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ESQUEMA DE LAS ACTIVIDADES DE COOPERACIÓN SUR-SUR DE LA ORGANIZACIÓN MUNDIAL DE LA PROPIEDAD INTELECTUAL

Documento preparado por la Oficina internacional de la OMPI

1. En su decimotercera sesión, celebrada en mayo de 2014, el Comité de Propiedad Intelectual y Desarrollo (CDIP), al examinar el *Informe de evaluación del proyecto relativo a la intensificación de la cooperación Sur-Sur en materia de P.I. y desarrollo entre los países en desarrollo y los PMA* (documento CDIP/13/4), pidió a la Secretaría que trace un esquema de las actividades de cooperación Sur-Sur que lleva a cabo la Organización Mundial de la Propiedad Intelectual (OMPI).
2. Por consiguiente, se ha procedido a trazar un esquema de las actividades de cooperación Sur-Sur que llevó a cabo la OMPI en el bienio 2014/15.
3. *Se invita al CDIP a tomar nota de la información contenida en el Anexo del presente documento.*

[Sigue el Anexo]

I. INTRODUCCIÓN Y DEFINICIONES

1. El presente documento fue preparado con miras a exponer a los Estados miembros una reseña de las actividades de desarrollo relacionadas con la P.I. realizadas por la Organización en el contexto de la cooperación Sur-Sur. Esta iniciativa se tomó para dar cumplimiento a una recomendación derivada de una evaluación independiente de un proyecto de la Agenda para el Desarrollo, a saber, *Intensificación de la cooperación Sur-Sur en materia de P.I. y desarrollo entre los países en desarrollo y los PMA (2012-2015)*, en la que se invita a “trazar un esquema de las actividades Sur-Sur existentes en la OMPI”¹.
2. La evaluación independiente del proyecto de la A.D. sobre la cooperación Sur-Sur confirmó la pertinencia y el considerable valor añadido que podría aportar dicha cooperación a los Estados miembros y beneficiarios directos, así como en lo que se refiere a las prioridades en el plano internacional. De dicha evaluación se deduce que la cooperación Sur-Sur complementa la cooperación Norte-Sur, que constituye un “instrumento eficaz para capitalizar la experiencia, y que resulta particularmente útil a la luz de la problemática particular que se plantea a los países en desarrollo y PMA a la hora de utilizar los sistemas de P.I. en pos de su desarrollo socioeconómico.”²
3. Para una definición operacional de lo que se entiende por cooperación Sur-Sur, cabe remitirse al “Marco de directrices operacionales para el apoyo de las Naciones Unidas a la cooperación Sur-Sur”, a saber, “un proceso por el cual dos o más países en desarrollo procuran alcanzar sus objetivos individuales o compartidos de fomento de la capacidad nacional por medio de intercambios de conocimientos, personal calificado, recursos y servicios de especialistas, y por medio de iniciativas colectivas regionales e internacionales, incluidas asociaciones de colaboración entre gobiernos, organizaciones regionales, la sociedad civil, las instituciones académicas y el sector privado, en beneficio propio o mutuo entre las regiones y dentro de ellas. La cooperación Sur-Sur no es sustitutiva de la cooperación Norte-Sur, sino más bien un complemento de esta.”³
4. Análogamente, en la Conferencia de Alto Nivel de las Naciones Unidas sobre la Cooperación Sur-Sur, que tuvo lugar en Nairobi (diciembre de 2009) se reafirmó que “la cooperación Sur-Sur es una empresa común de los pueblos y los países del Sur, surgida de experiencias compartidas y afinidades, sobre la base de sus objetivos comunes y su solidaridad, y guiada, entre otras cosas, por los principios del respeto de la soberanía y la implicación nacionales, libres de condicionalidad. La cooperación Sur-Sur no debería considerarse asistencia oficial para el desarrollo. Se trata de una asociación de colaboración entre iguales basada en la solidaridad.”⁴

¹ Dicho informe de evaluación fue presentado al CDIP en su 13ª sesión (mayo de 2014). Véase el documento CDIP/13/4 “Resumen del informe de evaluación del proyecto relativo a la intensificación de la cooperación Sur-Sur en materia de P.I. y desarrollo entre los países en desarrollo y los PMA”.

² Documento CDIP/13/4, Conclusión 1.

³ Marco de directrices operacionales para el apoyo de las Naciones Unidas a la cooperación Sur-Sur, Nota del Secretario General (SSC/17/3), en respuesta a una petición de la Dependencia Común de Inspección de acordar una definición operacional para la “cooperación Sur-Sur” que pueda ser compartida dentro del sistema de las Naciones Unidas.

⁴ Sexagésimo cuarto período de sesiones de la Asamblea General de las Naciones Unidas, tema 58 b) del programa, A/RES/64/222, 23 de febrero de 2010, pág. 3.

II. LA COOPERACIÓN SUR-SUR EN LA OMPI

5. El planteamiento de una cooperación Sur-Sur enfocada hacia el fomento del intercambio entre países en desarrollo y PMA en el ámbito de la P.I. es un componente arraigado en la labor de la OMPI, pero nunca ha sido conceptualizado como tal.⁵ De ahí que no se cuente con documentos centrales de políticas o estrategias ni de directrices sobre el tema. En el presupuesto por programas de 2016/17 se hace por primera vez referencia explícita a la cooperación Sur-Sur, concretamente, en el Programa 9 (Países africanos, árabes, de América Latina y el Caribe, de Asia y el Pacífico, y países menos adelantados) y en el Programa 20 (Relaciones exteriores, alianzas y oficinas en el exterior, Oficina de la OMPI en el Brasil).⁶

6. Partiendo de las definiciones de “cooperación Sur-Sur” formuladas y aceptadas en el sistema de las Naciones Unidas, la Secretaría de la OMPI ha examinado, a los fines de la iniciativa de trazar un esquema, las actividades de desarrollo que lleva a cabo⁷ y ha determinado las que, sobre la base de los principios anteriormente enunciados y conforme a su mandato, *facilitan un intercambio de conocimientos y experiencias mutuamente beneficiosos entre países en desarrollo y PMA, y fomentan la innovación, la creatividad y la utilización efectiva del sistema de propiedad intelectual en aras del desarrollo económico, tecnológico, social y cultural.*

7. En el marco de los principios mencionados en el párrafo 6, en el esquema de actividades de cooperación Sur-Sur que se expone en el Apéndice del presente documento figura una lista de actividades realizadas por la Organización y en las que tanto el o los *países beneficiarios* como *el país anfitrión/proveedor* son países en desarrollo o países menos adelantados (PMA), y en las que *todos, o la mayoría de oradores/expertos* proceden de un país en desarrollo o PMA.

8. Se incluyen en el esquema varias actividades realizadas por la OMPI con participación de fondos fiduciarios de países en desarrollo, por ejemplo, el Brasil y la República de Corea. No se incluyen las actividades realizadas; a) en la sede de la OMPI en Ginebra; b) en un país desarrollado; c) con financiación de países desarrollados, incluidos los fondos fiduciarios de países desarrollados; d) en países con economías en

⁵ Véase el documento CDIP/13/4, “Resumen del informe de evaluación del proyecto relativo a la intensificación de la cooperación Sur-Sur en materia de P.I. y desarrollo entre los países en desarrollo y los PMA”, Conclusión 1: “Si bien la OMPI ya había aplicado un enfoque de cooperación Sur-Sur, es la primera vez que el tema se trata en un proyecto específico, centrando la atención de la Organización, como era necesario, en la importancia de la cuestión y destacándola.”

