



2019 NORTHEAST REGIONAL CONFERENCE

September 23 – 25, 2019 ► APA Hotel Woodbridge ► Iselin, New Jersey

▼ CONFERENCE SCHEDULE: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

7:30 am – 8:20 am	Breakfast, Registration and Exhibits
8:20 am – 8:30 am	Welcome and Introductory Remarks. ► Shelley Pavlek – Conference Planning and Program Chair
8:30 am – 9:00 am	Is Sovereign Immunity against Patent Challenges for Rent? ► Ashton Delauney (Bristol-Myers Squibb Company)
9:00 am – 9:30 am	Case Study on Determining Small Molecule Loss of Exclusivity Date from Multiple Sources. ► Jason Diffendal (Pfizer)
9:30 am – 9:55 am	A Day-in-the-Life of a Patent Examiner. ► Manjunath Rao (USPTO)
9:55 am – 10:05 am	Product Reviews – BizInt, STN
10:05 am – 10:40 am	Break & Vendor Exhibits
10:40 am – 11:10 am	Expanding Structure Search Capabilities in Patents. ► Keith Schreiber (Pfizer)
11:10 am – 11:40 am	Patentability Case Study: Mistakes Happen. ► Tom Wolff (Wolff Information Consulting LLC)
11:40 am – 12:00 pm	Product Reviews – CAS, GenomeQuest, Minesoft, Questel
12:00 pm – 1:15 pm	Lunch
1:15 pm – 1:45 pm	Sound the Alarm! Creating a Patent Early Warning System. ► Rosanna Lindquist (The Hershey Company)
1:45 pm – 2:15 pm	AIM™ Patent Landscapes – More Than “A State of the Art” Patent Search. ► Yateen Pargaonkar (Riser IP LLC)
2:15 pm – 2:40 pm	More Effective Reporting of Changes in Patent Families from Multi-Database Searches. ► Victoria Smith (Novartis Institutes for BioMedical Research, Inc.)
2:40 pm – 3:15 pm	Break & Vendor Exhibits
3:15 pm – 3:45 pm	Applications of Using Entity Size as an Indicia of Licensing for University Patents. ► Steven Andrzejewski (Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation)
3:45 pm – 4:10 pm	Patent and Non-Patent Literature as a Matchmaking Tool for Technology Transfer from Academia to Industry. ► Patrick Griffis (University of Nevada, Las Vegas Libraries)
4:10 pm – 4:20 pm	Break
4:20 pm – 4:50 pm	One Company – Two Worlds and a New IP Terrain. ► Jim Johnson (Chamberlain Group)
4:50 pm – 5:15 pm	Professional Development at a Triple Point: Technology, Information Retrieval, and Patent Law. ► David S. Saari (SciencelP)
5:15 pm	Closing Remarks.
5:30 pm	Networking Dinner (registration required)