



The **European Policy for Intellectual Property association (EPIP)** announces its **12th Annual Conference in Bordeaux, France, September 4-6 2017** www.epip2017.org

CLAIMS ON AREA: THE GEOGRAPHY-IP INTERFACE

CALL FOR PAPERS - 1st REMINDER

Scholars from all disciplines and practitioners interested in the economic, legal, political and managerial aspects of intellectual property rights are all encouraged to submit and/or to attend.

We welcome submissions of Full Papers and Extended Abstracts.
All submissions will be peer-reviewed.

Prizes will be awarded to the Best Full Paper submitted and to the **Young Scholar's Best Paper**.

Reduced fees will be available for PhD students.

The EPIP association supports PhD students in the field through reduced fees. In addition, a **PhD workshop** on "The law & economics of patent processing" will be held on September 4, at no extra cost for all selected students.

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

BRONWYN H. HALL (UC BERKELEY)
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**PATENT GEOGRAPHY:
GLOBAL APPLICATIONS & REGIONAL
PROTECTION**



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IP AND ACCESS TO MEDICINES



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**THE CHANGING GEOGRAPHY
OF GEOGRAPHICAL INDICATIONS**

THEMED SESSION

As of January 31, 2017, no more proposals are accepted.
Accepted Sessions are available at <http://epip2017.org/index.php/themed-sessions/>
If you have been invited to contribute to a Session, do not forget to submit in any case. A number of Sessions are open to non-solicited submissions.

TOPICS

The conference will explore the connections between IP and Geography, with a focus on

- Globalisation of inventive activities
- Geographical evolution of cyber-space
- Geographical indications and traditional knowledge

While submissions on these topics will be most appreciated, **papers on all IP-related topics are welcome**, too.

A non-exhaustive list include :

- IP and Innovation
- IP and Competition Policy
- IP intermediaries and market integration (Themed Session)
- International Trade Agreements and IP Rights

- IP enforcement and litigation
- Markets for technologies
- International and regional IP treaties and harmonization
- Standards and patent pools
- IP in Science
- IP and Access to Medicines
- History of IP Rights
- Gender and IP
- Laws and economics at the age of Big Data

All forms of IP are relevant, whether Patents, Copyright, Trade Marks, Plant Breeders' Rights, Geographical Indications, Design Rights or others.

More information and updates: www.epip2017.org

DEADLINE ET AGENDA

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: March 24, 2017

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE: May 2, 2017

ONLINE SUBMISSION :

<http://epip2017.org/index.php/submissions/>

INFORMATION ON FEES:

<http://epip2017.org/index.php/registration-fees/>



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