INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS SEMINAR

The STOPfakes.gov Roadshow delivers critically important information about intellectual property to the audience that needs it most – start-ups, entrepreneurs, small and medium-sized businesses, independent creators, and inventors. The information is presented by experts from multiple government agencies that deal with intellectual property issues. Participants will learn: how to identify and protect the various intellectual property assets they have; the mechanisms for obtaining IP protection in overseas markets and strategies for determining where they should seek protection; how to record their mark with Customs, with on-site help, in order to exclude counterfeit goods from entering the United States; how to combat counterfeits on international e-commerce sites; and about government resources available to help U.S. businesses with intellectual property issues. In short, participants will learn information vital to competing in an increasingly global environment.

One-on-One
Participants can meet with the speakers for 10-minute sessions to discuss an IP issue they have.

Apply for Copyright and Trademark Recordation On-Site
On-site assistance is made available by CBP staff to navigate the recordation application portal and process.

Apply for Copyright Registration On-site
Copyright Office staff will be on-site to help you with the application required to register your work online.

U.S. Government Participation

- U.S. Customs and Border Protection
- U.S. Small Business Administration
- Minority Business Development Agency
- Export-Import Bank of the United States
- U.S. Department of Commerce
- International Trade Administration
- U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
- U.S. Copyright Office
- Federal Bureau of Investigation
- U.S. Commercial Service
- U.S. Department of State
- U.S. Department of Homeland Security

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