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# Basic Training Course In European Patent Law

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Online

2<sup>nd</sup> Promotion

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The course will start on January 12<sup>th</sup> 2023 and be organized online **on Thursdays from 17:00 to 20:00** according to the detailed schedule next page.

The basic training provides future practitioners in the patent field with systematic and complete tuition on **the legal basis** as well as on **practice** in the area of European patent law. For many years now, **CEIPI** and **epi** have been jointly organizing a basic training in European patent law, principally aimed at future certified European Patent Attorneys.

The basic training is designed both to facilitate preparation for the European Qualifying Examination and to **accompany the practice of the profession**: future practitioners should commence the course as soon as possible after joining a patent firm or the patent department of a company. The list of topics allows to be admitted to most courses after the first year.

Usually, about 350 participants follow this course every year offered simultaneously in the following cities: Aachen, Antwerp, Basel, Barcelona, Berlin, Brussels, Bucharest, Budapest, Cologne, Copenhagen, Darmstadt, Dublin, Düsseldorf, Hanover, The Hague, Helsinki, Istanbul, Kraków, Lausanne, Lisbon, Ljubljana, London, Ludwigshafen, Lyon, Madrid, Manchester, Milan, Munich, Paris, Prague, Riga, Rome, Stockholm, Stuttgart, Ulm, Warsaw, Vienna, Vilnius, Zurich.

The **online basic training course in European patent law** which is organized on two consecutive years (with about 60 hours per year), is intended for **participants not having the possibility to attend an on-site course near their living or working place**.

CEIPI online course			2023
Basic training in European Patent Law			63 hours
Chapter	Subject	2nd year - Procedural law - Promotion Kurt Haertel Tutor	Date
<b>H</b>	<b>Procedure</b>		
H.1	General introduction to procedure before European Patent Office	Thierry Debled	<b>12/01/2023</b>
H.2	The European Patent Application		<b>19/01/2023</b>
H.3	Filing the application, accordance of a date of filing and formalities examination 6 hours	Cees Mulder	<b>09/02/2023</b>
H.4	Search, search opinion and search report	Ursula Kaufmann	<b>23/02/2023</b>
H.5	Publication of the patent application		
H.6	Designation of states, Request for examination and substantive examination	Marco Connor	<b>09/03/2023</b>
H.7	Amendments and correction of errors	Francis Leyder	<b>23/03/2023</b>
H.8	Decision to grant the European patent or to refuse the patent application	Francis Leyder	<b>13/04/2023</b>
H.9	Opposition, request for limitation or revocation 6 hours	Simone Giacobbe	<b>27/04/2023</b> <b>11/05/2023</b>
H.10	Appeal and petition for review	Roberto Menchaca	<b>25/05/2023</b>
H.11	Common provisions governing procedure	Roberto Menchaca	<b>08/06/2023</b>
H.12	Periods	Derk Visser	<b>15/06/2023</b>
H.13	Further processing and re-establishment of rights	Derk Visser	<b>29/06/2023</b>
H.14	Fees	Anabela Carvalho	<b>14/09/2023</b>
<b>I/J</b>	<b>Revocation and national rights</b>		
I	National revocation		
J.1	Relations European and national patents	Luis Ferreira	<b>21/09/2023</b>
J.2	Conversion to national application		
J.3	Territorial effect of application		
<b>K</b>	<b>Unitary patent regulations and other agreements</b>		
K.1	Special agreements		
K.2	Unitary patent regulations	Francis Leyder	<b>05/10/2023</b>
K.3	Aspects of US patent law		
<b>L</b>	<b>The patent Cooperation Treaty</b>		
L.1	Introduction PCT	Thierry Debled	<b>19/10/2023</b>
L.2	International application	Thierry Debled	<b>02/11/2023</b>
L.3	International search, supplementary international search, international publication and international preliminary examination	Oana Boncea	<b>23/11/2023</b>
L.4	National phase and Euro-PCT application 6 hours	Cees Mulder	<b>30/11/2023</b> <b>14/12/2023</b>