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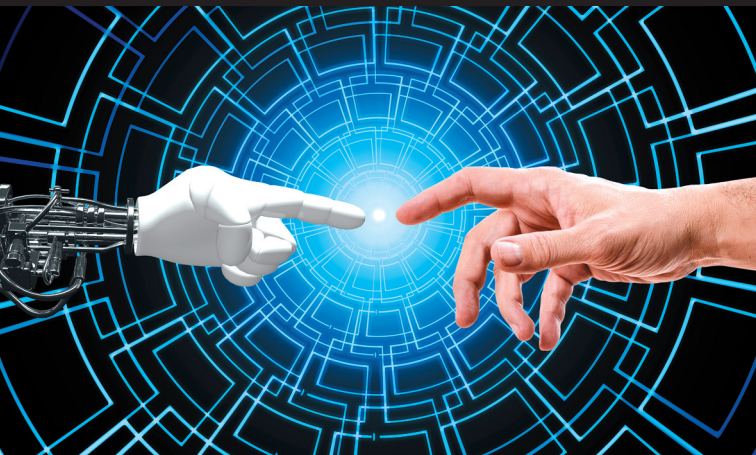
UNION-IP Round Table

**Smart IP - Applying
intelligence to patenting,
licensing and enforcing IP
on new technology**

**Munich
February 22, 2019**

**German Patent and
Trade Mark Office
Zweibrückenstrasse 12, 80331 Munich**

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**UNION-IP Round Table Program,
February 22, 2019**

**Program Smart IP - Applying intelligence
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08:15 - 08:45 Registration

08:45 - 09:00 Welcome words

Jean-Yves Plaçais, President of UNION-IP

Cornelia Rudloff-Schäffer, President of DPMA

09:00 - 9:20 Introductory remarks

Prof. Dr. Peter Georg Picht, University of Zurich

09:20 - 10:30 Protecting new technologies

Chair: **Hans Mertens**, President of Software Commission of
UNION-IP

Granting patents for new technologies

Georg Weber, Director in the ICT sector of DG1,

European Patent Office

**Creating and owning patents for new
technologies**

René Allart, Senior IP Counsel (Digital Imaging), Philips

Peter Hedman, Senior Patent Attorney, Ericsson

(Device, Service & Media)

Q&A

10:30 - 10:55 Coffee break

**10:55 - 11:45 Enforcing IP on/with/thanks
to new technologies**

Chair: **Monia Baccarelli**, President of IP Litigation Commission
of UNION-IP

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Procedural challenges and new dispute solutions

Judge **Matthias Zigann**, Presiding Judge, District Court Munich

IP, AI and legal decision making

Judge **Amedeo Santosuosso**, President of IP Chamber, Milan Court of Appeal

Q&A

11:45 - 12:35 Licensing in a digital world

Chair: **Dr. Johann Pitz**, VP IP Litigation Commission of UNION-IP

Licensing for a digital communication world: structures and framework

Christian Loyau, Legal Director, European Telecommunications Standards Institute (ETSI)

License options and injunctions

Dr. Dominik Bauer, Senior Manager, AUDI AG

Q&A

12:35 - 13:25 Round Table discussion with all panelists

13:25 - 13:30 Closing remarks

Reinier Wijnstra, President of Patents Commission of UNION-IP

13:30 - 15:00 Get-together & lunch

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Smart IP is changing the world: not only the physical one, but also the IP World. Prof. Picht will bring us up to date on this subject, followed by three specific sessions, and a general discussion with all panellists.

The first session will provide an overview of inventions made in different Industry 4.0 fields (such as smart objects, AI, IoT). We will investigate specific aspects of patent applications in new technologies in the proceedings for grant at the EPO. From the industry perspective, we will hear about patenting strategy considerations, and approaches to obtaining and licensing valuable patents.

The second session will address the ownership of IP rights when the author is a learning machine, new parameters for infringement and validity assessment, and cross-border issues. The judges will inform us about procedural challenges, new dispute resolutions and the decision making process involving new technologies from the administrative and judicial perspective.

The third session will deal with licensing options and their legal frame work in the field of new technologies. We will hear about specific challenges ETSI is facing with the improvement of SEP declarations and their impact on FRAND negotiations. From an industry perspective we will hear about the applicability of equity principles in context with injunctions and respective license strategies.

UNION-IP's 2019 Munich Round Table will be an outstanding opportunity to hear from judges and experienced professionals about the impact of new technologies on IP and to exchange views on the subject with colleagues from all over Europe.

REGISTRATION FORM

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DPMAforum**

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→ **Fee:** € 90 for **UNION-IP** members and
 € 140 for non-members.

Please indicate payment info: **UNION-IP** RT 2019
+ name of participant

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(at a training session acc. to § 15 FAO).



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It aims on the one hand to work continuously on current developments in Intellectual Property in Europe, especially by making early submissions during the preparation of proposed laws and treaties with the intention of influencing them; and on the other hand to devote itself to the improvement of professional and personal understanding between European practitioners in the Intellectual Property field in different countries and different branches of the profession.

WHAT IS A “UNION-IP ROUND TABLE”

This Round Table is organized by **UNION-IP** in cooperation with the German Patent and Trade Mark Office. The **UNION-IP** Round Table offers the opportunity for practitioners to hear from authoritative speakers on topics of interest in the European IP field, and just as importantly to interact with and influence them by feeding back their own practical experience. The integral Question and Answer sessions and friendly discursive nature of the event, with the opportunity to chat during breaks, lead to real exchange and development of views on both sides.

Participants tend to find these practitioner-lead events a real and useful antidote to the more commercial seminars familiar to all.

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