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International Conference on the occasion of the 1st anniversary of the Unified Patent Court



On June 1st, 2024, the Unified Patent Court (UPC) will be celebrating its one-year anniversary – a great opportunity for drawing first conclusions and for taking a look into the future of this unique new European legal system. We invite you to attend a high-profile conference where we will, on the eve of this anniversary, review the first year of the UPC in stimulating discussions.

We are honored to announce the ***President of the Court of Appeal of the UPC, Dr. Klaus Grabinski***, as keynote speaker as well as the participation of **judges of the UPC's first instance divisions**. In addition, thought leaders from academia, law firms and the judiciary will complement the list of speakers and will share their different perspectives.

The conference will be covering the most pressing issues and challenges of UPC practice, such as damages, SEP/FRAND and preliminary injunctions. Additional topics for discussion will be particular points to keep in mind when dealing with the individual local divisions, as well as the use of the UPC case management system.

Location: Bucerius Law School, Jungiusstraße 6, 20355 Hamburg, Germany

Date & Time: Friday, May 31st, 2024, 9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m., including networking breaks (followed by a dinner reception)

Format: Hybrid (in-person attendance plus live stream to allow for international participation)

This event is aimed at bringing together all those who are affected by the UPC, such as in particular in-house counsels as well as attorneys at law, patent attorneys, judges and researchers.

More information and a detailed agenda will be published shortly.

The conference is organized by the Center for Transnational IP, Media and Technology Law and Policy at Bucerius Law School with the generous support of the IP Boutique Eisenführ Speiser.