Previous Patent Information Meetings, Conferences, and Seminars 2009

This page contains entries moved from the Patent Information Meetings, Conferences, and Seminars after they have occurred, as well as some new entries for 2009.

Contributors are encouraged to add information to the entries on the past meetings, conferences and seminars. Of particular help would be adding links to conference proceedings and highlighting specific topics or presentations that would be of particular interest to the patent information community.

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<td>25 February 2009</td>
<td>Virtual</td>
<td>WIPO Virtual Webinar Mr. Matthias Felsche, Deputy Director of the PCT Legal Division, will give an update on PCT matters, in particular, the new PCT Supplementary International Search system. Information will also be provided on a number of developments, including initiatives to enhance services to the PCT community</td>
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<td>USPTO's Biochemical/Pharmaceutical Customer Partnership Patent Term Extension under 35 U.S.C. §156 (Mary Till, Office of Patent Legal Administration, USPTO) (Discusses statutory requirements and USPTO's principle of review; Slide 24 listed useful online resources: Public PAIR has over 300 FTE application and a list of patents which patent term has been extended</td>
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<td>22 - 26 March 2009</td>
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<td>The Hague, Netherlands</td>
<td>Search Matters 2009 (EPO) Program Abstracts (Several presentations are linked to e-learning modules: presentation slides synchronized with audio recordings, hosted by EPO's learning management system) Program Highlights: Lecture: How web 2.0 and 3.0 will influence patent information (S14)</td>
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<td>13 April 2009</td>
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<td>2009 Search Engine Meeting The Puzzle of Semantic Technologies (Kathleen Daehnig, Cognition Technologies); The Variety of Goals and Applications of Semantic Approach to Search (Dmitri Soubbotin, Semantic Engine), etc.</td>
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18 April 2009

Tokyo, Japan


21-24 April 2009

Chicago, IL

2009 SCIP Annual International Conference

Educational Sessions: Beyond News Aggregators & RSS Feeds: Leveraging Internet Primary Sources to Gain Competitive Edge (Chris Hote, Digimind); The Deep Web Unfolded: Effective Use of the Invisible Web Tools for CI (Arun Jethmalani, ValueKeetsa); CI For Due Diligence (Dan Himelfarb, Geert van Brands; ndMOVE); CI in a Web 2.0 World (Tim Walker, Hoover’s Inc.)

23-24 April 2009

Vienna, Austria

East meets West in Vienna 2009 SIPPO's machine translation (MT) (Mingyu Yuan, SIPPO, China; MT tools for patent searching - a user's perspective (Jane List, The Technology Partnership, UK)

A case study in TK searching (Claudia Finetti, Dragotti & Associati, Italy) (Codification of TK (Traditional knowledge) in registers and databases, Indian, Korean and Chinese TK databases: chemical patent search approached from a TK point of view; Importance of TK for patent offices; Paul Schewander, EPO) [if the medical use of an herb is a traditional practice, it is considered prior art under EPO regulations.]; JP Philippines: Introduction to the patent system and patent information (V. Aumentado, Intellectual Property Office, Philippines); Current status of patent search system, JP NET and JP NETs (Kyoko Sato, Japan Patent Data Service (JPDS); Indian IP database CRISP (Patents, Design, Trademarks) (Moni Pitai, Clairvolex Knowledge Processes Pvt. Ltd.); 2nd Patent Information Retrieval Contest (IPRC2008) (Yoshiharu Nakade, Association for Kansai Patent Information Center) [See also the event's program for presentations from Guoel, Patbase, East Linden, Evaluation] "What industry needs." (Peter Kallas, BASF, chairman of the PDI working group IMPACT)

Discussions: The future of Asian patent documentation; Recent changes in law; Patent searching in multi-lingual environments; English information on Asian patents; Asian legal status data. Training: SIPPO’s free patent databases; Japanese FI and F-terms; European vs. Asian patent systems
Friday, April 24, 2009, 8:30-11 am

New York, NY, USA and Washington, D.C., USA


Structure Searching 101

Chemical Structure Searching for Non-Chemists

If you've ever needed to find chemical information - and wondered how the heck to use a chemical structure...
If you've ever needed to order a chemical search - and wondered what to request...
If you've ever received a chemical search - and wondered if the search was performed properly...
then come to Chemical Structure Searching 101 at the offices of Kirkland & Ellis in New York and Washington, DC.

