



# 25<sup>th</sup> Annual IPSANZ Conference

2 - 4 September 2011



This year's programme brings you the highest calibre speakers with sessions covering key issues whilst enjoying a rewarding weekend at the Shangri-La Hotel, Sydney, Australia situated amongst the historic Rocks area with views of the world-famous Opera House & Harbour Bridge



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Dear Colleague

## IPSANZ 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference

On behalf of IPSANZ I would like to invite you to the 25<sup>th</sup> IPSANZ Annual Conference to be held in Sydney over the weekend of 2 – 4 September 2011.

The conference venue is the Shangri-La Hotel, located in Sydney and situated in the historic Rocks area. The hotel offers genuine 5 star accommodation and is renowned for its *Shangri-La* hospitality.

This year we are again privileged to have a number of high calibre speakers, covering many aspects of intellectual property law. We are particularly pleased that Judge Alex Kozinski, Chief Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit has agreed to be our keynote speaker. His Honour has delivered a number of landmark IP and other judgments in the US and is a renowned essayist and judicial commentator.

This year we have also introduced a Table Topic session. It will run on Friday between 3-5pm, prior to the opening of the Conference. 10 current topics will be discussed at separate tables. Each table will have an experienced facilitator who will introduce the topic, allowing practitioners to participate in a lively, and hopefully informative, round table discussion. Further details of the Table Topic session are contained in the Registration and Information flyer, and details of the topics contained in the Programme.

The Table Topic session will be followed by our traditional Friday evening Welcome Cocktail Function which will be held in the **Blu Bar on 36<sup>th</sup>**.

This year, as in the past, the committee has put together a highly engaging programme. We are confident that this year's conference, like its predecessors will be challenging, informative and enjoyable.

I really hope you will be able to join us.

The Conference Programme and registration papers are enclosed.

Kind regards

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