

2007 ABA Annual Meeting

ABA Section of
Intellectual Property Law
Events and Programs

August 9-14 San Francisco

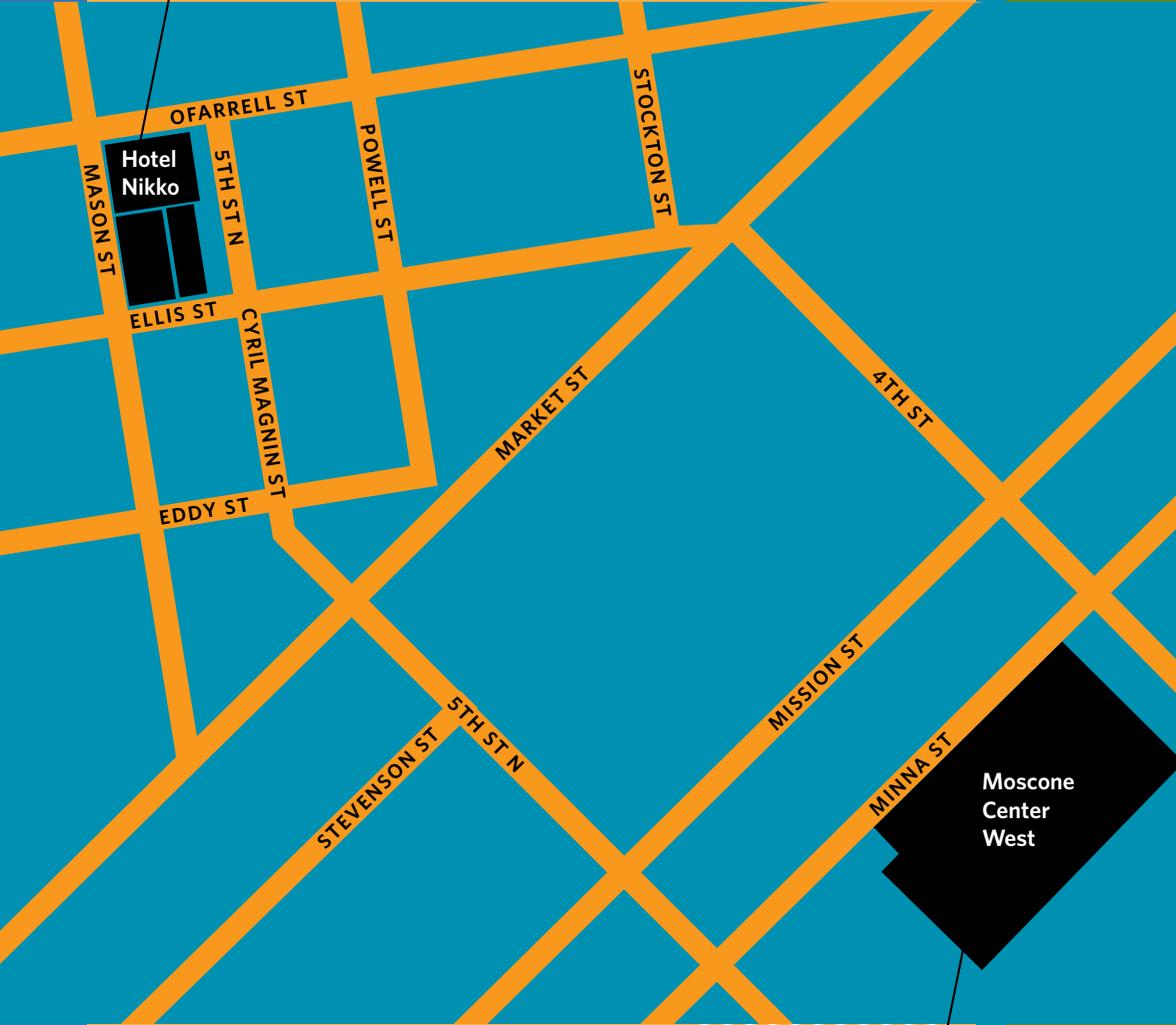


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A wider community, a greater gathering of resources.

This year's ABA Annual Meeting and ABA-IPL: the highest potential for yourself and your practice.

The ABA Section of Intellectual Property Law (ABA-IPL) is joining the 2007 ABA Annual Meeting in San Francisco for the first time in over 10 years. We are offering you the finest continuing legal education programming, events and networking opportunities with your IP colleagues. We're also presenting new possibilities to take advantage of all of the events and programs of the ABA Annual Meeting.

More for you...

