



EPIP2021 PhD Workshop

8 September 2021 Madrid

The **European Policy for Intellectual Property association - EPIP** - an international, independent, interdisciplinary, non-profit association of researchers, announces its 16th Annual Conference in **Madrid, Spain, from 8 to 10 September 2021**, hosted by the **Institute of Public Goods and Policies of the Spanish National Research Council, CSIC-IPP, in Madrid, Spain**. The EPIP association supports PhD students in the field through reduced conference registration fees, **Young Scholars Awards** for the best full papers submitted by PhD students, and the organization of a **PhD workshop** preceding the conference, at **no extra cost for all registered students**. The EPIP2021 PhD Workshop will be held on **8 September 2021**. We aim to organize a **hybrid workshop**, in which speakers and attendees will participate both from the Madrid conference venue and online, as for the conference. If developments in the coming months will not allow such a hybrid format, the workshop will be fully online.



PhD workshop registration

Attending the EPIP PhD workshop is free of charge to PhD students. Support from USPTO is gratefully acknowledged. Registration will open **May 2021** at <https://epip2021.org/>.

Program

08:30-09:00	Registration
09:00	Welcome by the organisers: Laurie Ciaramella and Valerio Sterzi
09:05	Introductory words by Andrew Toole, USPTO Chief Economist
09:15	Part 1. Masterclass Session
10:45	Break
11:00	Part 2. Development Workshop
12:00	Part 3. Students' projects
13:30-14:30	Lunch

The EPIP PhD Workshop 2021 will be divided into three parts: it will encompass a masterclass session, a session during which the students will receive career advice and a session where they will present and receive feedback on their work. In the first part of the workshop students will be introduced to the latest research on **the economics and legal aspects of IP in a masterclass of theory and practice**. The second part will include a development workshop where a panel of legal and economic experienced scholars will discuss general career options for young scholars in the field of IP. The third part will provide selected students with the opportunity to discuss their previously-submitted work with senior scholars.

Submission process for Part 3. Students' projects

Students interested in presenting their research during the third part of the workshop should submit their projects by email to phdworkshop@epip2021.org before **1 June 2021** to have their work considered in the discussions. The announcement of selection for students' projects groups will be published on **15 June 2021**. Research projects in their early stages are particularly welcome.

Applications should include:

1. A short CV of the applicant.
2. A cover page with title and authors of the proposed paper or research proposal.
3. A one-page abstract containing:
 - a. A statement of research objectives.
 - b. A brief illustration of the research method and of the expected results.

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