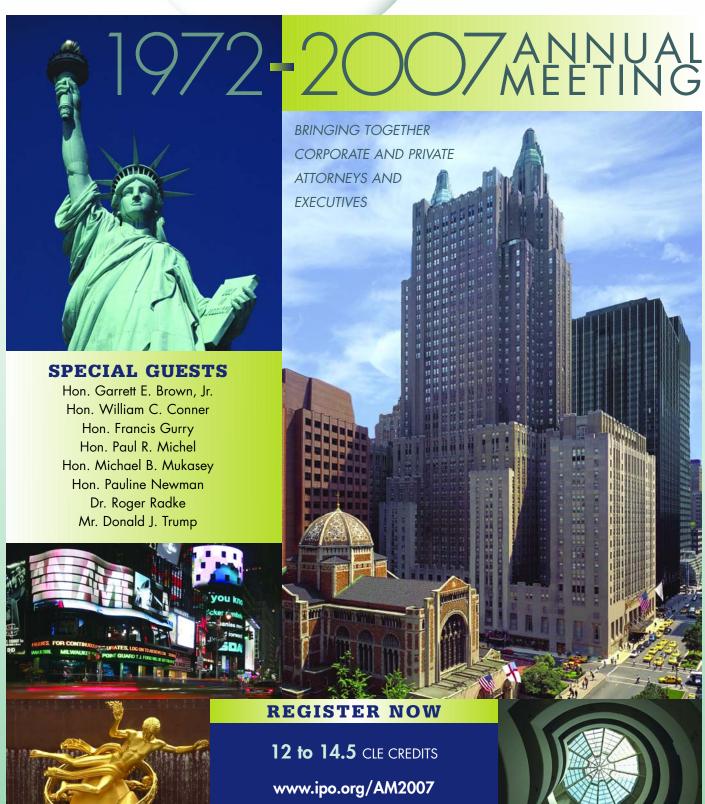
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### September 9-11, 2007

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### **Dear IPO Members and Colleagues:**

t is my pleasure to invite you to the IPO Annual Meeting at the Waldorf–Astoria Hotel in New York City. The program committee, chaired by David Kappos of IBM Corp., has created an excellent two-day program full of patent, trademark and copyright topics. In addition to offering expert speakers on important topics, this year's meeting will be particularly special as IPO celebrates 35 years in business.

The New York IPO Annual Meeting offers a mix of educational programs, committee meetings, networking opportunities, exhibits, and guest activities. Renew acquaintances and make new friends by attending the Monday Dinner Reception at the Waldorf–Astoria Hotel featuring a toast to IPO's 35th Anniversary by **Donald Trump.** 

We are pleased to have the **Hon. Francis Gurry**, Deputy Director General, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), as Monday's luncheon speaker. The Tuesday opening session will feature a distinguished judicial panel. Tuesday's luncheon speaker will be **Dr. Roger Radke**, President and Chief Executive Officer, Siemens Water Technologies Corp.

Parallel sessions on patent and trademark topics are offered throughout the meeting and this year both patent and trademark attorneys can attend an ethics presentation. Program details begin on page 3.

New York in the fall is a delightful place for you and your family to visit, full of museums, historical sites and attractions. New this year, IPO is offering personal concierge service for guests. The concierge will be available to set up tours, make reservations and recommend sites. More information can be found on page 9.

I hope you will join us to celebrate IPO's 35th Anniversary in exciting New York City!

Cordially,

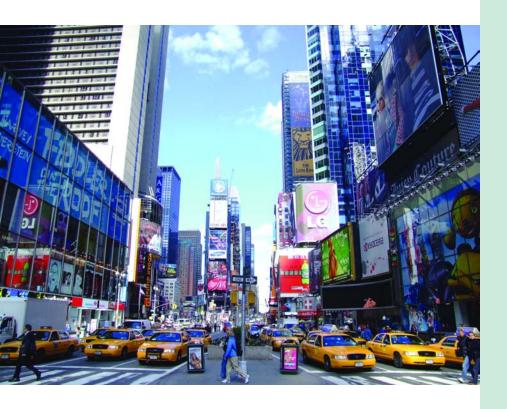
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New York real estate icon Donald Trump joins the 2007 IPO

