



EPLIT's 7th Annual Meeting in Brussels: AGENDA

14 May 2020 – Conference Dinner (attendance fee: €140)

Venue: Atomium, Square de l'Atomium, Brussels

18:00	Departure of shuttle bus from the Hilton
19:00	Aperitif and Dinner
22:00	Departure of shuttle bus from the Atomium

15 May 2020 – Annual Meeting (attendance fee: €195)

Venue: Hilton Grand Place, Carrefour de l'Europe 3, Brussels

09:00	Opening by the President
09:10	Financial issues, reports from the Working Groups about their activities
09:20	Appointment of new President
09:30	Election of new Board members
10:00	Presentation of and vote on new EPLIT Statutes – Leythem Wall (HGF, NL)
10:30	Coffee break
11:00	Use of AI in patent litigation – Noam Shemtov (Queen Mary University of London)
11:40	Panel discussion about frustrating patent enforcement (from Arrow declarations to entitlement to torpedoes) - Erik Visscher (De Vries & Metman, NL), Renaud Fulconis (Bandpay & Greuter, FR), Marie McMorrow (HGF, GB) - moderated by Kay Rupprecht (Meissner Bolte, DE)
12:30	Lunch
13:45	EPO oppositions after the introduction of new Rules of Procedure of the Boards of Appeal – first experiences - N.N.
14:30	UPC, Unitary Patent and Brexit - N.N.
15:15	Speaking rights of patent attorneys in Belgian courts – Michaël Beck (IPLodge)
15:45	Coffee break
16:00	Panel discussion about preliminary injunctions - Kristof Neefs (Inteo, BE), Rainer Hilli (Roschier, FI), Eszter Szakács (Danubia, HU) - moderated by Christian Köster (Banse & Steglich, DE)
16:50	Concluding remarks
17:00	End of Conference