⁶ Véase la Propuesta de presupuesto por programas para el bienio 2016/17, Programa 9, párrafo 9.11., pág 88: “Habida cuenta de la creciente importancia de la cooperación subregional, regional e interregional, incluida la cooperación Sur-Sur, entre los países en desarrollo, las Oficinas Regionales en la sede desempeñarán un papel preponderante, favoreciendo las modalidades de esta cooperación horizontal.” Y en lo que se refiere al Programa 20, en la parte dedicada a la Oficina de la OMPI en el Brasil (OOB), párrafo 20.15, página 162: “La OOB gestiona dos fondos fiduciarios entre el Gobierno del Brasil y la OMPI, que, entre otras cosas, tienen por objeto fomentar una cultura de P.I. entre las instituciones internacionales y nacionales y los usuarios mediante la cooperación Sur-Sur establecida entre los países en desarrollo, dentro y fuera de la región de América Latina.”

⁷ En el Anexo II del documento WO/PBC/24/17, “Definición revisada de “gastos destinados a desarrollo” a efectos contables”, se ofrece una amplia definición de lo que la OMPI considera “actividades orientadas a potenciar el desarrollo”. En el documento se entiende que esas actividades son aquellas que son financiadas y brindadas por la OMPI a los países en desarrollo y países menos adelantados (PMA) sin que “se haya previsto un gasto equivalente para los países desarrollados”. En el documento se añade que “[c]onforme a lo que se viene haciendo hasta la fecha, a los fines del presupuesto por programas se incluye a los países con economías en transición.” No obstante, se desarrollan los principios de la cooperación Sur-Sur establecidos por las Naciones Unidas a los fines de contemplar la *cooperación entre países en desarrollo y países menos adelantados (PMA)*. Conforme a esos principios, las actividades reseñadas en la iniciativa de trazar un esquema se limitan específicamente a esos grupos de países.

transición; e) con participación de un único país (actividades nacionales, con participantes y oradores nacionales).⁸

9. El presente esquema ha sido elaborado recurriendo a la base de datos de asistencia técnica en materia de P.I. (IP-TAD) como fuente de información sobre las actividades realizadas por la Organización en el bienio 2014-15⁹.

II. ESQUEMA DE LAS ACTIVIDADES DE COOPERACIÓN SUR-SUR

10. La elaboración de este esquema constituye la primera iniciativa que toma la OMPI para identificar y agrupar actividades que, conforme a las definiciones que dan las Naciones Unidas, y en sintonía con el mandato de la OMPI, pueden ser consideradas actividades de cooperación Sur-Sur. En relación con el bienio 2014-2015, y sobre la base de los principios anteriormente mencionados acerca de la cooperación Sur-Sur, se determinó que se habían llevado a cabo 83 actividades.

11. A los fines de trazar el presente esquema, se han dividido las actividades de cooperación Sur-Sur en 9 áreas temáticas principales. Dichas actividades se enumeran por orden cronológico en que se han llevado a cabo en el bienio 2014-2015.

12. Respecto de cada actividad enumerada en el Apéndice se suministra la siguiente información:

- Fecha de la actividad;
- Nombre;
- Objetivo;
- Resultado previsto;
- Lugar / País anfitrión/proveedor;
- País/países beneficiario(s);
- Número de participantes;
- Idioma(s) utilizado(s); y
- Costo.

13. Cabe recordar que la Dependencia Común de Inspección de las Naciones Unidas ha dicho que “[l]os órganos legislativos y rectores de las organizaciones del sistema de las Naciones Unidas deberían pedir a los Jefes Ejecutivos que destinen un porcentaje determinado —no menos del 0,5%— de los recursos del presupuesto básico al fomento de la cooperación Sur-Sur en sus respectivas esferas de competencia, en consulta con los países destinatarios de los programas”.¹⁰

14. El total de gastos no relativos al personal que supuso la realización de dichas actividades de cooperación Sur-Sur ascendió a 3.513.085 francos suizos. Eso representó el 1,5 por ciento del total de gastos no relativos al personal en el bienio 2014/2015.

⁸ Conforme a la definición anteriormente mencionada (párrafo 6), en las actividades que constan en el esquema adjunto pueden quedar incluidos, en unos pocos casos, un pequeño número de participantes de países desarrollados o países en transición. En esos casos, los participantes procedentes de países desarrollados financiaron su participación en la actividad.

⁹ La base de datos de asistencia técnica en materia de P.I. (IP-TAD) suministra información sobre las actividades de asistencia técnica de la OMPI en las que uno más de los beneficiarios sean un país en desarrollo o país menos adelantado, o un país en transición. A efectos prácticos de preparación del presente documento, se decidió que el 31 de octubre de 2015 sería la fecha límite para recabar y analizar los datos relativos a las actividades de cooperación Sur-Sur. La base de datos, que permite hacer búsquedas completas, puede consultarse en <http://www.wipo.int/tad/es/>.

¹⁰ Recomendación 9, JIU/REP/2011/3.

15. La información contenida en el Apéndice del presente documento también puede consultarse en la base de datos Sur-Sur de asistencia técnica en P.I.
<http://www.wipo.int/sscip/tad> .

[Sigue el Apéndice (en inglés)]

IV. APPENDIX: List of South-South Cooperation Activities within the World Intellectual Property Organization

IV.1 IP Subject Areas

The activities contained in this mapping document have been grouped into the following 12 main IP subject areas:

1. **Copyright and Creative Industries**
2. **Patents**
3. **Innovation**
4. **Trademarks, Geographical Indications and Branding**
5. **National IP Strategies and Policies**
6. **IP Education**
7. **IP Management**
8. **Building Respect for IP**
9. **Office Automation**

IV.2 List of Acronyms

AIPN	Advanced Industrial Property Network
AN2PI	Agence National de la Propriété Industrielle et de la Promotion de l'Innovation du Niger
APEC	Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation
ARIPO	African Regional Intellectual Property Organization
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations
ASPEC	ASEAN Patent Examination Cooperation
ATs	Appropriate Technologies
BEG	Business Expert Group
CARICOM	Caribbean Community
CATI	Centros de Apoyo a la Tecnología e Innovación (TISC)
CEDA	Caribbean Export Development Agency
CCD	Espacenet and Common Citation Document (CCD)
CLMV	Group Cambodia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Myanmar, Viet Nam
CIPC	Companies and Intellectual Property Commission
CNPI	Centre National de Propriété Intellectuelle du Sénégal
CTCN	Climate Technology Centre and Network
DIP	Department of Intellectual Property of Thailand
EDMS	Electronic Document Management System
EG	Egyptian Patent Office
FIT/ROK-IP	Funds-in-Trust/Republic of Korea Industrial Property
GIs	Geographical Indications
HIPOC	Heads of IP Office Conference
IBEPI	Inter-Governmental Committee
IDB	Inter-American Development Bank
ICE	Patent scope and the International Cooperation on Examination by WIPO
IPAS	Industrial Property Automation System
IPEA	International Preliminary Examining Authority
IPOS	Intellectual Property Office of Singapore
IMPI	Mexican Institute of Industrial Property
ISA	International Searching Authority
JAMPRO	Jamaica Investment and Promotion Corporation
JIPO	Jamaica Intellectual Property Office
KCC	Korea Copyright Commission
KIPO	Korea Intellectual Property Office
LDCs	Least Developed Countries
MCST	Ministry of Culture, Sports and Tourism of the Republic of Korea
NDEs	National Designated Entities
OAPI	Office African Property Intellectual
OECS	Organization of Eastern Caribbean States
OLPs	Origin Linked Products and Branding
ONDA	Algerian National Office of Copyright and Related Rights
OMPIC	Office marocain de la propriété industrielle et commerciale
PCT	Patent Cooperation Treaty
SAARC	South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation
SADC	Southern African Development Community
TISC	Technology and Innovation Support Centers
TTOs	Constitution and Functioning of Technology Transfer Offices
WCC	Copyright Connection
WSO	WIPO Office in Singapore

Copyright and Creative Industries

1.

