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Panelist: Prof. Stefan Wagner

Education

2010 Habilitation (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München) 2005 Dr. oec. publ. (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München) Dipl-Kfm. (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München)

Positions

- 2013 Associate Professor ESMT
- 2011 Assistant Professor, ESMT
- 2010 Assistant Professor, INNO-tec, LMU.
- Fulbright Scholar , University of California Los Angeles UCLA
- Visiting Scholar at the National Bureau of Economic Research NBER, Cambridge MA
- Visiting Scholar, Intellectual Property Insitute of Australia IPRIA, Melbourne.
- Supported by German National Academic Foundation

Research Interests

- Intersection of firm strategy, technological innovation, industrial organization and law.
- Interaction of the changing landscape of IPR and firms' long term innovation strategy.
- venture creation and growth strategies for young firms.





Panelist: Kin Wah Chow

Education

- Admitted to Singapore Bar, Singapore
- Admitted to the Roll of Solicitors in England and Wales, United Kingdon
- Attorney-at-Law, New York, United States of America
- National University of Singapore

Positions

- Partner at Rouse & Co International, <u>www.iprights.com</u>
- Asia IP 2013: Listed as a 'Expert'
- WTR 1000 2013: Listed as a 'Leading individual'
- ILO Client Choice Individual Awards 2012
- Has worked in Singapore, China and Hong Kong advising on IP related issues/transactions.
- His experience includes both contentious and non-contentious intellectual property matters. These include patent infringements, trade mark infringements, software contract disputes and trade mark oppositions.

Interests

IP in Emerging Markets





Panelist: Prof. Andreas Schwab

Education

- 2000 PhD, University of Wisconsin, Madison
- 1991 Diploma, Mannheim University
- 1987 MBA, Eastern Illinois University
- ☐ 1985 Pre-Diploma, Johann Wolfgang Goethe University

Positions

- 2013 Visiting Senior Fulbright Scholar, Institute of Technology Bandung
- Associate Professor of Management, Dean Fellowship, Iowa State University
- Assistant, Professor ships at Louisiana State University and University o
- 2006-2013 Co-organizer, Annual workshop ,Research Method division, Management.
- 2008-2013 Editorial Board, Strategic Entrepreneurship Journal
- 2004-2013 Editorial Board, Journal of Small Business Management
- Executive committee and Editorial Board of the INFORMS/College of Organization Science
- Research Committee , Entrepreneurship Division, Academy of Management
- 1991-1993 General project manager, Lufthansa German Airlines.

esearch interests

Organizational learning processes in project venture settings: how learning affects project performance, future collaboration patterns, changes in organizational practices, and variability of learning outcomes.





Moderator: Dr. Gajendran Kandasamy

Education

2 010	PhD	Innovation Management Imperial College London

2007 PhD *Theoretical Physics* University of Melbourne

2002 MM *Global Tech Management* Northern Institute

2003 MSc Mechatronics TU Hamburg

2000 BEngg Instrumentation & Control University of Madras

Positions

- 2013- Senior Manager, TUV Rheinland Indonesia
- 2013- Head of Innovation Center, Binus University International
- 2012- Manager, TUV Rheinland Indonesia
- 2012- Faculty Member, Binus Business School
- 2010 Research Associate, Imperial College London
- Pre-2010: Sessional lecturer, London Business School; Director, AZIWA Infosystems, Director, CTM Ltd.

esearch interests

- Innovation assessment, determinants of entrepreneurial performance, narrative rationality, Discovery processes, perception, emerging economies, theorizing and formal Modeling
- Sustainability roadmapping
- Information security





Discussion point: Fuelling Innovation?

- We live in an age of technology, look around this room
 - ☐ This entire event was organized without literally getting up from my chair!

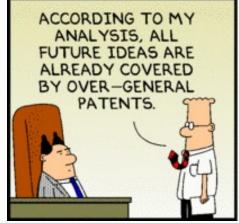
- May think, this is a result of creativity, free market and innovation.
- Many others say, this is not sufficient, there is something else that is necessary for innovation to happen, which is intellectual property law.

Key issue: How to incentivize innovation?

Eg. Why would Samsung invest \$1 bn in OLED displays if the technologies can be copied without implications?



Discussion point: Stifling innovation?



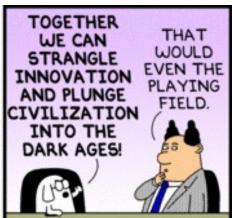
OUR BEST STRATEGY
IS TO GET OUT OF
THIS BUSINESS AND
BECOME TRADEMARK
INFRINGEMENT
LAWYERS.





