



33rd IPSANZ Annual Conference

6 – 8 September 2019



21 June 2019

Dear Colleagues

33rd IPSANZ Annual Conference

You are warmly invited to the 33rd IPSANZ Annual Conference to be held in Noosa, Queensland over the weekend of **6 – 8 September 2019**.

The Conference venue is the Sofitel Noosa Pacific Resort, located 30 minutes from Maroochydore airport.

This year's program features many highly accomplished speakers, including:

- the Honourable Justice Stephen Burley of the Federal Court of Australia;
- the Honourable Judge Julia Baird of the Federal Circuit Court of Australia;
- Stephen Jones, IP Consultant and Lecturer, London; and
- Professor Dan Hunter, Swinburne University of Technology.

There will be two social events at the conference. On the Friday evening, there will be welcome drinks from 6pm – 8pm and on the Saturday evening there will be the President's Dinner.

The Conference Program and registration papers are attached. I am confident that, as with past IPSANZ conferences, this year's Conference will be challenging, informative and enjoyable.

I look forward to seeing you in Noosa. Of course, should you have any queries, please get in touch with us.

Kind regards

Luke Merrick
IPSANZ President



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Conference Program

Friday, 6 September 2019

2:30 - 6:30pm

Early Registration

4:00 - 5:00pm

Pre-conference Session

An update on the IP jurisdiction of the Federal Circuit Court of Australia

The Hon. Judge Julia Baird, Federal Circuit Court, Sydney

Susan O'Connor, National Judicial Registrar of the Federal Circuit Court, Sydney

Chairperson: **Caroline Ryan**, Special Counsel, King & Wood Mallesons, Melbourne

6:00 - 8:00pm

Welcome Drinks

Saturday, 7 September 2019

8:30 - 9:00am

Registration

9:00 - 10:15am

Session 1

International Session

Insights into the world after Brexit and the implications for Intellectual Property

Stephen Jones, Immediate Past President of the Chartered Institute of Patent Attorneys (UK), IP Consultant and Lecturer, London

Chairperson: Gillian Woon, Special Counsel, Baker McKenzie, Sydney

10:15 - 10:45am

Morning Tea

10:45 – 12:15pm

Session 2

Trade Marks Session

Current issues in trade marks – a practical approach

Survey evidence: wasted opportunity or waste of time?

Ed Heerey QC, Barrister, Nigel Bowen Chambers, Sydney

Trade mark ownership and control

Kellie Stonier, Principal, Griffith Hack, Brisbane

Same same but different: key differences between New Zealand and Australian trade mark practice

Sheana Wheeldon, Barrister, Quay Chambers, Auckland

Chairperson: Nadia Braad, Senior Associate, MinterEllison, Brisbane

12:15 - 1:30pm

Lunch

1:30 - 3:00pm

Session 3

Copyright Session

Political sound bites: Eminem Esque developments in copyright infringement of musical works

Richard Lancaster SC, Barrister, 5 St James Hall, Sydney

Garry Williams, Barrister, Richmond Chambers, Auckland

Jan Hellriegel, Songwriter, Music Publisher and Licensing Expert, Auckland

Chairperson: **Cate Nagy**, Partner, King & Wood Mallesons, Sydney

3:00 - 3:30pm

Afternoon Tea

3:30 - 4:45pm

Session 4

Patent Session

Manner of Manufacture – Does Myriad Encompass the space between a ROKT and a hard place

David Shavin QC, Barrister, Victorian Bar

Alexia Mayer, Senior Associate, James & Wells, Christchurch

Chairperson: **Natalie Shoolman**, Special Counsel, Clayton Utz, Sydney

5:00pm

Annual General Meeting

6:45pm

President's Dinner

After Dinner Speaker: **Danny Katz**

Sunday, 8 September 2019

9:30 – 10:30am

Session 5

Judge's Session

The myth and the monopoly: what does the claim define?

The Hon. Justice Stephen Burley, Federal Court of Australia, Sydney

Chairperson: Helen Rofe QC, Barrister, Victorian Bar

10:30–11:00am

Morning Tea

11:00–12:30pm

Session 6

"AI and IP"

IP rights in the age of robots

Frances Drummond, Partner, Norton Rose Fulbright, Sydney

Professor Dan Hunter, Swinburne University of Technology, Melbourne

Dilan Thampapillai, Senior Lecturer, Australian National University, Canberra

Chairperson: Victoria Bell, Special Counsel, Baker McKenzie, Sydney

12:30 – 2:00pm

Lunch and Close



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Registration & Accommodation Information

The registration fees (including the early-bird discounts available before **19 July 2019**) are set out below.

	Early-bird*	Full
Junior IPSANZ Member	A\$ 1,210.00	A\$ 1,430.00
Senior IPSANZ Member	A\$ 1,320.00	A\$ 1,540.00
Non-member	A\$ 1,650.00	A\$ 1,705.00
Accompanying Person	A\$ 495.00	A\$ 495.00

All of the above fees are quoted in Australian Dollars and are inclusive of 10% GST.

