

Intellectual Property Program Agenda

January 4-9, 2008 – 25th National CLE Conference® (LEI) in Vail, CO
This track will be hosted at the Vail Marriott Mountain Resort and Spa

MODERATORS:

DAVID H. BERNSTEIN
Debevoise & Plimpton LLP
New York, NY

SCOTT M. ALTER
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Denver, CO

FRIDAY, JANUARY 4, 2008

3:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Arrival, Registration and Materials Pick Up

SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 2008

7:00 – 7:45 a.m.

Year in Review: Trademark Litigation and Legislation

DAVID H. BERNSTEIN
Debevoise & Plimpton LLP
New York, NY

7:45 – 8:30 a.m.

Year in Review: Trademark Application and Registration Practice

CURT KRECHEVSKY

Cantor Colburn LLP
Bloomfield, CT

8:30 – 9:15 a.m.

Current Issues Concerning ICANN's Administration of the Domain Name System

PETER DENGATE-THRUSH

ICANN
New Zealand

4:30 – 5:15 p.m.

Valuation of Intellectual Property

WES ANSON

CONSOR Intellectual Asset Management
La Jolla, CA

MICHAEL JAMES LASINSKI

Ocean Tomo
Chicago, IL

5:15 – 6:00 p.m.

DJ Actions After Sandisk

NATALIE HANLON-LEH

Faegre & Benson LLP
Denver, CO

6:00 – 6:45 p.m.

KSR and its Progeny – In the Courts and the PTO

JOSEPH POTENZA

Banner & Witcoff
Washington, DC

CARL R. MOY

William Mitchell College of Law
St. Paul, MN

PAUL RIVARD

Banner & Witcoff
Washington, DC

SUNDAY, JANUARY 6, 2008

7:00 – 8:15 a.m.

Judges Panel - View From the Bench

Moderator:

ELIZABETH STOTLAND WEISWASSER

Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP
New York, NY

Judges:

HONORABLE NANCY F. ATLAS

U.S. District Judge for the Southern District of Texas, Houston Division
Houston, TX

HONORABLE BARBARA LYNN

U.S. District Judge for the Northern District of Texas, Dallas Division
Dallas, TX

8:15 – 9:15 a.m.

Corporate Panel – Patent Issues Keeping In-house Counsel Awake At Night

AARON BRODSKY

Sun Microsystems, Inc.
Broomfield, CO

HARRY GWINNELL

Cargill, Inc.
Minneapolis, MN

MOLLY KOCIALSKI

First Data Corporation
Greenwood Village, CO

MICHELLE LEE

Google, Inc.
Mountain View, CA

DAVID WIER

Level 3 Communications, Inc.
Broomfield, CO

4:30 – 5:15 p.m.

Sweepstakes and Promotions

TSAN ABRAHAMSON

Cobalt LLP
Berkeley, CA

5:15 – 6:00 p.m.

Year in Review: Advertising

MICHAEL MERVIS

Proskauer Rose LLP
New York, NY

6:00 – 6:45 p.m.

Olympics Trademarks and Ambush Marketing Worldwide

MARY SQUYRES

Brinks Hofer Gilson & Lione
Chicago, IL

MONDAY, JANUARY 7, 2008

7:00 – 7:45 a.m.

Year in Review: Copyrights

ANDREW HARTMAN

Cooley Godward Kronish LLP
Broomfield, CO

7:45 – 8:30 a.m.

Avatars, User-Generated Content and Other IP Issues in the Virtual World

MEI-LAN STARK

Fox Entertainment Group
Los Angeles, CA

8:30 – 9:15 a.m.

Trademarks Rock: Sorting Out Ownership and Protection for Band Names After a Band Break-Up

PETER HARVEY

Harvey Siskind LLP
San Francisco, CA

4:30 – 5:15 p.m.

Willful Infringement and Opinions of Counsel After Knorr Bremse, Echostar and In re Seagate

WILLIAM L. LAFUZE
Vinson and Elkins LLP
Houston, TX

5:15 – 5:45 p.m.

Section 271 (f) and the Supreme Court’s AT&T Decision

GORDON ARNOLD
Arnold & Knobloch, LLP
Houston, TX

5:45 – 6:15 p.m.

Software, Business Method and Tax-Related Patents – The Controversies Continue

SCOTT M. ALTER
Faegre & Benson LLP
Denver, CO

6:15 – 7:00 p.m.

Recent Patent Law Developments at the Supreme Court and Federal Circuit

ADRIANA S. LUEDKE
Dorsey & Whitney LLP
Minneapolis, MN

PHILIP SWAIN
Foley Hoag
Boston, MA

TUESDAY, JANUARY 8, 2008

7:00 – 7:45 a.m.

Patent Pools and Standards

GIL OHANA
Wilmer Hale
Palo Alto, CA

7:45 – 8:30 a.m.

PTO Rules Update

GREGORY J. KIRSCH
Needle & Rosenberg PC
Atlanta, GA

8:30 – 9:15 a.m.

Patent Legislation Update

ROBERT O. LINDERFJELD
Jones Day
Pittsburg, PA

4:30 – 6:45 p.m.

Legal Ethics Can Be Fun: Lawyers on TV and in the Movies

LARRY J. COHEN
The Cohen Law Firm
Phoenix, AZ

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 2008

7:00 – 7:45 a.m.

European Patent Litigation and Procuring and Enforcing Patents in China

KLAUS-JUERGEN MICHAELI

Bird & Bird

Dusseldorf, Germany

ELIZABETH CHIEN-HALE

Institute for Intellectual Property in ASIA

Fremont, CA

7:45 – 8:30 a.m.

Year in Review: European Trademark, Copyright, Design and Antitrust Law

ISABEL DAVIES

CMS Cameron McKenna

London, England

8:30 – 9:15 a.m.

Protection of Non-Traditional Marks in the EU

GERHARD BAUER

Daimler AG

Stuttgart, Germany

9:15 a.m.

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