#### CITMA The Chartered Institute of Trade Mark Attorneys

## **CITMA Paralegal Course**

### Programme

Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> October	Introduction
4pm-5pm	<ul><li>Official welcome</li><li>Course introduction</li></ul>
GoToWebinar	<ul> <li>CITMA Paralegal to talk about benefits of taking the course</li> </ul>
w/c 6 <sup>th</sup> October: Vodcast released	• What is and what isn't a trade mark
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> October	Searching and clearance
4pm-5pm	Searching and clearance including
GoToWebinar	Classification
w/c 13 <sup>th</sup> October: Vodcast released	Lifecycle of a trade mark
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	Filing and prosecution part 1
12:30pm-5:45pm (including 20-minute break)	<ul> <li>Welcome Filing and prosecution: UK Filing and prosecution: Overseas</li> </ul>
In-person (sessions will be recorded and shared with non-attendees)	Filing and prosecution: Madrid Filing and prosecution: EUTM
Venue: Baker McKenzie, 280 Bishopsgate, London EC2M 4RBv	
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	Filing and prosecution part 2
4pm-5:30pm	Filing and prosecution: USA
GoToWebinar	<ul> <li>Filing and prosecution: China</li> </ul>
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> November	Post-registration part 1
2pm-6.15pm (including 20 minute break)	<ul> <li>Renewal and maintenance including seniority and replacement</li> </ul>
In-person (sessions will be recorded and shared with non-attendees)	<ul> <li>Security interests</li> <li>Recording title updates</li> </ul>
Meet and greet with Paralegal Committee	• 5.15pm - 6.15pm

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Venue: Baker McKenzie, 280 Bishopsgate, London EC2M 4RB	
w/c 24 <sup>th</sup> November: Vodcast released	Notarisation and legalisation
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> December	Post-registration part 2
12:30pm-1:15pm	Licensing
GoToWebinar	
Winter break	
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> January	Post-registration part 3
4pm-4:35pm	Data verification and a role in IP due diligence
GoToWebinar	
w/c 12 <sup>th</sup> January: Vodcast released	Trade mark watching
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> January	Contentious proceedings
4pm-5:10pm	<ul> <li>Opposition, revocation, invalidation and litigation</li> </ul>
GoToWebinar	
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> February	Miscellaneous (non-trade marks) part 1
12:30pm-1:45pm	Designs: UK and EU
GoToWebinar	
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> February	Miscellaneous (non-trade marks) part 2
4pm-5:15pm	Designs: Overseas and Hague
GoToWebinar	
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Miscellaneous (non-trade marks) part 3
12:30pm-1:45pm	Copyright and The Company Names Tribunal -

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w/c 16 <sup>th</sup> March	Accounts, client monies and anti-money laundering
w/c 9 <sup>th</sup> March: Vodcast launched	Domain names
w/c 9 <sup>th</sup> March: Exercise sent via email	Setting of data verification exercise
Vodcast released w/c 16 <sup>th</sup> March	<ul> <li>Accounts, client monies and anti-money laundering</li> </ul>
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> March	Miscellaneous (non-trade marks) part 4
2pm-5:00pm	Data verification exercise review (20 min)
Hybrid session (this lecture will not be recorded)	<ul> <li>Refresher (30 min)</li> <li>Exam preparation and technique (30 min)</li> <li>Review of last year's exam (60 min)</li> </ul>
Venue: Pinsent Masons LLP	
Networking drinks	• 5pm-6pm
	Study break
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> April	Exam
10am-12nm	

10am-12pm

Online

#### Please note

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