. Rajesh Sagar**, Associate, Marks & Clerk Solicitors LLP (UK)

“The Impact of Patent Construction - How to Prove Infringement and Validity”



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Business Development, MOSAID Technologies, Inc. (Canada)

“Evaluating and Acquiring Patents for Licensing – A methodology with case study”

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· **Mr. Richard Gilbey**, Founding Partner, Gilbey Delorey (France)

“Community trade mark system, Madrid arrangement, and strategy for protecting marks in Europe. How they work together, which route to choose? What are possible criteria for choosing, and pitfalls?”

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· **Dr. Sonia Baldia**, Associate Professor of Law, Widener University School of Law (US)

“Risks and challenges to patent monetization in the emerging global marketplace”

· **Ms. Srividhya Ragavan**, Professor, University of Oklahoma College of Law (US)

“Calibrating Innovation to Promote Competition”

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