

Sneak Preview of New Espacenet

Abstract:

Espacenet has a successful track record, spanning 20 years, and it is now time for a glimpse into the future of free patent searching from the EPO. There will be a short overview of recent Espacenet changes before we preview the status of the new Espacenet currently under development. Compared to Espacenet in its current guise, new Espacenet will deliver a whole new user experience for searching and result inspection and will come with some great new features. The highlight of the workshop will be a live demonstration of new Espacenet in its final development stage. You will have an opportunity to preview the new version, to ask questions, and to give us your feedback.

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Bio:

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