

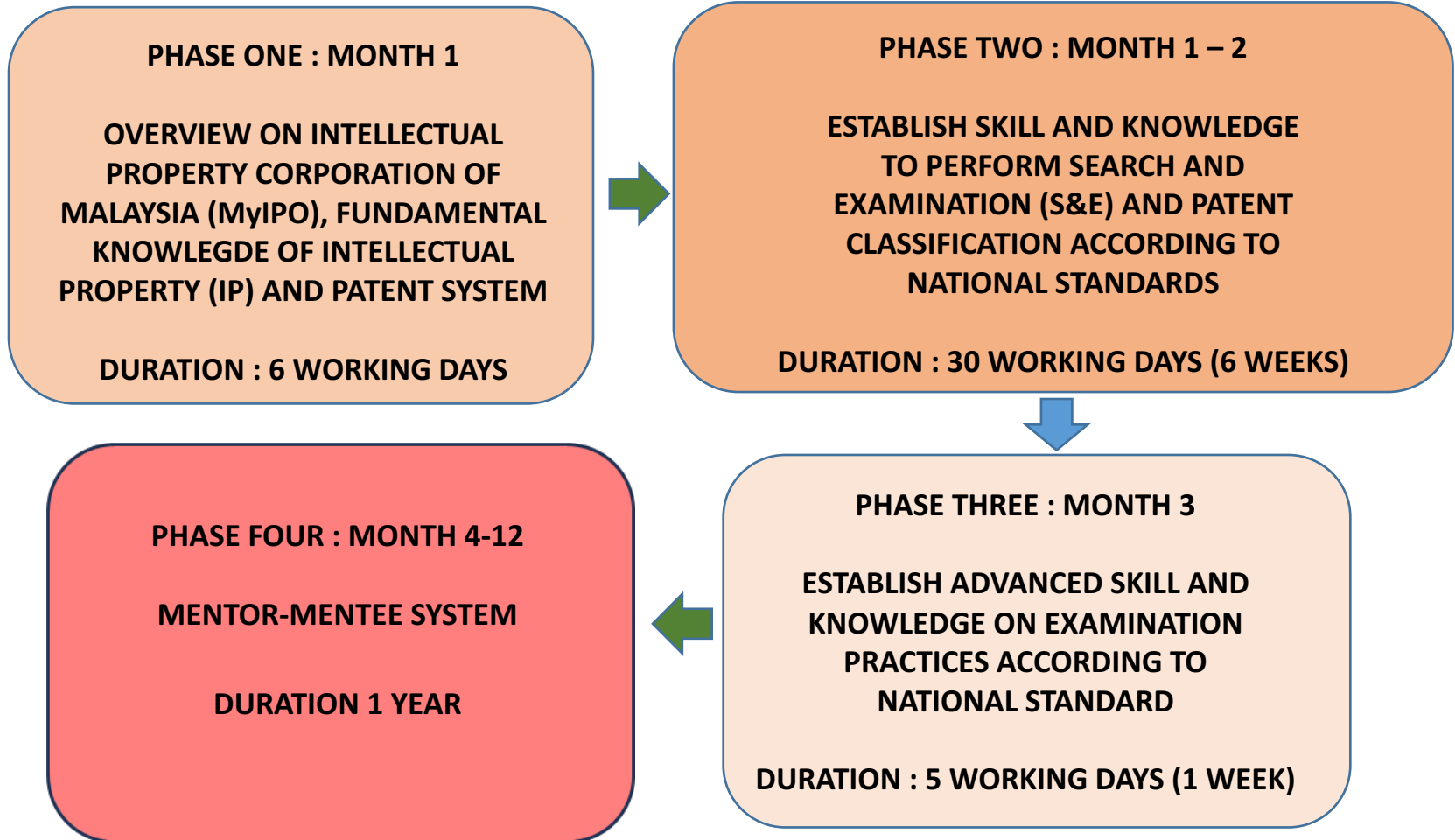


MALAYSIA

COMPETENCY FRAMEWORK FOR PATENT EXAMINERS

28 – 30 November 2017

Previous Training Framework



Previous Training Framework

PHASE 1 (6 working days)

- IP System and Overview of Patent in Malaysia
- Patent Examiner
- Patents Act & Regulations, related amendments, treaties and patent examination manual
- The life of a File

PHASE 2 (30 working days)

- Introduction to Patent and Utility Innovation (UI)
- Patent Classification
- Searching Technique
- Understanding Claims
- Non-patentable Inventions
- Examination Practice
- Foreign Examination Report (FER)
- Report Writing
- Consolidate S&E Practice

PHASE 3 (5 working days)

- Advanced Patent Prosecution / Further Examination
- Notice of Refusal

PHASE 4 (1 Year)

- On Job Training (OJT)

Current Training Framework

PHASE 1 (6 working days)

- Administration of MyIPO
- Development of IP in Malaysia
- IP system in Malaysia

PHASE 2 (7 working days)

- Patent examiner
- Patent Classification
- Patents Act & Regulations 1983 and related amendments
- Related treaties & international relations
- The life of a file

PHASE 3 (6 Months)

- Introduction to patent and utility innovation (UI)
- Patent Specification
- Non-patentable inventions
- Examination practice
- Patent Classification
- Searching technique
- Foreign examination report (FER)
- Report writing
- Consolidate S&E practice - Individual Assignment 1
- Consolidate S&E practice - Individual Assignment 2
- Consolidate S&E practice - Individual Assignment 3

Current Training Framework

PHASE 4 (10 working days)

- Advance patent prosecution/ Further examination
- Notice of refusal
- Patent Database
- Consolidate S&E practice - Assignment

PHASE 5 (3 Months)

- On Job Training (OJT)

Current Training Framework

- The previous training framework is improvised according to combination with the RPET materials including the assessment materials
- To train new examiners and **retrain current examiners**
- Started with Batch 2006-2008 intake
- Held from June – August 2016
- RPET graduates as the trainers

Current Training Framework

- Currently training 7 new examiners recruited in January 2017
- 4 RPET graduates are appointed to train new examiners
- Examination based on Malaysian Patents Acts in parallel with PCT guidelines

Thank you