

## “THE VERY ESSENCE OF ROMANCE IS UNCERTAINTY”

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<u>TIME</u>	<u>FUNCTION</u>
8:30	REGISTRATION & COFFEE
9:00	<b>WELCOME REMARKS &amp; INTRODUCTIONS</b> <u>Welcome Remarks</u> <b>Geert Theuws</b> , <i>Hoyng ROKH Monegier, Amsterdam, Netherlands</i> <u>IPO's European Practice Committee Introduction</u> <b>Robert Furr</b> , <i>INVISTA S.À.R.L., Wilmington, DE</i>
9:15	<b>“SHAPES OF THINGS TO COME” – CURRENT LEGISLATIVE AND JURIDICAL TRENDS IN THE US</b> <u>Moderator: Scott Marty</u> , <i>Ballard Spahr LLP, Atlanta, GA, USA</i> <u>Current Section 101 Legislative Initiatives</u> <b>Robert Sachs</b> , <i>Robert R. Sachs PC, San Francisco, CA, USA</i> <u>Current PTAB Issues</u> <b>Kevin Laurence</b> , <i>Laurence &amp; Phillips IP Law LLP, Alexandria, VA, USA</i> <u>Current Issues in Litigation</u> <b>John Pegram</b> , <i>Fish &amp; Richardson, PC, New York, NY, USA</i>
10:30	COFFEE BREAK
10:45	<b>“MY WEAKNESS IS NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS” - THE PRESENT AND FUTURE OF DISCOVERY AND TRADE SECRETS</b> <u>Moderator: David Black</u> , <i>Schwegman, Lundberg &amp; Woessner, P.A., Minneapolis, MN, USA</i> <u>Protection Trade Secrets in Litigation Under the EU-Trade Secret Directive</u> <b>Prof. Dr. Mary-Rose McGuire</b> , <i>Universität Osnabrück, Osnabrück, Germany</i> <u>Current Practice in US Trade Secret Protection</u> <b>Carlo Cotrone</b> , <i>Baker Hughes, a GE Company, Houston, TX, USA</i> <u>Current Practice in European Trade Secret Protection</u> <b>Prof. Charles Gielen</b> , <i>NautaDutilh, Amsterdam, Netherlands</i>
12:00	LUNCH
13:40	<b>OPENING REMARKS FOR AFTERNOON SESSION</b> <b>Matthew Georgiou</b> , <i>Carpmaels &amp; Ransford, London, UK</i>

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<b>13:45</b>	<p><b>“TRAUMMASCHINE” – WHAT FUTURE DOES THE UPC HOLD FOR US?</b></p> <p><u>Moderator: Aloys Hüttermann, Michalski • Hüttermann &amp; Partner, Düsseldorf, Germany</u></p> <p><u>Current State of Implementation of the Unitary Patent Package</u></p> <p><u>Willem Hoyng, Hoyng ROKH Monegier, Amsterdam, Netherlands</u></p> <p><u>Jurisdiction of the UPC and the National Courts During the Transitional Period</u></p> <p><u>Hon. Judge Klaus Grabinski, Bundesgerichtshof, Karlsruhe, Germany</u></p>
<b>15:00</b>	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>15:15</b>	<p><b>“WIR SIND DIE ROBOTER” – IP AND LEGAL TECH</b></p> <p><u>Moderator: Robert Furr, INVISTA S.À.R.L., Wilmington, DE, USA</u></p> <p><u>The Future of Patent Searching with AI</u></p> <p><u>David Andrews, Patent Research Foundation, Carnation, WA, USA</u></p> <p><u>Patenting Machine Learning and AI Inventions at the EPO</u></p> <p><u>Koen Lievens, European Patent Office, The Hague, Netherlands</u></p>
<b>16:55</b>	<p><b>CLOSING REMARKS</b></p> <p><u>James Signor, Leydig Voit &amp; Mayer, Frankfurt, Germany</u></p>
<b>17:00</b>	<b>“JIJ KRIJGT DIE LACH NIET VAN MIJN GEZICHT” - NETWORKING RECEPTION</b>
<b>18:00</b>	<b>ADJOURNMENT</b>

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