



Intellectual Property Law & Technology Program

Events

June 9-13, 2014

Intellectual Property Workshop

Hosted by the University of Windsor Faculty of Law and the Centre for Executive and Professional Education. [Click](#) for details.

June 12, 2014

CBA IP Day 2014

Join the [Canadian Bar Association](#) as they pay tribute to retiring members of the Federal Courts and the IP bar that have made significant contributions to the field. [Click](#) for details.

June 19, 2014

York Region MedEdge 2014 Summit

The fourth annual MedEdge Summit at the Richmond Hill Centre for the Performing Arts. The focus of this year's event will be "Experience the Journey: Innovations in Personalized Medicine". [Click](#) for details.

IP Notes

Deadline: June 16th, 2014

Call for Applications

Intellectual Property Journal Student Editors

The IPJ invites Osgoode students to apply for student

The IPIGRAM (6 June 2014)

Feature Posts



Seeing Double - Two Quicksilvers on the Silver Screen?

June 5, 2014 by [Harjot Atwal](#)

Whether you grew up an avid comic-book fan, or just plan on seeing *X-Men: Days of Future Past* (recently released on May 23, 2014) as well as *Avengers: Age of Ultron* (scheduled for release on May 1, 2015), you might just "Hulk out" when you see two different Quicksilvers in each film. However, this doesn't implicate a plot line involving parallel universes, only uncanny intellectual property licensing.

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Has the Supreme Court Delivered a Knock-Out Blow to the Entertainment Industry?

June 5, 2014 by [Jaimie Franks](#)

And so the sparring will go another round. On May 19th the



editor positions. [Click](#) for details.

June 30th, 2014

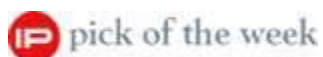
IT.CAN Student Writing Contest 2014

Held by the Canadian IT Law Association, this competition is open to students with publishable papers in a suitable IT/IP field. [Click](#) for details.

July 1st, 2014

Canada's IP Writing Challenge 2014

The Intellectual Property Institute of Canada (IPIC) and IP Osgoode invite submissions from law students, graduate students, and professionals. [Click](#) for details.

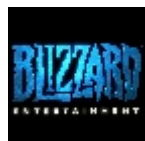


Looking to celebrate intellectual property outside on these warm summer nights? You're in luck! Toronto is blessed with plenty of outdoor summer movie events, such as the [Open Roof Festival](#), cult classics at [Yonge-Dundas Square](#), and Free Flicks at the [Harbourfront Centre](#). Many of these screenings are free so bring the family and enjoy the benefits of copyright!

United States Supreme Court delivered its decision on *Patrella v Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer*, allowing Paula Petrella to pursue her copyright infringement claim against MGM Studios despite her decision to wait 18 years to file suit. As a result, the Supreme Court has essentially informed the entertainment industry that studios and producers may be looking over their shoulders for years to come, potentially being hit with copyright claims decades after a work is released.

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The Case that the ValiantChaos Hackers Will Never Get to Make

June 5, 2014 by [Adam Chan](#)

On May 19, Blizzard Entertainment, developer of popular games Diablo 3 and StarCraft II, [filed a lawsuit](#) against the developers of the ValiantChaos MapHack, an unauthorized program created for use with the StarCraft II computer game. The online gaming community is split over whether Blizzard is in the right; it seems that one of the only things that they abhor more than hackers are copyright lawsuits.

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Adam Chan is an IPilogue Editor and graduate of the University of British Columbia Faculty of Law.

Recent Posts

Ch-ch-ch-changes Coming to the Trade-Marks Act

June 5, 2014 by [Allison McLean](#)

Trade-mark law in Canada is poised for transmutation thanks to the 2014 Federal Budget of all things. The 2014 budget, [Bill C-31](#), is an omnibus bill that includes changes to several pieces of legislation, including the *Trade-Marks Act*. While some of the proposed changes are relatively insignificant issues of terminology, others have the potential to alter fundamental aspects of Canadian Trade-mark law.

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