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Details of the JPO/IPR Training Course on Managing IP

1. Duration:
June 29 – July 10, 2015
[Application Deadline: **May 22, 2015**]

2. Objectives:
To deepen one's knowledge about intellectual property in general, as well as to learn efficient and effective methods for managing IP at universities and other institutions, by hearing lectures and holding discussions on managing intellectual property, university-industry-government collaboration, and ways for universities and research institutes to transfer technology to the private sector.

3. Target Participants (applicants must meet all of the following requirements):
(1) Target participants should be nominated by the Intellectual Property Office in their countries.
(2) Target participants should be engaged in the field of IPR.
(3) Target participants should be university graduates and/or have equivalent professional experience.
(4) Target participants should be physically and mentally prepared to undergo an intensive training course.
(5) Target participants should not be students or armed forces personnel.
(6) Target participants should intend to continue working in the same field after completing the training course.
(7) Target participants should not have participated in the JPO/IPR training courses during FY 2014, in principle.
(8) Target participants should have adequate English language competence to attend lectures and discussions, as well as make reports. (Please refer to the Part 6 of the Application Form.)
(9) Target participants should have considerable knowledge of the IPR system, with more than three years of experience in the field of IPR.
(10) Target participants should be between 27 and 50 years of age.
(11) Target participants must be professionals working in one of the following positions:
    1) Employees at universities or research institutions involved in Intellectual Property management/utilization, such as the promotion of university-industry-government collaboration and technology transfer; OR
    2) Persons at ministries, government offices in charge of developing technology, and other related organizations, who are engaged in advising and supporting IP management/utilization such as promoting university-industry-government collaborations and technology transfers.

4. Language:

Lectures, study visits and discussions will be carried out in English, or in Japanese with translation into English. Course documents and training materials will be prepared in English.

5. Training Schedule (tentative):

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		HIDA	APIC
AM		9:30-12:30	10:00-13:00
PM		13:30-16:30	14:00-17:00

Date (Day)	Time	Subject	Location
June 29 (Mon.)	AM	Orientation	HIDA
	PM	Corporate Intellectual Management (Overview)	
June 30 (Tue.)	AM	The Current Status and Future Direction of Japanese Industrial Property Administration	APIC
	PM	Observation Tour of the Japan Patent Office (JPO)	JPO
July 1 (Wed.)	All Day	Pre-training Report Presentation	APIC
July 2 (Thu.)	All Day	Intellectual Property Management (1) Prior-art Searches (Search Exercises)	APIC
July 3 (Fri.)	AM	Intellectual Property Management (2) Searching and Brushing-up Inventions	APIC
	PM	Intellectual Property Management (3) Becoming a good judge of inventions (exercise)	
July 4 (Sat.)		Day Off	
July 5 (Sun.)		Day Off	
July 6 (Mon.)	AM	Intellectual Property Management (4) Patent Application Management	APIC
	PM	Intellectual Property Management (5) Industry-Government-Academia Collaboration	
July 7 (Tue.)	AM	Intellectual Property Management (6) Licensing	APIC
	PM	Intellectual Property Management (7) Assessment of IP Asset Values	
July 8 (Wed.)	All Day	Current Status of Intellectual Property Management at the University (Visit)	University
July 9 (Thu.)	AM	Intellectual Property Management (8) Starting Venture Businesses in Universities / Utilization of IP	APIC
	PM	Intellectual Property Management (9) Exchange of Opinions with Private Enterprises	
July 10 (Fri.)	AM	Overall Discussion	APIC
	PM	Evaluation Meeting / Closing Ceremony	