



ANNUAL SEMINAR – UK UPDATE & CHINESE PRACTICE

Wednesday, 12 March 2014
One Great George Street, London, SW1P 3AA
12-15pm to 5-00pm

We are pleased to welcome a delegation from our sister organisation in China to participate in our annual seminar alongside two speakers from the IPO.

The IPO speakers will provide updates on the Unitary Patent as well as the changes to European Trade Mark Law and UK Patent Law – there will be ample time for questions on these topics.

Four speakers from FICPI-China will discuss a variety of topics, including the Chinese Utility Model system.

A buffet lunch and a coffee break are included.

Numbers are limited so please book early.

BOOKING

The cost is £120 (incl. VAT) for FICPI members, and £150 (incl. VAT) for non-FICPI members.

To book, please e-mail Mary.Burnett@mewburn.com or call on 020 7776 5300 with the names and contact details of those wishing to attend and with any dietary requirements. The final deadline for bookings is *Friday 28 February*.

We prefer payment to be made electronically to - FICPI-UK, Account No: 91397060, Sort Code: 40-02-07 (HSBC Bank plc, 123 Chancery Lane, London, WC2A 1QH) with the reference being the name of the attendee. If you prefer to pay by cheque, please ask for details when booking.

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Programme

12-15pm - Registration & Buffet Lunch

1-30pm – Seminar, with Coffee Break

Update on Unitary Patent

Janis Makarewich-Hall, Head of the UPC Taskforce, UKIPO

Update on changes in Community Trade Mark law and UK Design Law

Steve Rowan, Divisional Director Trade Marks and Designs, UKIPO

A statistical review of 2013 in the Chinese Patent and Trade Mark system

David Cheng, Ge Cheng & Co, President of FICPI-CN

The Chinese Utility Model system and the new development thereof

Ms. Michelle Ma, Liu Shen and Associates

Invalidation of Utility Models in China

Mr. Guo Xiaojun, CCPIT

Amendments to the Chinese Patent and Trade Mark laws

Mr. Wu Dajian, YUHONG Intellectual Property Law Firm

The seminar will finish about 5pm to allow time to reach the AGM/dinner venue.

Location