We invite you to preview the exciting agenda we are planning: unique Section Business Session Debates, committee meetings, receptions and continuing legal education. In addition, you can take in all the activities of the ABA Annual Meeting, including the President's Reception, Opening Assembly, and ABA Expo.

You have the potential of earning an entire year's worth of CLE credit in a few days at our meeting this year, as you keep up to date on the latest developments and issues critical to your practice, network with the leading IP practitioners in the world, and take advantage of all that the ABA has to offer.

All in one great place: San Francisco

We have planned productive sessions for you while your family enjoys the sites and sensations of this beautiful cosmopolitan city.

Join us for an exceptional array of opportunities!



THE ABA SECTION OF
Intellectual Property Law

Section Events

Section Business Session

Saturday, August 11 8:00 - 11:45 pm

A unique feature of the Section—the annual Business Session—features presentations, discussion, and debate on substantive policy by ABA-IPL committees. In the past, topics have ranged from “first to file” versus “first to invent,” trade dress protection for product configurations, and file downloading. Leading experts in the field of IP law will present the issues of the day in this open forum setting in which attendees are welcome to participate and provide their own comments, and vote on resolutions to become Section policy. CLE accreditation will be available for this substantive discussion.

Incoming ABA President William S. Neukom (former General Counsel of Microsoft Corporation) will deliver this year's keynote address at the beginning of the session, prior to the Business Session debates.

Sunday, August 12 5:30 - 6:00 pm

The Business Session will continue on Sunday afternoon with the election of Section leadership for the coming year.

IP Central—Section Hospitality Hub
with Cyber Café**Thursday, August 9 - Sunday, August 12 8:00 am - 5:00 pm****Monday, August 13 8:00 am - noon**

We invite you to join us here at anytime throughout the conference. IP Central will be a place for Section members to relax and network between sessions and learn more about upcoming ABA-IPL events and publications. We will also have a Cyber Café for your convenience.

Evening Hospitality

Each evening—starting at 8:00 pm—you are invited to visit our evening hospitality room (Bay View Room, 25th floor). This will be a place for Section members and their guests to gather at their leisure and mingle with other attendees in a relaxed and casual atmosphere.

We will provide light snacks and cocktails for your enjoyment.

Champagne
& City Lights

Treat yourself to chocolate truffles, and discover the beauty of San Francisco at night.



THE ABA SECTION OF

Intellectual Property Law

Professional Development Breakfast Program: Women and Minorities in IP Law

"Why do minority and women lawyers leave law firms and how do we reverse the movement?"

Friday, August 10 8:00 – 10:00 am

(ticketed event - \$45)

All ABA Annual Meeting attendees are invited to attend this special breakfast program on Friday morning for a discussion focusing on why minority and women lawyers leave law firms. We'll address some of the causal factors behind the phenomenon (e.g., feelings of isolation, uneven promotion opportunities, work/life issues) and then discussion leaders will present best practices used by firms nationwide.

Discussion leaders:

B. Todd Jones, Robins, Kaplan, Miller & Ciresi, L.L.P., Minneapolis, MN

Carl G. Cooper, Law Firm Consultant, Pittsburgh, PA

Patricia K. Gillette, Heller Ehrman LLP, San Francisco, CA

Section Open House Reception

Friday, August 10 5:30 – 7:00 pm

(complimentary advance tickets required)

On Friday, the Section will host its popular annual Section Open House Reception, where guests will enjoy music, cocktails and hors d'oeuvres and a chance to network with other Annual Meeting participants.

Women's Dinner

Friday, August 10 7:00 – 9:00 pm

(ticketed event - \$75)

A first for the Section at the ABA Annual Meeting, the Women's Networking Dinner offers the opportunity for women leaders in the profession to gather and network in an informal and relaxed dinner environment.

Watch for payment and location details in a separate invitation in advance of the meeting.

Section Luncheon

Saturday, August 11 12:00 – 1:30 pm

(ticketed event - \$55)

On Saturday, there will be a special Section Luncheon, featuring special guest speaker Hon. M. Margaret McKeown, U.S. Court of Appeals for the 9th Circuit. Judge McKeown will discuss her experiences with IP law from both sides of the bench. There will be a special awards presentation at this luncheon.

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New Leadership/ Get-Acquainted Reception

Sunday, August 12 5:30 – 7:00 pm

(complimentary advance tickets required)

All attendees at the ABA Annual Meeting are invited to join us at this reception to meet and greet the new leadership of the Section. The event also provides a relaxing and fun opportunity for the younger and newer members, as well as first time ABA-IPL conference participants, who may want to learn more about the Section, get to know our members and increase their participation in Section activities.

