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24th Annual

Institute on Intellectual Property Law

September 25-27, 2008

Highlights

Issues Arising in International Licensing

Legal Implications of Virtual Reality

Quanta and Exhaustion Issues

Willfullness Law after *Seagate*

Moody Gardens Hotel

Galveston, Texas

14 Hours Participatory CLE, including 3 Hours Ethics

Featuring

The Honorable Keith Ellison
United States District Court
Southern District of Texas

The Honorable Nancy Johnson
United States District Court
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The Honorable Gray Miller
United States District Court
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Houston Intellectual Property Law Association and University of Houston Law Center's 24th Annual Institute on Intellectual Property Law
September 25 - 27, 2008

Thursday, September 25

12:00 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.
REGISTRATION
Moderator: Georgianna Braden

12:45 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.
OPENING REMARKS
Anthony Matheny

1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Inevitable Disclosure
Joseph Beauchamp

1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.
Legal Implications of Virtual Reality
John Flynn

2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
BREAK
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2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Inequitable Conduct/Rule 1.105 (Ethics)
Gene Spears

3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
***Quanta* and Exhaustion Issues**
Peter Strand

3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Litigating Design Patents
Valerie Friedrich

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Southern District of Texas (Panel)
The Honorable Keith Ellison
The Honorable Nancy Johnson
The Honorable Gray Miller
Moderator: Russell Wong

5:00 p.m.
ADJOURN

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
RECEPTION
Sponsored by: The StoneTurn Group
Moody Gardens Hotel

Friday Morning, September 26

7:30 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.
CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
Sponsored by: FTI Consulting
Moderator: Norma Bennett

8:00 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.
OPENING REMARKS
Anthony Matheny

8:15 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.
IP Ethics Problems (Ethics)
David Hricik

9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.
Patent Case Law Update (Part 1)
Pete Peterson

10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
BREAK
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10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Patent Case Law Update (Part 2)
Pete Peterson

11:30 a.m. – Noon
Willfullness Law after *Seagate*
Greg Hasley

Noon
LUNCHEON
Keynote Speaker:
Gary Griswold – 3M

Friday Afternoon, September 26

Moderator: Scott Garber

1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Attorney-Client Privilege Waiver Problems (Ethics)
Jeffrey Johnson

2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Pluses and Minuses of Reexamination
Roger Shang

2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Trademark Prosecution Practice Problems
Elizabeth King

3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.
BREAK
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3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.
Problem Clients (Ethics)
Al Kimball

3:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Case Law Developments on Statutory Subject Matter
Indranil Chowdhury

4:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.
Issues Arising in International Licensing
Steve Koch

6:45 p.m.
RECEPTION & DINNER
"A Night at the Lone Star Flight Museum"
Reception sponsored by: Gardere Wynne Sewell

Saturday, September 27

7:30 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.
CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
Sponsored by: Lumen Expert Group
Moderator: Mark Chretien

8:15 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.
OPENING REMARKS
Anthony Matheny

8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.
Night Court (Ethics)

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
Copyright Case Update
Lee Ann Lockridge

9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Trademark Case Update
Mark Thurmon

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.
BREAK
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10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.
New PTO Appeals Rules
Howard Speight

10:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.
Prosecution § 103 Guidelines
Marcella Watkins

11:15 a.m. – Noon
Patent Remedies (Point/Counterpoint)
Michael Locklar, Charles Walker

Noon
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Location

The **Moody Gardens Hotel** is located in Galveston, Texas, on Hope Boulevard.

From Houston, take I-45 South and exit at 61st Street. Turn right on 61st Street and again on Stewart Road. From Stewart Road, stay in right lane to go onto Jones Road. Turn right onto Hope Boulevard. The hotel will be on your right.

Telephone numbers: **888.388.8484** or **409.741.8484**.

Hotel Information

A block of rooms has been reserved at special conference rates. Make your reservation directly with The Moody Gardens Hotel by phone **888.388.8484**.

The deadline for making your reservation to guarantee a room at the special rate is September 3, 2008. After this date, reservations are made on a space-available basis only.

The Moody Gardens Hotel
7 Hope Boulevard
Galveston Island, Texas 77554

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Single:	**$145**/night
Double:	**$145**/night
Triple:	**$145**/night
Quad:	**$145**/night
Jacuzzi Suite:	**$310**/night

Any cancellations must be received at least 48 hours prior to arrival date.

All requests subject to availability.

Reservations will be considered tentative unless guaranteed by first night's deposit or major credit card.

Written Materials

Speakers' papers will be provided in an electronic format. This will be included in the registration fee and will be distributed during registration. You may purchase the materials in paper or electronic format without attending the conference for the fee specified on the registration form. *Program materials underwritten by Greenberg Traurig LLP*.

Refunds

Refunds will be made only if they are requested in writing and postmarked no later than **September 3, 2008**. If you do not attend the program and do not request a refund, you will be mailed the written materials.

Minimum Continuing Legal Education

This program has been approved for Minimum Continuing Legal Education credit by the State Bar of Texas for 14 hours, including 3 hours of ethics credit.

Questions?

If you have any questions about the program, please call the UH Law Center's Institute for Intellectual Property & Information Law at **713.743.2180**.

Please register for the 24th Annual Institute on Intellectual Property Law, which provides 14 hours participatory CLE credit including 3 hours of ethics. Speakers' papers will be provided in an electronic format. To order in addition a binder containing the submitted papers, please check the appropriate box below. Handouts, including PowerPoint® presentations, will be provided on paper at the conference and cannot be purchased separately.

The registration costs are:

- ❑ HIPLA members through September 2 - **$475**
- ❑ Non-members through September 2 - **$550**
- ❑ HIPLA members after September 2 - **$550**
- ❑ Non-members after September 2 - **$625**
- ❑ Limited student enrollment - **$35**
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- ❑ Course materials (papers) in electronic format without conference registration - **$135**
- ❑ Printed course materials (papers) in binder without conference registration - **$185**
- ❑ Friday lunch - **$45** x ..... = $ ..... ❑ Friday dinner - **$65** x ..... = $ .....

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