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## **Conference-at-a-Glance**

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# Conference Program



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EPTEMBER 9

12:00PM-8:00PM Early Registration

12:00PM-4:00PM IPO Board of Directors Meeting

Board Members and Alternates

4:00PM-5:00PM Committee Business Meetings

6:00PM-8:00PM Welcome Reception

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8:00PM-10:00PM IPO Board of Directors Dinner

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Monday september 10

7:30AM-8:15AM Registration, Continental Breakfast & IP EXPO

Guest Breakfast 8:30AM-11:00AM

8:15AM-9:45AM GENERAL SESSION: Major Developments in IP Law

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Welcome & Introductions Marc S. Adler, IPO President, Rohm and Haas Co., Philadelphia, PA

Patents Thomas L. Irving, Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett & Dunner, LLP, Washington, DC

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Coffee Break & IP EXPO

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10:15AM-11:45AM CONCURRENT SESSIONS

#### KSR v. Teleflex: Its Practical Implications for Patent Practice

**PATENT** 

Moderator Sharon R. Barner, Foley &

Lardner, LLP, Chicago, IL

Intro Speaker Gary M. Hoffman, Dickstein

Shapiro LLP, Washington, DC

Panel Discussion Esther M. Kepplinger, Wilson

Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati, Washington, DC

Philip S. Johnson, Johnson & Johnson, New Brunswick, NJ

David Simon, Intel Corp., Santa Clara, CA

Morgan Chu, Irell & Manella LLP, Los Angeles, CA

#### TRADEMARK

## Key Words: The Evolving Law in U.S. and Europe

Moderator Theodore H. Davis, Jr.,

Kilpatrick Stockton LLP,

Atlanta, GA

Panel Discussion Charles D. Ossola, Arnold &

Porter LLP, Washington, DC

Peter Becker, Microsoft Corp., Redmond. WA

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Charles Gielen, NautaDutilh, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

#### MONDAY SEPTEMBER 10 Continued

12:00PM-1:30PM **Luncheon** 

Sponsored by Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney PC

Address by Hon. Francis Gurry, Deputy Director General,
World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva, Switzerland

"Challenges for IP Internationally"

**Hon. Francis Gurry,** a national of Australia, is responsible for WIPO's activities in the area of patents, which include patent policy questions and the administration of the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT), under which some 147,000 international patent applications were filed in 2006; biotechnology and genetic resource policy questions; traditional knowledge; and the WIPO Arbitration and Mediation Center, which has administered over 26,000 disputes over Internet domain names since 2000.



Dr. Gurry holds law degrees from the University of Melbourne and a Doctor of Philosophy degree from the University of Cambridge in the United Kingdom. He is a Professorial Fellow of the Faculty of Law of the University of Melbourne and is the author of a textbook on the law of trade secrets and confidential information, entitled *Breach of Confidence* and co-author of *The International Intellectual Property System: Commentary and Materials*.

#### 1:45PM-3:15PM CONCURRENT SESSIONS

#### **PATENT**

#### Business Methods and Software Patents: Ten Years of Jurisprudence

Moderator Manny W. Schecter,

IBM Corp., Armonk, NY

Intro Speaker Professor Robert Merges,

University of California,

Berkeley, CA

Panel Discussion John Squires, Goldman, Sachs

& Co., New York, NY

Gerald J. Mossinghoff,

Oblon, Spivak, McClelland, Maier & Neustadt, PC,

Alexandria, VA

Wayne Sobon, Accenture Global Services GmbH,

Palo Alto, CA

#### COPYRIGHT

#### Copyright Issues in the Digital Domain

Moderator John F. Delaney, Morrison &

Foerster, LLP, New York, NY

Speakers Alexander MacGillivray,

Google, Mountain View, CA

Gillian Lusins, NBC Universal,

New York, NY

Jean Berbinau, CGTI (MINEFI),

Paris, France

3:15PM-3:45PM Coffee Break & IP EXPO

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#### 3:45PM-5:00PM CONCURRENT SESSIONS