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Committee Meetings

Friday, August 10 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Sunday, August 12 8:00 – 9:00 am

A number of Section committees will hold meetings during the ABA Annual Meeting. All conference attendees are welcome to stop by and participate in committee meetings and to join a committee where they have an interest. All members of scheduled committee meetings are urged to attend and participate. Watch the ABA-IPL website at www.abanet.org/intelprop/annual2007 for a list of scheduled meetings as they are announced.

On Friday, August 10, there will be a light lunch for all committee meeting participants.

ABA Highlights



Wake Up Walks

Each morning the ABA is planning one-hour walks through the city's most iconic neighborhoods—a perfect way to explore without missing any Section events!

The ABA Annual Meeting is an opportunity to “share your voice and vision” with a community of your colleagues. While you participate in ABA-IPL Section events, you can also experience the variety of ABA-wide activities and programs. For a detailed schedule of ABA events, visit www.abanet.org/annual/2007.

ABA Expo

**Thursday, August 9 -
Saturday, August 11
10:00 am - 4:00 pm**

The ABA Expo is the world's largest legal expo with over 150 providers of legal products and services—a showcase of the very best in services, legal publishing, technology, finance and communications.

Rule of Law Initiative Luncheon

**Saturday, August 11
12:00 noon - 2:00 pm**

The ABA believes that rule of law is the most effective solution to the problems facing the world today. This luncheon honors those who have shown their commitment to the promotion of the Rule of Law around the world.

Opening Assembly

**Saturday, August 11
5:30 pm**

The Opening Assembly is the traditional “start with a flourish” for the ABA Annual Meeting. This year's will take place at Davies Symphony Hall.

President's Reception

**Saturday, August 11
7:00 - 9:00 pm**

The President's Reception immediately following the Opening Assembly is a wonderful opportunity to network with ABA members from other sections.

Thurgood Marshall Awards Reception and Dinner

**Saturday, August 11
7:00 - 11:00 pm**

This award, established by the American Bar Association and the Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities in 1992, recognizes members of the legal profession who have made substantial and long-term contributions to the

advancement of civil rights, civil liberties, and human rights in the United States. Judge Matthew J. Perry, Jr. will be this year's recipient of the Thurgood Marshall Award. Judge Perry played a central role in the integration of South Carolina and was the first black lawyer from the Deep South to be appointed to the Federal Bench.

Margaret Brent Women Lawyers of Achievement Luncheon

**Sunday, August 12
11:30 am - 1:30 pm**

This award, now in its 17th year, recognizes and celebrates the accomplishments of women lawyers who have excelled in their field and have paved the way to success for other women lawyers. The event also serves as an important reminder of our progress as a profession and as a society.

House of Delegates

**Monday, August 13 and
Tuesday, August 14**

The House of Delegates meeting is a two day debate over the most important issues facing the legal world and society as a whole. This meeting helps create ABA policy and develops profession-wide models for behavior.

Pro-Bono Publico Awards Luncheon

**Monday, August 13
12:00 noon - 2:00 pm**

At this luncheon the Standing Committee on Pro Bono and Public Service will present several awards to individuals and institutions in the legal profession to honor those who have shown outstanding commitment to volunteer legal services for the poor and disadvantaged.

Schedule at a Glance



THURSDAY AUGUST 9

8:00 am - 5:00 pm
IP Central - Section
Hospitality Hub with
Cyber Café

8:00 - 10:00 am
Officers' Meeting

10:00 am - 5:00 pm
Council Meeting

10:30 am - 12:00 noon
Presidential Showcase Program: The Whole World is Watching! Privacy, Copyright and Parental Control in the Age of YouTube, MySpace and Beyond

12:00 noon - 1:30 pm
Council Luncheon

7:00 - 10:00 pm
Council Dinner at
Farallon Restaurant
(ticketed event - \$95)

8:00 pm
Evening hospitality



Moscone Center West
(photo by John Louie)



FRIDAY AUGUST 10

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Section Committees/Luncheon

2:00 - 3:30 pm
CLE Program: Trademarks,
Celebrities and the Good
Deed—Using Celebrity
Branding for the Public Good

2:00 - 3:30 pm
CLE Program: Emerging
Antitrust and Misuse Theories
Involving the Licensing and
Enforcement of Copyrights in
Cyberspace

5:30 - 7:00 pm
Section Open House
Reception

7:00 - 9:00 pm
Women's Networking Dinner
(ticketed event - \$75)

8:00 pm
Evening hospitality

CLE Sessions shown
in purple will be held at
the Presidential
CLE Centre at the
Moscone Center West
- all other events
will take place at
Section headquarters,
the Hotel Nikko
San Francisco,
unless otherwise
indicated.



