

# “Current Status and Future Requirements of National IP Education and Training Programs”

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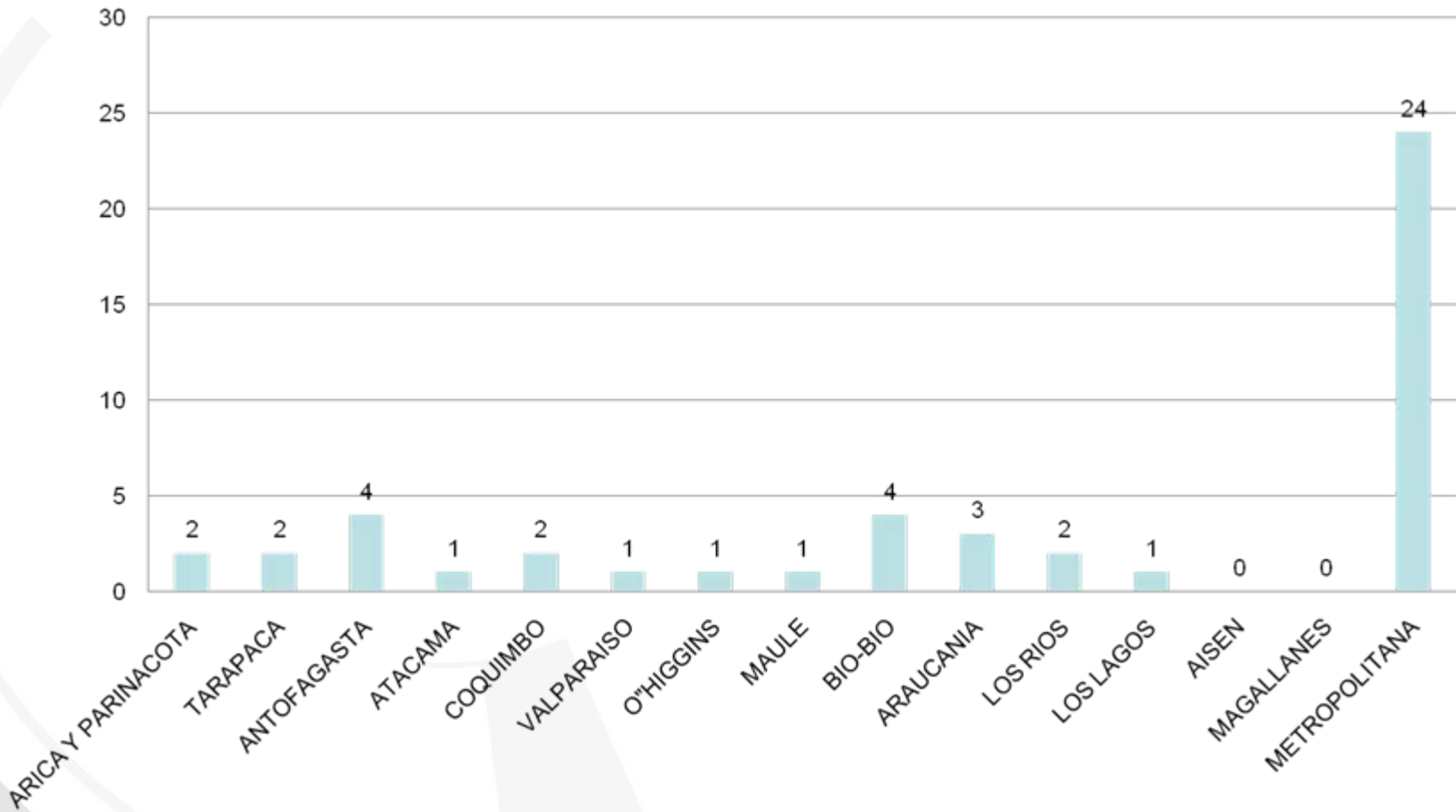
## Current status: INAPI

- Starts on January 1st 2009
- Autonomous agency replacing the Department of Industrial Property of the Ministry of Economy.
- Organization:
  - Deputy Directors for Trademarks, Patents, Legal and Transfer of Knowledge.
- **On the frame of the National Innovation Strategy, INAPI has the mission of promoting IPR through the Transfer of Knowledge Deputy Direction.**

## Current Status IP Education

- Main source of IP education-> INAPI 2010
- Training activities
  - 48 (including video conference)
  - 1997 Participants
- 15 Patent Information Reports
- IPToolkit ([iptoolkit.inapi.cl](http://iptoolkit.inapi.cl))

# Training activities in regions



## Curren Status in IP Education

- Understanding on I.P.R. not as mean, but as an end in itself.
- Increased demand for training, especially from country side.
- The training offer P.I. is concentrated in the metropolitan area.
- Lack of understanding of patent information to promote TT.

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- Weak use of rights such as utility models, industrial design, integrated circuits, appellations of origin, geographical indications, collective and certification marks.
- Number of resident patent applications have low quality or do not meet requirements of the Act.