Date:	14/04/2014 to 25/04/2014
Activity:	Training Program on Collective Management of Copyright and Related Rights
Objective:	To enhance knowledge of officers from collective management organizations (CMO) from the Arab Region.
Expected Results:	Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity
Host Country:	Algeria
Beneficiary Countries:	Algeria, Iraq, Kuwait, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Sudan, Yemen
No. of Participants:	8
Language:	Arabic, French
Cost:	33, 052.00 Swiss francs

2.

Date:	24/04/2014 to 25/04/2014
Activity:	Regional Seminar on Creative Industries
Objective:	To discuss major trends and issues on the impact of creative industries to national economies in Asia and to exchange views and experiences on effective policies to promote the growth and competitiveness of these industries.
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Singapore
Beneficiary Countries:	Bangladesh, Bhutan, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, China, Fiji, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea Philippines, Republic of Korea, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Viet Nam
No. of Participants:	31
Language:	English
Cost:	74,962.00 Swiss francs

3.

Date: 13/10/2014 to 17/10/2014

Activity: WIPO-MCST-KCC Interregional Workshop on Copyright Enforcement *

Objective: To consider the value of copyrights and related rights (CR) protection and enforcement to the social, economic and cultural development of the participating countries. Also to provide basic training on remedies and CR enforcement measures with particular focus on the digital environment.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Republic of Korea

Beneficiary Countries: China, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mongolia, Nigeria, Republic of Korea, South Africa, Turkey

No. of Participants: 19

Language: English, Korean

Cost: 110,983.00 Swiss francs

4.

Date: 18/05/2015 to 29/05/2015

Activity: WIPO/ONDA Training Program on Collective Management of Copyright and Related Rights

Objective: To enhance skills of officers from collective management organizations (CMO) from the Arab region to better manage works and distribute royalties of the stakeholders using new techniques.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition.

Host Country: Algeria

Beneficiary Countries: Algeria, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Oman, Yemen, Palestine

No. of Participants: 8

Language: Arabic

Cost: 24,091.00 Swiss francs

Patents

5.

Date:	04/03/2014 to 13/03/2014
Activity:	Workshop on Patent Law and Examination*
Objective:	To enhance the knowledge of patent examiners of the principles of patent law and patent examination procedures, increase their skills in actual examination of patent applications and provide an opportunity for open discussions with fellow examiners who may have different views and approaches to innovation of patents.
Expected Results:	Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity
Host Country:	Republic of Korea
Beneficiary Countries:	Bangladesh, Botswana, Cambodia, China, Colombia, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of) Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Malaysia, Mexico, Mongolia, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Saudi Arabia, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Uganda, Viet Nam
No. of Participants:	23
Language:	English
Cost:	68,945.00 Swiss francs

6.

Date:	12/05/2014 to 16/05/2014
Activity:	WIPO-OMPI Training Course on Patent Procedures
Objective:	To enhance knowledge of patent examiners from industrial property offices from the Arab Region mainly on patent procedural matters.
Expected Results:	Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity
Host Country:	Morocco
Beneficiary Countries:	Algeria, Iraq, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Sudan, Tunisia, Yemen
No. of Participants:	10
Language:	Arabic, French
Cost:	28,908.00 Swiss francs

7.

Date: 30/09/2014 to 01/10/2014

Activity: Reunión Centroamericana de Expertos para la creación de una Red Subregional de CATI

Objective: To discuss and agree a draft proposal for the establishment of a Sub Regional TISC network taking into account the evaluation of the national TISC network functioning up to date

Expected Results: To discuss and agree a draft proposal for the establishment of a Sub Regional TISC network taking into account the evaluation of the national TISC network functioning up to date

Host Country: Honduras

Beneficiary Countries: Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama

No. of Participants: 14

Language: Spanish

Cost: 27,830.00 Swiss francs

8.

Date: 22/10/2014 to 24/10/2014

Activity: PCT Regional Seminar and ISA/IPEA -related activities

Objective: To understand the experiences of universities and research institutions in the PCT system. Also understand the experiences of national offices in designing policies to promote the use of the PCT in universities and research institutions.

Expected Results: Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity

Host Country: Chile

Beneficiary Countries: Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominica Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Peru,

No. of Participants: 37

Language: Spanish

Cost: 19,028.00 Swiss francs

9.

Date: 21/01/2015 to 23/01/2015

Activity: WIPO-OAPI Sub-Regional Seminar on the Protection and Valuation of Research Findings for Teachers and Researchers from Central Africa

Objective: To enhance knowledge and skills of teachers and researchers from universities and research and development institutions to properly value and protect the findings of their research through the IP system.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Cameroon

Beneficiary Countries: Burundi, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Gabon, Rwanda

No. of Participants: 10

Language: French

Cost: 33,946.00 Swiss francs

10.

Date: 03/03/2015 to 27/03/2015

Activity: Workshop on Patent Law and Examination & On the Job Training Pilot Program*

Objective: To enhance the examiners knowledge of the principles of patent law and patent examination procedures, increase their skills in actual examination of patent applications and provide an opportunity for open discussions with fellow examiners who may have different views and approaches to innovation of patents.

Expected Results: Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity

Host Country: Republic of Korea

Beneficiary Countries: Bangladesh, Cambodia, Colombia, Egypt, Ghana, India, Indonesia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mongolia, Nigeria, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Tunisia, Viet Nam

No. of Participants: 25

Language: English

Cost:	80,480.00 Swiss francs
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11. .

Date:	27/08/2015 to 28/08/2015
Activity:	WIPO Regional Workshop on Free and Open Source Tools for Patent Analysis*
Objective:	To bring together representatives from research and development institutions and universities in Brazil as well as representatives from selected IP Offices in Latin America providing patent analytic services. It also served as a platform for discussion and feedback to the Manual on Open Source Patent Analytics Tools which is currently under preparation
Expected Results:	Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity
Host Country:	Brazil
Beneficiary Countries:	Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Cuba, Mexico and Uruguay
No. of Participants:	50
Language:	Spanish
Cost:	38,848.00 Swiss francs

12.

Date:	07/09/2015 to 08/09/2015
Activity:	Sub-Regional Seminar on Patent Law and Policy
Objective:	To cover the scope of the patent system, the evolution of the patent policy issues, with a particular focus on flexibilities and the links between different policies.
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Costa Rica
Beneficiary Countries:	Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama
No. of Participants:	8
Language:	English, Spanish
Cost:	23,922.00 Swiss francs

13. .

Date:	17/09/2015 to 22/09/2015
Activity:	Segundo Taller de Entrenamiento de la OMPI sobre información y búsqueda de patentes y reunión Centroamericana de expertos para la creación de una red subregional de CATI's
Objective:	To strengthen the capacity to use IP information resources available in the provision of patent information value added services by the TISC National Network and provide training on search strategies and analysis of results thereof to TISC national network staff
Expected Results:	Enhanced technical and knowledge infrastructure for IP Offices and other IP institutions leading to better services (cheaper, faster, higher quality) to their stakeholders
Host Country:	Costa Rica
Beneficiary Countries:	Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama
No. of Participants:	14
Language:	Spanish
Cost:	32,981.00 Swiss francs

14.

