

Intellectual Property Law Section Agenda

Thursday, June 16, 2022

12:00 PM–1:30 PM

In-Person and Via Web Conference

- **ITEM FOR VOTE:**
 - Minutes from last meeting – review and approval
- **ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION**
 - ***Advocate Sponsorship***
 - We have been officially approved to sponsor the **September 2022** issue of *The Advocate*
 - We have plenty of volunteers—thank you to all our authors!
 - Timeline Reminder:
 - July 13, 2022 = deadline for article submissions
 - July 20, 2022 = Editorial Advisory Board meeting
 - August 1, 2022 = deadline for final revisions
 - ***Law Student Scholarship***
 - One-time award of \$1,500
 - Announcement of recipient(s).
 - ***Law Student Sponsorship***
 - The UI College of Law would like to send 20 students to the Distinguished Lawyer reception on Wednesday evening, July 20th (at the ISB annual meeting). The cost for the students to attend would be \$600.
 - Would the section would like to contribute to this effort?
- **ANNUAL MEETING SCHOLARSHIPS**
 - The Idaho State Bar, 4th and 6th District Bars, as well as the Idaho Women Lawyers are offering a limited number of scholarships to the 2022 Annual Meeting, July 20-22, at the Canyon Crest Event Center in Twin Falls.
 - The scholarships will include full registration, tickets to the social events and per diem up to \$75 per day for travel and lodging. The scholarships are designed to provide assistance to those attorneys who, due to financial or professional circumstances, would otherwise be unable to attend.

- To apply for scholarship, please fill out this [2022 Annual Meeting Scholarship Request Form](#). If you have any questions, please contact the ISB Commissioner who represents your judicial district or the ISB Program and Legal Education Director [Teresa Baker](#).
- The deadline is June 30th.
- **OFFICER ELECTIONS**
 - **Call for Nominations for** Chair, Southern Vice Chair, Northern Vice Chair, Eastern Vice Chair, Secretary, and Treasurer
 - Submit nominations—of self or others—by email to current Chair (mrharvey@hollandhart.com)
 - Ballots to be sent out by email ~August 4 (first Thursday in August)
 - Elected officers to be announced at next meeting (August 18) and take office next day (August 19)
- **UPCOMING CLE**
 - **August 18, 2022 – 12:30 to 1:00pm MT**
 - Presentation on the Adoption of USPTO Examination Statistics and Trends
 - Presenter: Ben Hoopes, patent counsel at HP
- Open call for Section meeting CLE speakers / topics – October and onward
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- **CLE**
 - **June 16, 2022 – 12:30 to 1:30pm MT**
 - Presentation on the **Unitary Patent System**—planned system for patents that cover many participating countries within Europe
 - Presenter: Andreas Vogel, partner at Bals & Vogel in Germany
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