SATURDAY AUGUST 11

8:00 am – 5:00 pm
IP Central—Section
Hospitality Hub with
Cyber Café

7:30 – 9:30 am
Continental Breakfast

8:00 – 11:45 am
Section Business Session
Part I—Substantive
Debates on IP Issues
Keynote Speaker
William Neukom
(CLE Credit available)

12:00 noon – 1:30 pm
Section Luncheon with
guest speaker and award
presentations
(ticketed event - \$55)

2:00 – 3:30 pm
CLE Program: Business
Success Using Open
Source Software

2:00 – 3:30 pm
CLE Program:
Patenting Tax-Related
Inventions: What's All
the Fuss About?

2:00 – 3:30 pm
CLE Program: Litigation
Skills: How Jurors Think—
Crafting a Jury-Friendly
Case From Start to Finish

3:45 – 5:00 pm
CLE Program: Arbitration
and Mediation of
Intellectual Property
Disputes Today

8:00 pm
Evening hospitality



SUNDAY AUGUST 12

8:00 am – 5:00 pm
IP Central—Section
Hospitality Hub with
Cyber Café

8:00 – 9:00 am
Section Committee
Meetings

8:30 – 10:00 am
CLE Program: IP Update
—Hot Topics and Recent
Developments in IP Law

9:00 – 11:30 am
Leadership Development
Breakfast Meeting:
Incoming Division Chairs,
Committee Chairs, and
Liasons

11:30 am – 1:30 pm
Division Roundtables /
Luncheon

2:00 – 3:30 pm
CLE Program:
International
Harmonization—
Managing IP Assets
on a Global Basis

2:00 – 3:30 pm
CLE Program: Trials with
Sensitive Topics

5:00 – 5:30 pm
Section Business Session
Part II—Elections

5:30 – 7:00 pm
New Leadership /
Get-Acquainted Reception
(all are invited)

8:00 pm
Evening hospitality



MONDAY AUGUST 13

8:00 am – 12:00 noon
IP Central—Section
Hospitality Hub with
Cyber Café

8:30 – 10:00 am
CLE Program:
Patent Law Reform in
the People's Republic
of China

10:15 – 11:45 am
Educational
Programming
Group Meeting

12:00 noon – 1:30 pm
2008 ABA Annual
Meeting—New York
Planning Meeting



Alcatraz: The Rock!

Discover the truth
behind the legends
of one of America's
most infamous
prisons. Wander
the halls and get the
real story behind the
attempted escapes.

Enhance Your IP IQ With These Comprehensive ABA-IPL CLE Programs

(All programs below will be held at the ABA
Presidential CLE Centre at Moscone Center West)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 9

10:30 am - 12:00 noon

Presidential Showcase Program:

The Whole World Is Watching! Privacy, Copyright and Parental Control in the Age of YouTube, MySpace and Beyond

(primary sponsor: ABA Forum on the Entertainment
and Sports Industries)

Interactive media now moves at the speed of light. You can capture your daughter's winning goal in Saturday's soccer match on digital video, score it with your favorite '80s anthem (think: "Personal Best") and upload it to YouTube or MySpace in a matter of seconds. Before you know it, her video has become an instant Internet phenomenon. Can the law keep pace? More to the point, can you? What every lawyer parent should know, this program will also feature online demonstrations of the latest Internet media technology.

Moderator:

David M. Given, Phillips, Erlewine & Given LLP, San Francisco, CA

Speakers:

David Anderman, Senior Director of Business Affairs, Lucasfilm Ltd., San Francisco, CA

Zahavah Levine, General Counsel, Google/YouTube, San Bruno, CA

Chris Kelly, General Counsel, Facebook.com, Palo Alto, CA

Pamela Samuelson, Richard M. Sherman Distinguished Professor of Law & Information, University of California (Berkeley), Boalt Hall School of Law, Berkeley, CA

Fred von Lohmann, Senior Staff Attorney, Electronic Frontier Foundation, San Francisco, CA

Tanya Greig, Vice President - Business Affairs and Administration, Interscope/Geffen/A&M Records, Santa Monica, CA

FRIDAY, AUGUST 10

2:00 - 3:30 pm

Trademarks, Celebrities, and The Good Deed: Using Celebrity Branding for the Public Good

(co-sponsored by the ABA Section of Business Law, Forum on Franchising, and Forum on the Entertainment and Sports Industries)

The merger of trademark law, public service advertising and celebrity branding has created some groundbreaking new marketing campaigns that raise legal issues covering many areas of intellectual property law. Panelists will focus on campaigns such as the (RED)TM campaign developed by Bono and championed by American Express, Apple, Converse, GAP and others (and which features numerous celebrities), to discuss issues arising when celebrities use their star power to promote causes and public good, including ownership, enforcement, right of publicity, as well as other trademark and copyright issues. The panel will also address what happens when scandal strikes a company or celebrity, and related issues such as damage control, impact on brand, etc.

