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## EPLAW congress & general assembly

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### Programme

#### Venue

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**09.00 Welcome**

**09.30 EPLAW General Assembly and Annual Meeting**  
(documents will follow)

President's report  
Financial report  
Board and advisory board

**10.00 Update on the proposal for regulation on a unitary patent and the draft agreement on a unified court**

Patent Regulation and Unified Patent Court Agreement, Kevin Mooney  
Rules of procedure, Willem Hoyng  
Twelve Reasons for Concern - Observations of the Max Planck Institute for Intellectual Property and Competition Law, Dr. Matthias Lamping

**11:00 Coffee break**

**11:15 Reports from Venice**

How to run proceedings in a foreign language, Richard Ebbink  
The Role of Experts in Patent Litigation, Christian Gassauer-Fleissner  
Standards and Patent Law, Klaus Haft  
Mock Trial, Penny Gilbert

**12.00 Co-ownership of patents**

Jochen Bühling  
Nikolai Lindgreen

**13:00 Lunch**

**14.30 Patents and competition law**

Klaus Haft, moderator  
The hon. Mr Christopher Floyd  
Dr. Matthias Lamping, Senior Research Fellow of the Max Planck Institute for Intellectual Property and Competition Law  
Thomas Kramler, European Commission, DG Competition

**16.00 Coffee Break**

**16.15 SPCs**

Marjan Noor (moderator)  
Willem Hoyng  
Christine Kanz

**17:00 Closing**