*In order for early bird registration rates to apply, payment must be received by **19 July 2019**.

Junior IPSANZ Members are graduates, employed solicitors, sole practitioners, technical assistants, employed patent and trade mark attorneys, bar readers, corporate in-house counsel, junior barristers and academics.

Senior IPSANZ Members are partners or principals of law firms and attorney firms, Queen's Counsel and Senior Counsel.

Registration includes

For Delegates:

- Technical sessions
- Conference materials
- Welcome Drinks (Friday)
- President's Dinner (Saturday)
- Lunch, morning and afternoon tea (Saturday and Sunday)

Conference materials are provided to delegates electronically.

For Accompanying Persons:

- Welcome Drinks
- President's Dinner
- Lunch on Sunday

Accommodation and Breakfast

Sofitel Noosa Pacific Resort

14 – 16 Hastings Street (main entry via Noosa Parade)

Noosa Heads, Queensland, Australia, 4567

<https://www.sofitelnoosapacificresort.com.au/>

Sofitel Noosa Pacific Resort is located on Hastings Street, Noosa.

Superior Room rate, per room, per night, for single, double or twin occupancy of up to 2 guests is A\$399.00 (inclusive of GST).

All Superior Rooms contain one king size bed or 2 double beds and can accommodate a maximum of 3 Adults or 2 Adults and 2 Children (11 years of age or under). A A\$55.00 surcharge will be incurred for a 3rd Adult Charge. There is also an additional surcharge of A\$55.00 for a rollaway bed / Sofa Bed (adult or child) (upon request and subject to availability) with a maximum of one rollaway/sofa per room. Interconnecting rooms for families can be arranged however these would attract a standard tariff on each room and are subject to Resort availability at the time of booking.

The agreed accommodation rate at the Resort may be available three days pre and post Conference. Availability is limited and will be subject to the Resort's availability.

A pre-authorisation of A\$100.00 per night will be required upon check-in. Full settlement of guest room account is required on check out.

Note: A limited number of rooms are allocated to IPSANZ and accommodation at the Resort cannot be guaranteed after these rooms have been allocated.

Check-in time is 3:00pm and check-out time is 12:00pm.

A hot buffet breakfast is served at the Resort in Peter Kuruvita's Noosa Beach House, from 6:30am to 10:30am. IPSANZ delegates are offered a discounted rate of A\$25.00 per person daily (reduced from A\$39.00).

Parking is available at the hotel. Self-parking is A\$25 per vehicle per night and Valet parking is A\$35.00 per vehicle, per night.

Transport to Sofitel Noosa Pacific Resort

Noosa is 125km from Brisbane airport and 35km from Sunshine Coast (Maroochydore) airport.

Should you require airport transfers, please complete and return the enclosed form with your registration form.

Delegates will be advised of times and meeting points prior to the Conference.

Maroochydore airport/Sofitel A\$35 each way. Transit time is between **30-45 minutes**.

Brisbane airport/Sofitel A\$80 each way. Transit time is approximately **1.5 to 2 hours**.

Payment

Payment should be made in Australian dollars by cheque or bank draft payable to IPSANZ or by Visa or MasterCard.

Cancellations/Refunds

Where cancellation advice is received in writing no later than 19 July 2019, a full refund of the registration fee and accommodation fees will be made. No refunds will be made after 19 July 2019. Registrations can be transferred to a substitute delegate at no additional cost, provided the Secretariat is advised in writing in advance.

Climate and Dress

The weather on the Sunshine Coast during September can range from 10°C to a maximum of 23°C during the day, with cool evenings.

Dress code is smart casual.

CPD / CPE/ MCPD Accreditation

CPD/CPE points can be claimed for attending technical sessions.

If you are the holder of a New South Wales, Queensland, South Australian, Victorian or New Zealand Practising Certificate, you may be eligible to claim one MCPD/CPD point for each hour of attendance at technical sessions.

Registered patent and/or trade marks attorneys may claim CPE hours for attendance at technical sessions.

For members with Western Australian Practising Certificates, you may be able to claim a maximum of 6 CPD points in Competency Area 4 – Substantive Law. This is subject to approval sought from the Western Australian Legal Practice Board - for further details please contact the Secretariat.

Disclaimer

IPSANZ reserves the right to cancel, vary or amend any part of the Conference program if circumstances arise which, in the reasonable opinion of IPSANZ' office holders, require such a change. Neither IPSANZ nor any of its office bearers or members shall be liable for any loss, liability, damage or expense suffered or incurred by any person.

While all care is taken to ensure the safety of delegates, neither IPSANZ, nor any of its office bearers or members accepts liability for any loss or damage of any kind which may be incurred by Conference participants or any accompanying person. It is recommended that delegates (and any accompanying persons) obtain their own travel insurance.

