

# 2016 Highlights

## JANUARY

- 07 Opening Ceremony for Korea Intellectual Property Protection Agency
- 09 KIPO-EUIPO Heads Meeting and Korea-Spain Heads of IP Office Meeting
- 13 Award Ceremony of Prior Art Search Competition



## FEBRUARY

- 23 The 3rd Korea-Japan Administrative Patent Judge Exchange
- 25 KIPO and the UAE signs MOU to construct patent information system of the UAE
- 26 KIPO signs MOU with Leading Universities in the IP Field
- 29 Korea-Turkey Heads of IP Office Meeting



## MARCH

- 07 The 14th IP5 Patent Classification Working Group Meeting
- 11 KIPO-WIPO ADR Seminar
- 21 IP5 Deputy Heads Meeting
- 23 WIPO Workshop on Patent Law and Examination



## APRIL

- 06 WIPO Workshop on Trademark Law and Examination
- 14 Opening Ceremony for IP Creative Zone in Jeju
- 15 Korea-Vietnam Heads of IP Office Meeting



## MAY

- 10 WIPO Trademark Act and Trademark Examination Course
- 11 KIPO signs MOU with Korea Development Bank for facilitating investments based on IP
- 19 Korea's 51st Invention Day
- 25 International Conference on IP
- 31 The 9th IP5 Heads Meeting



## JUNE

- 09 The 6th International IP and Industrial Security Conference
- 16 Korea International Women's Invention Exposition and Korea International Women's Invention Forum
- 20 KIPO-SIPO Heads of Trademark Office Meeting
- 23 Opening Ceremony for IP-Desk in Xi'an, China



## JULY

- 11 WIPO IP Summer School
- 21 Youth Invention Festival



## AUGUST

- 11 The 4th KIPO-USPTO Cooperative Patent Classification (CPC) Implementation Group Meeting
- 24 WIPO Director General visit to Korea and "Global IP-Sharing Korea" Event
- 31 The 7th Korea-Japan Administrative Patent Judge Experts Meeting



## SEPTEMBER

- 01 The 12th PATent INformation EXpo (PATINEX) 2016
- 02 KIPO-SIPO-JPO Trilateral Conference on IP Trials
- 05 The 4th Korea-China-Japan Administrative Patent Judge Experts Meeting and the 2nd Korea-China-Japan Administrative Patent Judge Exchange
- 23 KIPO-OAPI Heads Meeting



## OCTOBER

- 03 WIPO General Assembly and Heads Meeting between IP Offices
- 20 Korea-EU-France jointly held conference on IP
- 25 WIPO Asia Pacific Regional Seminar
- 27 International Industrial Security Seminar



## NOVEMBER

- 09 The 7th KIPO-WIPO Advanced International Certificate Course based on IP Panorama
- 10 University Creative Invention Competition
- 15 KIPO signs MOU with Emirates IP Association for IP protection cooperation
- 24 Campus Patent Strategies Universiade
- 30 IP Utilizing Strategies Conference



## DECEMBER

- 01 Korea IP Exhibition
- 07 Korea-China Heads of IP Office Meeting
- 07 Korea-Japan Heads of IP Office Meeting
- 08 Korea-China-Japan Heads of IP Office Meeting
- 15 Award Ceremony for Outstanding Patent Technology