#### **PATENT**

#### Issues at the Intersection of Patent Law, FDA, and Antitrust

Moderator Michael K. Kirschner, Hillis

Clark Martin & Peterson, P.S.,

Seattle, WA

Speakers Douglas K. Norman, Eli Lilly

and Co., Indianapolis, IN

Rochelle K. Seide, Arent Fox

LLP, New York, NY

Stephen R. Auten, Sandoz,

Inc., Princeton, NJ

#### **TRADEMARK**

#### The Ongoing Expansion of What Constitutes a Trademark

Moderator Bassam N. Ibrahim,

Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney

PC, Alexandria, VA

Speakers Mario Aieta, Fross, Zelnick,

Lehrman & Zissu, PC,

New York, NY

Daniele Le Carval, Procter & Gamble Co., Cedex, France

Michelle Mancino Marsh,

Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, New York, NY

#### 7:00PM-9:30PM 35th Anniversary Dinner Reception

Co-sponsored by Fish & Richardson P.C. and Morgan, Lewis Bockius, LLP



Join us for cocktails and cuisine from several famous New York City neighborhoods as we celebrate our 35th Anniversary with special guest Donald Trump.



### Tuesday september 11

7:30AM-8:15AM Registration, Continental Breakfast & IP EXPO

**Guest Breakfast** 8:30AM-11:00AM

8:00AM-11:00AM IPO Education Foundation Board of Directors Meeting

Board Members and Alternates

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8:15AM-9:45AM GENERAL SESSION: The 25th Anniversary of the Federal Circuit:

The Ten Most Significant IP Developments During the Life of the Court

Moderator David J. Kappos, IPO Annual Meeting Program Committee Chair, IBM Corp., Armonk, NY

Judicial Panel Hon. Paul R. Michel, Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, Washington, DC

Hon. Pauline Newman, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, Washington, DC

Hon. Michael B. Mukasey, former Chief Judge of Southern District of New York,

Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler LLP, New York, NY

Hon. William C. Conner, Senior Judge, U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York, White Plains, NY

9:45AM-10:15AM Coffee Break & IP EXPO

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#### 10:15AM-11:30AM CONCURRENT SESSIONS

#### **PATENT**

Hot Issues in Patent Law: Practitioner Implications of Major Developments in the Courts and the USPTO

Speakers Hon. Garrett E. Brown Jr.,

Chief Judge, U.S. District Court for the District of New Jersey,

Trenton, NI

Richard F. Phillips, Exxon Mobil Corp., Houston, TX

Dianne B. Elderkin, Woodcock Washburn, LLP, Philadelphia, PA

#### TRADEMARK

#### Trademark Law and Issues in Central and **Eastern Europe**

Moderator Clark W. Lackert, King &

Spalding, New York, NY

Speakers Thaddeus Burns, General

Electric Co., Brussels, Belgium

Eugene Arievich, Baker & MacKenzie, LLP, Moscow, Russia

#### 11:45AM-1:15PM **Luncheon**

Sponsored by CRA International

Address by Dr. Roger Radke, President and Chief Executive Officer, Siemens Water Technologies Corp., Warrendale, PA

"Intellectual Property in Industry"

Dr. Roger Radke was appointed President and Chief Executive Officer of Siemens Water Technologies in December 2004, after having served as Chief Operating Officer of USFilter during the Siemens integration process. Dr. Radke has played integral roles within Siemens since 1989. Most recently, he served as President of Siemens Audiologische Technik GmbH, which is headquartered in Erlangen, Germany and is the world leader in manufacturing and sales of hearing aid instruments.



Dr. Radke attended the University of Münster in Münster, Germany, where he received a Master of Science Degree in Chemistry in 1987 and a Ph.D. in 1990. He is located at the Siemens Water Technologies corporate headquarters in Warrendale, PA.

#### 1:30PM-3:00PM

#### **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**

#### IPO COMMITTEE CLE PRESENTATIONS (speakers to be announced)

**Arbitration and Mediation Committee** Frequently Encountered Business Issues in IP **Mediation.** This session will present vignettes entitled: (1) How to Select a Mediator; (2) How to Properly Prepare for Mediation; and (3) Ex-parte Pre-mediation Conferences. The session will also include remarks by James Amend, Chief Circuit Mediator for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, who will discuss the mandatory mediation program at the Court.

