2016-2017 LAIPLA Member Renewal

The Los Angeles Intellectual Property Law Association (LAIPLA) once again celebrated its most successful year in its 80+ year history. In 2015-2016 we expanded our key relationships with Member Firms to reach our highest membership ever. As the highlights below illustrate, it's no wonder that LAIPLA provides diverse top notch IP branded programming for its 900+ Members:

- Membership of 30+ firms and companies and growing. (See last page for list.)
- Spring Seminar: The luxurious unique getaway IP seminar focusing on networking. Delivering value, camaraderie with the best practitioners over a three-day weekend. Our crown jewel.
- Judges' Night Gala: Our biggest night of the year, with 14 member firm tables honoring our Judiciary and awarding our annual LAIPLA Public Service Award.
- Washington in the West: Premier one day seminar for patent and trademark prosecutors.
 Known as the Best in the West.
- LAIPLA Goes to Court: In an intimate setting, a dialogue with Judges in their courtroom.
- Members Only Holiday Experience: For the second year in a row, we've delivered an unforgettable magical night. The most fun event for members and spouses/significant others.
- LAIPLA Diversity Fellowships. With the generous assistance of Sheppard, Mullin, Richter Hampton LLP and Lewis Roca Rothgerber Christie LLP, this award grants a summer stipend to two law students to work this summer at Edwards Lifesciences Corporation and Harman International Industries. Inc.
- Women in IP: For the second year in a row, we've continued to focus on programs to develop and nurture networking within our Women IP membership.
- Members Only Welcome Back Bash: We've upped the ante, to kick off the year with colleagues, with drinks and ping pong!
- Young Lawyers Events: Providing training for new lawyers and creating a network to last a lifetime.
- Law School Outreach: Every year, we visit Loyola Law School (LLS), Pepperdine, Southwestern, USC, UCLA, UC Irvine and Whittier law schools to outreach to future IP attorneys.
- Small Firm Solo Practitioner Events: Creating a networking base for our non-member firms.
- Breaking new ground: Here's our new programs instituted this year (2015-2016):
 - Techtainment (at LLS): A new seminar combining Technology + Entertainment.
 - TTAB hearing (at LLS): An actual Trademark Trial and Appeal Board hearing plus seminar.
 - LAIPLA/OCIPLA joint event: Bridging the gap between our two IP organizations.
 - High School events: Taking the Law School Road School to High Schools.

We have already started planning 2016-2017 and it will be just as jam packed!

However, we can't continue to provide top tier diverse IP programming **without** the support of our Members. They are the backbone of our organization's strength and longevity.

As a Member, you will enjoy the following perks:

- Receive membership pricing and discounts for our events (averaging \$30 saving per event, totaling over \$560 a year).
- Invitation to Member Only events (including the Members Only Holiday Party, and Welcome Back Mixer).

PRICING

Don't delay, pricing goes up after September 1, 2016.

Туре	Prior to 9/1/2016	After 9/1/2016
Attorney	\$100	\$130
New Attorney (0 - 2 years)	\$50	\$80
Non-Attorney	\$100	\$130
Government Attorney	\$50	\$80
Paralegal	\$50	\$80
Inventor	\$50	\$80
Law Students	\$30	\$80
In-House	FREE	FREE
Emeritus (Retired)	FREE	FREE
Judicial Officer	FREE	FREE
Professor	FREE	FREE
Sponsor Member	\$500	\$750

Current members will receive membership renewals through our Wild Apricot database management.

New members can join via http://www.laipla.net/membership/

MEMBER FIRMS 2015-2016

Abbott Medical Optics, Inc.

Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

Alston & Bird LLP

Amgen Inc.

Blakely, Sokoloff, Taylor & Zafman

Christie Parker & Hale LLP

Edwards Lifesciences

Fox Rothschild LLP

Fulwider Patton LLP

Glaser Weil Fink Jacobs Howard Avchen & Shapiro LLP

Haynes and Boone, LLP

Hueston Hennigan LLP

Irell & Manella LLP

Kirkland & Ellis LLP

Knobbe, Martens, Olson & Bear, LLP

Latham & Watkins, LLP

McKool Smith

Manatt, Phelps & Phillips, LLP

Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCloy LLP

Morrison & Foerster LLP

Munchkin, Inc.

Munger, Tolles & Olson LLP

Novak, Druce, Connolly, Bove and Quigg LLP

O'Melveny & Myers LLP

Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP

Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan, LLP

Sheppard Mullin Richter & Hampton LLP

Sidley Austin LLP

Snell & Wilmer LLP

Tucker Ellis LLP

Wilmer, Cutler, Pickering, Hale, Dorr LLP

Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati