QUT's Faculty of Law Intellectual Property Research Program (www.ip.qut.edu.au) is proud to host four exciting seminars during February 2008.

The Knowledge Commons

What is "The Knowledge Commons" and why is it important to Australia's innovation agenda?

Presented by **John Wilbanks**, Executive Director of Science Commons (International) and Professor **Brian Fitzgerald** (QUT), Project Leader OAK Law

Time: 5.30 – 7.00pm

Date: Wednesday, 6 February

Where: Room B117, B Block, QUT

Gardens Point (city) campus

RSVP: by Tuesday, 5 February to

t.butkovsky@qut.edu.au

Launch of the OAKList

Conducted by John Wilbanks

QUT's OAK Law Project has developed a web-enabled database containing information about publishing agreements and publishers' open access policies and practices. It is designed to facilitate greater access to research, especially that which is publicly funded.

Time: 5:00pm – 6.30 pm Date: Thursday, 7 February Where: Owen J Wordsworth (OJW) Room, S Block, QUT Gardens Point (city) campus RSVP: by Tuesday, 5 February to t.butkovsky@qut.edu.au

To find out more about this event, visit www.oaklaw.qut.edu.au

COMMUNIA: The European Thematic Network on the digital public domain

Presented by Juan Carlos De Martin, Associate Professor, Information Engineering School of the Politecnico di Torino

Funded by the European Commission, the COMMUNIA Thematic Network aims at becoming a European point of reference for theoretical analysis and strategic policy discussion of existing and emerging issues concerning the public domain in the digital environment – as well as related topics.

When: 12:30pm – 2.00pm Date: Wednesday, 13 February Where: Gibson Room (Room 1064), Z Block, QUT Gardens Point (city) campus

RSVP: by Monday, 11 February to elliott@creativecommons.org.au

Computer Games, Law Regulation and Policy

This symposium will investigate the regulation, governance, policy and legal issues surrounding computer games and online social softwares.

Featuring keynote speaker **Fred von Lohmann**, Senior Counsel, EFF

When: 8.30am – 5.00pm
Dates: 14 – 15 February
Where: QUT Creative Industries
Precinct, Kelvin Grove campus
RSVP: by Monday, 11 February to
s.humphreys@qut.edu.au

To find out more about this event, visit www.cci.edu.au/programs/gamesandlaw

All events are free to the public, however registration is essential.

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