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WIPO Webinar on Women in Innovation in the Philippines; In Celebration of International Women's Month

organized by

**the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)
and the Intellectual Property Office of the Philippines (IPOPHL)**

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

March 21, 2023

1:00 to 5:00 p.m., Philippines Time (PHT); 6:00 to 10:00 a.m. (CET)

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Tuesday, March 21, 2023

12.30 – 1.00 Registration of all participants: Join Zoom Link (Link provided by email)

1.00 – 1.10 **Opening Remarks:**
(6.00am CET)

Mr. Rowel S. Barba, Director General, Intellectual Property Office
of the Philippines (IPOP HL), Taguig City

1.10 – 1.30 **Introduction to Patents and its Benefits for Women Inventors**

Speaker: Ms. Nina Belbl, Associate Legal Officer,
Patents and Treaties Law Section, Patent and
Technology Law Division, WIPO, Geneva

1.30 – 1.40 **Break**

1.40 – 2.20 **WIPO Global IP Services for Women Inventors –
The Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT). A System for International Patent
Protection.**

Speaker: Ms. Anjali Aeri, Counsellor, PCT International
Cooperation Division, PCT Legal and International
Affairs Department, WIPO, Geneva

2:20 – 2.45 **The WIPO Inventor Assistance Program**

Speaker: Mr. Evgeniy Sesitsky, Legal Officer, IP
Commercialization Section, IP for Business Division,
WIPO, Geneva

2:45 – 3.20 **WIPO Tools & Services in the field of Patents: PATENTSCOPE**
- Key Tips & Tricks for Enhanced Searches

Speaker: Ms. Sandrine Ammann, Marketing and
Communications Officer, Global Databases Division,
Infrastructure and Platforms Sector, WIPO, Geneva

3:20 – 3:45 **Enhancing Innovation in the Philippines: IPOP HL's Services for
Inventors**

Speaker: Ms. Ann N. Edillon, Director, Bureau of Patents,
IPOP HL

3:45 – 4:15 **Women Innovators/Entrepreneurs in the Philippines**

Speaker: Testimonial from a Filipina Innovator

4:15 – 4:55 **Patent Commercialization and Valuation: Theory and Practice in the Philippines**

Speaker: Atty Daniel S. Hofileña, Partner, Kalaw, Prasad, and Hofileña Law, (city)

4.55 - 5:00 **Closing Remarks:**
9.55am (CET)

Ms. Lisa K. Jorgenson, Deputy Director General, Patents and Technology Sector, World Intellectual Property Organization

(WIPO), Geneva

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