

**IDAHO STATE BAR
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW SECTION**

September 20, 2012

MINUTES:

In Attendance:

Lane Chitwood
Christopher Cuneo–Vice Chairperson for Southern Idaho
Angela Edwards (by phone)
Britt Ide
Vid Mohan-Ram
Timothy Murphy
Jeffrey Parry–Treasurer
Elizabeth Herbst Schierman–Chair
Martha Storie
Scott Swanson–Past Chair
John Zarian
Romney Hogaboam (by phone)
Steven Johnson (by phone)
Matt Montgomery (by phone)
Dana Herberholz
Stephen Nemec (by phone)–Vice Chairperson for Northern Idaho
Kelli Soll

Business:

1. Elected Section Officers

The slate of Section Officers for the 2012–2013 term was reported, as follows:

Chairperson – Elizabeth Schierman
Vice Chairperson for Southern Idaho – Christopher Cuneo
Vice Chairperson for Northern Idaho – Stephen Nemec
Vice Chairperson for Eastern Idaho – Erika Lessing
Secretary – Brittany Pfister
Treasurer – Jeff Parry

2. Section-sponsored issue of THE ADVOCATE

The IP Law Section's issue of THE ADVOCATE, the October 2012 Issue, will be coming out soon. We received only two articles for this issue.

Discussion was held as to whether the Section should sponsor another issue between June/July 2013 and March/April 2014. Interest in sponsoring an issue was expressed by John Zarian and Christopher Cuneo. Both Mr. Zarian and Mr. Cuneo, as well as Ms. Schierman, also expressed a willingness to author an article for such an issue.

The Chair will report the Section's desire to sponsor an issue to the bar.

3. Section financial report delivered by Section Treasurer, Jeff Parry. Section financials are in the black.
4. Scholarship update delivered by Scholarship Committee Chair, Dana Herberholz
Mr. Herberholz announced that four applications had been received and that the qualifications of the applicants this year was impressive. The Scholarship Committee conferred on September 17th, and selected one of the applicants as winner. The winner was approved by members of the Governing Council. The Section congratulates Allison Parker as this year's Scholarship Award winner.
Mr. Parry will phone Ms. Parker to report the Section's decision.
5. Other updates on old business or new business?
No other updates on old business or new business were offered or discussed.
6. Upcoming Section-sponsored CLE presentations
October 24, 2012 (8:30 a.m.–9:30 a.m.) – *Internet Law: Traps, Tips, and Trends* (Brad Frazer, Hawley Troxell)
7. Next meeting: November 15, 2012

CLE Presentation

Britt Ide – Ide Law & Strategy, PLLC, presented on the topic of:

Tips of the Trade: An In-House Counsel Perspective on Outside IP Counsel, IP Training of Business Clients, and IP Mediation