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THE LAW AND ECONOMICS OF PATENT SYSTEMS

**A Conference of the Hoover Institution Working Group on
Intellectual Property, Innovation, and Prosperity**

Thursday–Friday, January 12–13, 2017

AGENDA

NOTE: Attendance is by invitation only

THURSDAY, January 12

Annenberg Conference Room (Room 105)

Lou Henry Hoover Building, Stanford University

8:30 A.M. Breakfast Buffet

9:00 A.M. Welcome and Introduction: **Stephen Haber**

9:15 A.M. “Technology Entry in the Presence of Patent Thickets” by Georg von Graevenitz,
Bronwyn Hall, and Christian Helmers

Presenter: **Bronwyn Hall**

Discussant: **Alexander Galetovic**

Moderator: **Bo Heiden**

Link: <http://hooverip2.org/working-paper/wp17001/>

10:30 A.M. Break

- 10:45 A.M. “The Inverse Cournot Effect in Royalty Negotiations with Complementary Patents” by Gerard Llobet and Jorge Padilla
Presenter: **Jorge Padilla**
Discussant: **Trevor Soames**
Moderator: **Damon Matteo**
Link: <http://hooverip2.org/working-paper/wp16012/>
- 12:00 NOON Lunch
Room 115, Lou Henry Hoover Building
- 1:00 P.M. “Studying the Impact of eBay on Injunctive Relief in Patent Cases” by Kirti Gupta and Jay Kesan
Presenters: **Kirti Gupta and Jay Kesan**
Discussant: **Christian Helmers**
Moderator: **Henry Smith**
Link: <http://hooverip2.org/working-paper/wp17004/>
- 2:15 P.M. “Issues Preceding CCI Investigation of Abuse of Dominance in SEP Cases: Its Relevance at the Stage of Investigation Against SEP Holders” by Indranath Gupta and Vishwas Hebbidrumetlu Devaiah
Presenters: **Indranath Gupta and Vishwas Hebbidrumetlu Devaiah**
Discussant: **Richard Sousa**
Moderator: **Naomi Lamoreaux**
Link: <http://hooverip2.org/working-paper/wp17002/>
- 3:30 P.M. Break
- 3:45 P.M. “The Basic Structure of Intellectual Property Law” by Richard Epstein
Presenter: **Richard Epstein**
Discussant: **John Golden**
Moderator: **Kayvan Noroozi**
Link: <http://hooverip2.org/working-paper/wp16013/>
- 5:00 P.M. Daytime sessions close

FRIDAY, January 13

Annenberg Conference Room (Room 105), Lou Henry Hoover Building

8:30 A.M. Breakfast Buffet

9:00 A.M. “Patent Trolls or Patent Elves: Evidence from Publicly-Traded Patent Assertion Entities” by Stephen Haber and Noel Maurer

Presenters: **Stephen Haber and Noel Maurer**

Discussant: **William Summerhill**

Moderator: **Rod Cooper**

Link: <http://hooverip2.org/working-paper/wp17003/>

10:15 A.M. Break

10:30 A.M. “Who Feeds the Trolls: Patent Trolls and the Patent Examination Process” by Josh Feng and Xavier Jaravel

Presenter: **Josh Feng**

Discussant: **Ross Levine**

Moderator: **Richard Sousa**

Link: <http://hooverip2.org/working-paper/wp16014/>

11:45 A.M. Adjourn (light lunch available)

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