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Call for Papers

It is a pleasure to inform you that the

“3rd International Research Forum on Law and ICT/IP”

will take place

from **20th to 21st of November 2014**

at Georg-August-Universität in Göttingen, Germany

- **Concept**

While the ECJ is increasingly implementing and creating harmonized legal rules in ICT law as well as in Intellectual Property Law, the legal science is still very much rooted in national discussions. There is an urgent need to create a European jurisprudence and young researchers are the ones who would best be able to carry this through.

The idea of the colloquium is to give young researchers in the field of intellectual property law as well as ICT law the opportunity to present the results of their scientific work and research to other young researchers as well as senior researchers in the field in order to discuss their topics and obtain valuable feedback for their further research work..

To this end, the presentations by young researchers will be supplemented by statements from senior academics and practitioners with long and deep experience in the field of ICT and IP Law who will comment on the papers presented and give hints

and value adding insights from their perspective. This will provide valuable feedback for the speakers as well as enrich the discussion following the presentations. Practitioners and academics will get the chance to inform themselves about ongoing research projects and to meet young researchers from all over Europe.

This format has been practiced with great success in the past two years. Speakers and participants had a truly academic and intense discussion on the topics presented.

One of the objectives of the “Göttingen International Research Forum on Law and ICT/IP” is to support European-wide collaboration between young researchers as well as with academics and practitioners, thereby creating a platform where recent issues in the field of ICT/IP law can be presented and solutions be discussed. The topics can focus recent issues of the field as well as methodological problems the legal science faces when trying to deal with these issues.

- **How can you participate?**

PhD students, postdoctoral students and junior academics from all over Europe are invited to participate as speakers. We are able to provide free accommodation and a contribution to your travelling costs. In order to participate please send a short abstract, naming the topic of the speech and giving essential information (1 – 2 pages) about the main issues to be presented. Please send an e-mail to

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until:

August 15, 2014

The Programme Committee will decide until August 25th, 2013 which topic will be chosen to be presented on the “Göttingen International Research Forum on Law and ICT/IP”.

The topics and names of the speakers will be published on the homepage of the “Göttingen International Research Forum on Law and ICT/IP”.

The speakers will be asked to send their complete papers to the e-mail address above until

September 30th, 2014

We plan to submit the papers for publication in a special edition of the peer-reviewed online journal JIPITEC (www.jipitec.eu).

Further Information will be provided at <http://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/355193.html>

Please take on this special opportunity for promotion of research projects as well as academic exchange on a European level.

We are looking forward to your active participation!

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