



WIPO-U.S. Summer School on Intellectual Property

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The **WIPO-U.S. Summer School on Intellectual Property** is a two-week course that offers a **practical overview of IP law in the United States** and attracts students and young attorneys, industry professionals, and government officials from around the world.

The Summer School is co-organized by the **World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)**, the United Nations agency focused on IP law in international markets, and **IPPI: The IP Policy Institute** at The University of Akron School of Law, a Washington, D.C.-area based organization and WIPO's exclusive U.S. partner for the Summer School program.

Through a series of **lectures, case studies, simulation exercises, and group discussions**, this course is designed to cover all key areas of U.S. IP law (**patents, trademarks, copyrights, and trade secrets**) and their real-world applications. Participants will learn from guest instructors who work at **top law schools, international organizations, the U.S. government, leading law firms, and major companies**, as well as from current or former top officials at the **U.S. Patent Office, the U.S. Copyright Office, and WIPO**.

A **certificate of completion** is awarded to those who meet the program's participation requirements. **U.S. law students can also receive academic credit.**

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Monday, May 11



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