The Global Series.

Global Series sessions address topics of global significance at a senior level of discussion. The sessions explore the intersection of innovation and governance (both in intellectual property and in trade). To that end, the Series works closely with government representatives, adjudicators, corporate leaders, litigation leaders, academics, and others in a continuing focus on key topics. Many challenges are common to global systems. Topics are identified by those participating in the on-going dialogue and in the session venues and are coordinated by Global Series leadership.

Topics and Speaking Suggestions.

On-going and venue proffered topics currently under consideration for Global Series – Europe include:

- The Corporate Perspectives: Innovation, Quality, Enforceability
- Intellectual Property Adjudication – The View from the Bench
- Innovation, Quality, Enforceability -- Patenting
- Patent Litigation in the United States
- Patenting Strategies: The Counsel (Corporate and Private)
- Innovation and Trade Secrets: Judicial and Administrative Systems
- Trade, Economics, and IP: Europe, UK, and US
- Trade and Trade Agreements: Europe, UK, and US
- Adjudicatory Change: The Post-Brexit UPC/UPS Landscape
- Special Issues Concerning International Licensing of Intellectual Property, including Antitrust, Standard Essential Patents and International Exhaustion
- The Series’ “Most Challenging” Globally: Injunction and Damages
- Innovation Pro Bono

Sponsor only receptions and dinners frequently accompany the sessions. The sessions customarily include a blend of plenary exchanges of significance to the entire audience; focus discussions explore specific critical topics identified by the on-going Series’ communities through the agenda development process. In pursuit of the serious exchange of views envisioned in the Series, interactive discussions are encouraged.

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