Presented by David M. Gange, Ph.D. and Sandy Burcham of ChemistryPatentSearch.com

The seminar will cover the basics of chemical structures, chemical structure searching, chemical databases, chemistry software, free sources of chemical structure information, and chemical structure search types (including exact, substructure, superstructure, fragment, similarity, and Markush).

The speakers will be in New York and a live video feed will be available in Washington, D.C.

To register please send a message to Paulette Toth, ptt@kirkland.com

2-7 May 2009
San Antonio, TX

PIUG 2009 Annual Conference

Conference presentations are available to PIUG members on the PIUG 2009 Annual Conference Papers wiki page on the PIUG wiki members-only section.

7-8 May 2009
Munich, Germany

PDG Annual Members' Conference (AMC) See Brief Report to PIUG on 2009 (59th) PDG AMs by Sandy Mollen, Secretary General, PDG

Round Table session: The Challenges posed by Asian Patent Information (Jane Schellner, EPPO; introducing the Patent Information Users' Group (PIUG) – Twenty Years of Impacting Patent Information and Growing (Cynthia Barcelon Yang, Director Patent Analysis, BMS and current Chair of PIUG); The Future of Intellectual Property Rights and the Patent Information Scene (Mr. T. Barlow, British and European Patent Attorney)

11-13 May 2009
Vienna, Austria

Patent mapping and statistics (EPO seminar on visualisation of patent information and analysis of large sets of patent data)
Patent mapping (landscaping) in a global company (Mr Keith J Dilley, Director for the Development of IP Tools & Processes, GE Corporate); Introduction to patent mapping; Introduction to MMOSA for patent statistics and mapping; EPO PATSTAT

May 11-15, 2009
New Delhi, India

National Institute of Science Communication and Information Resources (NISCAIR); New Delhi, India a constituent establishment of Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR), is conducting a five day short term course on "Patent Drafting" during 11-15 May 2009. More details can be had by sending an email to training@niscair.res.in or visiting www.niscair.res.in

12-13 May 2009
LaJolla, CA, USA

Comprehensive PCT Training Seminar

Program Highlights: The Comprehensive PCT Seminar will include a review of the "PCT basics" while informing patent professionals on Advanced PCT topics. The course will be presented by expert WIPO consultants Ms. Carol Bibdell and Mr. David Reed. At the end of the course material, Ms. Bibdell will continue with a special module on issues related to filing international applications in the biotechnology field. Dr. Shihong Nicolaou; Patent Manager for the University of California at San Diego (UCSD) Office of Technology Transfer, will illuminate attendees on strategies she employs as Patent Manager for the University of California at San Diego (UCSD) Office of Technology Transfer. Topics of interest to the PIUG user community include: Claiming priority and furnishing priority documents. Discussion of the right of priority in an international application; Restoration of the right of priority under new PCT Rule 26bis.3 and requirements associated therewith. International search and written opinion of the ISA, Discussion of prior art under the PCT. Unity of invention; Discussion of the contents of the international search report and the written opinion of the ISA. International publication and Internet Resources: International publication: How to prevent and postpone international publication; Effects of international publication, How to use PATENTSCOPE database to search published international applications; What's available on the WIPO Internet site. See URL for full course description and full program agenda. California MCLE credits applied for. The seminar will be held at the Sheraton La Jolla located adjacent Interntaste S. 650 Early Bird through April 14, 2009; $750 After April 14, 2009; $550 discount each for multiple participants in an organization or firm. Includes continental breakfast and two breaks daily; plus 300+ page manual. See page for additional information. The hotel sits 10 minutes from San Diego beaches, Torrey Pines Golf Course, and UCSD. See page for Hotel Reservations information. Reference "PCT Comprehensive Seminar" for $1490 rate. Sponsored by the PCT Learning Center. Venues: Sheraton LaJolla. Contact PCT Learning Center at contact@pctlearningcenter.org or telephone 751-212-3888 to register or for more information.