Date:	13/10/2015 to 16/10/2015
Activity:	ASEAN Sub-Regional Study Visit within the framework of the ASEAN TISC Project
Objective:	To provide the participants who will be the national focal point contact persons with an opportunity to learn directly about IPOPHL's role as the national coordinator and champion in initiating and developing the ITSO network.
Expected Results:	Enhanced technical and knowledge infrastructure for IP Offices and other IP institutions leading to better services (cheaper, faster, higher quality) to their stakeholder
Host Country:	Philippines
Beneficiary Countries:	Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Thailand, Viet Nam
No. of Participants:	10
Language:	English
Cost:	19,060.00 Swiss francs

15.	
Date:	03/11/2015 to 05/11/2015
Activity:	WIPO Regional PCT Workshop for all Arab states
Objective:	To organize a regional workshop activity on the PCT for all Arab States with the primary objective of promoting EG as ISA/IPEA
Expected Results:	Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity
Host Country:	Egypt
Beneficiary Countries:	Algeria, Bahrain, Comoros, Djibouti, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Mauritania, Morocco, Oman, Palestine, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen
No. of Participants:	23
Language:	Arabic, English
Cost:	4,810.00 Swiss francs
16.	
Date:	23/11/2015 to 26/11/2015
Activity:	International Congress on Patents and Invention; Budapest Treaty Seminar, PCT Workshop and related activities
Objective:	To stimulate and encourage a patent culture in Peru. WIPO's participation was not limited to the official program but allowed interactions and exchanges of experiences with the participants in these events.
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Peru
Beneficiary Countries:	Cuba, Dominican Republic, Peru
No. of Participants:	6
Language:	Spanish
Cost:	14,122.00 Swiss francs

17.

Date: 23/11/2015 to 04/12/2015

Activity: Regional Intermediate Training Program on Patent Examination for Latin American Countries*

Objective: To improve capacity on patent examination

Expected Results: Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity

Host Country: Brazil

Beneficiary Countries: Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela

No. of Participants: 20

Language: Portuguese, Spanish

Cost: 65,808.00 Swiss francs

Innovation

18.

Date:	02/07/2014 to 04/07/2014
Activity:	Regional Seminar on Utilization of IP to Develop and Disseminate Appropriate Technology & APEC Workshop on Appropriate Technology*
Objective:	To exchange views on IP issues related to development of Appropriate Technology, share national experiences on utilizing AT's for community based development, define the role of IP offices in promoting AT's, and identify ways to overcome challenges in dissemination and commercialization of AT's.
Expected Results:	Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity
Host Country:	Republic of Korea
Beneficiary Country:	Bangladesh, Cambodia, Ghana, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mongolia, Pakistan, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Viet Nam, Zambia
No. of Participants:	18
Language:	English, Korean
Cost:	29,131.00 Swiss francs

19.

Date:	08/09/2014 to 11/09/2014
Activity:	VII ENAPID (<i>Encontro Acadêmico de Propriedade Intelectual, Inovação e Desenvolvimento</i>) - Academic Meeting on Intellectual Property, Innovation and Development.*
Objective:	To enhance the knowledge about the role of Intellectual Property in Innovation and Development.
Expected Results:	Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity
Host Country:	Brazil
Beneficiary Countries:	Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Mexico, Peru, Uruguay,
No. of Participants:	6
Language:	Spanish, Portuguese
Cost:	39,028.00 Swiss francs

20.

Date: 04/11/2014 to 08/11/2014

Activity: WIPO Contribution to the VII World Congress of Scientific Youth

Objective: To provide training of trainers program on effective intellectual property asset management by small and medium sized enterprises.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Argentina

Beneficiary Countries: Argentina, Dominican Republic

No. of Participants: 8

Language: Spanish

Cost: 1,238.00 Swiss francs

21.

Date: 11/06/2014 to 13/06/2014

Activity: Meeting on Developing National & Regional Approaches to Technology and Innovation Support

Objective: To build on developing national and regional approaches to enhancing technology and innovation support and commercialization of R&D results and patents through networking, knowledge/sharing, resource/leveraging and exploring collaborative endeavors

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Morocco

Beneficiary Countries: Algeria, Egypt, Mauritania, Morocco, Sudan, Tunisia

No. of Participants: 6

Language: Arabic, French

Cost: 27.478.00 Swiss francs

22.

Date:	17/11/2014 to 20/11/2014
Activity:	Sub-Regional Seminar on International Technology Transfer and Open Innovation for a Few Countries from SAARC & Bilateral Consultations
Objective:	To strengthen the knowledge and develop skills of the participants on the management and commercialization process of IP Assets, discuss challenges and opportunities of IP based collaboration and international technology transfer, promote awareness on open innovation.
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition.
Host Country:	Nepal
Beneficiary Countries:	Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Nepal.
No. of Participants:	8
Language:	English
Cost:	31, 716.00 Swiss francs

23.

Date:	10/12/2014 to 12/12/2014
Activity:	Taller Regional sobre Transferencia de Tecnología
Objective:	To discuss about aspects related to the establishment of technology transfer policies and about strategic models to foster innovation
Expected Results:	National innovation and IP strategies and plans consistent with national development objectives
Host Country:	Uruguay
Beneficiary Countries:	Argentina, Chile, Paraguay, Uruguay, Venezuela
No. of Participants:	6
Language:	English, Portuguese, Spanish
Cost:	24,012.00 Swiss francs

24. .

Date:	04/03/2015 to 05/03/2015
Activity:	Sub-Regional Meeting for the Establishment of Mechanisms for Collaboration in the Constitution and Functioning of Technology Transfer Offices (TTOs) in Central American Countries and the Dominican Republic
Objective:	To prepare depending on the situation and strategic policies on innovation and IP Management of each country a proposal of guidelines and work plan to support the establishment and/or strengthening of TTOs in the region as well as a plan of possible sub regional collaboration actions on short and medium terms in respect. These proposals for guidelines and roadmap will be analyzed on the next meeting of Ministers of Central American countries.
Expected Results:	Enhanced technical and knowledge infrastructure for IP Offices and other IP institutions leading to better services (cheaper, faster, higher quality) to their stakeholders
Host Country:	Panama
Beneficiary Countries:	Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama
No. of Participants:	12
Language:	Spanish
Cost:	33,708.00 Swiss francs

25.

Date: 28/04/2015 to 29/04/2015

Activity: Partnership for Innovation and Technological Capacity Building in the Least Developed Countries of Asia and the Pacific Region

Objective: To discuss the innovation and technology capacity issues of the LDCs of the region and present how the capacity building and development of the innovation system can be used for addressing their national development challenges.

Expected Results: Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity

Host Country: Thailand

Beneficiary Countries: Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Cambodia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Myanmar, Nepal, Solomon Islands, Thailand, East Timor.

No. of Participants: 30

Language: English

Cost: 85,650.00 Swiss francs

26.

Date: 29/04/2015 to 30/04/2015

Activity: Regional Seminar on the Dissemination of Appropriate Technology Inventions*

Objective: To enhance the capacities of WIPO Member States through a better understanding on how IP-utilized appropriate technology can help boost their economies. Provide a platform to share experience and knowledge regarding the enhancement of appropriate technology through IP information.

Expected Results: Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity

Host Country: Republic of Korea

Beneficiary Countries: Bangladesh, Bhutan, Cambodia, Chad, Ethiopia, Ghana, Guatemala, Indonesia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mongolia, Nepal, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Viet Nam, Zambia.

No. of Participants: 30

Language: English

Cost: 125,579.00 Swiss francs

27.

Date:	05/05/2015 to 06/05/2015
Activity:	Inter-Regional Expert Meeting on South-South and Triangular Cooperation for Access to Information and Knowledge, Innovation Support and Technology Transfer
Objective:	To provide opportunity for experts from the Latin America region to exchange knowledge and best practices in the field of IP and technology transfer management and to discuss experiences in the establishment of public-private partnerships in the region
Expected Results:	Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity
Host Country:	Peru
Beneficiary Countries:	Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Egypt, Kenya, Mauritius, Morocco, Nepal, Peru, Philippines, Zambia
No. of Participants:	61
Language:	English, Spanish
Cost:	110,129.00 Swiss francs

Trademarks, Geographical Indications and Branding

28.