FOR A HUGE FEE, I WILL
USE MY PATENTS TO
THWART THE COMPANIES
THAT ARE TRYING TO
THWART YOU WITH
THEIR OWN PATENTS.



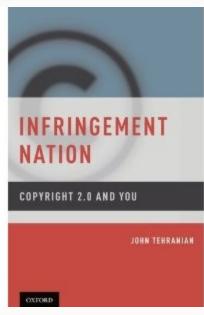




Discussion point: Infringement!

"The dichotomy between copyright law and norms is profound yet underappreciated. On any given day, for example, even the most lawabiding American engages in thousands of actions that likely constitute copyright infringement.... We are, technically speaking, a nation of constant infringers."

... typical law professor commits 83 acts of infringement and faces liability of \$12.45 million in statutory damages for his/her activities in the course of a single day.



John Tehranian Irwin R. Buchalter Professor of Law

A.B., magna cum laude, Government, 1995, Harvard University; J.D., 2000, Yale University; Phi Beta Kappa; Member, California State Bar







Discussion point: The balancing act

Policy should balance measurable economic objectives against social goals and

potential benefits for rights holders against impacts on consumers and other interests.



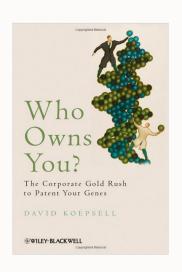
Discussion point: Ungrounded rights

Are there parts of the world for which the granting of IP rights conflicts with other, grounded rights?

Example: genomes

Commons by choice involve parts of the world that could be possessed, but for which we make conscious decisions to keep them in the public domain. (e.g national parks, international waters)

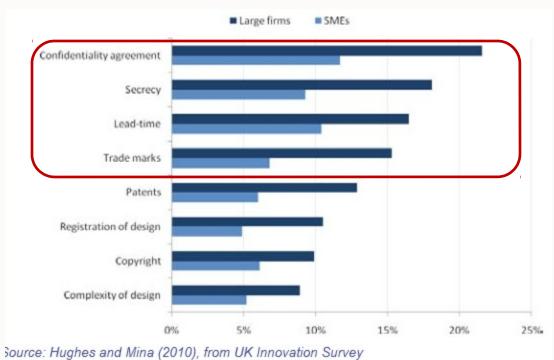
Commons by necessity are parts of the world that cannot be possessed or enclosed in any meaningful sense. (e.g. oxygen in the atmosphere, laws of nature (f=ma, etc.)





Discussion point: Alternatives to IP

- Overall there is a evidence on patents as mechanisms to incentivize innovation.
- However much innovation happens without use of formal IP rights.



Techniques preferred by UK firms to protect innovation



Discussion point: Protecting identity

- ☐ Trademarks : identified the 'source of origin' of a product or service.
- Strongly correlated with branding, quality, principles upheld by origin.

- Counterfeiting identity or trademark is dishonesty, however there are gray areas around this.
- ☐ Trademarks may appear to have wide acceptance generally, but there are several cases fought?

Issue: Genericide, Internet and international

Genericide (loss of trademark due to pervasiveness, eg. Aspirin, Escalator, Zipper, Xerox, Google)

Cybersquatting, typosquatting, open source, piggybacking (Offer MySQL training without authorization?), titles of work (eg. Disney's Brave animation movie issues with Atlanta Braves)



Discussion point: Situation in Indonesia

- Enforcement
- MNCs
- Entrepreneurship
- Competition
- Signatory to TRIPS
- Obstacles
- Who is worried?
- Costs?
- Case of 3M: patent attorney advised them not to bother!



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Patently funny

- Patenting for the sake of it
- Adding value to your resume
- Trolls!
- The obvious and banal



Patents gone mad (1)

Method of swinging on a swing

US 6368227 B1

ABSTRACT

A method of swing on a swing is disclosed, in which a user positioned on a standard swing suspended by two chains from a substantially horizontal tree branch induces side to side motion by pulling alternately on one chain and then the other.

Publication number US6368227 B1

Publication type Grant

Application number
Publication date
Filing date
Priority date
Pee status

US 09/715,198
Apr 9, 2002
Nov 17, 2000
Nov 17, 2000
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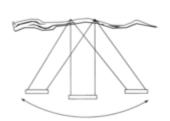
Inventors Steven Olson

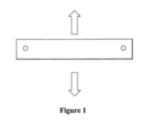
Original Assignee Steven Olson

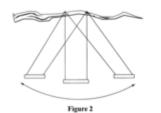
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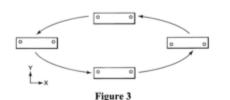
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Are they planning to go around parks and collect royalties from the kids? If not what's the point of paying for a patent.

