



## IPTA SEMINAR

### MID-YEAR IP REVIEW

**A review of recent IP cases together with two sessions on  
'Drafting of Evidence in Oppositions' and 'Bad Faith in Trade Marks  
Law'**

DATE: Friday, 26 June 2009

TIME: 11.00am -3.30pm

VENUE: UWA Club  
The University of Western Australia  
M800, 35 Stirling Hwy, Crawley

COST: Member \$80 (lunch included)  
Non-Member \$95 (lunch included)

RSVP: 10 June

In the morning session (11.00am-12.30pm) the two presenters (details follow) will address recent IP cases and developments. Dr Kendall will focus on trade marks cases, and Mr Fox will focus on patent law.

The lunch period will afford attendees a great opportunity to catch up with each other and also to meet with our presenters. After lunch (between 2.00pm and 3.30pm), Dr Kendall will present on the emergence of 'Bad Faith' in the law of trade marks.

Following that, Mr Fox will convene a session on the 'Drafting of Evidence in Opposition' proceedings. The sessions after lunch are intended to be less formal so as to enable attendees to ask questions as topics and issues are discussed.

### ***Speaker Profiles:***

**Dr Christopher Kendall** joined Francis Burt Chambers, Perth in 2008. He specialises in intellectual property litigation.

Chris previously practiced law with Maxim Litigation Consultants, Perth and the Canadian firm of Torys LLP, Toronto.

Chris was educated at Queen's University, Canada and the University of Michigan. He was the Dean of Law at Murdoch University and a Commissioner with the Law Reform Commission of Western Australia. He was also the director of the Asia Pacific Intellectual Property Law Institute and the national editor of Intellectual Property Forum.

Chris has published extensively throughout Australia, Canada and the United States on all aspects of intellectual property law and most recently co-authored, *Advocacy: An Introduction* (Lexis Nexis). He is also the co-editor and co-author of *Civil Procedure: Western Australia* (the "Red Book").

**Mr Andrew Fox** was called to the Bar in 2006 and specialises in intellectual property litigation. Prior to going to the Bar, Andrew was a solicitor for 10 years, his last role being as a Partner at Griffith Hack.

Some of the notable recent cases Andrew has been involved in as junior counsel are: *Lockwood v Doric (No.2)*, *Bradken v Lynx*, *The Sunnyfield Association v Cronk*, Woolworths' defence of BP's High Court Special Leave Application in relation to the 'colour green' trade mark, the 'Bavaria' trade mark case, and the lengthy preliminary discovery contest in *Optiver v Tibra*. Andrew appears regularly in opposition proceedings before the Patent Office and the Trade Marks Office.

Since 2002, he has been the lecturer and examiner for the Intellectual Property Law course in the Diploma of Law conducted by the Legal Profession Board of NSW. Andrew has also lectured in contract law and litigation for the Faculty of Law at the University of Sydney.

### ***Continued Professional Development***

The PSB has accredited this seminar series as eligible for CPE hours. Attendees can claim 1 point for each hour of attendance (excluding refreshment breaks).

### ***Registration:***

If you would like to attend this presentation, please complete the attached registration form and forward payment by **10 June**.