Copyright Law & Practice and **Industrial Designs Committees** Design Protection: Has the Time Come for a Copyright-Based Design Registration Law in the U.S.? This session will address the protection of designs in the U.S. In particular, speakers will evaluate current U.S. systems from a business perspective and compare them with international models. In addition, the session will provide a history of efforts to advocate for a U.S. design registration system and analyze the pros and cons of sui generis industrial design protection.

1:30PM-3:00PM

#### **CONCURRENT SESSIONS - Continued**

#### IPO COMMITTEE CLE PRESENTATIONS (speakers to be announced)

#### **Damages & Litigation Committees** Resolving Patent Disputes with Risk Analysis.

All too often parties to a patent dispute rely only on their gut feelings. This session will provide a framework for developing a decision tree analysis to address hard-to-quantify factors that should be considered. Panelists will also participate in a mock settlement conference and discuss the potential effects of recent Supreme Court cases such as eBay and KSR.

#### **Open Source Committee**

**Open Source Software: Advising Your Clients** Under the New GPL Version 3. A panel representing various industries in the open source community will discuss the new GPLv3 public license. In particular, the speakers will: (1) walk through the major provisions of the license; (2) explain how the GPLv3 differs from previous versions; and (3) discuss how the various constituencies will need to operate differently under the GPLv3.

**Software & Business Methods Committee Business Methods Taxonomy and Accelerated Examination.** This session will discuss a proposed model for software and business methods taxonomy. It will address challenges associated with defining terms and how these challenges may affect patent quality. In addition, the session will consider taxonomy in the context of USPTO practice and recent Supreme Court decisions. The session will conclude with a discussion of the new accelerated examination procedure at the USPTO from the perspective of applicants for business methods patents.

#### **Trade Secrets Committee**

**Competitive Intelligence.** Organizations acquire and analyze external information about their competitors through a wide variety of means. Some of these activities - such as pretexting - have recently resulted in increasing public scrutiny. Speakers will discuss practical measures that can be taken to ensure the legal and ethical collection and analysis of competitive information.

3:00PM-3:30PM

#### Coffee Break & IP EXPO

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3:30PM-5:00PM

#### **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**

#### **PATENT ETHICS**

#### Improving the Quality of Patent Drafting with a View Toward Maintaining High **Ethical Standards**

Speakers Harry I. Moatz, Office of Enrollment and Discipline, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Alexandria, VA

> Prof. Christopher A. Cotropia, University of Richmond School of Law, Richmond, VA

Paul H. Berghoff, McDonnell, Boehnen, Hulbert, & Berghoff LLP, Chicago, IL

#### TRADEMARK ETHICS

#### Prosecution, Policing, Pretexting and **Foreign Practice**

Moderator Catherine Mennenga,

General Electric Co, Fairfield, CT

Speakers D. Peter Harvey, Harvey Siskind LLP, San Francisco, CA

> Elizabeth "Betty Ann" Morgan, Epstein Becker & Green, P.C., Atlanta, GA

5:00pm

Adjournment

## **35th Anniversary Dinner Reception**



xperience a taste of Manhattan night life with live music and entertainment. Sip, nibble and mingle your way through some of Manhattan's most exciting neighborhoods: Little Italy, Chinatown, Broadway, East Village, SoHo and Tribeca. In the city

that never sleeps, you're bound to brush up against the rich and

famous. Offering a toast to IPO's 35 years in business, Mr. Donald J.

**Trump** will make a special guest appearance and give remarks.

### Monday, September 10

Waldorf-Astoria Park Avenue Lobby. Empire and Hilton Rooms 7:00PM-9:30PM



Donald Trump is an American success story and a New York icon. A graduate of the Wharton School of Finance and voted "the world's most competitive businessperson" by BusinessWeek magazine in 2006, Mr. Trump is well-known for his real estate ventures from New York City to Las Vegas to Dubai. He is also an author. His first autobiography, The Art of the Deal, was on the The New York Times best-seller list for weeks and became one of the most successful business best-sellers of all time. Mr. Trump partners with NBC on the ownership and broadcast rights of Miss Universe, Miss USA and Miss Teen USA beauty pageants. In pop culture, Mr. Trump made a name for himself as a celebrity of the television reality show, The Apprentice.

