

# PCT SEMINAR FOR PATENT ATTORNEYS AND ADMINISTRATORS

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**May 3-4, 2004  
Westin Galleria Hotel**

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*-- Mark Gleason, Howrey Simon Arnold & White, LLP,  
Houston, TX*



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## TOPICS:

The topics to be covered in this two-day seminar include the following:

- An Overview of the PCT System
- Significant Rule Changes as of January 1, 2004
- Filing of an Original PCT Application through International Search and Publication
- The PCT Demand for Preliminary Examination, Amendments and Written Opinions
- Entry into Chapter I and Chapter II National Phase
- International Preliminary Examination Reports
- PCT-SAFE Software
- Effective Strategies and Use of the PCT in the United States and Foreign Countries

## SPEAKERS:

**Louis O. Maassel**, Consultant  
World Intellectual Property Organization - PCT

**Carol E. Bidwell**, Supervisor  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office - PCT Special Programs Division

**T. David Reed**, Senior Patent Advisor  
Global Patent Services - Procter & Gamble

## DATE AND TIME:

May 3-4, 2004  
8:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.

Westin Galleria Hotel  
13340 Dallas Parkway  
Dallas, Texas 75240  
(NE corner of LBJ and Tollway)  
Tel: 972.934.9494

## Dallas Bar Association Intellectual Property Section



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-- Susan Yarc, Dade Behring Inc.,  
Deerfield, IL

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**Registration Fee:** \$375.00 (\$400.00 after April 15, 2004)  
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**Cancellation Policy:** Cancellations must be received by April 15, 2004 to receive a full refund. Any cancellations after April 15, 2004 are subject to a \$50.00 processing fee.

**Hotel Accommodations:** Arrangements have been made at The Westin Galleria, Dallas for a special room rate of \$145 (single room rate). A block of rooms at this special room rate has been guaranteed through April 5, 2004. Call 888-627-8536 when making reservations and ask for the PCT Seminar room rate.

Application will be made for CLE credit.

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