Moderator

Helen Hill Minsker, Banner & Witcoff, Ltd., Chicago, IL

Speakers

Daniel Levin, Associated Talent Management, Los Angeles, CA

D. Peter Harvey, Harvey Siskind LLP, San Francisco, CA

Daniel K. Feldman, Foley Hoag LLP, Washington, DC

Representative from Corporate Participants in the (RED) campaign



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2:00 - 3:30 pm**Emerging Antitrust and Misuse Theories Involving the Licensing and Enforcement of Copyrights in Cyberspace***(co-sponsored by the ABA Section of Business Law, Forum on Franchising, and Forum on the Entertainment and Sports Industries)*

The world of the Internet has dramatically changed the way copyrighted works are distributed and published. Traditional and new media today strive to find a balance between protecting the rights of creators and content owners and the consuming public's ability to communicate with one another, new technologies—and a few new lawsuits—directly raise the ways in which competition principles and the intellectual property laws are being applied to establish what may be a new balance between the rights of the public and those of the content owners.

This program will focus on these important issues in the context of new technology and major pending litigation, and will include at least the following specific topics:

- (1) Traditional media and new media in the courts, e.g., Viacom, Google, and YouTube; the Google library project.
- (2) DVRs and time and space shifting; and
- (3) Antitrust counterclaims in intellectual property cases.

Moderators

Carole Handler, Foley & Lardner, LLP, Los Angeles, CA

Henry C. Su, Howrey LLP, East Palo Alto, CA

Speakers

William Patry, Senior Copyright Counsel, Google, Inc., Mountain View, CA

Mitch Singer, Chief Technology Officer, Sony Pictures Entertainment, Culver City, CA

Fred von Lohmann, Electronic Frontier Foundation, San Francisco, CA

**Victorian Homes**

Visit some of San Francisco's famous Victorian homes. Participants will get to go inside two of these "painted ladies" as well as tour the districts known for these architectural treasures.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 11

2:00 - 3:30 pm**Business Success Using Open Source Software**

Open Source Software is both controversial and commonly used in business today. The legal issues surrounding the use of Open Source Software have continued despite the fact that 80% of all businesses use it. This presentation will focus on the business models that are currently succeeding using Open Source Software. The focus of the panel is on Open Source Software as the basis of a phenomenon which proceeds despite copyright, contract, and contradictory international law. Insight from those on the front line of where Open Source Software is a successful business model will be the theme.

Moderator

Katherine Spelman, Cobalt LLP, Berkeley, CA

Speakers

David Kappos, VP and Assistant General Counsel, IBM Corporation, Markham, ON

David Marr, Sun Microsystems, Inc., Santa Clara, CA

Karen Copenhaver, Choate Hall, Boston, MA. Formerly Executive Vice President and General Counsel, Black Duck Software, Inc.

Stephen Weber, Professor of Political Science, U.C. - Berkeley, Berkeley, CA



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2:00 – 3:30 pm**Patenting Tax-Related Inventions: What's All the Fuss About?***(co-sponsored by the ABA Section of Taxation)*

Recent popular press reports have focused attention on patents on inventions for tax-related methods. Some commentators have been critical of these inventions while others see no difference between these and any other new, useful and non-obvious invention related to a U.S. regulatory scheme. Are patents on tax-related inventions different? Desirable? Find out from a panel of experts—from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, industry and private practice. Find out what's really been happening and hear perspectives from all sides of the issue.

Moderator

E. Anthony Figg, Rothwell, Figg, Ernst & Manbeck, P.C., Washington, DC

Speakers

Tax attorney: **Prof. Ellen Aprill**, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles, CA

Patent attorney: **Lynn Pasahow**, Fenwick & West, Mountain View, CA

Wynn Coggins, Director of Art Unit 3600, U.S. Patent & Trademark Office, Washington, DC

John A. Squires, Chair, SIFMA (Securities Industry and Financial Markets Association) IP Committee Chief IP Counsel, Goldman, Sachs & Co., New York, NY

2:00 – 3:30 pm**Litigation Skills: How Jurors Think—Crafting a Jury-Friendly Case from Start to Finish***(co-sponsored by the ABA Young Lawyers Division)*

