2015 panellists meeting PROGRAMME

This event is jointly organised by:
Steve Palmer / Palmer Biggs Legal solicitors (UK)
Thomas Schafft / Ampersand (Germany)
Petr Hostaš / Czech Arbitration Court

Thursday 24th September 2015

A group will go for an informal meal the evening of the 24th, although this is not part of the programme. Jitka Tůmová on behalf of the CAC has made a pre-reservation at 19.00 at the traditional Czech restaurant Malostranska beseda on Malostranske Square 35/21. Please feel free to email Jitka if you would like to attend: tumova@soud.cz

Friday 25th September 2015

Venue: Kaiserstein Palace, Malostranske Square 23, Prague

9.30 – 10.00	Registration / coffees / networking
10.00 – 10.15	Opening remarks - Petr Hostaš & Jitka Tůmová – Czech Arbitration Court
10.15 – 10.45	Overview / update from the team of the Czech Arbitration Court .eu and UDRP statistics; overview about CAC's case law (problematic areas, best practice etc.); new UDRP Rules and Supplemental Rules [and new .CZ Rules]; comments on feedback, complaints and questions received from parties, representatives and panellists; and current marketing initiatives.
10.45 – 11.15	Dawn Osborne, Partner, Palmer Biggs Legal (UK) Recent case law on blocking websites and Internet jurisdiction.
11.15 – 11.30	Coffee break / networking
11.30 – 12.00	Marie-Emmanuelle Haas, Partner, Me Haas, Paris (France) Update of French law / cases / perspective.
12.00 – 12.30	Roberto Manno, Partner, Web Legal (Italy) Bad faith assessment with regard to generic/descriptive domain names.

12.30 – 13.00 Amy Ziegler, Partner, Greer Burns & Crain (USA)

Practical Aspects of Handling Cases Against Online Counterfeiters - a focus on "Jon Doe" orders transferring domains via US courts, including where a trade mark is not featured or not in the domain.

13.00 - 14.00 Lunch / networking

14.00 – 14.30 Pierfrancesco C. Fasano, Partner, Fasano Avvocati (Italy)

The experience of CAC's UDRP service from a filer's perspective, and a discussion as to why filers might prefer using other providers over the CAC.

14.30 – 15.00 Dr. Tobias Malte Müller, Partner, Wirsing Hass Zoller (Germany)

Expedited decisions / route to establishing guidelines.

15.00 – 15.30 Nick Wenban-Smith, Senior Legal Counsel, Nominet (UK)

Background to procedure for .uk domain names, interesting statistics, and why the .uk DRS is so successful and seen as model ADR system around the world.

16.00 – 18.00 Afternoon reception - drinks and canapés

Sponsored by the law firms Palmer Biggs Legal & Ampersand

Venue: Residence Garden, British Embassy Prague, Thunovská 14, 118 00 Prague 1

Saturday 26th September 2015

There is an opportunity for a group to go for a walk around Prague on Saturday morning. Please email Jitka Tůmová if you wish to join the walk: tumova@soud.cz