The World Jurist Association kindly invites you to participate in its Munich Conference on Intellectual Property and Trademarks, to be held in Munich, Germany on May 3 and 4, 2018. For two days, lawyers, judges, attorneys, students, and IP/TM-related professionals from all around the world will discuss about:

- 4th Industrial Revolution - Protection and Regulation of the New Technologies such as Blockchain, Artificial Intelligence and Big Data
- OECD Report 2013 - Influence of Trading with Counterfeit on the Global Trade
- Harmonization in IP Protection is Ongoing with Institutions like IP5. Is this Strategy Sufficient?
- What is the Impact of Protection Regarding the UN Sustainable Development Goals?
- IFLA’s Development and Access to Information (DA2I) Report 2017 in Context of Today’s IP Protection

Information:
Confirmed speakers include experts from the European Patent Office, the Supreme People’s Court of the People’s Republic of China, the Caribbean Anticounterfeiting Association, among others.

Would you like to participate as speaker? Email: a.loew@datawh.de | wja@worldjurist.org

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Speakers, Guests & Topics

Conference Speakers:

Dr. Franklin Hoet-Linares – President of the WJA, Partner at Hoet Peláez Castillo & Duque

Dr. Alexander Loew – WJA Germany National President, WJA UN Representative in Vienna for Crime, Cybercrime & Space, President member of the German Association for Defense Technologies, Owner of Data-Warehouse GmbH, Germany

Hon. Justice Tao Kaiyuan - WJA Second Vice President / Justice and Vice President of the Supreme People`s Court, People`s Republic of China

Yann Mènière - European Patent Office

Miguel Domingo Vecchioni - European Patent Office

Michael Fröhlich - European Patent Office

The Speakers in the Commemorative Ceremony

Justice Miriam Naor – President (ret.) of the Supreme Court of Israel

Sandra Simovich – Israeli Consulate Munich

Ankie Spitzer – Widow of Andre Spitzer (1945 – 1972), Rumanian athlete

Hon. Yehoshua Nener – WJA Israel National President, Partner at Nener & Nener Law Offices, Israel

Session Topics:

- Worldwide IP: Regional Status and Discussions
- OECD Report - Influence of Trading with Counterfeit on the Global Trade
- IP and TM in China
- Protection of Unregulated New Technologies - 4th Industrial Revolution - Blockchain, Artificial Intelligence and Big Data.
- IP Protection
- Cyber & GDPR
Day 1 Thursday – May 3, 2018

08:00 – 10:00  Registration

10:00 – 10:15  Welcome Statement
  WJA Germany President – Dr. Alexander Loew

10:15 – 10:30  Opening Statement
  WJA President - Franklin Hoet Linares

10:30 – 10:45  Opening Statement
  WJA Second Vice President / Justice and Vice President of the Supreme People’s Court, People’s Republic of China - Tao Kaiyuan

10:45 - 12:15  Session 1 – Worldwide IP: Regional Status and Discussions
  1. Multiple protection strategies in the Fashion Design Business in LATAM
     WJA President - Franklin Hoet Linares

12:15 – 13:30  Lunch Break

13:30 – 15:00  Session 2 - OECD Report - Influence of Trading with Counterfeit on the Global Trade
  1. The Economic Impact of the Unitary Patent
     European Patent Office – Yann Mènière

15:00 – 15:30  Coffee Break

15:30 – 17:00  Session 3 – IP and TM in China
  WJA Second Vice President / Justice and Vice President of the Supreme People’s Court, People’s Republic of China - TAO Kaiyuan
  - IP & TM Jurisdiction in China. Court Experience with Arbitration
  - Experience of a Worldwide Operating Company with Chinese TM & IP

17:15 – 18:00  Transfer to Memorial Center at Olympiapark

18:30  Commemorative Ceremony
  45 years from the Munich Olympics Massacre of 11 Israeli athletes and one German police officer.
Day 2  Friday – May 4, 2018

09:00 – 09:15  Welcome

09:15 – 10:45  Session 4 - Protection of Unregulated New Technologies - 4th Industrial Revolution - Blockchain, Artificial Intelligence and Big Data.

1. **Patents in the 4th industrial revolution**
   *European Patent Office – Miguel Domingo Vecchioni*

   Could Regulations set in Place to Prevent Bubbles like Bitcoin, Private Data Exploitation like Google, Amazon, Facebook?

   Software Patents are Handled Differently in Every Continent, Preventing Markets from Externals. Is this a State of the Art Regulation? How Should a Framework be? Should Private/Personal Data be Fully Owned by the Individual?

10:45 – 11:15  Coffee Break

11:15 – 12:45  Session 5 – IP Protection

1. **TBD**
   *European Patent Office – Michael Fröhlich*

   Harmonization in IP Protection is Ongoing with Institutions like IP5. Is this Strategy Sufficient?

   Companies are Protecting Colors and Basics. Is this a Future Way for TM&IP? Which Changes in Regulations are Needed?

12:45 – 14:00  Lunch Break

14:00 – 15:30  Session 6 – Cyber & CDPR
   *Cyber & GDPR*

15:30 – 16:00  Closing Statement

17:00  **Bavarian Reception**
   *Town Hall Munich, Ratskeller*
Information

Date: May 3 – 4, 2018

Venue: Courtyard® & Residence Inn® Munich East
Orleansstrasse 81-83, 81667 Munich, Germany
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Language: All working sessions and conference materials will be in English.

Accommodation: Courtyard® & Residence Inn® Munich East
Room reservation: reservations@mucor.de
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About Munich:
City information: http://www.muenchen.de/int/en.html

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The venue can be reached from the airport by taxi (about 30 minutes/ about 70 €) or public transportation with the city train (S8) in direction Munich Central Station, to the stop “Munich East” (about 40 minutes)

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- Attendance to all working sessions
- Commemorative Ceremony
- Lunch at Ratskeller Munich
- Coffee Breaks
- Welcome kit

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