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FEATURE POST



Announcing the Winner of Canada's IP Writing Challenge 2019

October 28, 2019 by IP Osgoode

IP Osgoode and the <u>Intellectual Property Institute of Canada</u> (IPIC) are thrilled to announce the winners of the tenth annual edition of <u>Canada's IP Writing Challenge</u>

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Is Privacy a Dead Letter?

October 30, 2019 by Summer Lewis

In Osgoode Hall Law School's course <u>Legal Values: Artificial Intelligence</u>, professor Maura Grossman engages the class with weekly reflections on the legal and ethical issues with new advancements in technology. Based on class discussions and reading materials, students are encouraged to provide

their opinions on specific questions each week. On one particular reflection, Professor Grossman assigned the following questions:

- Is privacy a dead letter?
- Regardless of whether or not you think so, how do we make the world safe and habitable under the present circumstances?

Written by Summer Lewis, a second year JD Candidate at Osgoode Hall Law School. Summer is also the Content Editor of the IPilogue.

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Saying Goodbye to (not so) Forever 21

October 29, 2019 by Alessia Monastero

On September 29, fast fashion retailer Forever 21 filed for <u>Chapter 11 bankruptcy</u>, pursuant to the <u>US bankruptcy code</u>, closing 350 stores worldwide and all of its <u>44 stores in Canada</u>. The Los Angeles-based chain, having catered to young shoppers looking for inexpensive clothing for decades, has found itself struggling against the rising competition brought by online channels. From a legal perspective, the company is not unfamiliar with the challenges arising from operating in a multi-billion dollar industry. Often labelled as a "<u>fashion copycat</u>," Forever 21 has found itself in the midst of many noteworthy IP legal battles.

Written by Alessia Monastero, IPilogue editor and articling student at Deeth Williams Wall LLP.

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In Too Deep: Exclusive Rights of Game Producers in the Esports Industry

October 24, 2019 by Alexandre Dumais

The Law Commission of Ontario, in collaboration with Element AI and Osgoode Hall Law School recently hosted an AI for Lawyers conference. The conference featured a panel of legal practitioners who shared how their practices interact with AI, the benefits and the drawbacks so far, as well as the challenges and exciting opportunities ahead.

Written by Alexandre Dumais, IPilogue Editor and JD Candidate at Osgoode Hall Law School. Alexandre is also the Director of Sports, Osgoode Entertainment and Sports Law Association.

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Events

October 31, 2019

International Law in the Global South Seminar Series: On the Need for Intellectual Property Rights in Ecowas

This event will take place from 3:30pm-5:00pm in room 4034, Ignat Kaneff Building, York University.

November 6, 2019

Connect to a World of Innovation, Through Standardization

This event will take place in Toronto, 2:30 – 4pm on November 6, 2019. Visit event page for more

information.

November 6, 2019

Tech Talks & Innovation Celebration

This event will take place in Toronto, 4pm – 6pm on November 6, 2019. Click here for details.

IP Picks of the Week

Amendments to the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act* (BIA) and *Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act* (CCAA) relating to IP licenses when the IP licensor becomes insolvent, will come into force <u>November</u> <u>1, 2019</u>. These amendments were included in Budget Implementation Act, 2018, No. 2 (<u>Bill C-86</u>).

Haloween is a holiday that sparks creativity. Click <u>here</u> for an article on Top 10 Halloween inventions. A fun Halloween piece for a fun Halloween and IP read!





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