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**OCT 4-5 BOSTON, MA
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Hear from experts on topics such as: statutory research exemptions, willful infringement/inequitable conduct reform, and access issues associated with drug development

Participate in a PTO roundtable discussion on topics such as: international harmonization efforts and implementing a U.S. post-grant opposition system

Dinner Keynote Address by

James Toupin, General Counsel for the United States Patent and Trademark Office

Andrea Ryan, Assistant General Counsel - Patents, Wyeth

Scott Brown, Vice President and Chief Patent Counsel, Millennium

Winston Henderson, Vice President and General Counsel, Surface Logix

Including presentations by

Robert A. Armitage, Vice President and General Counsel, Eli Lilly & Co.

Gavin Bogle, Senior Patent Counsel, Wyeth

Al Ubieta, Senior Patent Counsel, Wyeth

Karen Krupen, Director and Group Head Biotechnology and Genomics US Patent Department, Sanofi-Aventis

Raymond Van Dyke, Nixon Peabody LLP

Melodie Henderson, Vice President, Intellectual Capital & Licensing, Genaissance Pharmaceuticals

Kathleen Williams, Partner and Co-Chair of the Life Sciences and Patent Groups, Palmer & Dodge LLP

Peter Michaelson, Michaelson and Associates

Richard Smith, Partner and Co-Chair of Life Sciences Group, Palmer & Dodge LLP

Jill Uhl, Associate Director, Patent Counsel, Serono

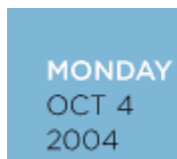
Leslie Platt, Principal, ITARIS LLC

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Michael Kirschner, Patent Attorney



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8:00 am - 9:00 am
Registration/Breakfast

9:00 am - 10:00 am
Welcome and Opening Remarks

IP Counsels' Committee Meeting and Legislative Update

Brian Barrett Chair, IP Counsels' Committee

10:00 am - 10:30 am

Developing Systems to Ensure Strong Patent Pedigrees

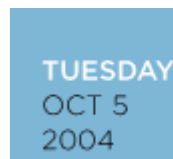
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10:45 am - 12:15 pm
Experimental Use Exemptions: The FDA Safe harbor and Statutory Exemptions

Robert A. Armitage, Senior Vice President and General Counsel, Eli Lilly & Co.

Richard Smith, Partner and Co-Chair of Life Sciences Group, Palmer & Dodge LLP

12:15 PM - 2:00 PM LUNCH



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8:00 am - 9:00 am
Breakfast Plenary

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9:30 am - 11:00 am
Access Issues Associated with Drug Development

Moderator

Raymond Van Dyke, Nixon Peabody LLP

Panelists

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Jill Uhl, Serono, Associate Director - Patent Counsel

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Melodie Henderson, Vice President Licensing, Genaissance Pharmaceuticals

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Panel Discussion:

Willful infringement: A discussion of the recent *Knorr* Decision

Inequitable Conduct Reform: How Flexible Should it Be?

Karen Krupen, Director and Group Head Biotechnology and Genomics US Patent Department, Sanofi-Aventis

Kathleen Madden Williams, Palmer & Dodge, LLP

5:00 PM - 7:30 PM COCKTAILS AND DINNER

Keynote Address by James Toupin,

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11:00 am - 12:00 am
IP Counsels' Committee Meeting Wrap-up

12:00 PM - 1:30 PM LUNCH
Luncheon Presentation

Resolving Patent Disputes through Mediation and WIPO -- Less Risk, Less Cost and Better Results

Peter Michaelson, Michaelson and Associates

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm
PTO Roundtable- Hosted by

Biojudiciary Project and Nixon Peabody LLP*

Representatives from the PTO will discuss issues such as international harmonization efforts and post-grant opposition.

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