



6th Pan-European LES Young Members Congress

Zurich, Switzerland, 13 July 2018



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1. Draft Program

1.1 Thursday, 12 July 2018

Time	Program	Description	Location
7:00 p.m.	Speakers' Dinner		to be announced
10:00 p.m. – open end	Informal get- together for all participants	warm-up / no official item on the agenda	to be announced

1.2 Friday, 13 July 2018

Time	Program	Description / Topic	Location
8:45 a.m. –	In-house counsel		Carpenters' Guild
9:45 a.m.	breakfast		(http://zunfthaus- zimmerleuten.ch/)
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Welcome Speech	Dr. Kilian Schärli (Chair of the Organizing Committee, MLL, Switzerland): Welcome Speech	Carpenters' Guild
		Susanna Ruder (Vice-chair of the Organizing Committee, Hepp Wenger Ryffel, Switzerland): Presentation Patent Blog	
		Peter Ling (Vice-chair of the Organizing Committee, Lenz & Staehelin, Switzerland): Presentation of first speakers	
10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Keynote	Dr. Catherine Chammartin (Director General, Federal Institute of Intellectual Property, Switzerland): "Modernisation of the Swiss Copyright Act"	Carpenters' Guild

10:45 a.m. –	Panel 1	E-Health: Innovation and healthcare	Carpenters' Guild
11:25 a.m.		Moderator: Alexander Haertel (Kather Augenstein, Germany)	
		Speakers:	
		 Natalie Raffoul (Clancy P.C. + Brion Raffoul, Canada) 	
		 Dr. med. Michael Dahlweid (CTO Hospital Island Group) 	
11.25 a.m. – 11.35 a.m.	LESI Life Science Committee	Natalie Raffoul (Clancy P.C. + Brion Raffoul, Canada): Introduction of LESI Life Science Committee	Carpenters' Guild
	Mentor Program	Dr. Eszter Szakács (Sár and Partners, Hungary): Presentation of Mentor Program	
11:35 a.m. – 12:05 p.m.	Break	Coffee and cake	Carpenters' Guild
12:05 p.m. – 12:35 p.m.	Presentation 1	Dr. Simon Holzer (MLL, Switzerland): "Follow up E-Health"	Carpenters' Guild
12:35 p.m. – 1:35 p.m.	Lunch	Buffet	Carpenters' Guild
1:35 p.m. –	Panel 2	Artificial Intelligence	Carpenters' Guild
2:15 p.m.		Moderator: Vincent Bergeron (ROBIC, Canada)	
		Speakers:	
		• Pia Björk (EPO)	
		 Bernd Laqua (Wuesthoff & Wuesthoff, Germany) 	
		• Paul Gagnon (Element AI)	
2:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Presentation 2	PD Dr. Mark Schweizer (President of the Swiss Federal Patent Court): "Hindsight bias in patent law"	Carpenters' Guild
2:45 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Break with "Swiss special guests"	Coffee and cake	Carpenters' Guild

3:30 p.m. – 4:10 p.m.	Panel 3	The Future of Litigation and ADR in Medtech, Biotech and Pharma Disputes	Carpenters' Guild
		Moderator: Philipp Groz (Schellenberg Wittmer, Switzerland)	
		Speakers:	
		 Tom Oliver (Powell Gilbert LLP, United Kingdom) Thomas Schachl (Wallinger Ricker Schlotter Tostmann, Germany) 	
		 Isabel Burnham (Mundipharma International Limited) 	
		 Dr. Stéphanie Chuffart (BianchiSchwald, Switzerland) 	
4:10 p.m. – 4.25 p.m.	Presentation 3	Marco Bellia (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Italy): "Blockchain and Licensing"	Carpenters' Guild
4.25 p.m. – 4.40 p.m.	Presentation 4	Philipp Widera (Vossius & Partner, Germany): "ECJ judgement C-179/16 of 23 January 2018"	Carpenters' Guild
4:40 p.m. – 5.00 p.m.	Upcoming LES YMC Events	Tom Gaunt (Ablett & Stebbing, United Kingdom)	Carpenters' Guild
	Closing Remarks	Susanna Ruder (Vice-chair of the Organizing Committee, Hepp Wenger Ryffel, Switzerland)	
		Peter Ling (Vice-chair of the Organizing Committee, Lenz & Staehelin, Switzerland)	
		Kilian Schärli (Chair of the Organizing Committee, MLL, Switzerland)	

7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Dinner in a traditional Swiss restaurant	Menu & Drinks	Restaurant Zeughauskeller, Bahnhofstrasse 28a, 8001 Zurich
			(http://www.zeugh auskeller.ch/home)
10:30 p.m. – open end	Club Mascotte	Free entry and a first selection of free drinks	Theaterstrasse 10, Zurich
			(http://www.masco tte.ch/)

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