



Unitary Patent & Unified Patent Court

Roadshow for professional representatives

Wednesday, 5 OCTOBER 2022 | 09:00 – 17:00 CEST

AGENDA

08:30 *Registration*

09:00 *Welcome*

09:10 **The Unitary Patent (UP)**

- Historical overview
- Unitary Patent: the basics
- Procedures before the European Patent Office
- Fees and other financial aspects
- Information to the public
- Issues relating to the UPP system
- Actions at the UPC

10:40 *Break*

11:00 **The Unitary Patent (UP) (continued)**

12.40 *Lunch Break*

13:30 **The Unified Patent Court (UPC)**

- UPC structure, jurisdiction and territorial scope
- How and when will the UPC become operational? Phasing-in period and activities before entry into force
- General overview over procedure; patent infringement actions, revocation actions, provisional measures, evidence and languages
- Relationship between parallel or subsequent EPO opposition proceedings and UPC-actions
- Costs of proceedings

15:00 *Break*

15:20 **The Unified Patent Court (UPC)**

- Role of Patent Attorneys at UPC; representation, privileges and Code of Conduct
- UPC Register; “opt-out” and “opt-in” procedures

16:00 **Strategic considerations for patent protection in Europe**

- Unitary patent protection or classical EP bundle patent protection?
- Which patents to opt-out?

16:40 *Question and answer session*

17:00 *End of the seminar*

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