



AIPPI-BE HALF STUDY DAY 2024



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Come and join us!

DATE: May 7, 2024

TIME: 3:30-7:30 pm

VENUE: CMS, Chaussée de La Hulpe 178, 1170 Brussels

TOPICS:

- **General Assembly**
- **Institute for Patent Attorneys**
- **Defence of Parody**
- **Study Questions for Hangzhou 2024**

Dear member,

We are happy to invite you to participate in our yearly half Study Day and General Assembly. You will find the detailed programme on the following page.

This event is free and reserved for members. Registration in advance is required, no later than **May 3, 2024**, by sending an e-mail with your name to the **secretariat**.

With our best wishes,

François Gevers, Sophie Lens
and Sarah van den Brande

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PROGRAMME

3:30 pm WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

3:40 pm GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Activities 2023 and 2024, Approval of accounts 2023 and budget 2024, Renewal (and new) board members

4:10 pm UPDATE ON THE BELGIAN INSTITUTE FOR PATENT ATTORNEYS

Koen Vanhalst, European Patent Attorney
at De Clercq & Partners

4:40 pm PARODY AND COPYRIGHT

Simon Geiregat, Research Professor of IP Law at Ghent University

5:10 pm BREAK

5:30 pm STUDY QUESTIONS HANGZHOU 2024

Presentation, discussion and approval of report drafts for the Hangzhou AIPPI World Congress

- Conflicts between composite trademarks including non-distinctive elements
- Defence of parody in copyright
- Unjustified allegations of infringement of IP rights
- Harmonisation of disclosure requirements and consequences of non-compliance

6:10 pm RECEPTION - NETWORKING