



LESI Committee End-Year Report

2022-2023

April 13, 2023

Committee Name	LESI Dispute Resolution Committee
Chairs and Vice Chairs	Chair: Tilman Müller-Stoy (LES Germany) Vice Chair: Marco Tong (LES China)

Action Plan

Recent:

1. UP & UPC Industry & Patent Attorney Strategy Webinar, November 9, 2022
2. Deep Dive UP Filing Strategies Webinar, November 23, 2022
3. UPC Litigation Webinar, February 15, 2023
4. UPC Litigation Webinar, March 15, 2023
5. Various write-ups for LESI Global News on committee activities
6. Thought Leadership Program – ADR Track #3
 - Resolving IP Disputes using Mediation & Arbitration Webinar, February 28, 2023
 - China: Developments in Mediation and Arbitration Webinar, March 14, 2023
 - Mediation and Arbitration for SEP and FRAND Disputes Webinar, April 11, 2023

Upcoming:

7. UPC Litigation Webinar III, April 19, 2023
8. Workshops LESI Montreal:
 - LESI TLS ADR Summary Workshop, May 1, 2023
 - UPC litigation & UP prosecution – chances, risks, strategies, May 2, 2023
9. UPC & UP Impact on Licensing & Tech Transfer Webinar (together with EPLAW), date tbc
10. ADR in IP Disputes Curse or Blessing Webinar, date tbc

Conference Calls Conducted and Topics Discussed

1. July 8, 2022, two main issues discussed: focus on UPC and ADR
2. July 27, 2022, three main topics discussed: UPC & UP impact on licensing & transactions, UPC litigation and ADR
3. September 13, 2022, further and more detailed discussion on schedules, organization and leadership of webinars; other actions also discussed, including various workshops

4. October 11, 2022, further work on schedule and organization;
5. November 3, 2022, detailed discussion of ADR webinars, including but not limited to webinar topics, potential speakers and schedules.
6. Further irregular webinar-specific calls, January-April 2023

Specific Topics / Reporting items

Prompting Questions:

- Are there issues or projects for approval that you would like to bring to the attention of the LESI Board? *(The LESI Board meets monthly. Please provide a short description of your issue and when it would be timely to add to an upcoming board agenda)*
NO
- Have you conducted any webinars this year? Did you submit any proposals for LESI2023? If so, please list them.
SEE ABOVE
- Have you reached out to other LESI committee leaders to discuss areas of common interest / collaboration?
YES, EUROPEAN COMMITTEE RE UPC & UP WEBINARS
- Have you accessed your committee page and/or posted any notes, committee news or initiated discussions on <http://connect.lesi.org>?
YES BY EMAIL
- What have you done to increase members of your committee this year?
We discussed to bring in new members through operating companies in new regions and industry branches. We have seen new membership applications from companies such as ZTE and from the UK and India.
- Would you like to host an in-person meeting of your committee at LESI2023 in Montreal?
No.

LESI Professional Staff Contact Information

Dana Robert Colarulli Executive Director Washington, DC USA dana@lesi.org Tel: (202) 841-0276	Esha Cruickshank Secretariat Glasgow, Scotland UK NNE@lesi.org Tel: +44 1355 244 966
---	---

