

# Spring Conference Programme

## Navigating the digital frontier

### Wednesday 20th March 2024

**1pm-4.30pm** Optional volunteering at Coram's Fields

**6pm-9pm** Welcome drinks reception at Vagabond wine bar

**12.05pm** **International case law round-up**  
**Jess Collen**, Rothwell Figg  
**Megan Dinnie**, Spoor & Fisher  
**Muhammad Farrukh Irfan Khan**, United Trademark & Patent Services

**3.50pm** **IP issues in the gaming industry**  
**Sara Ashby**, Wiggin LLP  
**Michael Browne**, Wiggin LLP

### Thursday 21st March 2024

**9am** Registration with light refreshments

**10am** **Introduction and welcome**  
**Keven Bader**, CITMA  
**Rachel Wilkinson-Duffy**, CITMA

**10.10am** **Keynote address**  
**Adam Williams**, UK IPO

**10.25am** **UK case law update**  
**Robert Cumming**, Appleyard Lees

**11.05am** **Navigating tomorrow: hybrid intelligence and the evolution of AI in the trade mark industry**  
**Colm MacSweeney**, Corsearch

**11.35am** Tea and coffee break

**1.05pm** Lunch and networking

**2.05pm** **A healthy digital life - practical tips for managing our relationship with technology**  
**Penny Aspinall**, Jonathan's Voice  
**Elizabeth Rimmer**, LawCare

**2.40pm** **Trade marks and copyright in the metaverse**  
**Tahir Basheer**, Sheridans

**3.20pm** Tea and coffee break

**4.30pm** **IPO Transformation - time for trade marks**  
**Natasha Chick**, UK IPO

**5.10pm** **Closing remarks**  
**Rachel Wilkinson-Duffy**, CITMA

**5.15pm** **Networking drinks reception in Palm Court**

**7.15pm** Close

