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## WEBINAR

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## **WIPO Webinar on the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT)**

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## PROGRAM

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Thursday, August 20, 2020

**8:00a.m local time in Geneva, 2:00p.m. in Philippines**  
**(+6 hours in Philippines)**

14.00 – 14.10

(8.00 – 8.10am  
Geneva) Welcome addresses by:

- Ms. Anjali Aeri, Counsellor, Office Services Section, PCT International Cooperation Division, WIPO, Geneva
- Ms. Lolibeth Medrano, Bureau Director, Bureau of Patents, Intellectual Property Office of the Philippines (IPOP HL)

Webinar: UPDATE ON THE PCT SYSTEM

14:10 – 15:10

Topics:

(8:10 – 9:10am  
Geneva)

1. PCT Statistics 2019
2. WIPO's Innovative Tools for IP Offices & Applicants in Response to the Pandemic
3. Impact on PCT Processing of Applications by receiving Offices and the International Bureau
4. Communication of documents to and from the IB
5. - ePCT Distribution (of workload for examiners)  
- ePCT Updates
6. Recent Developments under the PCT

15:10 – 15:30

Q&A

(9:10 – 9:30am  
Geneva)

15:30

Closing of Webinar

(9:30am Geneva)

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