Date: 23/04/2014 to 30/04/2014

Activity: Workshop on Trademark Law and Examination*

Objective: To enhance the knowledge of trademark examiners of the principles of trademark law and trademark examination procedures increase their skills in actual examination of trademark applications and provide an opportunity to exchange views on issues related to the Madrid System.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Republic of Korea

Beneficiary Countries: Bangladesh, Bhutan, Botswana, Cambodia, China, Egypt, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of) Jamaica, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Mongolia, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Saudi Arabia, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, Viet Nam, Zambia

No. of Participants: 23

Language: English, Korean

Cost: 62,623.00 Swiss francs

29.

Date: 28/04/2014 to 30/04/2014

Activity: Sub-regional seminar on: (i) the Lisbon System for the Protection of Geographical Indications and Appellations of Origin; (ii) the Management of Geographical Indications; and 2. Excursion to the production area of Penja pepper

Objective: To promote the Lisbon system for the protection and international registration of GI's and AO's. Also share best practices for the practical management and protection of GI's and AO's.

Expected Results: Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity

Host Country: Cameroon

Beneficiary Countries: Benin, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Equatorial Guinea, Gabon, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Senegal, Togo

No. of Participants: 16

Language: English, French

Cost: 36,821.00 Swiss francs

30.

Date: 28/05/2014 to 29/05/2014

Activity: WIPO Follow-up Workshop on Geographical Indications and Branding for CARICOM Countries

Objective: To provide follow-up and further training of participants to use GIs and other forms of IP for added value to nationally/locally produced goods and also branding origin linked products in the region. Provide assistance to CARICOM countries in the implementation of IP provisions of CARIFORUM-EPA.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Antigua and Barbuda

Beneficiary Countries: Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Grenada, Jamaica, Trinidad and Tobago

No. of Participants: 5

Language: English

Cost: 33,500.00 Swiss francs

31.

Date: 08/09/2014 to 10/09/2014

Activity: Roundtable on IP Product and Branding for CLMV and Sub-Regional Seminar on IP and Branding of Products with Strong Geographical Origin for ASEAN Countries

Objective: To enhance the knowledge about the role of IP in branding of local products and exchange national experiences in developing IP and brand strategies.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Viet Nam

Beneficiary Countries: Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Viet Nam

No. of Participants: 19

Language: English, French

Cost: 50,060.00 Swiss francs

32.

Date: 15/10/2014 to 17/10/2014

Activity: Capacity Building Workshop for Cooperatives and Farmers Associations on Geographical Indications/Origin Linked Products and Branding

Objective: To build capacity of cooperatives and farmers associations using WIPO developed training materials on the use of IP tools for the identification promotion and protection of GI's and origin linked products. To provide training on the codes of practice and the setting up of regulatory bodies

Expected Results: Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity

Host Country: Trinidad and Tobago

Beneficiary Countries: Antigua and Barbuda, Grenada, Jamaica, Trinidad and Tobago

No. of Participants: 4

Language: English

Cost: 20,104.00 Swiss francs

33.

Date: 26/11/2014 to 28/11/2014

Activity: Study Visit of the Trademarks Officer from Saint Lucia to the Trinidad and Tobago IP Office

Objective: To provide the trademark officer with an understanding of the structure and daily operations of the Trademarks Department from processing new applications, reception of documents through to issuance of certificate with emphasis in the use of the IPAS system in the daily activities

Expected Results: Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity

Host Country: Trinidad and Tobago

Beneficiary Countries: Saint Lucia,

No. of Participants: 1

Language: English

Cost: 1,895.00 Swiss francs

34.

Date: 20/05/2015 to 27/05/2015

Activity: Workshop on Trademark Law and Examination*

Objective: To enhance the knowledge of trademark examiners of the principles of trademark law and trademark examination procedures, increase their skills in actual examination of the trademark applications, provide an opportunity to exchange views on national trademark systems and challenges in trademark examination and increase the understanding and utilization of the Madrid System.

Expected Results: Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity

Host Country: Republic of Korea

Beneficiary Countries: Algeria, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Botswana, Cambodia, India, Indonesia, Jordan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Mongolia, Nepal, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Trinidad and Tobago, Viet Nam, Zimbabwe

No. of Participants: 23

Language: English, Korean

Cost: 96,034.00 Swiss francs

35.

Date:	29/06/2015 to 30/06/2015
Activity:	Joint WIPO/IDB/CEDA/CARICOM Workshops on GIs/OLPs and Branding
Objective:	To provide advanced training to producer groups in the strategic use of IP, supply chain development and marketing in the agricultural sector. Obtain feedback and assessment from producer groups on the project
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Jamaica
Beneficiary Countries:	Antigua and Barbuda, Barbados, Belize, Dominica, Grenada, Jamaica, Saint Lucia, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago
No. of Participants:	13
Language:	English
Cost:	24,500.00 Swiss francs

36.

Date:	09/09/2015 to 11/09/2015
Activity:	Sub-Regional Meeting of Experts on Trademarks of Central American Countries and the Dominican Republic on Continued Collaboration in the Administration of Trademark Systems and on the Madrid Protocol
Objective:	To discuss the legal implications of the Madrid Protocol and its regulations, to have an overview of its legal procedures, to discuss possible considerations and a roadmap for its implementation and to review the implementation of the trademark examination manual.
Expected Results:	Tailored and balanced IP legislative, regulatory and policy frameworks
Host Country:	Honduras
Beneficiary Countries:	Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama
No. of Participants:	11
Language:	Spanish
Cost:	16,649.00 Swiss francs

National IP Strategies and Policies

37.

Date:	04/08/2014 to 09/08/2014
Activity:	Projet d'élaboration d'un plan national de l'innovation et de la propriété intellectuelle au Niger.
Objective:	Organiser une mission multidisciplinaire à Niamey afin de procéder à un audit pour proposer à terme une stratégie nationale de développement de la propriété intellectuelle pour un Développement effectif de la politique économique, sociale et culturelle du Niger.
Expected Results:	National innovation and IP strategies and plans consistent with national development objectives
Host Country:	Niger
Beneficiary Countries:	Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Niger
No. of Participants:	3
Language:	French
Cost:	32,261.00 Swiss francs

38.

Date: 21/10/2014 to 23/10/2014

Activity: Regional Workshop on IP as a Policy Tool for Development

Objective: To enhance the knowledge about the methodology and process of formulating and implementing national IP Strategies, review policy issues to be addressed by and the possible elements to be incorporated in such policies, taking into account the existing national developmental objectives and goals, discuss the implementation of such strategies to achieve tangible results and generate developmental impacts.

Expected Results: National innovation and IP strategies and plans consistent with national development objectives

Host Country: Republic of Korea

Beneficiary Countries: Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, China, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of) Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mongolia, Nepal, Pakistan, Republic of Korea, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Tonga, East Timor.

No. of Participants: 18

Language: English

Cost: 61,435.00 Swiss francs

39.

Date:	09/06/2015 to 11/06/2015
Activity:	Regional Seminar on Formulation and Implementation of National IP Policy*
Objective:	To share KIPO's experience in formulating and implementing IP Policy, review the challenges which developing countries face in IP policy and discuss appropriate methodologies for formulating and implementing IP Policy in Developing Countries.
Expected Results:	National innovation and IP strategies and plans consistent with national development objectives
Host Country:	Republic of Korea
Beneficiary Countries:	Brazil, Cambodia, Cameroon, Dominican Republic, Egypt, Gambia, Ghana, India, Mexico, Mongolia, Myanmar, Paraguay, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates, Viet Nam, Zambia, Zimbabwe.
No. of Participants:	20
Language:	English
Cost:	68,411.00 Swiss francs

40.

Date:	03/08/2015 to 06/08/2015
Activity:	IV Central American Ministerial Meeting on IP: Establishment of Sub-Regional Cooperation Programs to Promote the Use of the IP System as a Development Tool with Social Inclusion
Objective:	To ensure that IP is considered on high priority in the Agenda of the relevant Ministers of Central American countries and the Dominican Republic and that the debate at the ministerial level on IP strategic issues and policies is maintained with the perspective of achieving future harmonization within several areas related to the IP used for the economic and social development of the region
Expected Results:	National innovation and IP strategies and plans consistent with national development objectives
Host Country:	Nicaragua
Beneficiary Countries:	Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama
No. of Participants:	20
Language:	Spanish
Cost:	78,863.00 Swiss francs

IP Education

41.

