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Capacity Building IP Master Programme Core Courses Training

Venue: Amman - Jordan
Dates: 15/Jan/2015

The Training focused on supervisory development of syllabi and practical issues, including examination and teaching methods, alumni employability, and competency matching for three core courses in the Master programme in "Intellectual Property." The courses discussed were entitled Introduction to International Intellectual Property Law, Patents, and Industrial Designs.

The intended outcomes of the training: IP-MED partners have a good knowledge base in the examination and teaching methods, graduates employability and competence matching for the three core courses in "Intellectual Property" master degree programme: Introduction to International Intellectual Property Law, 5 ECTS; Patents, 7 ECTS; and Industrial Designs, 4 ECTS.



PROJECT AIMS

IP-MED aims at building up ENPI South HEIs' competences in the field of Intellectual Property (IP) Law and practice in order to enhance innovation capacities and technology transfer in the region for development and growth. More specifically, at:



Introducing a Master Degree programme on International and Comparative Intellectual Property Law in ENPI South universities;



Establishing an IP Law Web Portal in the ENPI South partner HEIs as a point of reference in the matter for universities in the region.

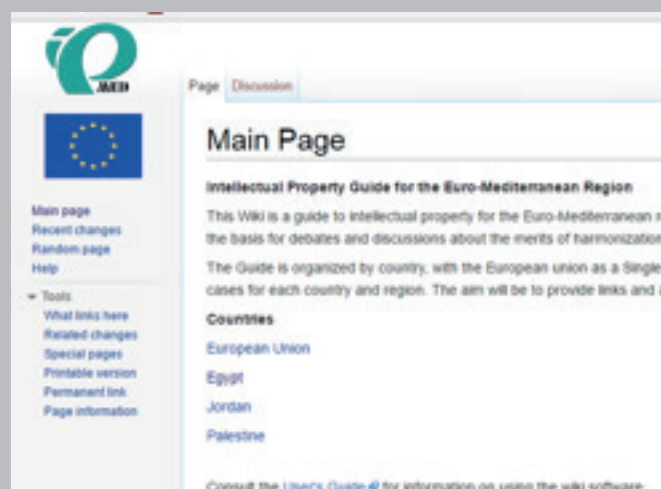
Best Practice Guide - Wiki

Venue: Mediterranean Partners
Dates: Jan 2015

The IP guide envisioned in the project be implemented as a Wiki, which allows the partners to draw on invited persons within their network to further contribute and to maintain a dynamically updated. The Wiki was moderated by the Maastricht partners, the appropriateness of the entries was managed, with quality control being a joint element of the Wiki group review process and the moderator.

The Wiki is a guide to intellectual property for the Euro-Mediterranean region under the TEMPUS IP-Med project, the aim of the guide is to identify and elaborate differences between the subject countries (European Union, Egypt, Jordan, Palestine) which will form the basis for debates and discussions about the merits of harmonization versus differentiation.

The Guide was organized by country, with the European Union as a Single legal jurisdiction for the purposes of the guide. Under each country there will be a set of subject areas (e.g. Patents, Copyright, trademarks) with sub-headings addressing key sources and leading cases for each country and region. The aim is to provide links and also to provide a rolling dynamic set of annotations to legislation, policy, and cases. Under the leading cases, there is a short summary of the case, its ruling and its reasoning.



Master Program Applications

Venue: Mediterranean Partners Universities
Dates: March 2015

The Palestinian, Jordanian, and Egyptians Universities Prepared the applications to establish the Master program in Intellectual Property, waiting for the adoption from the Ministry of Higher Education.

Master Program's titles:

- ▶ Helwan University: Specialized Master Program in Intellectual Property and Innovation Management.
- ▶ Arab Academy of Science and Technology: Managing the logistics of intellectual property.
- ▶ Zarqa University: Master programme in intellectual property and innovation management.
- ▶ Mutah University: Master programme in intellectual property and innovation management.
- ▶ An-Najah National University and Al-Quds University: Joint Master in Intellectual Property and Innovation Management.

Capacity Building IP Master Programme Core Courses Training

Venue: Amman - Jordan
Dates: 28/04/2015

Training workshop entitled "Trademarks & Copyright and Related Rights". The workshop focused on supervisory development of syllabi and practical issues, including examination and teaching methods, alumni employability, and competency matching for two core courses in the Master programme in "Intellectual Property". The courses discussed were entitled: Trademarks, Copyright and Related Rights.

Management Meeting



Venue: Amman - Jordan

Dates: 17/09/2015

The meeting was attended by the National Erasmus+ Office Directors in: Palestine, Jordan, Egypt and all project partners.

The current status of master degree programme in project partners: Jordanian Egyptians, and Palestinian were presented by the contact person in each University, the Master implementation task force and the teaching courses working groups were determined.

Capacity Building IP Master Programme Core Courses Training

Venue: Tallinn, Estonia

Dates: 16/11/2015

The master's program in intellectual property in Tallinn University has been viewed, two lectures were conducted by specialists on startup funding and innovation in Estonia, and E Governance Academy specialists.

The current status of master degree programme in project partners: Jordanian Egyptians, and Palestinian were reviewed by the contact person in each university, The Master implementation task force and the teaching courses working groups has been activated.



Master Program Accreditation

Venue: Mediterranean Partners Universities

Dates: 16/11/2015

Partners Universities obtained the accreditation for the master program in intellectual property and innovation management.



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Palestine

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Quds
University,
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University,
Jordan

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Egypt

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Technology,
Egypt

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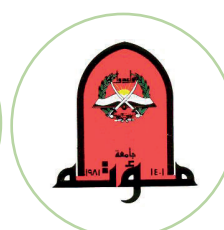
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