

GLOBAL CONGRESS

Combating Counterfeiting & Piracy

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Date

2 – 4 June 2009

Hosted by INTERPOL



Venue

Cancun Center, Cancun, Mexico

and



Information

Registration details will be available soon on the Congress website at www.ccapcongress.net. Inquiries about sponsorships, exhibit opportunities or other information about the Congress and its Steering Group can be sent to joseph.clark@ccapcongress.net.

The Global Congress

The Global Congress on Combating Counterfeiting and Piracy is the pre-eminent global forum for shaping practical strategies to meet the shared challenges posed by the worldwide problem of counterfeiting and piracy. This illegal activity threatens the health and safety of consumers, restricts economic development, reduces government revenues, and hurts businesses and brand reputations. The Congress, a unique public-private partnership of the World Customs Organization (WCO), INTERPOL, the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) and the private sector, organizes an annual event and other activities to enhance international coordination and cooperation and to seek more effective solutions to combat counterfeiting and piracy.

The Fifth Global Congress will build on the successes of the first four Global Congresses (Brussels-2004, Lyon-2005, Geneva-2007, Dubai-2008). The Congress now moves to the Western Hemisphere with support from the Mexican government. It will be focused on developing tangible solutions to the current challenges in fighting counterfeiting and piracy globally, and will include special sessions devoted to the increasing problems in Mexico, Central and South America.

Participants

Government ministers and policy-makers, business leaders, senior law enforcement officials, judges, stakeholders from non-governmental organizations and industry groups are invited to participate. The Fifth Global Congress will be structured to allow for maximum interaction and dialogue among the more than 1000 participants expected to register.

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- INTERPOL



- World Customs Organization (WCO)



- World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)



In cooperation with

- International Chamber of Commerce – BASCAP



- International Security Management Association



- International Trademark Association

