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International Guest Lecturers for IP Master's Students in the ENPI south PCU

Venue: Amman - Jordan
Dates: 24-25 /March /2017

A guest lectures on Intellectual property rights was organized , on 24-25 th March, 2017. The master students from all parner country universities (Amman , Egypt and Palestine)- involved in the master programme in“intellectual property and innovation management” and the teachers of the programme courses attended the lectures.

The lectures introduced students to the main areas of Intellectual Property and examines important Intellectual Property issues. The students were able to discuss Intellectual Property issues with professionals in Intellectual Property from Maastricht and Tallinn EU Partner Universities.

The lectures aims to provide master students as well as professionals with insight into the field of Intellectual Property and an appreciation of the significant role of Intellectual Property in furthering the economic and technological development, and particularly in promoting innovation.



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.

IP-MED Final International Conference in IP Law and Practice – Strategies for the Mediterranean Region “Best practices in Intellectual Property Law Studies in the Mediterranean Region”

Venue: Amman - Jordan
Dates: 23 /March /2017

With International and local participation; on Wednesday, March 23, 2017, in The Founders Theater/ Admin Mechanical Labs Building, iPARK, the Royal Scientific Society, Al-Jubaiha, Amman, the conference covered a wide range of topics about IP for Development: Current Challenges and Future Perspectives in the Mediterranean Countries and the economic Development and the Role of IP Education through the established Master Degree programme on International and Comparative Intellectual Property Law in ENPI South universities; The main focus of the conference was to explain the sustainability of the initiative and future plans of the IP-MED, Tempus project and to promote the importance of its ongoing nature and its utilization within the Mediterranean region. Furthermore, the Conference will provide a platform for the award ceremony for the Master students in IP.

Participants from Palestine, Jordan, and Egypt, the project Coordinator and the participants and resource persons from Maastricht, and Tallinn Universities, involved in this conference activity. Participants acknowledged the organization and the implementation of the program. The all participated in the opening ceremony and



gave blessings to the activities which were lasted for one full long day.

The IP-MED International Conference brought together a wide range of stakeholders to discuss the role of intellectual property (IP) in economic, social and cultural development. It served as a forum for the exchange of different perspectives at national, regional and international levels. There were numerous opportunities to engage with top experts from Europe and exchange experiences and best practices on how IP contributes to development.



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IP Master Students Internships

Venue: Enpi Partners Universities
Dates: May /2017

The Master students in Enpi PCU are complementing their education with practical training in selected companies, firms, governmental organizations, research institutions and NGOs in their countries. This is giving them a necessary insight into the IP practice and the needs of stakeholders in the region as a manner to get them ready for their professional activity. The stakeholder's network members in IP-MED Network welcom giving training to the master students. Also the master thesis for the master students were practical issues done in cooperation with IP research institutions in partner countries as Internship projects.



Exploring options for regional Joint master degree Venue: Enpi Partners Universities

Dates: May /2017

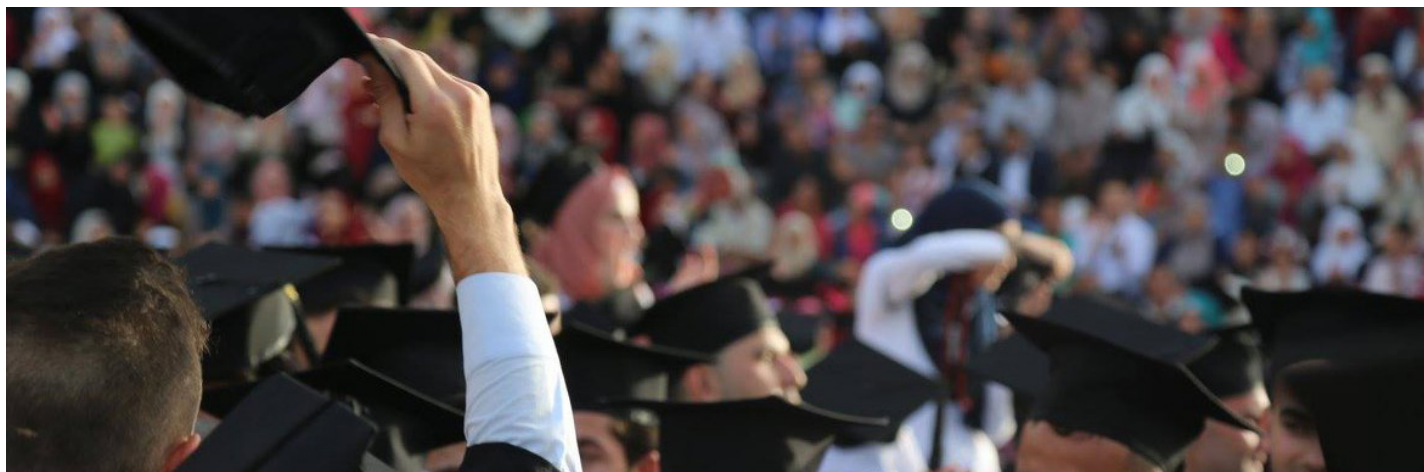
The partners explored options for joint accreditation of the Master as regional between Enpi Partners and international EU-PCs.masy agreements and MoU were signed in this regards.

Graduating of the first cohort of master students in Intellectual Property and Innovation Management at the Enpi PCUs.

Venue: Enpi Partners Universities
Dates: June /2017

Faculty of Law at An-Najah University and Helwan University are preparing to graduate the first cohort of

students for Master Programme in Intellectual Property and Management of Creativity



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Egypt

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Technology,
Egypt

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Agency, Egypt

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