



The Intellectual Property Society of Australia and New Zealand

IP & Genetic Resources

Doug Calhoun is a vastly experienced registered patent attorney and solicitor who advised clients and informed Government on the Intellectual Property/Genetic Resources interface.

Doug will discuss the recent challenges to the common assumption by IP practitioners that traditional knowledge and genetic resources are merely a background to the function of the patent system. Doug will outline the various threads of international and New Zealand responses to these challenges. This talk will help to frame the longstanding Wai 262 claim (the report should soon be published) in an international context.

WELLINGTON MEETING: Date: Tuesday, 7 October 2008
Time: 5.30 pm
Venue: A J Park, Level 6, Huddart Parker Building, Post Office Square
Cost: \$20 members, \$25 non members

AUCKLAND MEETING: Date: Wednesday, 8 October 2008
Time: 5.30 pm
Venue: Bell Gully, Level 22, 48 Shortland Street
Cost: \$20 members, \$25 non members

WELLINGTON: RSVP by Monday 6 October 2008

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