

EU Funded Newsletter

This monthly newsletter compiles information on the upcoming and last activities carried out by the EUIPO in the context of the EU-Funded IP projects implemented on behalf of the European Commission.



IPKey Projects Upcoming Activities

IP Key LA focuses first activity of 2020 on plant variety protection

05/02/20

Area: Latin America **Location:** Ecuador



As part of the 2020 Annual Work Programme, IP Key LA has joined forces with the CPVO, GEVES, SENADI and UPOV to hold three events in Quito, Ecuador in February.

The first event is a face-to-face workshop, 'PVP Licensing Lab', which aims to increase knowledge about plant variety...

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23rd EU-China IP Working Group Meeting

14/01/20

Area: China **Location:** Beijing



The EU-China IP Working Group was created in July 2004, was endorsed at the EU-China Summit in 2005 and held its first meeting on 18 October 2005 in Beijing.

This year the 23rd EU-China IP Working Group Meeting took place on 14 January at the MOFCOM in Beijing, which was followed by...

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Final 2019 IP Key Latin America activity focused on IP users' experiences

11/12/19

Area: Latin America **Location:** Panama City, Panama



IP Key LA, along with the Inter-American Association of Industrial Property (ASIFI) and the Registry of Industrial Property-Ministry of Commerce and Industries of Panama (DIGERPI), have organised the final activity of the project's 2019 annual work plan, a seminar focused on the experiences of...

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Study visit on cross-border IP enforcement

09/12/19

Area: China **Location:** The Netherlands and Belgium



Building on recent co-operation with the Ministry of Public Security (MPS), which included a three-day training course on cross-border IP enforcement held in Changchun, China in October 2019, IP Key China led a study visit of six senior Chinese officials to the Netherlands and Belgium from 9 to...

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Regional Workshop on Geographical Indications Enforcement in Central America

05/12/19

Area: Latin America **Location:** San Jose, Costa Rica



The activity consists of a two-day event organized in collaboration with the Ministry of Foreign Trade (COMEX), Costa Rica and dedicated to the Enforcement of Geographical Indications. This activity will gather representatives of the competent authorities of GIs in the Central America countries...

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Workshop on the extension of EU trade mark practices to South East Asian IP offices

02/12/19

Area: South-East Asia **Location:** South-East Asia



The Workshop on the Extension of EU Trade Mark Practices to South East Asian (SEA) IP Offices is one of two activities organised by IP Key SEA in 2019 that focus on the EUIPO Convergence Programme. The workshop is expected to promote the extension of European Union Intellectual Property Network...

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Workshop and on-site training on IT tools for IP authorities: TMView, DesignView, and TMClass

02/12/19

Area: South-East Asia **Location:** South-East Asia



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The Enforcement of GIs brings EU and local experts to Mexico for a seminar

02/12/19

Area: Latin America **Location:** Mexico City, Mexico



IP Key LA, along with the Mexican Institute of Intellectual Property (IMPI), has organized a Seminar on the Enforcement of Geographical Indications in Mexico City, in order to approach the existing measures in the area and how those can be improved, as well as exchanging information on...

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ARISE+ IPR Upcoming Activities

Support to the maintenance and update of ASEAN TMview, ASEAN DesignView and IT training for officials from Cambodia and Lao PDR

03/12/19

Area: ARISE+ IPR **Location:** EUIPO premises (Alicante, Spain)



On 3-4 December 2019, ARISE+ IPR will organise two events in Alicante, Spain, at the premises of the European Union Intellectual Property Office (EUIPO).

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IPKey Projects Activities from 01/11/19 to 30/11/19

2019 EU-China conference on IPR protection online and innovation

21/11/19

Area: China **Location:** Haikou, Hainan



IP Key China and the China Anti-counterfeiting and Anti-counterfeiting Innovation Strategic Alliance (CAASA) co-hosted a two-day event in Haikou, China on 21 and 22 November 2019. This year's event built on the theme of online counterfeiting and piracy, which was the focus of the IP Key China-...

