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### **6<sup>th</sup> ASEAN IP Register Regional Coordinators Meeting**

organized by  
the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)

in cooperation with  
the Department of Intellectual Property, Ministry of Industry and Commerce, Lao PDR

with the assistance of  
the Japan Patent Office (JPO)

**Luang Prabang, Lao PDR  
December 16 to 20, 2024**

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

*prepared by the International Bureau of WIPO*

Monday, December 16, 2024

08.30 – 09.00 **Registration**

09.00 – 09.30 **Opening Remarks by:**

Mr. Saybandith SAYAVONGKHAMDY, Deputy Director General, Department of Intellectual Property, Ministry of Industry and Commerce, Lao PDR

Dr. Juneho JANG, Senior Regional Manager, IP Office Business Solutions Division, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)

Mr. Bakhtiar BANDIAL, Senior Officer, ASEAN Secretariat, Jakarta

Mr. Jumpei KUJI, Deputy Director, Patent Information Policy Planning Office, Japan Patent Office

09.30 Group Photo Taking

09.30 – 09.45 **Topic 1: Objectives of the Meeting and Key Considerations**

Speaker: Dr. Juneho Jang, WIPO

09.45 – 10.15 **Topic 2: Review of Previous Meeting Outcomes and Progress Updates**

Speaker: Mr. Bakhtiar BANDIAL, ASEAN Secretariat

10.15 – 10.30 Coffee break

10.30 – 11.00 **Topic 3: Japan Patent Office (JPO) Data Exchange Status with ASEAN IP Offices**

Speaker: Mr. Jumpei KUJI, JPO

11.00 – 11.30 **Topic 4: ASEAN IP Portal – Status Update**

Speaker: Representative of the Intellectual Property Office of Singapore (IPOS)

11.30 – 12.00 **Topic 5: ASEAN IP Register – Status Update**

Speaker: Mr. Kyaw Zaw, Senior Project Manager  
IP Office Business Solutions Division, WIPO

12.00 – 14.00 Lunch break

- 14.00 – 14.30 **Topic 6:** **Bridging the Digital Divide: Empowering IP Offices at Developing Countries through Accessible IP Digital Tools**
- Speaker: Mr. William Meredith, Director  
IP Office Business Solutions Division, WIPO  
(via Zoom)
- 14.30 – 15.00 Coffee break
- 15.00 – 15.40 **Topic 7:** **IP Strategy and Advisory for SMEs: Insights from IPAC DIP Thailand**
- Speakers: Mr. Porsche Jarumon, Head of IP Knowledge Unit /  
Head of IP Advisory Center, Department of  
Intellectual Property, Ministry of Commerce,  
Thailand
- 15.40 – 16.30 **Topic 8:** **Strengthening IP Protection through Expert Opinions: Insights from VIPRI Vietnam**
- Speakers: Mr. Ngyuen Huu Can, Acting Director General,  
Vietnam Intellectual Property Research Institute,  
Ministry of Science and Technology, Vietnam.

Tuesday, December 17, 2024

- 09.00 – 10.00 **Topic 9:** **ASEAN IP Register - Data Quality: Business Requirements, Challenges, and Priorities**
- Speaker: Mr. Daniel Cheng, Head, Development Section,  
IPOBSD, WIPO
- 10.00 – 10.30 Coffee break
- 10.30 – 11.30 **Topic 10:** **ASEAN Patent Data Quality Manual**
- Speaker: Representative from IPO Philippines
- 11.30 – 12.00 **TCE Database of Lao PDR**
- Speaker: Ms. Tara Gujadhur, Co-Director, Traditional Arts and  
Ethnology Centre, Lao PDR
- 12.00 – 14.00 Lunch break
- 14.00 – 15.00 **Topic 11:** **ASEAN IP Offices Patent Specification Digitization and Publication Status**
- Speakers: Representatives from ASEAN IP Offices
- 15.00 – 15.30 Coffee break

- 15.30 – 16.00 **Roundtable Discussion:** **Enhancing Patent Data Publication and Digitization: Strategies for Quality at the Source**  
Moderator: Dr. Juneho Jang, WIPO
- 16.00 – 17.00 **Topic 12:** **ASEAN IP Register – IP Portfolios Management Service and Business Intelligence: Latest Developments and Future Directions**  
Speaker: Mr. Daniel Cheng, WIPO

Wednesday, December 18, 2024

- 09.00 – 10.00 **Topic 13:** **Unlocking Commercial Potential: Industry Perspectives on ASEAN IP Data Value and Service Offerings**  
Speakers:  
- Representative from Clarivate  
- Mr. Xin HOU, Head, Partnerships and Government Relations, Patsnap, Singapore
- 10.00 – 10.30 Coffee break
- 10.30 – 11.00 **Topic 13:** **Unlocking Commercial Potential: Industry Perspectives on ASEAN IP Data Value and Service Offerings (continued)**  
Speakers:  
- Ms. Amandine KANDI-MASAKIDI, Data Product Manager, Questel, Virginia
- 14.00 – 15.00 **Topic 15:** **Promotion of ASEAN IP Register Services**  
Speaker: Ms. Thitapha Wattanapruttipaisan, Director, WIPO Singapore Office, WIPO
- 12.00 – 14.00 Lunch break
- 11.00 – 12.00 **Topic 14:** **ASEAN IP Register – Data Sharing Platform Service and GI Database: Latest Developments and Future Directions**  
Speaker: Mr. Daniel Cheng, WIPO
- 15.00 – 15.30 Coffee break
- 15.30 – 17.00 **Roundtable Discussion:** **Future Directions for ASEAN IP Register: Priorities, Guidelines, and Action Plans**  
Moderator: Representative of the ASEAN Secretariat  
Speaker: Dr. Juneho Jang, WIPO

Thursday, December 19, 2024

9.00 – 10.00    **Topic 16:**    **Improvements in WIPO IP Office Suite for Enhance Data Sharing**

Speaker:    Mr. Daniel Cheng, WIPO

10.00 – 10.30    Coffee break

10.30 – 12.00    **Topic 16:**    **Improvements in WIPO IP Office Suite for Enhance Data Sharing (continued)**

12.00 – 14.00    Lunch break

14.00 – 15.00    **Topic 16:**    **Improvements in WIPO IP Office Suite for Enhance Data Sharing (continued)**

15.00 – 15.30    Coffee break

15.30 – 17.00    **Topic 16:**    **Improvements in WIPO IP Office Suite for Enhance Data Sharing (continued)**

Friday, December 20, 2024

Morning        **Working Sessions:**    **ASEAN IP Register Data and Advanced Data Services**

12.00 – 14.00    Lunch break

Afternoon      **Continue:**    **Working Sessions of ASEAN IP Register Data and Advanced Data Services**

17.30 – 19.00    WIPO Reception

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