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The AIPLA Electronic & Computer Law Committee
invite you to attend

Partnering in Patents XV

An Open Dialogue Between the USPTO and the Bar

12:00 – 4:00 pm
Wednesday, October 22, 2008

topics of discussion (subject to change)

- Introduction and Welcome
 - Jack Harvey
USPTO, Alexandria, VA
 - John Doll
USPTO, Alexandria, VA
- 35 USC 101: How Recent Decisions Relating to 101 Have Affected Patent Examining Procedures
 - John Love
USPTO, Alexandria, VA
 - Douglas Pearson
Jones Day, Washington, DC
- Day in the Life of a Patent Examiner & Patent Prosecution Attorney
 - Michelle Leveque
Leveque IP, Frederick, MD
 - Tonia Dollinger
USPTO, Alexandria, VA
- Legal Reasoning: Discussion on How to Use the IRAC System Taught in Law Schools in Articulating Cogent Legal Reasoning in Office Actions
 - TBD
- Pet Peeves
 - Jacques Etkowicz
RatnerPrestia, Valley Forge, PA
 - Robert Kim
USPTO, Alexandria, VA
 - Nathan Flynn
USPTO, Alexandria, VA
 - Peter Zacharias
RatnerPrestia, Valley Forge, PA

Madison Auditorium
USPTO
600 Dulany Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

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