

JEVONS INSTITUTE FOR COMPETITION LAW AND ECONOMICS
2007 Colloquium on Antitrust and Regulation

Antitrust and Intellectual Property



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The relationship between intellectual property rights, antitrust and regulation continues to give rise to controversial policy issues and presents a number of challenges for antitrust enforcers, business, and advisers. A number of important judgments, antitrust decisions and regulatory initiatives have been taken in this area and more are forthcoming fuelling the policy and academic debate. The Jevons Institute 2007 Colloquium will focus specifically on two areas that are at forefront of this debate:

- * the use of IP rights in standard setting organisations and the scope of Fair, Reasonable and Non-Discriminatory licensing obligations
- * the use and abuse of IP rights in the pharmaceutical sector striking a regulatory balance between rewarding innovation and preventing harmful practices (including issues such as excessive pricing, parallel imports, and patent misuse)

In the spirit of the aims of the Jevons Institute these themes will be analysed from both an economic and legal perspective.

Event Details:

Date: Thursday 10 May, 2007

Time: 8.30am - 2.00pm

Venue: Kingsway Hall Hotel, 66 Great Queen Street, London WC2B 5BX
(see attached map)

CPD: This event is accredited with 3.5 CPD hours by The Bar Council and the Law Society

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Academics & Enforcers: free of charge

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Programme

9.00 **Welcome**

Professor Sir Hugh Laddie QC, UCL Laws

Opening Speech

Dr Amelia Fletcher, OFT

9.30 **Session I: Fair Reasonable and Non-Discriminatory Licensing of IP Rights and Standard Setting**

Moderator: Professor David Evans, UCL Laws

Speakers: Trevor Soames, Howrey LLP

Professor Jean Tirole, Toulouse University

Marcus Glader, Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP

11.00 **Break**

11.20 **Session II: Antitrust, Regulation and IP in Pharmaceutical Sector**

Moderator: Professor Antonio Bavasso, UCL Laws

Speakers: Dr Andrea Coscelli, CRAI

Simeon Thornton, OFT

Dr Jorge Padilla, LECCG

Professor John Kallaugher, UCL Laws and Latham Watkins

12.40 **Closing Speech**

Speaker: Professor Frederic Jenny, Cour de Cassation and UCL

13.00 **Lunch**