Disclosure of Registration Information

If you do not wish for your details to be published in the delegate list, please tick the appropriate box on the registration form.

All enquiries and bookings should be directed to

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Registration & Accommodation Form

Delegate

First name _____ Surname: _____

Title (please circle) Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss/Dr/Prof Preferred name to appear on name badge: _____

Company or Firm: _____

Address: _____

City/Town: _____ State: _____ Postcode: _____ Country: _____

T: () _____ Mobile: _____ Email: _____

Are you a member of IPSANZ? (Please tick) **YES / NO** Membership form available: <http://www.ipsanz.com.au/members/membership-benefits/>

Please indicate if there are any special dietary requirements: _____

Please tick the box if you **do not** wish for your details to be included/published in the delegate list contained in the delegate's material

Social Functions: Please indicate your attendance

I will be / not be attending the Welcome drinks Friday 6 September 2019 between 6:00pm - 8:00pm

I will be / not be attending the President's Dinner Saturday evening 7 September 2019

Accompanying Person: (Registration includes Friday Welcome drinks, Saturday President's Dinner and Sunday lunch) A\$495.00

First name: _____ Surname: _____

Title (please circle) Mr/Mrs/Ms/Dr/Prof Preferred name to appear on name badge: _____

Please indicate if there are any special dietary requirements: _____

Accommodation & Breakfast:

Sofitel Noosa Pacific Resort

Superior room – Tariff (A\$399.00 per room per night) 2 nights' deposit required Friday & Saturday (**A\$798.00** incl. GST A\$72.54)

Breakfast A\$25 per person per day is available.

Single/Double Superior room (1 King bed)

Twin Superior room (2 Double beds)

Check in Date: _____ Check out Date: _____ No. of nights _____

Sharing With: _____

Registration Fees: Registration fees are quoted in Australian dollars (AUD) and are inclusive of GST

Registration

<input type="checkbox"/>	Junior member	\$1,430.00		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Senior member	\$1,540.00		A\$.....
<input type="checkbox"/>	Non-member	\$1,705.00		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Accompanying Person fees:	A\$495		A\$.....
<input type="checkbox"/>	Accommodation: Payment of A\$798.00 (incl. GST A\$72.54) is required to cover 2 nights (Friday & Saturday)			A\$.....
<input type="checkbox"/>	Breakfast A\$25 per person per day		No.....	A\$.....
<input type="checkbox"/>	Airport Transfers : please indicate if you require transfers.			A\$.....
			TOTAL	A\$_____

TAX INVOICE ABN: 66 056 252 558

All fees are inclusive of 10% GST and quoted in Australian dollars (AUD)

Method of Payment:

Please return this registration with your cheque in **AUSTRALIAN DOLLARS** made **PAYABLE TO IPSANZ** or email/fax with your credit card details below or payment can be made by EFT (details as follows):

Payment by electronic transfer:

Account Name: The Intellectual Property Society of Australia and New Zealand Inc. "IPSANZ"
 BSB No: 063 009
 Account No: 0090 3138
 Swift Code: (International transfers) CTBAAU2S

Please confirm remittance upon transfer, providing reference "SURNAME - 2019 AC" or other.....

Payment by credit card:

MasterCard Visa Amount authorised to charge **A\$_____**

Card Number _____ Expiry Date ____ / ____

Name on Card _____ Signed _____

Note:

- No refund is available for registration and accommodation after 19 July 2019.
- Registrations can be transferred to a substitute delegate at no additional cost, provided the conference secretariat is advised by email, letter or facsimile.

Please complete and return Registration Form and Accommodation Form to

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Airport / Hotel Transfer Form

Delegate _____

Mobile No _____

Transfers required for ____ person/s.

AIRPORT TO SOFITEL NOOSA PACIFIC RESORT

Name/s	Date	Airport	Airline / Flight No.	Flight Arrival Time

SOFITEL NOOSA PACIFIC RESORT TO AIRPORT

Name/s	Date	Airport	Airline / Flight No.	Flight Departure Time

IPSANZ can provide a direct airport transfer, via car or mini buses to be determined at IPSANZ' discretion. Delegates will be advised of times and meeting points prior to the Conference. **Maroochydore/Sofitel \$35** each way with transit time of around **30 - 45 minutes**. **Brisbane** airport/Sofitel **\$80** each way and time in transit around **1.5 to 2 hours (depending on traffic)**.

Delegates will be greeted by a driver with a placard noting "IPSANZ". To guarantee a seat, transfers must be pre-booked.

Minimum 48 hours notice of cancellation

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Payment by credit card:

MasterCard Visa

Amount authorised to debit A\$ _____

Card Number _____

Expiry Date ____ / ____

Name on Card _____

Signed _____