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## **Building Respect for Intellectual Property (IP) for Members of the Judiciary**

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in cooperation with  
the State Agency on Intellectual Property (AGEPI)

and  
the National Institute of Justice (INJ)

**Chisinau, November 3 and 4, 2016**

### PROGRAM

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Thursday, November 3, 2016

09.00 – 9.30

**OPENING CEREMONY**

Welcome Addresses by:

- The representative of the National Institute of Justice (INJ), Chisinau
- Octavian Apostol, Director General, State Agency on Intellectual Property (AGEPI), Chisinau
- Mr. Xavier Vermandele, Senior Legal Counsellor, Building Respect for IP, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva

09.30 – 10.00

**Topic 1**

**A Balanced Approach of Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs) – Strategic Goal VI of WIPO**

Speaker:

Mr. Samer Al Tarawneh, Legal Counsellor, WIPO

10.00 – 10.30

**Topic 2**

**The International (TRIPS Agreement) and European Union (EU) Legal Frameworks on the Enforcement of IPRs**

Speaker:

Mr. Xavier Vermandele

10.00 – 10.50

Coffee Break

10.50 – 11.50

**Topic 3**

**Country Reports – Roundtable Discussion**

Moderator:

Mr. Samer Al Tarawneh

Speakers:

The representatives of all participating countries

11.50 – 12.15

**Topic 4**

**Court Practice in IPRs Cases – The Practice in the Republic of Moldova**

Speaker:

Ms. Ala Cobaneanu, Judge, Supreme Court of Justice of the Republic of Moldova, Chisinau

12.15 – 12.30

**Topic 5**

**Consumer Attitudes and Perceptions**

Speaker:

Mr. Samer Al Tarawneh

12.30 – 14.00

Lunch Break

14.00 – 14.50

**Topic 6**

**The Gathering of Evidence in Civil and Criminal Proceedings**

Speaker:

Mr. Samuel Granata, Court of Appeal, Antwerp

14.50 – 15.40	<b>Topic 7</b>	<b>Civil Remedies - Injunctions and Damages</b>
	Speaker:	Mr. Samuel Granata
15.40 – 16.00	Coffee Break	
16.00 – 16.20	<b>Topic 8</b>	<b>The Equitable Disposal of Intellectual Property (IP) Infringing Goods</b>
	Speaker:	Mr. Xavier Vermandele
16.20 – 17.10	<b>Topic 9</b>	<b>Roundtable: Criminal Procedures and Sanctions with Regard to Trademark Counterfeiting and Copyright Piracy</b>
	Moderator:	Mr. Stefano Betti, Senior Expert in IP Criminal Enforcement, Former INTERPOL and UN Expert, Lyon, France
 <u>Friday, November 4, 2016</u>		
09.00 – 10.00	<b>Topic 10</b>	<b>Practical Scenario</b>
	Moderators:	Mr. Xavier Vermandele Mr. Samer Al Tarawneh
10.00 – 10.30	<b>Topic 11</b>	<b>Alternative Dispute Resolution in IP Cases</b>
	Speaker:	Mr. Xavier Vermandele
10.30 – 10.50	Coffee Break	
10.50 – 11.45	<b>Topic 12</b>	<b>Case Law Developments in Trademark and Copyright Law</b>
	Speaker:	Dr. Oliver Schön, District Court, Munich
11.45 – 12.30	<b>Topic 13</b>	<b>The Enforcement of the IPRs in the Digital Environment</b>
	Speaker:	Dr. Oliver Schön, District Court, Munich
12.30 – 14.00	Lunch Break	
14.00 – 14.40	<b>Topic 14</b>	<b>Case Law Developments in Patent Law</b>
	Speaker:	Mr. Samuel Granata

14.40 – 15.10	<b>Topic 15</b>	<b>IP Enforcement and Private International Law</b>
	Speaker:	Dr. Oliver Schön, District Court, Munich
15.10 – 15.30	Coffee Break	
15.30 – 16.10	<b>Topic 16</b>	<b>The Role of the Rights Holders in the Enforcement of IP Rights from the Perspective of Public Authorities</b>
	Speaker:	Patricia Bondaresco, specialist coordinator, Contract Registration and Legal Assistance Division, Legal Department, AGEPI
16.10 – 17.00	<b>Topic 17</b>	<b>Roundtable – Challenges in Protecting IP through the Courts</b>
	Moderators:	Mr. Samer Al Tarawneh / AGEPI
17.00– 17.15	<b>CLOSING CEREMONY</b>	

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