Date:	05/03/2014 to 28/02/2015
Activity:	2014/15 Regional Master's Program in IP offered jointly by WIPO, Austral University and INPI Argentina
Objective:	To offer IP Education for Master's Degree to participants from the Latin American Region
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Argentina
Beneficiary Countries:	Argentina, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela
No. of Participants:	17
Language:	Spanish
Cost:	205,875.00 Swiss francs

42.

Date:	30/04/2014 to 31/12/2014
Activity:	WIPO-UNISA Joint intellectual Property Specialization Program
Objective:	To offer IP Education through distance learning program
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	South Africa
Beneficiary Countries:	Egypt, Ghana, India, Iran, Kenya, Niger, Pakistan, Philippines, South Africa, Zambia, Zimbabwe
No. of Participants:	22
Language:	English
Cost:	14,742.00 Swiss francs

43.

Date: 15/05/2014 to 16/05/2014

Activity: WIPO meeting on IP Teaching in Central America

Objective: To discuss and prepare draft guidelines on IP teaching, with a particular focus on Management of IP Assets. The draft would be submitted to the next Ministerial Meeting of Central American Countries.

Expected Results: Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity

Host Country: Costa Rica

Beneficiary Countries: Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama.

No. of Participants: 14

Language: Spanish

Cost: 24,657.00 Swiss francs

44.

Date: 02/06/2014 to 13/06/2014

Activity: WIPO-Mexico Summer School on Intellectual Property

Objective: To provide opportunity for senior students and young professionals to acquire greater knowledge on IP issues, gain an appreciation of IP as a tool for development and an understanding of the role and functions of WIPO.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with Economies in transition

Host Country: Mexico

Beneficiary Countries: Bolivia, Colombia, Cuba, Mexico Peru,

No. of Participants: 31

Language: English, Spanish

Cost: 6,552.00 Swiss francs

45.

Date: 09/06/2014 to 20/06/2014

Activity: WIPO-Jamaica Summer School on IP

Objective: To provide opportunity for senior students and young professionals to acquire greater knowledge on IP issues, gain an appreciation of IP as a tool for development and an understanding of the role and functions of WIPO.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Jamaica

Beneficiary Countries: Belize, Jamaica

No. of Participants: 15

Language: English

Cost: 13,852.00 Swiss francs

46.

Date: 09/06/2014 to 20/06/2014

Activity: WIPO-Singapore Summer School on IP

Objective: To provide opportunity for senior students and young professionals to acquire greater knowledge on IP issues, gain an appreciation of IP as a tool for development and an understanding of the role and functions of WIPO.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Singapore

Beneficiary Countries: China, India, Malaysia, Mongolia, Oman, Philippines, Saudi Arabia, Singapore

No. of Participants: 35

Language: English

Cost: 8,171.00 Swiss francs

47.

Date: 14/07/2014 to 25/07/2014

Activity: WIPO-Korea Summer School on Intellectual Property*

Objective: To provide an opportunity for senior students and young professionals to acquire greater knowledge on IP, enable senior students and young professionals to gain an appreciation of trademarks as a tool for economic, social, cultural and technological development.

Expected Results: Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity

Host Country: Republic of Korea

Beneficiary Countries: Bangladesh, Cameroon, Egypt, Lesotho, Malaysia, Mongolia, Republic of Korea, Viet Nam, Zambia, Zimbabwe

No. of Participants: 12

Language: English

Cost: 29,131.00 Swiss francs

48.

Date: 16/09/2014 to 31/12/2014

Activity: Master's degree in Intellectual Property - Seoul National University*

Objective: To offer IP Education through Master's Degree in IP

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Republic of Korea

Beneficiary Countries: China, Malaysia, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Uzbekistan

No. of Participants: 6

Language: English

Cost: 34,895.00 Swiss francs

49.

Date:	08/10/2014 to 09/10/2014
Activity:	Start-up Academies- cooperation with Tunisia: Workshop on development of distance learning courses
Objective:	To establish a final version of the WIPO General Course of IP-DL101 customized to the Tunisian scenario. Tunisian trainers have been assigned chapters of the DL101 and should submit a customized version before the workshop
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Tunisia
Beneficiary Countries:	Egypt, Morocco, Tunisia
No. of Participants:	10
Language:	Arabic, French
Cost:	7,782.00 Swiss francs

50.

Date:	24/11/2014 to 05/12/2014
Activity:	WIPO-South Africa Advanced Summer School on IP and ToT
Objective:	To provide an opportunity for senior students and young professionals to acquire deeper knowledge on intellectual property and transfer of technology.
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	South Africa
Beneficiary Countries:	Botswana, Brazil, Cameroon, Chile, China, Ethiopia, Ghana Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kenya, Nigeria, South Africa, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, Zimbabwe
No. of Participants:	48
Language:	English
Cost:	29,434.00 Swiss francs

51.

Date: 17/12/2014 to 18/12/2014

Activity: Cooperation with Tunisia: assistance in the establishment of curriculum and horizontal cooperation: Les Marques dans le secteur pharmaceutique: comment les choisir et les protéger

Objective: To assist Tunisian and Egyptian trainers in the development of teaching materials on the use of IP for the promotion of a fair balance between IP protection and public interest.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Tunisia

Beneficiary Countries: Egypt, Tunisia

No. of Participants: 4

Language: Arabic, English

Cost: 4,703.00 Swiss francs

52.

Date: 19/01/2015 to 30/01/2015

Activity: WIPO-Chile Summer School on Intellectual Property

Objective: To provide opportunity for senior students and young professionals to acquire greater knowledge on IP issues, gain an appreciation of IP as a tool for development and an understanding of the role and functions of WIPO.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Chile

Beneficiary Countries: Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay

No. of Participants: 40

Language: Spanish

Cost: 11,775.00 Swiss francs

53.

Date: 02/03/2015 to 31/12/2015

Activity: Master's degree in Intellectual Property - Seoul National University*

Objective: To offer IP Education through Master's Degree in IP

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Republic of Korea

Beneficiary Countries: Bahrain, Egypt, India, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines, Republic of Korea

No. of Participants: 8

Language: English

Cost: 184,854.00 Swiss francs

54.

Date: 03/03/2015 to 30/10/2015

Activity: Regional MIP Program jointly offered by WIPO, Austral University and INPI of Argentina

Objective: To offer IP Education through Master's Degree in IP for candidates from the Latin American Region

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Argentina

Beneficiary Countries: Argentina, Colombia Costa Rica, Cuba, Ecuador El Salvador, Honduras Mexico, Panama, Paraguay, Peru,

No. of Participants: 23

Language: Spanish

Cost: 215,006.00 Swiss francs

55.

Date: 04/05/2015 to 15/05/2015

Activity: WIPO-China Summer School on Intellectual Property

Objective: To provide opportunity for senior students and young professionals to acquire greater knowledge on IP issues, gain an appreciation of IP as a tool for development and an understanding of the role and functions of WIPO.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: China

Beneficiary Countries: Cambodia, China, Ethiopia Italy, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Myanmar, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Thailand, United Arab Emirates

No. of Participants: 50

Language: English

Cost: 13,247.00 Swiss francs

56.

Date: 18/05/2015 to 29/05/2015

Activity: WIPO-Singapore Summer School on Intellectual Property

Objective: To provide opportunity for senior students and young professionals to acquire greater knowledge on IP issues, gain an appreciation of IP as a tool for development and an understanding of the role and functions of WIPO.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Singapore

Beneficiary Countries: India, Indonesia, Kuwait, Malaysia, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Viet Nam

No. of Participants: 22

Language: English

Cost: 5,969.00 Swiss francs

57.

