



European Communities Trade Mark Association  
25<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting in WARSAW

## Fabio Angelini

### EDUCATION

#### **Boalt Hall School of Law, University of California at Berkeley**

Master of Laws (LL.M), 1993; Associate Editor, *Ecology Law Quarterly*

#### **European Studies Institute "Alcide De Gasperi", in Rome**

Master in European Law, *Summa cum laude*, 1989

#### **University of Rome Law School "La Sapienza"**

Doctor in Jurisprudence, *Summa cum laude*, 1985

### LEGAL EXPERIENCE

#### **Senior Attorney, Intel Corporation, Santa Clara, California, USA**

Sept. 2004 –Present

In House Counsel managing worldwide filing, prosecution and enforcement of corporate trade mark portfolio. Advising on licensing agreements, corporate acquisitions.

#### **Partner, Società Italiana Brevetti, Rome Italy**

1995- Sept. 2004

International practice focusing on the management and enforcement of intellectual property rights at the national and Community level. Counseling U.S., Italian and international clients in all aspects of trademark law, as well as conducting searches and filing applications, oppositions and appeals. Developing strategies in litigating trade mark, patent, copyright and domain name disputes before Italian, Community and arbitration tribunals.

#### **Panelist, World Intellectual Property Organization**

1999-Present

Adjudicating domain name disputes under the ICANN Uniform Domain Name Disputes Resolution Policy.

#### **Research Assistant and Legal Consultant**

1992-1994

Legal research and consultancy for Professor Caron and Visiting Professor Grandi at Boalt Hall School of Law, University of California at Berkeley in areas of international and foreign law.

#### **Chief of Legal Department, Fraud Inspectorate of Italian Agriculture Dept.**

1988-1991

Responsible for legal and administrative operations of governmental agency (with 21 offices and more than 1,000 employees throughout Italy) charged with quality control of foodstuff, as well as enforcement of Italian and EU regulations for consumer protection.

## PROFESSIONAL ADMISSIONS

New York State Bar (1994), Italian Bar (1996), Italian Industrial Property Consultant, Trademark Section (2000), European Trade mark and Design Attorney (2000, 2003)

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

ECTA Council Member (since 2002), OHIM Link Committee (since 1997) and Law Committee; INTA (since 1997) and its Non Traditional marks Committee European Section, Contributing Editor of INTA publication "*Protection of Corporate Names*"; Marques, Design Committee; New York State Bar Association

## SELECTED PRESENTATIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

- Speaker at the 2004 AIPPI Annual Meeting (*Practical Consequences of Case Law Granting Protection as Registered Trademarks of Descriptive Marks and Determination of their Scope of Protection*).
- Speaker at the 2002 INTA Leadership Meeting (*Internet on the Cutting Edge: The Economics of Counterfeiting on the Internet*)
- Speaker at the 6<sup>th</sup> FICPI Open Forum, Rome 2001 (*Extraordinary Trademarks*)
- Speaker at the ECTA Annual Meeting, Crete 2000 (*Improving the CTM System - The Implementing Regulation*, published in ECTA Publication 17, UP TO SPEED AND INTO THE NEXT MILLENNIUM)
- Contributor, *Country Guides: Basic Information on Trademark Registration Worldwide (Italy chapter)*, INTA 2004 edition
- *The CTM Geographical Dilemma*, in *Harmonisierung des Markenrechts*, (2005)
- *Unregistered Community Design Rights: Much ado about nothing? A practical case*, ECTA NEWSLETTER (MAY 2003)
- *January 31, 2001, CTM Independence Day?*, TRADEMARK WORLD (August 2001)
- *The Do's and Dont's of Domain Names Disputes in Italy*, TRADEMARK WORLD (MAY 2001)
- *Introduction to the Community Trade Mark and Instructions for Use* (Co-author, Società Italiana Brevetti, May 2000)
- *The Community Trademark Spices Up*, TRADEMARK WORLD (August 1999), reprinted in ECTA NEWSLETTER as *The Spice Girls Really Spice the CTM Up!* (October 1999)
- *Playboy and the Internet in Italy: The Playboy Case*, TRADEMARK WORLD (June-July 1999)
- *The Community Trade Mark Procedure and Function of the Board of Appeal*, TRADEMARK WORLD (June-July 1996) reprinted in IP WORLD (1996)