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## INVITATION 5<sup>th</sup> CEIPI/HCPA EUROPEAN PATENT LAW BASIC COURSE 2011/2012 in Budapest, Hungary

**CEIPI** and the **Hungarian Chamber of Patent Attorneys** (HCPA) are jointly organizing the EUROPEAN PATENT LAW BASIC COURSE, whose first academic year will start on 20th October 2011 in Budapest.

The Basic Course provides present and future IP practitioners with systematic and complete tuition on legal basis as well as on practice in the area of the European Patent Law.

GOALS: This Basic Course is designed both to facilitate preparation for the European Qualifying Examination and to supplement the EP practice. It can be proposed for practising patent attorneys, patent attorney candidates, lawyers, attorneys at law and other professionals interested in this field. Once this Basic Course is completed, the candidates are expected to perfect their knowledge and to prepare for the European Qualifying Examination on an autonomous basis.

HOW THE BASIC COURSE WORKS: The Basic Course makes demands on the sense of initiative of the participants, who are led and actively supported by "tutors". The tutors are experienced European patent law practitioners, who prepare ten sessions during a year with the participants, of about six hours each, during which the topics previously studied by the participants are discussed; questions are also answered and advices for the following parts of the Basic Course are given. The success of the "tutorial" depends on the active co-operation of the candidates, through their own contributions and studies of the case law.

TERMS OF ENROLMENT AND PAYMENT: Please use the enclosed enrolment form and send it via e-mail. Deadline for enrolment: **30<sup>th</sup> September 2011**. Applied participants will get all necessary information regarding the payment until 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2011. Deadline for payment: **14<sup>th</sup> October 2011**.

Fee: 1450 Euro per academic year

(fees approved by the Board of Trustees of Université de Strasbourg)

Duration: 2 years
Participants: min. 8 people
Language: English

Course start: **October 20, 2011, 13:00 p. m.** 

Course location: H-1054, Budapest, Kálmán Imre street 14. (HCPA)

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The managing Tutors are assisted by well prepared national and international Tutors in EP patent law.

Application forms are to be sent to the coordinator. For further information please contact the coordinator.

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