Date:	01/06/2015 to 12/06/2015
Activity:	WIPO-Mexico Summer School on Intellectual Property
Objective:	To provide opportunity for senior students and young professionals to acquire greater knowledge on IP issues, gain an appreciation of IP as a tool for development and an understanding of the role and functions of WIPO.
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Mexico
Beneficiary Countries:	Bolivia, Colombia, Cuba, Mexico, Peru
No. of Participants:	30
Language:	Spanish
Cost:	9,761.00 Swiss francs

IP Management

58.

Date:	09/06/2014 to 13/06/2014
Activity:	Voyage d'étude auprès de l'Office marocain de la propriété industrielle et commerciale (OMPIC), Casablanca
Objective:	Cette formation vise à renforcer la capacité technique et institutionnelle du CNPI en matière de gestion du système de la propriété intellectuelle, en s'imprégnant des expériences marocaines, afin que celui-ci puisse contribuer au développement économique du Burkina Faso
Expected Results:	Strengthened cooperation mechanisms and programs tailored to the needs of developing countries and LDCs
Host Country:	Morocco
Beneficiary Countries:	Burkina Faso
No. of Participants:	2
Language:	French
Cost:	6,392.00 Swiss francs

59.

Date:	15/07/2014 to 17/07/2014
Activity:	Study Visit of four Government Officials from the African Intellectual Property Organization (OAPI) to the Moroccan Industrial and Commercial Office (OMPIC)
Objective:	To ensure that OAPI staff will get first-hand experience of operating the Madrid System at office level prior to accession of OAPI to the Madrid Protocol.
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Morocco
Beneficiary Countries:	Cameroon
No. of Participants:	4
Language:	French
Cost:	12,592.00 Swiss francs

60.

Date: 03/11/2014 to 06/11/2014

Activity: XXXII Seminar for Officials of IP Offices of Latin American Countries*

Objective: To initiate discussions of different fields of interest of IP Institutions.

Expected Results: Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity

Host Country: Brazil

Beneficiary Countries: Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay

No. of Participants: 18

Language: English, Portuguese

Cost: 82,963.00 Swiss francs

61.

Date: 05/11/2014 to 07/11/2014

Activity: Offline course 5th annual WIPO-KIPO-KAIST-KIPA Advanced International Certificate Course, Seoul*

Objective: To provide training on IP Asset management for a selected group of top performers in both the online course (step 1) and the IP essay test (Step 2) under the work plan of the International Certificate Course.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Republic of Korea

Beneficiary Countries: Brazil, Colombia, Georgia, India, Kyrgyzstan, Malawi, Malaysia, Philippines, Poland, Republic of Korea, Romania, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, Ukraine, Viet Nam, Zambia, Zimbabwe

No. of Participants: 19

Language: English

Cost: 54,406.00 Swiss francs

62.

Date: 26/11/2014 to 28/11/2014

Activity: WIPO-ARIPO Sub-Regional Training of Trainers Program on Effective Management of Intellectual Property Assets by Small and Medium-sized Enterprises

Objective: To create a critical mass of trainers within the region having the basic knowledge and skills to reach out and provide preliminary assistance to SMEs on IP asset management that is the identification, protection, exploitation and management of IP assets.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Zimbabwe

Beneficiary Countries: Botswana, Gambia, Lesotho, Rwanda, Sao Tome and Principe, Sudan, Swaziland, Zimbabwe

No. of Participants: 8

Language: English

Cost: 40,248.00 Swiss francs

63.

Date: 12/12/2014 to 17/12/2014

Activity: Study Visit of Pakistan Delegation on Building Effective Linkages between Research Institution and Industry*

Objective: To increase the understanding of IP mechanisms for promoting linkages between research institutions and industry, enhance their knowledge of web-based networks for technology transfer and strengthen their capacity to foster university industry collaboration especially through better matching of the supply and demand factors in the innovation ecosystem.

Expected Results: National innovation and IP strategies and plans consistent with national development objectives

Host Country: Republic of Korea

Beneficiary Countries: Pakistan

No. of Participants: 8

Language: English

Cost: 44,390.00 Swiss francs

64.

Date: 02/06/2015 to 05/06/2015

Activity: Study Visit on IP Management in the Innovation Value Chain for a selected number of African Officials*

Objective: Study visit for professionals from Research Institutions directly involved in technology transfer, intellectual property (IP) management or institutional policy development and officials from the Ministries overseeing science, technology and innovation from the three African countries mentioned below.

Expected Results: Enhanced technical and knowledge infrastructure for IP Offices and other IP institutions leading to better services (cheaper, faster, higher quality) to their stakeholders

Host Country: Republic of Korea

Beneficiary Countries: Botswana, Republic of Korea, Rwanda, United Republic of Tanzania

No. of Participants: 8

Language: English

Cost: 30,547.00 Swiss francs

65.

Date:	25/05/2015 to 29/05/2015
Activity:	WIPO study visit for Palestinian officials from the Intellectual Property Rights Directorate to the Moroccan Industrial Property Directorate (OMPIC),
Objective:	To learn about the working methods of the said office as well as Moroccan experience in the management of IP portfolio, closely examine the structure of the IP Office, learn about the experience gained in the establishment and the sustainment of a TISC project.
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Morocco
Beneficiary Countries:	Palestine
No. of Participants:	3
Language:	Arabic, French
Cost:	8,566.00 Swiss francs

66.

Date:	23/11/2015 to 27/11/2015
Activity:	Study Visit on IP Management in the Innovation Value Chain for a selected number of African Officials
Objective:	To develop a local innovation ecosystem supported by public policy and strategies in each of the three countries
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Morocco
Beneficiary Countries:	Botswana, Rwanda, United Republic of Tanzania
No. of Participants:	6
Language:	Arabic, English, French
Cost:	32,547.00 Swiss francs

67.

Date:	24/06/2015 to 26/06/2015
Activity:	Sub-regional Forum to Promote the Use of Industrial Property as a Strategic Tool to Increase Competitiveness. The Vision of Central American Enterprises
Objective:	To promote an awareness raising strategy among the entrepreneurial community on the use of IP as a tool for increasing economic competitiveness.
Expected Results:	Enhanced access to, and use of, IP information by IP institutions and the public to promote innovation and creativity
Host Country:	Guatemala
Beneficiary Countries:	Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama
No. of Participants:	14
Language:	Spanish
Cost:	40,399.00 Swiss francs

68.

Date:	27/07/2015 to 31/07/2015
Activity:	Voyage d'étude du Directeur général de l'Agence nationale de l'AN2PI du Niger auprès de l'OMPI
Objective:	S'agissant des activités de coopération sur le management d'un office de propriété industrielle et la formation d'un agent documentaliste sur l'accès à l'information technique dans les bases de données.
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Morocco
Beneficiary Countries:	Niger
No. of Participants:	1
Language:	French
Cost:	2,028.00 Swiss francs

69.

Date: 23/08/2015 to 28/08/2015

Activity: Visit of an Egyptian delegation to Singapore IP Office, Singapore

Objective: To further develop the functioning of Egypt Patent Office through exchanging views and sharing experience and best practices with the IP Office of Singapore on IP issues.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Singapore

Beneficiary Countries: Egypt

No. of Participants: 3

Language: English

Cost: 15,018.00 Swiss francs

70.

Date: 31/08/2015 to 03/09/2015

Activity: XXXIII Regional Workshop for IP Offices of Latin America*

Objective: To promote the exchange of experiences among officials of national IP Offices in selected topics, focusing in particular on international cooperation in IP

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Brazil

Beneficiary Countries: Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay and Venezuela

No. of Participants: 19

Language: Spanish, Portuguese

Cost: 36,948.00 Swiss francs

71.

