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**March 20 - 22, 2012**  
**New Orleans**

## SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

### ***Tuesday, March 20***

#### Morning Session

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Registration and Breakfast
8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.	<b>Intellectual Property 101</b>
9:30 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.	<b>Dealing With Difficult Examiners: Getting to Allowance</b>
10:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	<b>Search Issues Under the AIA</b>
10:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.	Networking Break
10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	<b>Mergers &amp; Acquisitions /Licensing Panel Discussion</b>
11:45 a.m. - 12:15 a.m.	<b>Hot Topics in Import/Export law</b>
12:15 p.m.	Lunch

#### Afternoon Session

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Free Time
3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Tour of Mardi Gras World
6:00 p.m.	Group Dinner in the French Quarter

### ***Wednesday, March 21***

#### Morning Session

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast
8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	<b>The New Patent Law: The Good, The Bad &amp; The Ugly</b>
9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.	<b>The Meaning of "Disclosed"</b>
9:30 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.	<b>Test Driving New § 102: An Analysis of Priority Contests</b>

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10:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	Networking Break
10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	<b>Can You Cure Inequitable Conduct?</b>
11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	<b>Anatomy 2011: Dissecting 12 months of CAFC Jurisprudence</b>
12:00 noon	Lunch
<u>Afternoon Session</u>	
1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Jean Lafitte Swamp Tour
5:00 p.m.	Free Time & Dinner on Own

**Thursday, March 22**

Morning Session

8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Walking Tour of New Orleans Cemetery & French Quarter
12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Free Time & Lunch on Own

Afternoon Session

2:45 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.	<b>UPDATE: Hot Topics in Trademark Law</b>
3:15 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.	<b>Public Policy &amp; Patents</b>
4:15 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Networking Break
4:30 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.	<b>U.S. Post-Grant Practice vs. European Opposition</b>
5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Questions and Conclusion
6:00 p.m.	Closing Cocktail Reception