How do you persuade? Is there really any difference in persuading jurors at trial, or your opponents in mediation? What are the parallels in preparing for these two distinct events? Do you understand where these finders of fact are coming from? How they think? Do you understand the very real changes in the venire with regard to expectations not only of evidence, but how it is presented? We will take you through the following:

- Understanding how to meet jurors “where they are”
- Learning how finders of fact problem solve a dispute and what they remember most
- Identifying how your courtroom demeanor may be helping (or hurting) you
- Capturing the power of technology to strengthen your case
- How to handle “the CSI effect”—a new juror phenomenon
- Real case studies demonstrating the above

Moderator

Yoncha Kundupoglu, Hogan & Hartson LLP, Los Angeles, CA

Speakers

Tara Trask, President, Tara Trask, LLC, San Francisco, CA

Greg Glass, President, Point Multimedia, LLC, Dallas, TX

Law firm representative, to be announced

3:45 – 5:00 pm**Arbitration and Mediation of Intellectual Property Disputes Today***(primary sponsor: ABA Section of Dispute Resolution)*

Against the background of the rising cost and increasingly international scope of intellectual property (IP) litigation, more owners of IP rights now look at arbitration, mediation and other forms of ADR. This program aims to explore the circumstances in which IP owners are prepared to use, and have used, ADR; where they did, whether it has lived up to their expectations by comparison to other options; what have been some of the practical do's and don'ts of the processes; and what place arbitration and mediation take in IP dispute clauses and policies. The program includes discussion of the experience of the WIPO Arbitration and Mediation Center.

Speakers:

M. Scott Donahey, Arbitrator and Mediator, Palo Alto, California

Peter Michaelson, Michaelson & Associates, Shrewsbury, PA

Mark Partridge, Pattishall, McAuliffe, Newbury, Hilliard & Geraldson, LLP, Chicago, IL

Erik Wilbers, Acting Director, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) Arbitration and Mediation Center, Geneva, Switzerland

SUNDAY, AUGUST 12

8:30 - 10:00 am

IP Update - Hot Topics and Recent Developments in IP Law

A series of discussions on the latest hot topics in the field of intellectual property law sparking current discussion in the IP world today.

Moderator

Amy J. Benjamin, Darby & Darby, New York, NY

Copyright

A discussion of recent developments in copyright law including the latest cases, new legislation, online issues, restored copyrights and attorneys' fees.

Amy J. Benjamin, Darby & Darby, New York, NY

Patent

A discussion of recent Supreme Court cases affecting patent law and practice, including: *KSR International v. Teleflex* (Standard of Patentability; Obviousness); *eBay v. MercExchange* (Injunctions); *Medimmune v. Genentech* (Standing of Licensee to sue Licensor); *NTP v. Research in Motion* (The Blackberry Case); *Medtronic v. Michelson* (\$500M judgment to surgeon/inventor)

Laura F. Shunk, Hudak, Shunk & Farine Co., LPA, Cuyahoga Falls, OH

Michael W. Garvey, Pearne & Gordon, LLP, Cleveland, OH

Trademark

A discussion of the latest cases interpreting the Trademark Dilution Revision Act, as well as other developments in trademark law, including a discussion on domain name disputes, keyword buys, fair use, and parody.

David H. Bernstein, Debevoise & Plimpton LLP, New York, NY

2:00 - 3:30 pm

International Harmonization - Managing IP Assets on a Global Basis

(co-sponsored by the ABA Section of International Law, Section of Litigation, Section of Antitrust Law, and Section of Business Law - Intellectual Property Committee and CyberSpace Law Committee's Subcommittee on Corporate Aspects of Information Technology)

Protection, enforcement, and acquisition of IP assets occur on an increasingly global scale as the economy becomes more global. The significant issues facing large and small corporations in managing their IP assets in the major economic regions (i.e. North America, Europe and Asia) as well as approaches to emerging markets (i.e. South America, India, South Africa) will be the focus of the panel discussion. Subtopics may include managing outside counsel in multiple jurisdictions, joint development across borders, litigation in multiple venues, and barriers in global transactions (licensing acquisitions). Insight and tips from the perspective of inhouse counsel managing these issues on a daily basis will be provided.

Moderator

Nancy Lambert, 3M, St. Paul, MN

Speakers

Michael Rodenbaugh, Senior Legal Director, Yahoo, Inc., Sunnyvale, CA

Robert W. Sprague, Assistant Chief Intellectual Property Counsel, Healthcare Markets, 3M Innovative Properties Company, St. Paul, MN

Christen Millard, Chief Litigation Counsel, Honda R & D Americas, Columbus, OH

Valerie Calloway, Chief Intellectual Property Counsel, Polymer Group, Inc., Charlotte, NC



Sunday Brunch

Champagne breakfast surrounded by panoramic views of San Francisco as you glide along the Bay.