13-15 May, 2009
San Diego, CA

AIPAS Spring Meeting

The A-B-Cs of Patent Term Adjustment (Patricia Carson, Kaye Scholer, LLP); A Practical Guide to the European Patent System (Jonathan Jackson, D. Young & Co., UK); A Guide to PIUG's Patent Matcing and Statistics; PIUG E-Commerce Services; PIUG Membership and Benefits; Networking; PIUG's Comprehensive PCT Seminar

20 May 2009
London

Scientific Text and Data Mining: RSC CICAG (The Chemical Information and Computer Applications Group) Meeting....explores the tools and methods for mining chemical information such as text, structures and data

From the Programme:
Text Mining with Pipeline Pilot: a Bibliography Platform Example (Stéphane Volley, Ayclopedia); Mining scientific information: pitfalls and possibilities (Neil Stutchbury, Consultant)

22-23 May 2009
Sofia, Bulgaria

PATLID2009

Trends in the world of patent information (*Példéccs Czaustar, I Orat; Fiancec Seminars: Evaluating the inventive step at the EPO...) Nanotechnology in European patents (Vítor Veefkind, Examiner, EPO); IPScore (Ludmínnia Schaal, EPO); Latest developments in MMOSA (Ken Rawes, EPO); Online, OPS linking; Getting to grips with patent information from Asia (Christine Kämmer, EPPO) [ind. TW and IN]

22 May 2009
LaJolla, CA, USA

ChemAxon 2009 European User Group Meeting

What's new in ... Markush storage, search and enumeration. (Szabolcs Csepregi, ChemAxon); Complementarity between Public and Commercial Databases of Bioactive Compounds (Jörgen Mursael, AstaZeneca); Universal chemistry searching in test documents (Lutz Weber, Chem2net; IUPAC Naming and characterizing bioactive compounds (Daniel Bonnet de Ruisselet, ChemAxon) [a free public service that acts as a proxy rendering any publicly accessible website with added chemical annotations to perform substructure searches]

14-17 June 2009
Washington, DC

SLA 2009 (Special Libraries Association) (prelim. program)

Workshops: Diving Into Patents: A Primer for Librarians (Denise Callihan, PPG Industries; Jan Comfort, Clemson Univ.; Michael White, Queen's Univ.); Researching Companies Globally (Sylvia James); Using the Opaque and "New" Web for Competitive Intelligence Research (What Do I Do After I Log Off? (Mary Ellen Ealse); Human Resource Collection: Research Beyond Published Sources; Social Sites and Networks for the Serious Researcher (Chloe University); Blogs, RSS, Free and Low-Fee Web Sites and Sources for Competitive Intelligence (Sabrina Pacini); Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Loan Wallace, Latham & Watkins, LLP/Essential U.S. Private Company Information (Amelia Kassel, MarketingRadar); Survey of Business and Economic Data Analysis Resources and Tools (Bob Bray, Borderline, Phx intel, Megan Dillon, Harvard Business School); Text Mining and Visualization for Research ( Seth Ghiwne, Alta Plans Corp.); Back to Basics: Business Research; Basic Legal Research for the Non-Law Librarian; Chemical Information Sources; From the program: Citation Tracking Tools: Evaluation & Vendor Update

