

AIPLA 2012 Spring Meeting



May 10–12, 2012

Special Luncheon Speaker: Congressman Lamar Smith (R-TX) will speak on the passage of the America Invents Act

Patents

- 2011 Mid-Year Case Law Review
- America Invents Act – Deep Dives
 - Fees
 - First to File
 - Definition of Prior Art and Grace Periods
 - Post Grant Challenges
- Patents Are Big Business – Evaluating, Acquiring and Enforcing Large Patent Portfolios
- Antitrust Risks in Acquiring Large Patent Portfolios
- HIPPA, HITECH, Patents and Patients

Litigation

- Smartphone Wars – Enforcing Large Patent Portfolios
- Status and Trends in the Most Frequently Litigated Jurisdictions for Patents
- Multidefendant Litigation and Collaborative Defenses
- Non-Practicing Entities
- Judge's Perspective
- Patent Pilot Programs

Licensing

- Joint Infringement
- Reasonable Royalties
- Entire Market Value Rule

Ethics

- The Aftermath of Therasense
- IDS Practice
- Spoliation
- Supplemental Examination

Trademark

- 2011 Mid-Year Case Law Review
- Social Media
- Rights of Publicity
- gTLD Update

Trade Secrets

- Case Law Update
- Tips for Protecting Confidential Information
- Jurisdiction of the ITC
- New/Proposed Legislation

Copyrights

- 2011 Mid-Year Case Law Review
- Piracy and Counterfeiting, including STOP, SOPA
- Copyright v. Design Patents
- Licensing in the Wake of the Google Books Settlement
- Copyright Trolls

International

- IP and the Pacific Rim
- China Indigenous Innovation
- Status and Trends

Corporate Practice

- Corporate Practitioners – A View from the Inside
- Managing Outside Counsel Relationships
- Winning and Losing Clients

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