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Get Critical Updates from Names You Know

Our always-popular update sessions will give you the insight you need to help your clients in these uncertain times. Bryan C. Diner, Kenneth B. Germain, Janet Gongola, Katherine C. Spelman, and John Steele are among the national speakers covering trademarks, copyrights, patents, and more.

Tackle Ethical Issues

Secure your reputation and represent your clients with confidence. Get expert strategies to avoid ethical minefields.

Look Inside the Entertainment Industry

You're always grappling with trademark and copyright issues. Get expert advice from Lauren A. Dienes-Middlen, vice president and IP counsel for the WWE, who explains how the global wrestling corporation protects its brands.

Hear from a Respected Judge

Joining us for the first time is Hon. Jimmie V. Reyna of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, who will share winning strategies for IP counsel.

Connect with Colleagues In a Relaxing Environment

Enjoy our Women in IP event, attend the Section's annual meeting, or mingle with faculty at the evening receptions. You'll have plenty of opportunities to rub elbows with Michigan's best. Engage with your peers and discover solutions you can take back to the office.

Enjoy Everything the Island Has to Offer

The schedule is designed so you can take advantage of the surroundings and the iconic Grand Hotel. Relax on the picturesque porch; indulge in a five-course dinner; and explore the scenic shoreline. You'll leave the institute not only informed—but reenergized as well.

Featured Contributors



Hon. Jimmie V. Reyna U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, *Washington*, *DC*

Hon. Jimmie V. Reyna was appointed to the court by President Barack Obama in 2011. Prior to his appointment, Judge Reyna was an international trade attorney and shareholder at Williams Mullen, where he directed the firm's trade and customs practice group, led its Latin America task force, and served on its board of directors.



Lauren A. Dienes-Middlen World Wrestling Entertainment, Inc., *Stamford, CT*

Lauren A. Dienes-Middlen is vice president of intellectual property for the international media and entertainment company. She is responsible for counseling business groups regarding branding strategy for enhancing and developing strong trademark rights worldwide, including proper selection and use of marks.



Kenneth B. Germain Wood Herron & Evans LLP, Cincinnati, OH

Kenneth B. Germain has more than 40 years of experience in the trademark/unfair competition field. He focuses his practice on trademark counseling, consulting, and litigation. Mr. Germain is often retained as an expert witness, working on cases involving some of the nation's largest companies.



Janet Gongola
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, *Alexandria, VA*

Janet Gongola is a senior advisor in the Office of the Under Secretary and Director at the USPTO. She advises the director and deputy director on all matters related to law and policy. Previously, Ms. Gongola was the deputy commissioner for patent examination policy, and also an associate solicitor, defending agency decisions before the U.S. Court of Appeals.

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Agenda

8:00am Continental Breakfast and Registration Friday & Saturday

THURSDAY, JULY 20, 2017

	Patent Advanced Session	Copyright Advanced Session
3:30pm	Leveraging Important Supreme Court and Federal Circuit Patent Decisions in Your Practice (Pre-Registration Required)	Copyright and Other IP Issues in Software, Video Games, and Social Media (Pre-Registration Required)

6:00pm Reception for Institute Registrants and Guests*

FRIDAY, JULY 21, 2017

8:30am	Welcome and Introduction from Section Chair	
8:45am	Update on Trademark Law	
9:45am	Update on Copyright Law	
10:45am	Networking Break	
11:00am	Five Winning Steps at the CAFC	
12:00pm	Update on Patent Law	
5:00pm	Women in IP Networking Tea (Pre-Registration Required—Limit 30)	
6:00pm	Reception for Institute Registrants and Guests*	

Business Meeting of the Intellectual Property Law Section

SATURDAY, JULY 22, 2017

8:00am

8:30am	What's New at the USPTO	
9:15am	Ethical Issues in IP Practice	
10:15am	Networking Break	
	Patent Track	Trademark Track
10:30am	Industrial (Design) Revolution: From Spoons to Smartphones	Hold that Pose: The Rising Role of Image Rights in Professional and Amateur Sports

11:35am Global Portfolio Management and Audits

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Plenary Sessions

6:00pm/Thursday

Reception for Institute Registrants and Guests

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8:30am/Friday

Welcome and Introduction from Section Chair

David C. Berry, Chair, Intellectual Property Law Section of the State Bar of Michigan, Brooks Kushman PC, Southfield

8:45am/Friday

Update on Trademark Law

Delve into recent trademark law happenings and understand how the changes will impact your clients. Kenneth B. Germain, Wood Herron & Evans LLP, Cincinnati, OH

9:45am/Friday

Update on Copyright Law

Stay ahead of the curve with the most up-to-date copyright caselaw review. Get insight on the cases and how they will shape the future of copyright practice.