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Seminars for judges

19/11/19

Area: South-East Asia **Location:** Thailand, Indonesia



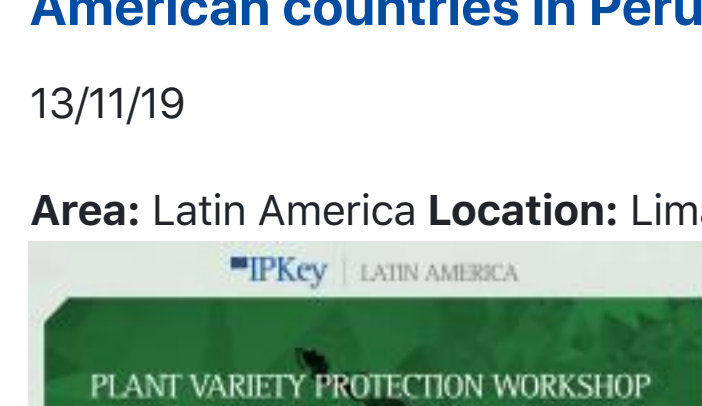
The roundtable discussion among SEA judges (Act. 20) will take place on 19-20 November (2019) in Bangkok, Thailand. The activity will seek to contribute to elevating the quality of IPR decisions rendered by SEA judges and promoting the expeditious resolution of IPR cases, by enhancing their...

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Plant Variety Protection Workshop gathers technical examiners from 13 Latin American countries in Peru

13/11/19

Area: Latin America **Location:** Lima, Peru



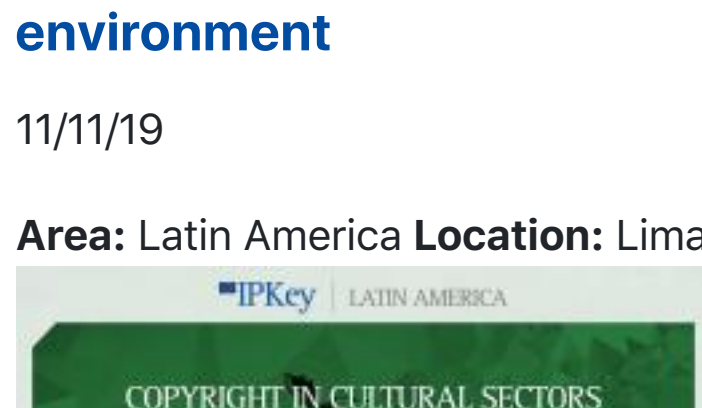
The aim of the Regional Workshop on Cooperation in Examination of Plant Variety Protection (PVP) Applications is to enhance cooperation among examination offices. To this end, technical examiners from Argentina, Brazil, Bolivia, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama,...

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IP Key LA addresses copyright in cultural sectors and the impact of its infringement in the digital environment

11/11/19

Area: Latin America **Location:** Lima, Peru



To raise awareness and knowledge on copyrights, IP Key LA has organized two events in Lima, Peru. These will provide a positive view of IPRs that highlights its potential to boost company revenues based on innovation and the construction of adequate and proper IP business strategies.

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IP Key LA addresses the impact of copyright infringement in the digital environment in Colombia

07/11/19

Area: Latin America **Location:** Bogotá, Colombia



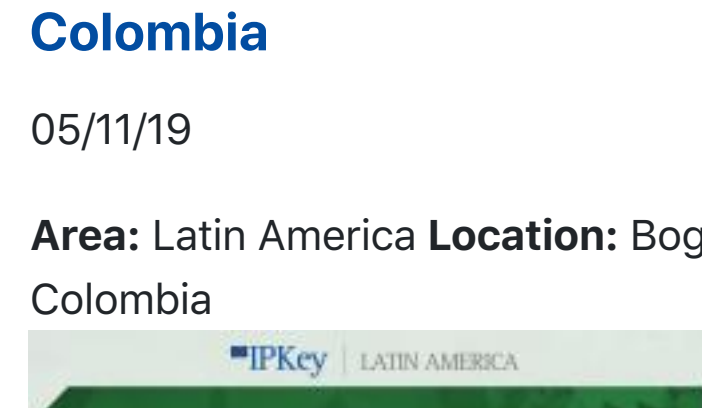
To raise awareness and learn about the EU judicial practice in the area of copyright infringement in the digital environment, IP Key LA has organized an activity in Bogotá, Colombia. The objective of the seminar is to exchange judicial and administrative experiences of the EU and Colombia...

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IP Key LA Hosts a Workshop on Trade Mark and Design Examination Practices in Colombia

05/11/19

Area: Latin America **Location:** Bogotá, Colombia



Trade mark and design examination practices are an important part of IP Key LA's work plans. In fact, they were the focus of four workshops held in Central America, the Andean region and Chile during 2018 and 2019. Offices throughout Latin America participated in these workshops to discuss best...

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