17 June 2009
C5 (UK) will be holding its annual BioTech Patenting conference on June 16-17, 2009 in Munich, Germany. The conference will allow attendees to: Capitalize on gene patenting and stem cell related inventions; Tackle the latest scientific and legal developments within antibodies; and Master the practicities of biotech patenting in China and India. EPO examiner's perspective: An overview on biotechnology related patentability issues, with particular emphasis on antibodies and vaccines; The changing requirements for inventive step in Europe. Assessing the patentability issues around antibodies; Current threats and challenges in obtaining and protecting biosimilars patents; Round up of developments in India, China and Japan. Quirks in practice; the EPO's efforts to improve quality and the latest developments relating to inventive step, divisional applications and the search and examination phase. Protecting biomarkers and developing patent exclusivity around them; Litigation trends and strategies for biotech patents: Patent term calculation to maximize drug profitability; and New considerations in patenting gene related inventions;; Tackle the latest scientific and legal developments within antibodies; and Master the practicalities of biotech patenting in China and India. The event will be held at the Sheraton La Jolla located adjacent Interntaste S. 650 Early Bird through April 14, 2009; $750 After April 14, 2009; $550 discount each for multiple participants in an organization or firm. Includes continental breakfast and two breaks daily; plus 300+ page manual. See page for additional information. The hotel sits 10 minutes from San Diego beaches, Torrey Pines Golf Course, and UCSD. See page for Hotel Reservations information. Reference "PCT Comprehensive Seminar" for $1490 rate. Sponsored by the PCT Learning Center. Venues: Sheraton LaJolla. Contact PCT Learning Center at contact@pctlearningcenter.org or telephone 751-212-3888 to register or for more information.

23 May 2009
Tokyo, Japan


3-4 June 2009
Budapest, Hungary

ChemAxon 2009 European User Group Meeting


Wednesday, 3 June 2009 (15:00-17:00)

ChemAxon User Group Meeting - 4th European User Group Meeting of ChemAxon's Users

Schedule:
15:00 Welcome (Christine Kämmer, EPO)
15:10 Workshop: Tackling Markush Structure Searching for Non-Chemists
15:45 Presentation: An overview of biotechnology related patentability issues, with particular emphasis on antibodies and vaccines; The changing requirements for inventive step in Europe. Assessing the patentability issues around antibodies; Current threats and challenges in obtaining and protecting biosimilars patents; Round up of developments in India, China and Japan. Quirks in practice; the EPO's efforts to improve quality and the latest developments relating to inventive step, divisional applications and the search and examination phase. Protecting biomarkers and developing patent exclusivity around them; Litigation trends and strategies for biotech patents: Patent term calculation to maximize drug profitability; and New considerations in patenting gene sequences and stem cell related inventions in light of recent case law. The registration fee for the conference is €1399 ($1,845.00), for the conference and workshop €1798 ($2,371.20), and for the workshop alone €999 ($1250.08). Those interested in registering for the conference do so, by calling +44 (0) 20 7878 6888, by faxing a registration form to +44 (0) 20 7878 6896, or by emailing marketing@C5Com.com. A complete brochure for this conference, including an agenda, list of speakers, and registration form can be downloaded here http://webc5.com/sgliprincipal/index.asp?formkey=5838
18-19 June 2009
AIDB Conference 2009 - Trieste, Italy
Italian National Conference on Patent Information
Patent Information for the Competitive Intelligence (June 18 - morning session - workshops)
- Extracting Added Value from Patent Information with Intellix - Case study - Rossella Osella (Questel)
- Patent Information for Competitive Intelligence - Philippe Gatineau (Thomson Reuters)
- Competitive Intelligence through the back door: Citation Searching on STN - Ursula Klarm (STN)
- An introduction to PatentStatistical Analysis tools - Harithra Chandrapal (Minesoft)
- afternoon session - the AIDB members meeting
- evening - AIDB social dinner on the seaside

20 June 2009
Tokyo, Japan

18-19 June 2009
PATINFO 2009 Meeting (31st) (Kolloquium der Technischen Universität Ilmenau über Patentinformation) (Program (Ger., transl. eng.)
Trademark Search in Design databases - Design trademark research databases? (Sabile Milte Tu Ilmenau): the development of asp@cen and OPS in the commercial Value Added Services (Johannes Schuur, EPPO). Optimization of patent analysis by using descriptors and classification (Jochem Lennhof, Minesoft). Semantic versus Boolean search in the Patent Information (Caterina DAVIDESCU, LexisNexis) Prevention and counterfeit process of Patent protection: Consideration of patent searches (Hubertus von Plessich, Campapish, Campapish & Partner, Starnberg, etc.).

