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BMM AUTUMN MEETING 2020

TURBULENT TIMES: BETWEEN BAD FAITH REGISTRATIONS AND ONLINE HASSLE

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Spring turns into autumn and so does our Spring Conference turn into our Autumn Conference. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, this will become our very first online BMM Conference, to be held on Friday 27 November 2020.

Based on the strange times we currently encounter, we decided to opt for “*Turbulent times: between bad faith registrations and online hassle*” as an overall theme. During the event we will be ‘surfing’ from the traditional CJEU case law overview (which this time partly deals with judgments related to IP in an online context) towards a journey through competence and applicable law with respect to online IP infringements. Last, attention will be paid to the impact on our trademark future after the high-profile CJEU *Sky vs. SkyKick* judgment. We hope that we can provide you with at least some trademark and design related certainty in these challenging times.

Programme

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| 09:00 – 09:05 | Welcome by the Chairman of the Day, Jos Klaus (attorney-at-law at BarentsKrans, The Hague) |
| 09:05 – 10:05 | <i>Overview of recent European case law, with a particular focus on trademark and designs law in the online world</i> by Sophie Lens (attorney-at-law at Altius, Brussels) |
| 10:05 – 10:45 | BMM General Meeting - Click here to find the meeting documents |
| 10:45 – 10:55 | Short break |
| 10:55 – 11:55 | <i>Applicable law and competent jurisdiction in international online IP infringements</i> by Manon Rieger-Jansen (attorney-at-law at Bird & Bird, The Hague) |
| 11:55 – 12:05 | Short break |
| 12:05 – 13:05 | <i>Good, bad and beyond: recent developments on bad faith trademark applications and its industry impact</i> by Alexander Tsoutsanis (attorney-at-law at DLA Piper, Amsterdam) |
| 13:05 | Closing remarks by the Chairman of the Day |