International Conference on European Copyright Law: Towards a European Copyright Code?

14-15 April, 2011

Workshop

The Cyprus reality copyright enforcement
1st day: April 14th, 2011

8h00-8h30: Registration.
8h30-9h00: Welcoming addresses.

1st session: The ways of European copyright harmonization
Chair: Konstantinos Combos, University of Cyprus

09h00: The legal foundations of European copyright harmonization:
       Theodoros Georgopoulos, University of Reims

09h20: The strategy of European legislator in field of copyright harmonization:
       Frank Gotzen, K.U. Brussels and K.U. Leuven

09h40: The ECJ policy and practice in the field of European copyright law:
       Dionysia Kallinikou, University of Athens

2nd session: The acquis of European copyright harmonization
Chair: Bernt Hugenholtz, University of Amsterdam, Director of IVIR (Institute for Information law)

10h00: The concept of work:
       Tatiana Synodinou, University of Cyprus / Aristotle University

10h20: Economic rights:
       Agnes Lucas Shloetter, Ludwig-Maximilians University of Munich

10h40: Discussion

11h10: Coffee break

11h30: Exceptions and limitations: Christophe Geiger, Director of the CEIPI (Centre d'Etudes Internationales de la Propriété Intellectuelle) - University of Strasbourg

11h50: Duration: Heiki Pisuke, University of Tartu, Council of the European Union

12h10: Enforcement of copyright: Pilar Camara, Universidad Autonoma de Madrid

12h30: Discussion

13h00: Lunch break
3rd session: The gaps of European copyright harmonization

Chair: Andre Lucas, University of Nantes

14h30: Authorship: Antoon Quaedvlieg, University of Nijmegen
14h50: Moral right: Ioannis Kikkis, Copyright law expert
15h10: Copyright contracts: Silke Von Lewinski, Max Planck Institute for Intellectual property, competition and tax law
15h30: Collective management: Michaly Ficsor, Former Assistant Director of the World Intellectual Property Organization in charge of copyright and related rights, President of the Hungarian Copyright Experts Council
15h50: Discussion

16h30: Coffee Break

16h50: The fight against illegal downloading: Valérie Laure Benabou, Université de Versailles Saint Quentin en Yvelines
17h10: Interoperability: Carine Bernault, University of Nantes
17h30: Private International law: Nikitas Hatzimihail, University of Cyprus
17h50: Discussion

18h15: End of the 1st day

2nd day: April 15th, 2011

4th session: The accomplishment of European copyright harmonization

Chair Victor Nabhan: President of ALAI

9h00: General introduction: Victor Nabhan
9h10: Copyright law and droit d'auteur (civil law) tradition: Alain Strowel, University Saint-Louis
9h30: The perspective of introduction of a European «fair use» clause: Paul Torremans, University of Nottingham
9h50: The European Copyright Code of the Wittem project: Bernt Hugenholtz, University of Amsterdam, Director of IVIR
10h10: Coffee Break

10h30: Round table on the topic of copyright codification in Europe (Reto Hilty, Director of Max - Planck Institute for Intellectual property, competition and tax law, University of Zurich, University of Munich/Andre Lucas, University of Nantes/ Jacques de Werra, University of Geneva)

11h30 - 12h15: Discussion

12h15 - 12h30: Break

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12h30 - 15h00: The Cyprus reality copyright enforcement

In cooperation with the Cyprus-American Business Association and U.S. Embassy Nicosia

12h30 - 12h45: Welcoming addresses

Welcoming address by U.S. Embassy Representative

Welcoming address by CyABA Representative

Chair: Achilleas Demetriades, Advocate

12h45-13h00: Eugene Danilov, Business Development Manager, Microsoft Central and Eastern Europe HQ

13h00-13h15: Representative of the artistic community

13h15-13h30: Daphne Trimikliniotis, President of EKATE

13h30-13h45: Representative of Cyprus Association of Librarians – Information Scientists

13h45- 14h00: Vicky Christoforou, Counsel of the Republic of Cyprus

14h00 -14h30: Discussion

End of the 2nd day – End of the conference