2:00 - 3:30 pm

Trials with Sensitive Topics

(co-sponsored by the ABA Section of Litigation, Tort, Trial and Insurance Practice Section, and Young Lawyers Division)

Picture yourself representing the small business patent owner in the trial of *In the Matter of Certain Male Prophylactic Devices* before the U.S. International Trade Commission (ITC). The patent in suit has many claims and terms. The inventor, a medical doctor, is now the head of a foreign company charged with infringement along with America's largest seller of prophylactics. Ph.D. experts and fact witnesses will testify in the high tech courtroom. Exhibits include sensitive items. How will you present your case—taking into consideration the sensibilities of all concerned—to prove infringement and domestic industry when the subject matter is about sensitive issues? The speakers will provide practical takeaways from the actual trial, subject to the terms of the ITC's protective order, and with due respect for issues that may be appealed.

Moderator

Richard P. Beem, Beem Patent Law Firm, Chicago, IL

Speakers

Paul Kozacky, Kozacky & Weitzel, Chicago, IL

Jerome Weitzel, Kozacky & Weitzel, Chicago, IL

Tessa Eckholm, Trial Graphix, Philadelphia, PA

MONDAY, AUGUST 13

8:30 - 10:00 am

Patent Law Reform in the People's Republic of China

(co-sponsored by the ABA Section of International Law and Section of Science & Technology Law)

This program will discuss the proposed amendments to the PRC Patent Law. This set of amendments will be the third major modification to the Chinese Patent Law. Unlike the previous modification, this round of changes is self-initiated by the Chinese government to correct deficiencies and inconsistencies in the current system. The proposed changes are both fundamental and far reaching, including definition for the various types of patents, abuse of intellectual property rights, relationship with other laws such as antitrust and standards development and new provisions for interpreting and enforcing issued patents.

Moderator

Elizabeth Chien-Hale, Institute for Intellectual Property in Asia, Fremont, CA

Speakers

Elaine Wu, U.S. Patent & Trademark Office, Alexandria, VA

Xintian Yin, State Intellectual Property Office of China, Beijing, China

Henry Blanco-White, Drinker, Biddle & Reath, LLP, Philadelphia, PA

Yee Wah Chin, Law Office of Yee Wah Chin, Washington, DC



ABA-IPL Section Event Tickets

Section event tickets can be purchased only through the ABA registration process. Visit www.abanet.org/annual/2007 to register and order Section event tickets. Ticketed events for which tickets are available through ABA registration include:

Date	Time	Code	Event	Fee
Fri, Aug 10	8:00-10:00 am	SDK1	Professional Development Breakfast: Women and Minorities in IP Law	\$45
Fri, Aug 10	5:30-7:00 pm	SDK2	ABA-IPL Section Open House Reception	\$0
Sat, Aug 11	12:00-1:30 pm	SDK3	ABA-IPL Section Luncheon	\$55
Sun, Aug 12	5:30-7:00 pm	SDK4	ABA-IPL New Leadership Get Acquainted Reception	\$0

Your pre-ordered tickets will be available with your registration packets onsite at the ABA main registration at Moscone Center West, during ABA registration hours. Tickets may also be purchased onsite at the main registration area. Note that ticket availability may be limited and may sell out, so order your tickets in advance. Tickets will not be available at the Section hospitality area in the Hotel Nikko, nor at the door of the events.

The two receptions are complimentary and open to all, but you must order complimentary tickets for entry to the event, so remember to order your tickets in advance, or onsite when you pick up your registration materials at the ABA main registration.

Registration Information

The ABA has appointed Experient (formerly International Travel Service (ITS)), a professional convention management company, as registrar for the 2007 Annual Meeting in San Francisco. Experient will be the only source for ABA Meeting Registration and Official ABA Housing.

To register, visit the ABA Annual Meeting website at www.abanet.org/annual/2007.

Housing, registration, tour and event tickets can all be accommodated through the online registration form. To make changes to or to add additional items to an existing registration, please visit the Annual Meeting website www.abanet.org/annual/2007 or send an e-mail message to aba@experient-inc.com. Please include the Experient I.D. number (which you received with your initial registration) on all correspondence.

The advance registration deadline is July 20, 2007.

