CEIPI INTERNSHIP WINTER-SPRING 2015
Legal Researcher in Human Rights and Intellectual Property

The CEIPI (Centre for International Intellectual Property Studies) is looking for a legal intern to advance the educational and research missions of the center.

The CEIPI, a department of the University of Strasbourg, educates specialists in intellectual property law by organizing various courses. With its 50 years of experience, excellent pedagogical tools, a body of instructors composed of professors, acknowledged legal practitioners from national, European and international backgrounds, the CEIPI is today recognized in all circles as one of the most important academic centres in Europe for education and research in intellectual property law.

The intern will work with Christophe Geiger (Director General and Director of the Research Department of the CEIPI) on a research project on Human Rights and Intellectual Property. The intern will research the case law with regard to fundamental rights implications of intellectual property. Excellent research and drafting skills are required.

Application: Interested applicants should submit the following in PDF format to Mr. Stéphane Thomas, stephane.thomas@ceipi.edu; please put the “CEIPI INTERNSHIP WINTER-SPRING 2015” in the title of the e-mail):
- Cover letter briefly explaining the reasons for applying and the preferred duration of the traineeship (3 to 5 months)
- CV
- Unedited writing sample in English

Qualifications:
- Degree: LL.M in intellectual property law, in European human rights law, or in other areas of business or international public law
- Languages: an excellent command of English (oral and written), a good command of French would be an asset
- Experience: prior professional experience would be appreciated (i.e., an internship in a legal field)
- Software: Word, Excel, Powerpoint

Main duties:
- Participating, under the direct supervision of director of the CEIPI, in the research project on Human Rights and Intellectual Property
- Other research activities particularly in the field of intellectual property (European and international research projects): document research, drafting of notes, legal translation, etc.
- Participating and supporting in the organization of the activities of the department (educational and research)

Conditions:
- Starting Date of the Traineeship: Position needed immediately
- Duration: from 3 to 5 months, full-time (please indicate in the cover letter the preferred duration of the traineeship)
- Site: CEIPI – Université de Strasbourg – 11, rue du Maréchal Juin – BP 68 – 67046 Strasbourg Cedex
- Remuneration: 13,75% of the legal hourly limit (about 479,66 euros net/month-full time)