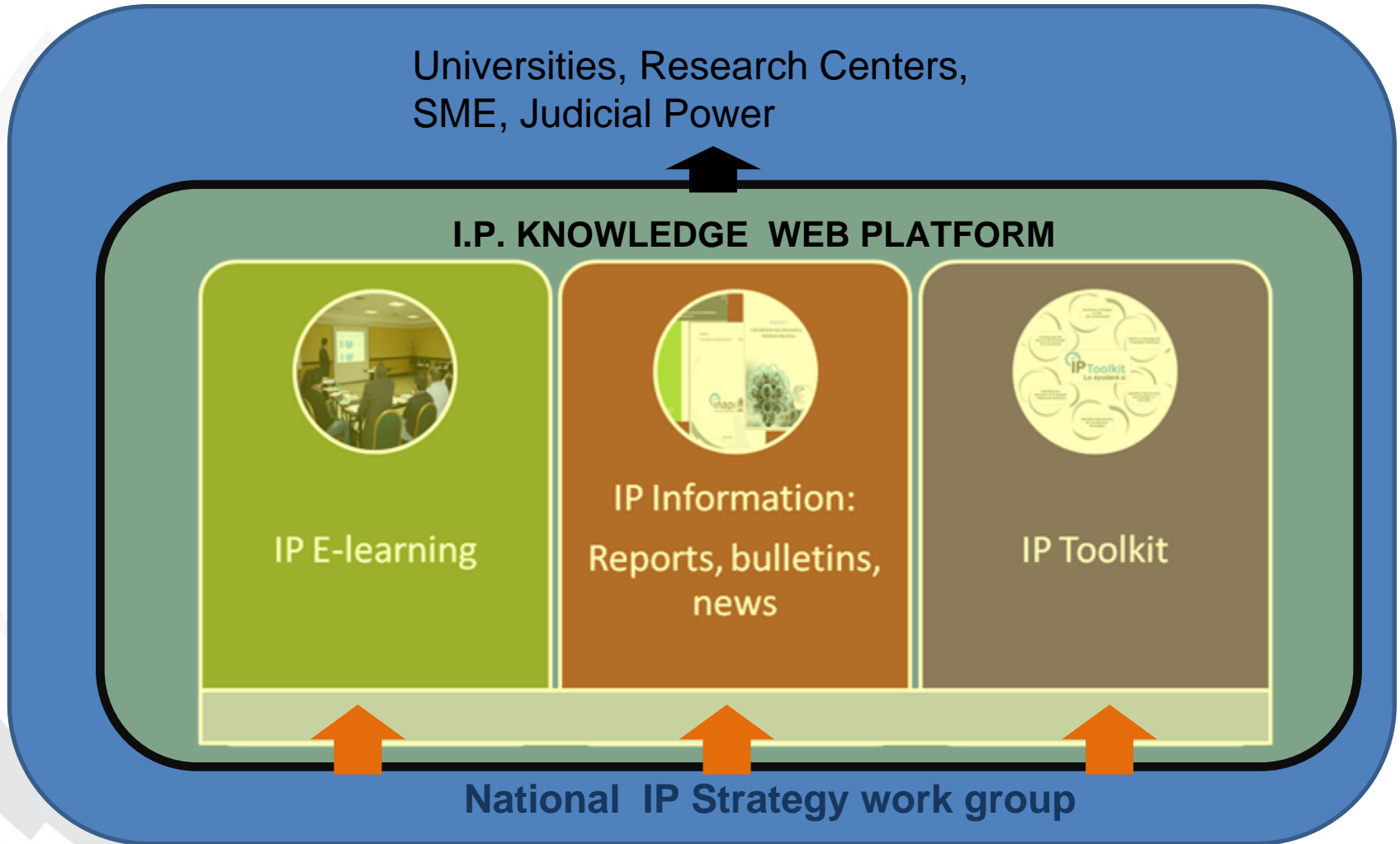
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- Stagnation in patent applications by nationals.
- Few universities offer IP programs (U. de Chile, U. Catolica, Finnis Terrae, Santiago, Austral) most of them for lawyers and located in Santiago.
- Lack of human resource specialized in IP.
- No specialised magazines, books, etc.

# IP Knowledge Web Platform Project

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- **E-learning:**
  - Methodology, content, educational resources and assessment tools appropriate for the teaching of industrial property.
- **Iptoolkit:**
  - Tools according to the needs of IPR user (i.e. universities and research centers) to identify and manage IP assets, from idea to market.

- **Information technology services:**
  - Automatic generation of newsletters with patent documents
  - Access to query specialized databases
  - Customized Alerts system on IP issues relevant for users.
- **National IP Strategy work group**
  - Place for meeting and discussion of challenges that IPR face to be an effective tool of knowledge transfer.

## Future requirements

- IPR experts for webinars.
- IPR experts for users consultations.
- Experts on
  - valuation
  - commercialization
  - appellations of origin
  - geographical Indications

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