Registration Fees

Member & All Access CLE Badge	\$570
Member Governance Only & Access to Non-CLE Programs	\$295
Non-Member & All Access CLE Badge	\$775
Non-Member Governance & Non-CLE Program Registration	\$500
Law Student & All-Access CLE Badge	\$75
Individual CLE tickets	\$75
Individual CLE tickets for judges and government lawyers	\$35

After July 20, registrations will be accepted onsite at Moscone Center West during open registration hours of the Annual Meeting. Registrations received by Experient after July 20 will be held and processed onsite, and will not appear in the Advance Registration List (Ticket requests received after July 20 will be held and processed onsite, to the extent that tickets remain available).

For complete registration, cancellation and refund policy information, visit www.abanet.org/annual/2007.

For registration questions, call (312) 988-5870.

Housing

The housing deadline is July 6, 2007, 5:00 pm (Central Daylight Time). Hotel requests received at Experient after July 6 will not be accommodated. Hotel requests must be sent to Experient through the ABA Annual Meeting registration process. Requests sent directly to the hotels will not be accommodated. After the housing deadline, you must wait until after July 25 to make your reservation directly with the official ABA hotels or to change reservations made through Experient.

The Section of Intellectual Property Law headquarters hotel is the Hotel Nikko San Francisco; other hotel choices can be viewed on-line at: www.abanet.org/annual/2007 (click on the link in the upper right box "2007 Annual Online Meeting Registration," then select the "hotel list/map" option from the links at the top of the page).

Please indicate your first, second and third choice of hotel. If your preferred hotel choices are unavailable, Experient will be happy to place you on a wait list for one of your first two choices. Please call Experient at (800) 421-0450 or send an e-mail message to aba@experient-inc.com stating your wish to be wait-listed. Wait-listed reservations will be confirmed as cancellations are received. Please include your Experient ID number in all correspondence. Experient will acknowledge your reservation request in writing within one week of receipt of your ABA registration form. Hotels will be confirmed on a first-come, first-served basis. Choice of accommodations will become more limited as the deadline for registration approaches. For housing and hotel specific questions, please call Experient at (800) 421-0450 or send an e-mail to aba@experient-inc.com.

A credit card with a valid expiration date (August 31, 2007 or later) is required to guarantee your hotel reservation. If an invalid card is provided, we will not be able to reserve a hotel room for you. The hotel will charge a one night's room and tax to the credit card, which will be deducted from your total hotel bill upon check out.

For full housing, cancellation and refund policy, visit www.abanet.org/annual/2007.

Section Hotel

The Hotel Nikko San Francisco
222 Mason Street
San Francisco, California 94102
www.hotelnikkosf.com

Air Travel

Airfare discounts are available through ABA Online Travel, Travelocity Business or directly from the airline. To access ABA Online Travel, visit www.abanet.org/travel. The toll-free number for Travelocity Business is (866) 321-8403.

All-Access CLE Badge

Purchasing CLE at the 2007 Annual Meeting is easy. Attendees can purchase an All-Access CLE Badge that will gain them admission to non-CLE programs and ALL CLE programs at the Annual Meeting, including those in the Presidential CLE Centre and at the satellite hotels.

Members whose primary focus at the Annual Meeting is governance, and who may only be able to attend a few CLE programs, can register for the Annual Meeting for a low fee that includes admittance to all governance and non-CLE programs, and purchase individual CLE program tickets. Discounted CLE program tickets will be available to registered government lawyers and judges. Law Student registrants will be admitted to all CLE programs at no additional charge. Admittance to each CLE program will require one individual program ticket OR the All-Access CLE Badge.

To purchase the All-Access CLE Badge or the individual program tickets, please visit the Annual Meeting web site at www.abanet.org/annual/2007.

CLE credit

The Section of Intellectual Property Law programs at the ABA Annual Meeting Presidential CLE Centre provide 1.5 hours of CLE credit each. The Business Session on Saturday, August 11 will provide 3.0 hours of CLE credit. In addition, there are many other programs offered by other ABA Sections, Divisions and entities to select from for additional CLE credit. Visit www.abanet.org/annual/2007 for a complete list of CLE programs available.

CLE accreditation will be requested for the programs from every state with mandatory continuing education requirements for lawyers. Please be aware that each state has its own rules and regulations, including its definition of "CLE." Check with your state agency for confirmation of this program's approval. Attendees requesting credit for the program must complete the computer attendance card provided with your registration packet onsite. New York attorneys must sign in and sign out each time they enter or leave the program room, and complete the special New York certificate of attendance at the end of the program and have it signed by ABA authorized personnel.

You may contact the ABA Service Center toll free at (800) 285-2221 or the program coordinator at (312) 988-6268 within two weeks of the start of the program for confirmation of the number of CLE credit hours requested by the ABA or credit approved by any particular state.