Katherine C. Spelman, Lane Powell PC, Seattle, WA

11:00am/Friday

Five Winning Steps at the CAFC

The Federal Circuit docket has been increasing, both in the number of cases and in their complexity. This poses distinct challenges for counsel appearing before the court. Judge Reyna shares five steps that counsel should focus on to improve their written and oral advocacy before the court. Hon. Jimmie V. Reyna, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, Washington, DC

12:00pm/Friday

Update on Patent Law

Analyze the latest patent decisions and master the rules and standards they outline. Receive thoughtful interpretation of caselaw and its lasting effects.

Bryan C. Diner, Finnegan Henderson Farabow Garrett & Dunner LLP, Washington, DC

5:00pm/Friday

Women in IP Networking Tea

Join faculty and fellow registrants for an informal networking opportunity. Get to know your colleagues, trade stories, and discuss current issues and challenges facing women IP lawyers. All institute attendees, men and women alike, are welcome to attend. (Pre-Registration Required—Limit 30)

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8:00am/Saturday

Business Meeting of the Intellectual Property Law Section

8:30am/Saturday

What's New at the USPTO

Hear about the latest USPTO activities and initiatives straight from the front lines. USPTO administration offers an up-to-the-minute inside view of recent IP developments in Washington, DC.

Janet Gongola, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Alexandria, VA

9:15am/Saturday

Ethical Issues in IP Practice

Avoid ethical minefields and handle conflicts of interest and claims for breach of fiduciary duty with expert strategies. Steer clear of the attorney discipline system, secure your reputation, and represent your clients confidently and effectively.

John Steele, Attorney at Law, Palo Alto, CA

11:35am/Saturday

Global Portfolio Management and Audits

Learn how the world's largest professional wrestling promotion entertainment company protects its brands. World Wrestling Entertainment, Inc. consists of a portfolio of businesses that create and deliver to a global audience via multiple publishing platforms. This session touches on trademark and copyright issues related to the entertainment industry, as well as strategies and skills designed to effectively balance legal and business objectives.

Lauren A. Dienes-Middlen, World Wrestling Entertainment, Inc., Stamford, CT

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Advanced Sessions

3:30pm/Thursday

Leveraging Important Supreme Court and Federal Circuit Patent Decisions in Your Practice

Many recent and important decisions from the U.S. Supreme Court and Federal Circuit have affected all aspects of the patent practice. Get essential practice tips as we examine Helsinn and The Medicines Co. (AIA prior art); *Aqua Products* (PTAB amendments); Sonix (definiteness); TC Heartland (patent venue); Life Technologies (infringement); and Lexmark and SCA Hygiene (infringement defenses).

Bryan C. Diner, Finnegan Henderson Farabow Garrett & Dunner LLP, Washington, DC

(Pre-Registration Required)

3:30pm/Thursday

Copyright and Other IP Issues in Software, Video Games, and Social Media

This session will enlighten and entertain you as we explore the complex web of laws and regulations governing the development and use of content in digital endeavors. Grasp the issues and discuss trends regarding the scope of copyright protection, use of people's names and likenesses, DMCA take-down notices, advertising and promotion, and much more.

J. Michael Keyes, Dorsey & Whitney LLP, Seattle, WA; Katherine C. Spelman, Lane Powell PC, Seattle, WA (Pre-Registration Required)

Patent Track

10:30am/Saturday

Industrial (Design) Revolution: From Spoons to **Smartphones**

Design patents are being secured and enforced at record rates. Explore the historic 1871 design patent case Gorham v White (spoons) and the ongoing battle of Apple v Samsung (smartphones). Key design patent litigation issues will be covered, including claim construction, functionality, design patent infringement, and the most common asserted invalidity defenses. Gain tips on how to effectively protect traditional industrial designs and also graphic user interfaces, icons, and animations.

Christopher V. Carani, McAndrews Held & Malloy Ltd, Chicago, IL

Trademark Track

10:30am/Saturday

Hold that Pose: The Rising Role of Image Rights in **Professional and Amateur Sports**

The protection and promotion of name, likeness, and image is one of the most discreet, but also the most pervasive, of IP rights. Recent court cases have highlighted the value of these considerations, including for estates (such as Michael Jackson), college athletes, civil and criminal income tax evasion charges, and product infringement claims. Explore the latest developments and also Melania Trump's aggressive approach to securing the value of her identity as First Lady.

John B. Kern, John B. Kern International Law LLC, Charleston, SC

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