Who is to blame:

"inventor" or USPTO



Patents gone mad (2)

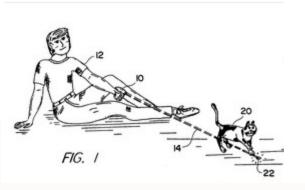
Method of exercising a cat

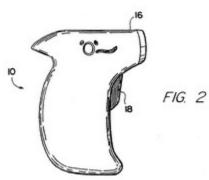
US 5443036 A

ABSTRACT

A method for inducing cats to exercise consists of directing a beam of invisible light produced by a hand-held laser apparatus onto the floor or wall or other opaque surface in the vicinity of the cat, then moving the laser so as to cause the bright pattern of light to move in an irregular way fascinating to cats, and to any other animal with a chase instinct.

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Publication number US5443036 A

Publication type Grant

Application number
Publication date
Filing date
Priority date
Fee status (?)

US 08/144,473
Aug 22, 1995
Nov 2, 1993
Nov 2, 1993
Lapsed

Inventors Martin H. Abbott, Kevin T. Amiss

Original Assignee Amiss; Kevin T., Abbott; Martin H.

Patent Citations (9), Non-Patent Citations (4), Referenced by (13), Classifications (4), Legal Events (7)

External Links: USPTO, USPTO Assignment, Espacenet

"One Hundred and Eighty-Seven Ways to Amuse a Bored Cat" (Ballantine Books; May, 1982) describes the exact same idea, but using a flashlight.

USPTO has issued the same patent many times! See:

6505576 Pet Toy

6557495 Laser Pet Toy

6651591 Automatic laser pet toy and exerciser 6701872 Method and apparatus for automatically

exercising a curious animal



Patents gone mad (3)

Plug for and method of patching a hole in a wall

US 6994809 B1

ABSTRACT

A hole in a wall is easily and quickly repaired by use of a precisely formed plug. The plug is used to draw an outline around the hole. The outline is then cut out to form an opening. The plug is inserted into the opening until a rear surface of the plug loosely contacts a parallel inner wall and an outer surface of the plug is slightly misaligned or moved inwardly from a front surface of the wall. The misaligned outer surface of the plug and the opening are then covered or plastered over.

Publication number US6994809 B1

Publication type Grant

Application number US 10/390,112
Publication date Feb 7, 2006
Filing date Mar 17, 2003
Priority date ? Apr 16, 2001

Fee status ? Paid

Also published as US20020149127

Inventors Walter H. Prior

Original Assignee Prior Walter H

Patent Citations (14), Classifications (10), Legal Events (1)

External Links: USPTO, USPTO Assignment, Espacenet

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Patents gone mad (4)

Anti-eating face mask

US 4344424 A

ABSTRACT

An anti-eating face mask which includes a cup-shaped member conforming to the shape of the mouth and chin area of the user, together with a hoop member and straps detachably engageable with a user's head for mounting the cup-shaped member in overlying relationship with the user's mouth and chin area under the nose thereby preventing the ingestion of food by the user.

Publication number US4344424 A

Publication type Grant

Application number US 06/134,557
Publication date Aug 17, 1982
Filing date Mar 27, 1980
Priority date Mar 27, 1980

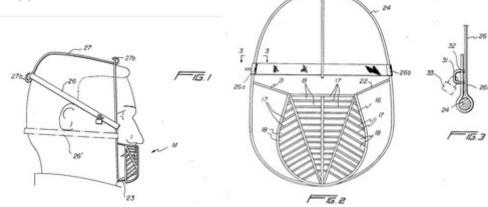
Inventors Lucy L. Barmby

Original Assignee Barmby Lucy L

Patent Citations (6), Referenced by (2), Classifications (5)

External Links: USPTO, USPTO Assignment, Espacenet

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Patents gone mad (5)

Portable display device

US D670286 S1

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Publication number USD670286 S1

Publication type Grant

Application number US 29/379.722 Publication date Nov 6, 2012 Filing date Nov 23, 2010 Priority date ? Jan 6, 2010

Also published as USD627777, USD669069

Inventors Jody Akana, 14 More »

Original Assignee Apple Inc.

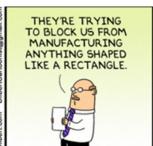
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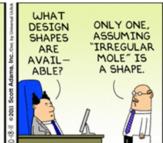
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DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a bottom front perspective view of a portable display device showing our new design;







CLAIMS (1)

1. The ornamental design for a portable display device, as shown and described.

Round cornered rectangle! But this patent applies to portable electronic devices. However is Apple the rightful owner

of this patent? Star trek had one

before. see ------





Survey results

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