

Your Benefits

At the IP Summer Course 2026, we will focus especially on:

Patents/Utility Models/Designs:

- Options and strategies for obtaining patent protection in Europe
- Key aspects of European patent examination, opposition and appeal proceedings before the European Patent Office
- Attending an oral hearing before the EPO
- Patent litigation in Europe (national court proceedings and UPC proceedings), including claim construction and patent invalidity
- UPC mock trial
- Recent developments in patenting
 - a) AI- and software-related inventions and
 - b) biochemical and pharmaceutical inventions in Europe (parallel sessions)
- Utility models and Design protection, including the EU Community Design
- Protection of secret know-how in Europe
- Trusted depository (TD) for trade secrets and data
- Legal, commercial and competition law aspects of license agreements

Trademarks:

- Options and strategies for obtaining trademark protection in Europe
- Trademark litigation in Germany
- Opposition and cancellation proceedings before the EUIPO
- Recent developments in European trademark case law and case studies infringements

Registration Fee

- € 450.00 Part 1: Trademarks, EU Systems, Prosecution, Enforcement (June 29, 2026)
- € 1,950.00 Part 2: Patents, Utility Models, Designs (June 30 – July 03, 2026)
- € 2,200.00 Package Trademarks & Patents (June 29 – July 03, 2026)

The fee includes conference materials, food and beverages, opening & closing events and the excursions program.

An early bird discount of 15 % off the registration fee is available until February 28, 2026.

For full details and registration access, please visit www.boehmert.de/en/ip-summer-course-2026/

Hotel Recommendation

Accommodation can be arranged at
Hotel Vier Jahreszeiten Kempinski
Maximilianstr. 17, 80539 Munich
(www.kempinski.com/hotel-vier-jahreszeiten)

or at

Motel One Hotels Munich
• Location Sendlinger Tor
• Location Deutsches Museum
(www.motel-one.com)

Please contact these hotels directly.

For further questions please contact us at
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Obtaining, Enforcing and
Evaluating Intellectual Property
Rights in Europe

June 29 to July 03, 2026
in Munich, Germany

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Part 1: Trademarks, EU Systems, Prosecution, Enforcement

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Part 2: Patents, Utility Models & Designs

Our IP Summer Course 2026 offers a well-rounded introduction to key aspects of acquiring, enforcing, evaluating, and licensing intellectual property rights in Europe. Participants will gain a solid overview of fundamental strategies in patent, design, and trademark protection, along with valuable insights into the day-to-day practice of IP professionals.

The first day of the seminar focuses on trademarks, covering the various systems within the EU and their prosecution and enforcement.

The second part – spanning four days – is dedicated to patents, utility models, and designs. It includes participation in an oral hearing at the European Patent Office (EPO) and addresses topics such as patent enforcement, licensing, and IP management. A particular highlight is the UPC mock trial, conducted by experienced patent litigators from BOEHMERT & BOEHMERT.

The course is designed for in-house counsel, patent and trademark managers, and other professionals working in the field of intellectual property.

The event will be held in English.

We look forward to welcoming you, your colleagues, and interested friends to Munich in the summer of 2026!

The partners of BOEHMERT & BOEHMERT

Speakers

The seminars will be held by BOEHMERT & BOEHMERT patent attorneys and attorneys at law:

Dipl.-Phys. Christoph Angerhausen
Dipl.-Phys. Christian W. Appelt
Dipl.-Phys. Dr. Mario Araujo
Dr. Andreas Dustmann
Hannah Dauer
Dr. Sebastian Engels
Dipl.-Biochem. Dr. Markus Engelhard
Dipl.-Chem. Dr. Martin Erbacher
Dr. Hanno Flentje
Silke Freund
Victor Fetscher
Prof. Dr. Heinz Goddar
Peter Groß
Dr. Lara Gwinner
Dr. Carl-Richard Haarmann
Dipl.-Ing. Felix Hermann
Dipl.-Phys. Dr. Daniel Herrmann
Dipl.-Phys. Dr. Matthias Hofmann
Dipl.-Chem. Dr. Ute Kilger
Dipl.-Phys. Dr. Andreas Lucke
Dipl.-Chem. Dr. Karl-Heinz B. Metten
Melanie Müller
Dr. José Maria Pfizer
Dr. Alexander Rabe
Dr. Michael Rüberg
Dr. Fabian Schmidt
Dipl.-Phys. Dr. Steffen Schmidt
Dr. Alexander Thamer
Dipl.-Inform. Dr. Jakob Valvoda
Micheline Verwohlt
Malte Windeler

External guest speakers are:

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Program

For the complete program of the IP Summer Course 2026, please visit our website: www.boehmert.com



During your visit to Munich, we offer highlights, such as:

Opening reception and dinner
June 30, 2026

Guided tour of Munich followed by dinner
July 01, 2026

Live broadcast of an oral hearing at the EPO
July 02, 2026

UPC mock trial
July 03, 2026

Half-day excursion to Lake Starnberg followed by a closing dinner
July 03, 2026