

Projects commemorating 125th Anniversary of IPR System



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- The year 2010 marks the 125th anniversary of the patent system in Japan.
- The JPO is carrying out a number of projects throughout the year under the themes of “Constructing IP Community in Asia” and “Developing IP Awareness of Youth for the Future.”

Constructing IP Community in Asia

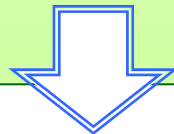
- JPO-KIPO Experts Meeting on Design and Trademark (February, April)
- PPH Seminar in Russia (February)
- APEC-IPEG Meeting (March, September)
- Tour of Southeast-Asian countries to enhance cooperation in IP field (May)
- Memorandum of Cooperation between Japanese and Korean HRD (human resource development) institutions (May)
- Commissioners Meetings between JPO-SIPO/JPO-KIPO/JPO-KIPO-SIPO (December)
- Asian Symposium on IP Protection and Cooperation (December)
- Experts Meeting for patent system harmonization with SIPO and KIPO

Developing IP Awareness of Youth for the Future

- Messages from famous inventors to the younger generation on JPO website
- Awards ceremony of “All Japan Student and Child Invention Exhibition” (February)
- Commemorative tree planting (April)
- Patent contest for children/students
- Invention seminars for children
- Lecture of JPO Commissioner for high school students
- IP seminars at universities

Enhancing Patent Harmonization and IP Domestically and Internationally

- WIPO High Level Forum (March)
- IP5 (JPO/USPTO/EPO/SIPO/KIPO) Heads Meeting (April)
- Memorandum of Comprehensive Cooperation between Japan Patent Office and Brazilian National Institute of Industrial Property (April)
- Trademark/Patent Trilateral Meetings (after October)
- Patent system revisions to promote innovation
- Informal talks between company presidents and JPO Commissioner
- International Patent Licensing Seminar for global development of companies
- IP symposiums for SMEs (held throughout the year)



Commemorative ceremony - October 2010

