



INFRINGEMENT BY EQUIVALENCE

IN MAJOR EPC JURISDICTIONS

Tuesday, 4 June 2024 | 09:00 – 17:00 CEST

AGENDA

- 08:30 *Registration*
- 09:00 *Welcome*
- 09:10 Infringement by equivalence:
National provisions and relevant Case Law I
- DE – Olaf Ungerer
GB – Marco Morbidini
- 10:30 *Coffee break*
- 11:00 Infringement by equivalence:
National provision and relevant Case law II
- CH – Simon Holzer
SE – Wendela Hardemark
NL – Bart van Wezenbeek
- 12:30 *Lunch break*
- 13:30 Case: stopper for wine bottles
- Presenting the Case
Infringement assessment (all jurisdictions for each product)
- Product 1
Product 2
- 15:00 *Coffee break*
- 15:30 Product 3
Product 4
Product 5
- 16:45 *Question and answer session*
- 17:00 *End of the seminar*

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SPEAKERS



Olaf Ungerer (DE)

- Master's degree in engineering, M.B.A. (Brunel University)
- European and German Patent Attorney, European Trademark and Design Attorney, UPC Representative
- Managing Partner with Page White Farrer and head of the Munich office
- Member of the DIN working committee on patent valuation
- Member of the European Patent Litigators Association (EPLIT)



Marco Morbidini (GB)

- European, Italian and British Patent and Design Attorney
- All-round engineering technical background, with a first degree from University of Perugia, Italy and a PhD from Imperial College London, UK
- Partner at Kilburn & Strode LLP in London; 15+ years in the patent profession
- Previously a member of the UK Patent Examination Board (PEB) and Visiting Lecturer in Patent Prosecution at Bournemouth University. Currently advocates the role of IP in business and society at Techitalia:Lab and at the Italian Chamber of Commerce for the UK.



Simon Holzer (CH)

- Partner of Swiss law firm MLL Legal. Head of firm's Technical IP and Life Sciences team.
- Law degree from the University of Bern and doctoral thesis on the protection of geographical indications (University of Bern/Max Planck Institute for Innovation and Competition in Munich).
- Since 2010 part-time judge of the Swiss Federal Patent Court appointed by the Swiss Parliament.
- Lecturer for intellectual property law at the University of Zurich.

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Wendela Hardemark (SE)

- Partner at Westerberg & Partners
- Over 15 years of experience in dispute resolution and specializes in IP dispute, with a focus on patents and copyrights
- Experience in litigating and advising on various areas including pharmaceuticals, AI, and non-fungible tokens
- Active member of professional organizations such as AIPPI Sweden and FICPI Sweden



Bart van Wezenbeek (NL)

- Master's degree in biology and civil law
- European Patent attorney
- Practiced as attorney in a large pharmaceutical company, in a biotech start-up and in private practice
- Deputy justice in the appeal court in The Hague
- Member of **epi's** Professional Education Committee

MODERATOR



Vera op den Brouw-Sprakel (NL)

- Master and Ph.D. degree in Chemistry from the Radboud University of Nijmegen
- EPLIT certificate from Politecnico di Milano
- European and Dutch patent attorney
- Partner at AOMB Intellectual property
- Member of **epi's** Professional Education Committee (PEC); CPE subcommittee and several working groups