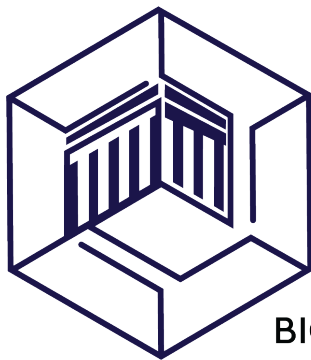


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## Study program for the Basic Training in European and Greek Patent Law

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## **Basic Training of the 2 years Course**

The basic training provides future practitioners in the patent field with systematic and complete tuition on **the legal basis** as well as on practice in European and Greek patent law. **Students of this program, upon successful completion may participate in the national Exams for becoming certified patent attorneys.**

The course is organized over 2 years, 2 sessions per month each session lasts from 3 to 5 hours.

## Schedule

<b>Substantive Law</b>			
<b>A</b>	<b>General Introduction</b>		<b>(3 hours)</b>
A1	Introduction to IP Law		
A2	The patent and other rights to protect inventions		
A3	The history of patent law		
A4	The international patent conventions		
<b>B</b>	<b>Introduction to the European patent Law</b>		<b>(12 hours)</b>
B1	Introduction to EPC		
B2	Introduction to the PCT		
B3	Interpretation of provisions of the EPC and PCT		
B4	Institutional provisions		
B5	Language and translations		
B6	Representation before the EPO and under the PCT		
<b>C</b>	<b>Patentability</b>		<b>(32 hours)</b>
C1	Patentable and non-patentable inventions; Industrial application		
C2	State of the art		
C3	Novelty		
C4	Exception to patentability, medical use		
C5.1	Inventive step (Part 1)		
C5.2	Inventive step (Part 2)		
C6.1	Unity/Disclosure/Claims (part 1)		
C6.2	Unity/Disclosure/Claims (part 2)		
C7.1	Priority: Paris Convention; EPC and PCT (part 1)		
C7.2	Priority: Paris Convention; EPC and PCT (part 2)		
<b>D</b>	<b>(3,5 hours)</b>		
D1	Designation of the inventor		
D2	Right to file, entitlement to the patent		
D3	Entitlement proceedings		

<b>E</b>	<b>Rights conferred by the European Patent and by the Application (3 hours)</b>		
E1	Rights conferred by the European Patent		
E2	Protection conferred by the application		
E3	Interpretation of the patent (application)		
E4	Infringement and sanctions/ Disputes relating to industrial property rights		
<b>F</b>	<b>The European Patent and Application as Object of Property (3 hours)</b>		
F1	Transfer and constitution of rights; Assignment and licenses		
<b>G</b>	<b>Information from the European Patent Office (3 hours)</b>		
G1	Information to the public		
G2	Register of the European patents		
G3	Periodical publications		
G4	Exchange of information between authorities		
<b>Procedural Law</b>			
<b>H</b>	<b>Procedure (42 Hours)</b>		
H1	General introduction to procedure before EPO and under the PCT		
H2	The European patent application		
H3.1	Filing the application, accordance of a date of filing and formalities examination (part 1)		
H3.2	Filing the application, accordance of a date of filing and formalities examination (part 2)		
H4	Search, search opinion and search report		
H5	Publication of the patent application		
H6	Designation of States, Request for examination and substantive examination		
H7	Amendments and correction of errors		
H8	Decision to grant the European patent or to refuse the patent application		
H9.1	Opposition; request for limitation or revocation (part 1)		
H9.2	Opposition; request for limitation or revocation (part 2)		
H9.3	If more than 12 enrolled participants, MOCK Oral Proceedings		

H10	Appeal and Petition for review		
H11	Common provisions governing procedure		
H12	Periods		
H13	Further processing and re - establishment of rights		
H14	Fees		
I/J	<b>Revocation and national rights</b>	<b>(3.5 hours)</b>	
I1	National revocation		
J1	Relations European and national patents		
J2	Conversion to national application		
J3	Territorial effect of application		
K	<b>Unitary Patent Regulations and other Agreements</b>	<b>(3 hours)</b>	
K1	Special agreement		
K2	Unitary Patent Regulations and other Agreements		
K3	Aspects of US patent law		
K4	Aspects of patent laws in JP and KR		
L	<b>The Patent Cooperation Treaty</b>	<b>(15 hours)</b>	
L1	Introduction PCT and common provisions		
L2	International application, International filing date and formalities examination, EPO as RO		
L3	International search (EPO as ISA), supplementary international search (EPO as SISA), international publication and international preliminary examination (EPO as IPEA)		
L4	National phase		
L5	Regional entry before the EPO as dO/eO and Euro - PCT application		
M	<b>Greek Legal Framework</b>	<b>(10 hours)</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Theory of ownership of industrial property</li> <li>• Law 1733/1987</li> <li>• Greek jurisprudence and procedural issues</li> </ul>		

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Information for the Hellenic Industrial Property Organization</li></ul>		
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