

Postgraduate Research Grants In the Field of Pharmaceutical Intellectual Property Rights

**A Joint Collaboration between the Stockholm
Network, Queen Mary Intellectual Property
Research Institute and Maastricht University,
Faculty of Law**

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Outline of IP Grants Programme (I)

- ★ Six \$9,000 grants to be awarded to postgraduate students at Queen Mary and Maastricht University
- ★ Applications take the form of a research paper of up to 5,000 words and a personal statement

Outline of IP Grants Programme (II)

Judging panel:

- ★ Dr Meir Pugatch, Stockholm Network
- ★ Professor Michael Blakeney, QMIPIR
- ★ Professor Anselm Kamperman Sanders, Maastricht University

Outline of IP Grants Program (III)

- ★ Papers should address the issue of IPRs within a pharmaceutical context
- ★ Aim is to provide a constructive, practical and evidence-based analysis of policy solutions for the existing IP system



Purpose of Grants

- ★ Provide a platform for outstanding postgraduates to showcase their work
- ★ Award a prize sum of \$9,000 per winner
- ★ Encourage further academic research in the field of Intellectual Property Rights

Key dates and people

- ★ 1st of May, 2008, deadline for submissions
- ★ Beginning of June, announcement of prize winners and awards ceremony
- ★ David Torstensson, Stockholm Network, project coordinator IP Grants Programme, david@stockholm-network.org

Thank you for your attention!

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