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PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

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Tuesday, April 9, 2019

9.00 a.m. – 9.30 a.m. Registration

9.30 a.m. – 9.50 a.m. **OPENING SESSION**

Welcome Addresses by:

- Dr. Prodromos Tsiavos, President of the Administrative Council, Hellenic Industrial Property Organisation (OBI), Athens
- Dr. Ioannis Kaplanis, Director General, Hellenic Industrial Property Organization (OBI), Athens
- Dr. Vasilis Gregoriou, Director & President of the Board, National Hellenic Research Foundation (EIE), Athens
- Ms. Päivi Lähdesmäki, Senior Advisor, The Hague Registry, Brands and Designs Sector, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva

9.50 a.m. – 10.10 a.m. **Topic 1: Introduction to WIPO**

Development of the International Legal Framework Major Intellectual Property Economic Studies

Speakers: Ms. Ana Gobechia, Program Officer, Section for Coordination

of Developed Countries, Department for Transition and

Developed Countries, WIPO

10.10 a.m. – 10.30 a.m. **Topic 2: Global Intellectual Property Systems: PCT Introduction and Future Developments**

Speaker: Mr. Thomas Henninger, Senior Legal Information Officer, PCT User Resources Section, PCT Legal and User Relations

Division, PCT Legal and International Affairs Department,

WIPO

10.30 a.m. – 11.00 a.m. Topic 3: Global Intellectual Property Systems:

(a) The Madrid System for the International Registration of Marks

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(b) The Hague System for the International Registration of Industrial Designs

Speaker: Ms. Päivi Lähdesmäki, WIPO

11.00 a.m. – 12.00 p.m. Panel Discussion: Global Intellectual Property Systems: The Actual Practice (Questions, Experiences, Discussion)

Moderator: Ms. Myrto Lambrou-Maurer, Head of International Affairs, OBI

Panelists: Dr. Vasilis Gregoriou, Director and President of the Board,

National Hellenic Research Foundation (EIE), Athens Dr. Evangelos Gogolides, Director of Research, Institute of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, National Centre for

Scientific Research "DEMOKRITOS", Athens Ms. Korinna Argyriadou, Attorney at Law, Athens

Mr. Thomas Henninger, WIPO Ms. Päivi Lähdesmäki, WIPO

12.00 a.m. - 12.20 p.m. Coffee break

12.20 p.m. – 12.40 p.m. Topic 4: Global Databases and Tools for the Connected

Knowledge Economy

Ms. Nathalie Montillot, Program Officer, Innovation and Speaker:

> Technology Support Section, Access to Information and Knowledge Division, Global Infrastructure Sector, WIPO

The OBI as WIPO's Cooperation Partner and Service 12.40 p.m. – 1.00 p.m. Topic 5:

Provider for the Users of the IP System

Speaker: Ms. Catherine Margellou, Deputy Director General and

Director of Legal Support, OBI

1.00 p.m. – 1.40 p.m. Topic 6: Commercializing Research for Universities and SME's

> Ms. Monika Zikova, Senior Program Officer, Section for Speaker:

> > Coordination of Developed Countries, Department for

Transition and Developed Countries, WIPO

Panel Discussion

Moderator: Dr. Aggelos Tsakanikas, Vice-President of Administrative

Council, OBI, Assistant Professor, National Technical

University of Athens, Athens

Panelists: Dr. Katerina Pramatari, Associate Professor, Athens

University of Economics and Business, ACEin, Unifund,

Athens

Mr. Giorgos Strogyllopoulos, TTO, National Centre For

Scientific Research "DEMOKRITOS", Athens

Mr. Nikos Zombakis, CEO, Trimsignal, Athens

Dr. Georgios Arealis, Director, National Healthcare System,

Athens

Ms. Monika Zikova, WIPO

1.40 p.m. – 1.45 p.m. **CLOSING ADDRESS**

Dr. Ioannis Kaplanis, OBI

1.45 p.m. – 2.45 p.m. Lunch

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