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Colloquium: The Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on IP Teaching and Skills Development and the WIPO Joint Masters' Degree Programs

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PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

Venue: Virtual [July 21 and 22, 2021]

Wednesday, July 21, 2021

10.30 – 11.00	Welcome and Opening Remarks	
	Mr. Sherif Saadallah, Executive Director, WIPO Academy, Geneva	
	Prof. Marco Ricolfi, University of Turin (Co-Founder of First WIPO Joint Master's Program), Turin	
11.00 – 12.30	Theme 1	Impact of COVID-19 on Teaching and Research of the WIPO Joint Masters' Degree Programs
	Moderator:	Prof. Alessandro Cogo, Director, LLM in IP Program, University of Turin, Turin
	Speakers:	Prof. Shan Xiaoguang, Dean, Shanghai International College of Intellectual Property, Tongji University, Shanghai
		Prof. Stanley Murairwa, Director, MIP Program and Interim Dean, College of Business, Peace, Leadership and Governance, Africa University, Mutare
		Prof. Dashaco John Tambutoh, Academic Coordinator, MIP Program, University of Yaoundé II, Yaoundé
		Prof. Shadikhodjaev Sherzod, Director, MIPD Program, Korea Development Institute School of Public Policy and Management (KDI School), Sejong
	Discussion	
12.30 – 14.00	Lunch Break	
14.00 – 15.30	Theme 1 (cont.)	Impact of COVID-19 on Teaching and Research of the WIPO Joint Masters' Degree Programs (cont'd)
	Moderator:	Ms. Martha Chikowore, Counsellor, Academic Institutions Program, WIPO Academy, Geneva
	Speakers:	Prof. Dariusz Kasprzycki, Head, MIP and New Technologies Program, Faculty of Law and Administration, Jagiellonian University, Krakow
		Prof. Arzu Oguz, Director, LLM in IP with specialization in Patent and Design Law Program, Ankara University, Ankara
		Prof. Maria L. Vazquez, Director, MIP and Innovation Program, Universidad de San Andres, Buenos Aires

		Mr. Giuseppe Casale, Director, Turin School of Development and Deputy-Director, International Training Center of the International Labor Organization (ITCILO), Turin
	Discussion	
15.30 – 15.45	Coffee Break	
15.45 – 17.30	Theme 2	Access to IP Teaching and Resource Materials for WIPO Joint Masters' Programs
	Moderator:	<i>The Educator's Right to: Property, Remuneration, Access and Share</i> Prof. Uma Suthersanen, Adjunct Professor/WIPO Expert, and Queen Mary University of London, London
	Speakers:	<i>Access to Scientific Resources under permitted digital use in the COVID-19.</i> Prof. Justyna Ożegalska-Trybalska, Deputy Head, MIP and New Technologies Program, Jagiellonian University, Krakow
		<i>Using Online Platforms and Databases in IP teaching during COVID-19-Experiences of Ankara University</i> Prof. Selin Özden Merhaci, Vice-Coordinator, LLM in IP with specialization in Patent and Design Law, Ankara University, Faculty of Law, Ankara
		<i>Open Access Publishing: an Opportunity for Teaching in a time of Pandemic</i> Prof. Giancarlo Frosio, University of Turin (Adjunct Professor) and University of Strasburg, Strasburg
		<i>Incorporating Current Policy and Reform Proposals into Existing and Future Curricula</i> Prof. Caroline Ncube, MIP Program with Africa University (Adjunct Professor /WIPO Expert) and University of Cape Town, Cape Town
	Discussion	

Thursday, July 22, 2021

10:30 – 12:30	Theme 3	Applied Knowledge and Skills-Building
	Moderator:	<i>Comparison of LLM Ankara program with other programs in terms of content and TURKPATENT's contribution to the LLM program</i> Prof. Dr. Habip Asan, President of Turkish Patent and Trademark Office, Ankara
	Speakers:	<i>MIPD Partnership Program and Skills Development Programs in the Republic of Korea</i> Mr. Dae Soon Jung, Director of Multilateral Affairs, Korean Intellectual Property Office (KIPO), Daejeon
		<i>MIP Africa University and Skills Development Programs offered by ARIPO</i> Mr. Bemanya Twebase, Director General, African Regional Intellectual Property Organization, Harare
		<i>MIP University of Yaoundé II and Strategies for Skills Development Challenges and Opportunities</i> Dr. Denis Loukou Bohoussou, Director General, Organisation Africaine de la Propriété Intellectuelle (OAPI), Yaoundé
	Discussion	
12.30 – 14.00	Lunch Break	
14:00 – 14:45	Theme 3 cont'd	Applied Knowledge and Skills-Building
	Moderator:	Prof. Dr. Habip Asan, President of Turkish Patent and Trademark Office, Ankara
	Speakers:	<i>Contributions by Polish Patent Office on Skills Development in the MIP and New Technologies</i> Dr. Piotr Zakrzewski, Vice President, Patent Office of the Republic of Poland, Warsaw
		<i>MIPI Partnership Program and Skills Development Programs with the Industries</i> Mr. José Luis Díaz Pérez, President, National Institute of Industrial Property (INPI) Argentina, Buenos Aires
	Discussion	
14:45 – 15:00	Break	

15:00 – 16:30	Theme 4	Multidisciplinary Approaches: IP and Business Studies, Innovation and Entrepreneurship
	Moderator:	<i>Better Questions, Better Answers</i> Prof. Ruth Soetendorp, Associate Director, Centre for IP Policy and Management in the Business School, Bournemouth University, Dorset
	Speakers:	<i>Business Models and Project-based Learning</i> Professor Marc Laperrouza, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (EPFL), Lausanne
		<i>IP for Business Schools and Its Impact for Entrepreneurs</i> Mr. Bruce Berman, Founder and Chairman of the Center for Intellectual Property Understanding, New York
		<i>International IP Education Cooperation in the Age of Online Teaching</i> Prof. Yu Xinmiao, University of Tongji, Shanghai
	Discussion	
16:30 – 16:45	Coffee Break	
16:45 – 17:15	Theme 5	WINIPE: Lessons Learned and Recommendations for the Future
	Moderators:	Mr. Joe Bradley, Head, Academic Institutions Program, WIPO Academy Ms. Martha Chikowore, Counsellor, AIP, WIPO Academy
	Discussion	All Participants
17:15 - 17.30	Closing Session	

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