Date: 02/09/2015 to 04/09/2015

Activity: Seminar with INPI Brazil and Brazilian Franchising Association on Franchising and Alternative Dispute Resolution*

Objective: To explore potential collaboration in the area of ADR with representatives of IP Offices attending the meeting and encourage the development model R&D agreements including ADR Clauses

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Brazil

Beneficiary Countries: Argentina, Bolivia, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay and Venezuela

No. of Participants: 18

Language: English, Portuguese, Spanish

Cost: 20,374.00 Swiss francs

72.

Date: 10/09/2015 to 11/09/2015

Activity: Sub-Regional Seminar on the Dynamics of Intellectual Property Rights for countries of the Organization of Eastern Caribbean States (OECS)

Objective: To introduce the role that Intellectual Property (IP) can play in developing various creative sectors in the sub-region.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Grenada

Beneficiary Countries: Antigua and Barbuda, Dominica, Grenada, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent, the Grenadines

No. of Participants: 12

Language: English

Cost: 57,202.00 Swiss francs

73.

Date:	14/09/2015 to 20/09/2015
Activity:	Voyage d'étude de la Directrice générale du Centre national de propriété intellectuelle (CNPI)
Objective:	Formation sur le système de fonctionnement de gestion sur la base d'un modèle dans l'espace de l'OAPI
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Senegal
Beneficiary Countries:	Burkina Faso
No. of Participants:	1
Language:	French
Cost:	3,152.00 Swiss francs

Building Respect for IP
74.

Date:	17/06/2014 to 18/06/2014
Activity:	WIPO Sub-Regional Workshop for Judges in Maghreb Countries on Building Respect for Intellectual Property
Objective:	To examine the standards and options of Part III of the TRIPS Agreement and national laws on the enforcement of IPR and to discuss topical issues of relevance for judges dealing with the enforcement of IPR's in the relevant countries, such as case-law developments, issues relating to the civil and criminal procedural aspects, the gathering of evidence corrective measures, disposal of infringing goods and other relevant aspects of building respect for IP, including consumer awareness-raising.
Expected Results:	Tailored and balanced IP legislative, regulatory and policy frameworks
Host Country:	Algeria
Beneficiary Countries:	Algeria, Libya, Mauritania, Morocco, Tunisia
No. of Participants:	8
Language:	Arabic, French
Cost:	27,446.00 Swiss francs

75.

Date:	26/05/2015 to 27/05/2015
Activity:	WIPO-LAS Regional Workshop on Building Respect for IP
Objective:	To equip and encourage national industrial property and copyright offices in the region to undertake activities to build respect for IP to allow an exchange of ideas information and experiences relevant to public outreach and other strategies for building respect for IP.
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Egypt
Beneficiary Countries:	Algeria, Bahrain, Djibouti, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Mauritania, Morocco, Oman, Palestine, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen,
No. of Participants:	40
Language:	Arabic, English
Cost:	75,367.00 Swiss francs

76.

Date:	14/09/2015 to 18/09/2015
Activity:	WIPO-MCST-KCC Interregional Workshop on Copyright Enforcement*
Objective:	To consider the value of copyrights and related rights (CR) protection and enforcement to the social, economic and cultural development of the participating countries. Also to provide basic training on remedies and CR enforcement measures.
Expected Results:	Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition
Host Country:	Republic of Korea
Beneficiary Countries:	Azerbaijan, China, Ghana, Malawi, Mongolia, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Thailand, and Viet Nam.
No. of Participants:	22
Language:	English
Cost:	116,338.00 Swiss francs

77.

Date: 15/09/2015 to 16/09/2015

Activity: WIPO-CIPC Sub-Regional Workshop on Building Respect for IP for Prosecutors and Senior Police Officers of Selected Countries of Southern Africa

Objective: To sensitize prosecutors and senior investigators to the social and economic impact of counterfeiting and piracy, to present the WIPO training manual on IP Crime Prosecution.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: South Africa

Beneficiary Countries: Botswana, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa, Swaziland, United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia, Zimbabwe

No. of Participants: 20

Language: English

Cost: 43,236.00 Swiss francs

78.

Date: 28/10/2015 to 29/10/2015

Activity: WIPO-KIPO-DIP Regional Colloquium on Intellectual Property Enforcement for Judges*

Objective: To enhance knowledge of IP Enforcement and its challenges, to increase the effectiveness of civil and criminal IP proceedings in the interest of development and consumer protection.

Expected Results: Enhanced human resource capacities able to deal with the broad range of requirements for the effective use of IP for development in developing countries, LDC and countries with economies in transition

Host Country: Thailand

Beneficiary Country: Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, China, Indonesia, Laos People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Singapore, Thailand, Viet Nam,

No. of Participants: 24

Language: English

Cost: 48,564.00 swiss francs

Office Automation

79.

Date:	17/02/2014 to 21/02/2014
Activity:	Study visit on the implementation and operation of IPAS to the IPO Office of Botswana
Objective:	To Build knowledge on the functioning and management of the IPAS and the WIPO Scan software.
Expected Results:	Enhanced technical and knowledge infrastructure for IP Offices and other IP institutions leading to better services (cheaper, faster, higher quality) to their stakeholders
Host Country:	Botswana
Beneficiary Countries:	Swaziland
No. of Participants:	2
Language:	English
Cost:	5,569.00 Swiss francs

80.

Date:	08/09/2014 to 12/09/2014
Activity:	Workshop for IPAS Administrators
Objective:	To focus on building the technical skills of those local Information Technology (IT) experts who are supporting the WIPO supplied technical systems (IPAS, EDMS, WIPO Scan and WIPO Publication Server in the Latin American and Caribbean Region
Expected Results:	Enhanced technical and knowledge infrastructure for IP Offices and other IP institutions leading to better services (cheaper, faster, higher quality) to their stakeholder
Host Country:	Costa Rica
Beneficiary Countries:	Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Honduras, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Peru
No. of Participants:	18
Language:	English, Spanish
Cost:	38,662.00 Swiss francs

81.

Date: 04/05/2015 to 08/05/2015

Activity: IPAS training workshop for the Caribbean Countries

Objective: To review in detail the configuration and administration of the IPAS System. Train the participants on the new Java Version of the IPAS system and its different components and also how to upgrade to the latest IPAS Java release.

Expected Results: Enhanced technical and knowledge infrastructure for IP Offices and other IP institutions leading to better services (cheaper, faster, higher quality) to their stakeholder

Host Country: Saint Lucia

Beneficiary Countries: Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Dominica, Grenada, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago

No. of Participants: 14

Language: English

Cost: 59,858.00 Swiss francs

82.

Date: 09/08/2015 to 13/08/2015

Activity: Regional IT Training Workshop for Arab IP Offices

Objective: To provide IT training on the deployment, customization and administration of WIPO IPAS and its supporting modules.

Expected Results: Enhanced technical and knowledge infrastructure for IP Offices and other IP institutions leading to better services (cheaper, faster, higher quality) to their stakeholder

Host Country: Egypt

Beneficiary Countries: Algeria, Bahrain, Djibouti, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Libya, Morocco, Oman, Palestine, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates and Yemen,

No. of Participants: 18

Language: Arabic, English

Cost: 73,062.00 Swiss francs

83.

Date:	14/09/2015 to 25/09/2015
Activity:	Study visit of Cuban and Costa Rican delegations to ONAPI
Objective:	To share knowledge between the three IP Offices and to participate as observers in the national training session conducted for ONAPI.
Expected Results:	Enhanced technical and knowledge infrastructure for IP Offices and other IP institutions leading to better services (cheaper, faster, higher quality) to their stakeholders
Host Country:	Dominican Republic
Beneficiary Countries:	Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic
No. of Participants:	7
Language:	Spanish
Cost:	17,900.00 Swiss francs

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