18-19 June 2009
Washington, DC
IFLSC IP Group Program: Patent Information Vendors Panel Discussion; Trademark Searching, Services and Domain Names (handout) (Kim Martin, Goodwin Procter; Mary Maynard, Fish & Richardson; Rebecca Olson, Alston & Bird)
Law Librarian: The New Private Investigator (Howard Trivers, Baker & Daniels LLP).

5-8 August 2009
Beijing, China
2nd Beijing International Pharmaceutical and Chemical IP Forum website: http://www.chinaphrforum.net. See the IIUG Discussion Forum invitation and the promotional brochure.

16-20 August 2009
Washington, DC
239th ACS National Meeting (See: Technical Program)
CHAL: Careers in patent information (Sandor Burchard); Recent Federal Circuit Court Decisions Concerning the obviousness standards for chemical composition inventions at the USPTO (Abbe Andrus, Genentech, senior patent counsel [A Global, quantitative parameter of homology that integrates comparative aspects of molecular structure, e.g. substructures, functional groups, shape and charge, could be applied using existing database search algorithms])
Other topics: Trade secret vs. patent protection; Recent developments in USPTO patent practice; Introduction to patent litigation in the US Provisional patent applications; Defensive publications; Developments in chemical patent prosecution and protection
COMP: Representation, searching, and enumeration of Markush structures: From molecules toward patents - (Igor Filippov, COMP)

30 August 2009
Ontario, Canada

10-11 September 2009
Singapore
Selected topics: Accessing Patent Information (Mike Sheffield, IPAC); Patent Database/Landscape (Albert Ah, China Computer Patent Center); Patent Literature Search in the Semantic Web (Koh Tsun, NUS); Advanced Search Strategies (Aiko Fujii, IIEEJ); Patent Information and the Semantic Web (Jonas Kimmig, EPO);
Masterclass: Using patent information in R&D - current trends and trends (Christian Widtmann, ULB). See the PIUG Discussion Forum

13-15 September 2009
Dalian, China

15-19 September 2009
Paris, France
2009 Pharma CI Conference
Unlocking the Wealth in Abandoned Molecules: A Systematic CI-driven Approach (A combination of scientific, market and patent intelligence) - (Samer Reizy, CED, Dotline)
Gaps in the Diagnostics/Device Information Landscape (Kamil Yilmaz, ABP); Patent Research M&A Analysis: Technological Trends in Devices and Diagnostics (Sarah Audet, Medtronic; Jeff Beatty, Thermo Fisher Scientific; Richard Truesler, Boston Scientific)

21-23 September 2009
Copenhagen, Denmark
Workshops on 21 September: conference on 22-23 September; Keyword speakers: Reinhard Dusch, Senior IP Law Counsel, IBM Germany; Jan-Piet van de Ven, Director Value Extraction, Philips International B.V.; Intellectual Property & Standards; Gilbert Voroomans, Manager Office of Intellectual Property Counsel EMES, 3M Europe NV; Naomi Abe-Voeght, Director, Global IP Strategy & Standards. Global IP - AIP, SAP, highlights: Improving your Freedom to Operate Analysis by Monitoring Infringement Risks (Caterina Dauveigve, Director IP Europe, LexisNexis) using targeted search and market analysis for assessing core intellectual property (IP) assets under the market and patent protection field (Ata Chaouchy, Evaluationat).

26 September 2009
Tokyo, Japan