

## AGENDA

### EUIPO - OBI

## REGIONAL SEMINAR ON REGISTERED COMMUNITY DESIGNS

Date: 10 – 11 June 2019  
Time: 09:00 – 17:30  
Venue: Hellenic Industrial Property Organisation (OBI) – “G. Koumantos” Conference Room  
5, Gianni Stavroulaki str., 15125 Paradissos Amarousisou, Athens, Greece  
Working language: English

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## OBJECTIVES

The aim of this seminar is to provide for a collaborative platform for professional representatives in Greece, staff of the IPOs of Greece, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Romania, Candidate and Potential Candidate Countries.

The objective is to raise awareness on the protection of the Registered Community Design (RCD) system and Greek national design system by means of knowledge and experience sharing sessions, as well as, demonstrating the benefits of the DesignView and DesignClass tools developed under the European Union Intellectual Property Network (EUIPN). Moreover, the seminar will share information concerning Common Practices in designs for the benefit of the users and how the Greek and European Union case law should be interpreted and on conflicts between trade marks and RCDs.

Additionally, the event will facilitate an exchange of information on latest trends, such as 3D printing and a presentation and panel discussion on the review of industrial design protection in Europe.

## PARTICIPANTS FROM OBI:

<b>Mr Prodromos TSIAVOS</b>	President of the Administrative Council
<b>Mr Ioannis KAPLANIS</b>	General Director
<b>Ms Catherine MARGELLOU</b>	Deputy Director General & Director of Legal Support
<b>Mr Aris PITTARAS</b>	Director of Application & Grant Procedure

## PARTICIPANTS FROM EUIPO:

<b>Mr Théophilos MARGELLOS</b>	President, Boards of Appeal
<b>Ms Maria BRA</b>	Member, First Board of Appeal
<b>Mr Gordon HUMPHREYS</b>	Chairperson, Fifth Board of Appeal
<b>Ms Jacqueline WINKELMOLEN</b>	Team Leader, International Cooperation Service, ICLAD
<b>Mr Dimitrios ANDRIANOPOULOS</b>	Team Leader, Operations Department, EUIPO
<b>Ms Viorica POTOROACĂ</b>	Seconded National Expert (SNE), Project Manager, International Cooperation Service, ICLAD
<b>Mr Konstantinos AMPATZIS</b>	SNE, European Cooperation Service, ICLAD

**Monday, 10 June 2019**

- 09:00 – 09:30 Registration**
- 09:30 – 10:00 Welcome remarks**  
*Mr. Prodromos TSIAVOS, President, Administrative Council OBI*  
*Mr. Ioannis KAPLANIS, Director General, OBI*  
*Mr Théophilos MARGELLOS, President, Boards of Appeal*  
*Mr. Georgios Drosos, Head of Department, General Secretariat for Industry, Ministry of Economy and Development*
- 10:00 – 10:45 Introduction to the Registered Community Designs (RCDs)**  
*Mr Dimitrios ANDRIANOPOULOS, Team leader, Operations Department, EUIPO*
- 10:45 – 11:30 Protection of designs in Greece and abroad**  
*Mr. Aris PITTARAS, Director of Application & Grant Procedure*
- 11:30 – 11:45 *Coffee/Tea break*
- 11:45 – 12:05 EUIPO Convergence projects (designs)**  
*Mr Konstantinos AMPATZIS, SNE, European Cooperation Service, EUIPO*
- 12:05 – 12:45 Review of CP6 and CP7: Convergence on graphic representations of designs and Harmonisation of Product Indications**  
*Mr Konstantinos AMPATZIS, SNE, European Cooperation Service, EUIPO*
- 12:45 – 13:15 Classification / Product Indications and DesignClass**  
*Mr Dimitrios ANDRIANOPOULOS, Team leader, Operations Department, EUIPO*
- 13:15 – 14:15 *Lunch break*
- 14:15 – 14:45 EUIPO design tools: DesignView and RCD e-filing**  
*Ms Jacqueline WINKELMOLEN, Team Leader, International Cooperation Service, EUIPO*  
*Mr Dimitrios ANDRIANOPOULOS, Team leader, Operations Department, EUIPO*
- 14:45 – 15:15 CP10: Criteria for assessing disclosure of designs on the Internet**  
*Mr Konstantinos AMPATZIS, SNE, European Cooperation Service, EUIPO*
- 15:15 – 15:30 *Coffee/Tea break*
- 15:30 – 16:00 Design anti-counterfeit protection in Greece**  
*Mr. Georgios PERIVOLARIS Attorney at law, DESS*

**16:00 – 16:45**    **EUIPO design case law**  
*Ms Maria BRA, Member, First Board of Appeal*

**16:45 – 17:10**    **Best Practice – Callista Crafts**  
*Vasiliki SIGALOU*  
*Ceo & Co Founder of CALLISTA CRAFTS*  
*Eleni KONSTANTINIDOU*  
*Ceo & Co Founder of CALLISTA CRAFTS*

**Tuesday, 11 June 2019**

**09:00 – 09:30**    **Registration**

**09:30 – 09:45**    **Introduction to 2<sup>nd</sup> day of the Seminar**  
*Ms. Catherine MARGELLOU, Deputy Director General*  
*Ms Jacqueline WINKELMOLEN, Team Leader, International Cooperation Service, EUIPO*  
*Representative, Directorate of Commercial Property, Ministry of Economy and Development (tbc)*

**09:45 – 10:30**    **Interaction/Conflict of trade marks and RCDs**  
*Mr Théophilos MARGELLOS, President, Boards of Appeal*

**10:30 – 11:00**    **Review of industrial design protection in Europe**  
*Mr Gordon HUMPHREYS, Chairman, Fifth Board of Appeal*

*11:00 – 11:15*    *Coffee/Tea break*

**11:15 – 11:50**    **Designs and the informed user**  
*Ms Maria BRA, Member, First Board of Appeal*

**11:50 – 12:15**    **3D Printing and IP law**  
*Mr Konstantinos AMPATZIS, SNE, European Cooperation Service, EUIPO*

**12:15 – 12:50**    **Panel discussion on new design law and Q&A session**  
*Mr Théophilos MARGELLOS, President, Boards of Appeal*  
*Mr Gordon HUMPHREYS, Chairman, Fifth Board of Appeal*  
*Mr Konstantinos AMPATZIS, SNE, European Cooperation Service, EUIPO*

**12.50 – 13.00**    **Closing remarks**  
*Mr. Ioannis KAPLANIS, Director General OBI*  
*Ms Jacqueline WINKELMOLEN, Team Leader, International Cooperation Service, EUIPO*

*13:00 – 14:00*    *Lunch break*