

Workshop series Intellectual Property

Organisers



SDF Grant funding for SMEs*
12 CPE Hours

Workshop (W1) - Copyright and Designs
Date: Thursday, 25 Feb 2010, 9.00am to 5.30pm
Venue: SAICSA Training Centre
CPE Hours: 6

We may not realize it, but we handle copyright material every day. The books we read, the music we listen to, the movies we watch, the computer programs we work on and the art work that we purchase; these are all protected by copyright. It is therefore important that we handle these works in an appropriate manner so as not to infringe the rights of the owner.

Course objective(s)

This seminar aims to provide the participants with an understanding of the Law of Copyright, how copyright arises, its duration of protection and how the owner of the copyright work can commercially exploit his copyright work. It will also consider what constitutes an infringement of copyright and the defences available under the law.

In relation to designs, these are also protected by copyright. However, if the design is industrially applied to an article and the article is sold, then the design should be registered as a design in order to be protected. We will examine the protection of designs under Copyright and under Registered Designs.

Course Contents

Copyright

Intro to Copyright;
Subsistence of Copyright: Berne Convention/WTO
Protected Works & Neighbouring Rights: Sound Recordings, Movies, Broadcasts and Public Performances
Ownership: Authors, journalists, artists and photographers
Rights comprised of in Copyright
Primary Infringement
Secondary Infringement
Remedies: Statutory Damages
Criminal offences
Parallel imports/grey market goods
Licensing/commercial exploitation: Computer Software
Permitted Acts/Fair Dealings
Copyright on the Internet :Take down provisions for ISPs
Overlap with Registered Designs

Registered Designs

Similarity with Patents
Novelty requirement: What is not registrable
Registration
Ownership
Rights and infringement.
Defences

Workshop (W2) – Patents**Date: Thursday, 25 March 2010, 2.00pm to 5.30pm****Venue: SAICSA Training Centre****CPE Hours: 3****Course objective(s)**

This seminar aims to provide the participants with understanding on the issues governing Patents.

Course Contents**Patents**

Introduction

Registration process and requirement

International Registration: Patent Co-operation Treaty

Registration Criteria: Novelty

Registration Criteria: Inventive step & obviousness

Ownership: Employees' invention

Revocation of Patent

Assignment & licensing

Patent Infringement

Defences

Trade Secrets and Confidential Information, Employees' duties and obligations and Restraint of Trade Clauses

Workshop (W3) – Trade Mark**Date: Thursday, 22 April 2010, 2.00pm to 5.30pm****Venue: SAICSA Training Centre****CPE Hours: 3**

Trade Mark is very important proprietary rights. Often the value of trade mark is underestimated until a third party starts copying the trade marks. It is important to realise the value of trade mark, how to obtain protection for them and enforce your rights.

Course Objectives

This seminar aims to provide the participants with an understanding of the Law of Trade Marks. What is a trade mark, how to register your trade mark and obtain protection for it and what rights you have to stop others from copying your trade mark.

Course Contents**Trade Mark**

Introduction to Trade Mark

Registration process and requirements

International Registration; Paris Convention; Madrid Protocol & CTM

Registration Criteria: Absolute Grounds;

Distinctiveness requirements; Bad Faith.

Registration Criteria: Relative Grounds

Opposition proceedings

Cancellation, Revocation and Invalidation of Trade Mark

Assignments & Licensing

Trade Mark Infringement

Defences

Remedies: Statutory Damages

Criminal offences

Unregistered Trade Marks

Intro to Common Law & Tort of passing-off, Elements; Goodwill, Misrepresentation & Damage, Remedies

Speaker profile:-

Mr. Han Wah Teng
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Han Wah Teng specialises in Intellectual Property as well as Technology laws and has been involved in work relating to IT agreements, trade mark and copyright protection in Singapore and various other jurisdictions.

He has also extensive experience in drafting & negotiating IT and other commercial agreements, conveyancing, litigation and the protection of Intellectual Property Rights such as patents, trademarks, copyright, passing off, and trade secrets.

Recent Experience

- Acted for various foreign companies in the enforcement of their trade mark rights in Singapore.
- Acted for a local company in a dispute over copyright infringement.
- Acted for a US MNC in patent infringement proceedings in Singapore.
- Acted as copyright agents for various commercial websites.
- Acted for various technology companies in negotiations and drafting of various IT agreements.
- Acted and advised a charitable organization in the sale of a 7.5 million property and various related transactions.

Qualifications

- Bachelor of Law (Honours), National University of Singapore
- Advocate & Solicitor, Supreme Court of Singapore

Memberships

- Member, Singapore Academy of Law
- Member, The Law Society of Singapore
- Member, Asian Patent Attorney Association

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Registration Form
Fax: 6334 4669

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Section A:

Participant's Details:-

Salutation:	Mr. ()	Miss ()	Ms ()	Mrs ()	Mdm ()	Dr. ()	Prof. ()
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Are you applying for SDF grant: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No							
SDF Course Code: 00014							

Section B:

Code	Workshop Series	Date(s)	CPE Hours	Course Fee <u>SDF Funding is available *</u> for three Workshops series	Course Fee <u>With/out SDF Funding</u> for Individual Workshop	Please tick accordingly
(W1)	Copyright and Design	Thurs, 25 Feb 2010 9.00am to 5.30pm Closing date:	6 Hours	\$535.00 (3 Workshops Series)	\$267.50	()
(W2)	Patents	Thurs, 25 March 2010 2.00pm to 5.30pm	3 Hours		\$160.50	()
(W3)	Trade Mark	Thurs, 22 Apr 2010 2.00pm to 5.30pm	3 Hours		()	\$160.50

Fee(s) is inclusive of 7% Gst.

Section C:

Contact Person (If different from participant) :-

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Invoice No	Bank/Cheque No	Amount	Official Receipt	Remarks

Administrative Details

A) Time / Workshop Fee :

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B) Venue

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C) Registration:

Please send your completed registration form by:


- Fax: 6334 4669
- Email: kris@ccmdpl.com.sg
- Mail : 149 Rochor Road, #04-06 , Fu Lu Shou Complex, S188425
- Upon receipt of registration form, a seat will be reserved for the participant and email confirmation of the events will be sent to all participants.
- Notice of withdrawal/changes must be made in writing by 5.00pm on the seminar closing date. Alternatively you may find a replacement to attend. Full payment is chargeable for non attendance or no show.
- The organisers reserve their rights to change the date, time, and venue or cancels the training owing to unforeseen circumstances.
- **Participants with SDF Funding must attend at 100% of attendance and no postponement is allowed.**

D) Payment:

- Fee will be charged upon receipt of registration form.
- Payment must be made upon receipt of tax invoice.
- Cheque payable refer to "**CCMD PTE LTD**"

E) Enquiries:

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