SEPTEMBER 10 AND 24

9-11 A.M. (MT)

WEBINARS ON INDIGENOUS PEOPLES & INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY FOR INDIGENOUS LEADERS, LAWYERS, AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS

September 10 and September 24, 2020 at 9-11 A.M. Mountain Time Zone

LINK TO ATTEND WEBINARS: HTTPS://CU.LAW/INDIGENOUSIP

Patent, trade secrets, copyright, trademark. We've heard these terms, but what do they mean in practice? What is the role of intellectual property law in the cultural revitalization and economic development activities of American Indians, Alaska Natives, and Native Hawaiian organizations?

Join us for presentations and Q&A featuring indigenous experts and representatives from the US Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) and the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), geared especially to indigenous leaders, lawyers, and community members. The webinars will also introduce WIPO's Intergovernmental Process to address Intellectual Property and Traditional Knowledge (TK), Traditional Cultural Expressions (TCEs), and Genetic Resources (GRs), and Indigenous Peoples' own laws, customs, and traditions.



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WEBINAR 1: OVERVIEW OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW, INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGE & TRADITIONAL CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS

SEPTEMBER 10, 2020 - 9:00-11:00 A.M. MT

9 - 9:05 A.M. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS
SUE NOE, SENIOR STAFF ATTORNEY, NARF

9:05 - 9:35 A.M. WIPO COMMENTARY ON IP AND TK & TCES
REBECKA FORSGREN, INDIGENOUS FELLOW, WIPO

BEGOÑA VENERO, SENIOR COUNSELLOR, WIPO

9:35 - 10:05 A.M. USPTO COMMENTARY ON IP AND TK & TCES
MICHAEL SHAPIRO, SENIOR COUNSEL, OFFICE OF POLICY
AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, USPTO

DOMINIC KEATING, DIRECTOR, INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ATTACHÉ PROGRAM, OFFICE OF POLICY AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, USPTO

SUSAN ANTHONY, USPTO TRIBAL AFFAIRS LIASON AND ATTORNEY-ADVISOR, OFFICE OF POLICY AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

10:05 - 10:35 A.M. INDIGENOUS PERSPECTIVES ON IP AND TK & TCES

ANGELA R. RILEY, PROFESSOR OF LAW AND DIRECTOR OF THE

NATIVE NATIONS LAW AND POLICY CENTER, UCLA SCHOOL OF LAW

TREVOR REED, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW, SANDRA DAY O'CONNOR COLLEGE OF LAW, ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

10:35 - 11:00 A.M. Q & A PANELISTS AND PARTICIPANTS

WEBINAR 2: US LEGAL PROTECTIONS FOR TK & TCES, GAPS IN PROTECTION, AND INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' INITIATIVES

SEPTEMBER 24, 2020 - 9:00-11:00 A.M. MT

9 - 9:05 A.M. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

KRISTEN CARPENTER, COUNCIL TREE PROFESSOR OF LAW AND DIRECTOR, AMERICAN INDIAN LAW PROGRAM, COLORADO LAW; MEMBER FROM NORTH AMERICA, UNITED NATIONS EXPERT MECHANISM ON THE RIGHTS OF INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

9:05 - 9:35 A.M. US LEGAL PROTECTIONS FOR TK & TCES
SUSAN ANTHONY, USPTO TRIBAL AFFAIRS LIASON AND
ATTORNEY-ADVISOR, OFFICE OF POLICY AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

STEPHEN SIMPSON (INVITED), ATTORNEY, OFFICE OF THE SOLICITOR, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR

9:35 - 10:00 A.M. US CASE STUDY - NAVAJO NATION V. URBAN OUTFITTERS SUSAN SCAFIDI, PROFESSOR AND DIRECTOR, FASHION LAW INSTITUTE AT FORDHAM

10 - 10:30 A.M. INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' INITIATIVES FOR PROTECTION OF TK & TCES

JANE ANDERSON, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, ANTHROPOLOGY

AND MUSEUM STUDIES, NEW YORK UNIVERSITY

LISA MOREHEAD-HILLMAN, KARUK CULTURAL PRACTITIONER

10:30 - 11:00 A.M. Q & A PANELISTS AND PARTICIPANTS

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