### Don't miss this opportunity to network with attendees and guests from around the world!

Dinner reception at the Waldorf-Astoria . . . . . . . . 7:00PM - 9:30PM Special guest appearance and remarks by Donald Trump .... 7:45PM

Dinner reception made possible by the law firms Fish & Richardson P.C. and Morgan, Lewis & Bockius, LLP.



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## **Guest Social Events Package Includes:**

## Annual Meeting Welcome Reception Sunday, September 9

6:00рм-8:00рм • Waldorf-Astoria Hotel Starlight Roof

Join us on the opening evening of the Annual Meeting at the Waldorf–Astoria. Enjoy cocktails and hors d'oeuvres in the Starlight Roof on the 18th Floor of the hotel. The Starlight Roof, a jewel of décor and dining, was the first supper club to have a retractable roof. Dress is business casual.









Guest Breakfasts Monday, September 10 Tuesday, September 11



8:30AM-11:00AM • Waldorf-Astoria Hotel Basildon Room

Meet other guests for breakfast while you learn more about attractions and tours available in New York City. A concierge will be available to arrange tours, recommend places of interest, and help you discover New York's many

exciting attractions. Each guest will receive a gift bag of reference maps, guides and brochures for New York City, including the *Official NYC Guide Book*.



## 35th Anniversary Dinner Reception Monday, September 10, 2007

7:00PM-9:30PM • Waldorf-Astoria Hotel Park Avenue Lobby, Empire & Hilton Rooms

Join conference attendees and guests for a memorable evening in celebration of IPO's 35th Anniversary. Toast and special guest appearance by Donald Trump.

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- IPO's 29 Standing IP Committees address six areas of IP policy, law, and practice.
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- International Judges Conference In 2005, nearly 75 internationally recognized judges who decide patent cases met with patent attorneys in corporate and private practice to discuss new issues in intellectual property law around the world. Another International Judges Conference may be held in 2009.

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IPO has a limited number of rooms reserved at a reduced rate at the Waldorf—Astoria Hotel. You must make your reservations directly with the Hotel by calling 877/476-8792 and identifying yourself as a participant in the IPO Annual Meeting. To be assured of a room at the group rate, you must make your reservation no later than August 15, 2007. Reservations made after August 15 can only be made according to space/rate availability.

# Approximate taxi cab costs and times to the Waldorf–Astoria Hotel:

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Online: www.ipo.org/AM2007

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Please register early. Space is limited. All registrations will be confirmed by e-mail. IPO recommends bringing a copy of your confirmation to the meeting. The program is subject to change. Please visit our web site, www.ipo.org/AM2007, for additional details.

#### **FEES**

The Annual Meeting registration fee is: • IPO Member Rate \$900
• IPO Inventor/Author Member Rate \$450

Non-member Rate \$1400

The fee includes the Sunday evening reception; Monday's breakfast and 35th Anniversary Dinner Reception; Tuesday's breakfast; and conference materials on CD-ROM.

In order to attend the Monday and/or Tuesday luncheons, separate tickets can be purchased for \$50/day. Space is limited.

Guests of registrants may purchase the **Guest Social Events Package** for \$250. This fee includes the Sunday evening reception, guest breakfasts on Monday and Tuesday, and the 35th Anniversary Dinner Reception.

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**EARLY REGISTRATION DISCOUNT:** Register early and save! All registrations postmarked by **July 27, 2007,** with accompanying payment, receive the early registration discount of \$100 off the conference fee. All registrations postmarked after July 27 are subject to the standard fee.

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** A full refund will be made if notice of cancellation is received by **Friday, August 17, 2007.** Cancellations received after August 17 and before August 31 are subject to a \$100 fee. No refunds will be given for cancellations received on or after August 31, 2007. Course materials on CD-ROM will be sent to those unable to attend, but who cancel on or after August 31.

CLE CREDIT: Continuing Legal Education (CLE) credit is being requested in every state in which attendees are licensed to practice that has a mandatory CLE requirement. The number of credit hours will vary depending on the requirements of the individual state. IPO expects most states will award 12 to 14.5 credit hours for this program.

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In order to be listed on the Attendee List, you must be registered as of **Friday**, **August 31**, **2007**. Anyone who registers after this time will be listed on the Final Attendee List, which will be available on our website after the meeting.

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