## THE MARKET FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW

### INNOVATION IN LAW

### • Prompting Creativity and Innovation

- Law as an input
- New technologies, new economies
- New legal solutions

#### • Laboratory of the Nations

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- Legal experimentation
- Value of legal diversity

### LAW AS A PRODUCT

### • Provision of Public Goods

- Jurisdictional Competition
- Manufactured Resource
- Legal Expertise

#### • Smaller States

- Incorporation
- Registrations
- Finance

### THE MARKET FOR LAW

- Tiebout Migration
  - "Voting with the feet"
  - Competitive pressure
  - Market discipline
  - Racing to the top
- Virtual Exit
  - Telepresence
  - Information goods

### Spillovers

### • Externalities

- Externalized costs
- Race to the bottom
- Race to externalize
- Virtual Externalities
  - Telepresence
  - Opportunism
  - Information piracy

# CARTELS IN LAW

### • Harmonization

- Equalize cost imbalance
- Eliminates diversity
- Anti-competitive agreements
  - Suppress competition
  - Maintain dominant position
- TRIPS and Patent Sovereignty

# **THANK YOU**

**Questions Welcome**