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## AGENDA

### Visit of the EUIPO's Boards of Appeal to the State Intellectual Property Office of the Republic of Croatia

#### Session with IP judges and IP attorneys

**09:00 – 13:30**

**16 September 2022**

**Venue: - Sheraton Zagreb Hotel**

Ulica kneza Borne 2, Zagreb

**Language:** English (with simultaneous Croatian translation)

**09:00 – 09:30**

***Registration***

**09:30 – 09:45**

**Opening statements**

**Ms. Ljiljana Kuterovac, Director General, State intellectual property office**

**Mr. João Negrão, President of the Boards of Appeal**

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<b>09:45 – 10:15</b>	<b>At the service of its users: Vision and Mission of the EUIPO's Boards of Appeal</b> Speaker: Mr. João NEGRÃO, President of the Boards of Appeal
<b>10:15 – 11:45</b>	<b>Recent developments in case law on absolute and relative grounds</b> EUIPO BoA Speaker: Mr. Gordon HUMPHREYS, Chairperson of the First and Third Boards of Appeal
<b>11:45 – 12:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>12:00 – 12:30</b>	<b>EUIPO's Boards of Appeal contribution to the consistent and coherent application of the EU trade mark and design law</b> (Consistency Circles + Judges' Quality Assurance and Legal Practice Panels, European Cooperation Projects)  EUIPO BoA Speaker: Ms. Janka BUDOVIČOVÁ, Project Manager, Boards of Appeal
<b>12:30 – 13:00</b>	<b>Alternative Dispute Resolution at the EUIPO's Boards of Appeal</b>  EUIPO BoA Speaker: Ms. Natalia KAPETANAKI, Alternative Dispute Resolution Service
<b>13:00 – 13:30</b>	<b>Discussion and closure of the meeting</b>
<b>13:30 – 14.30</b>	<b>Lunch</b>