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弊所弁理士駒谷剛志が、2025年9月に開催される AIPPI 横浜大会にて、2日目の9月14日に開催されるパネルディスカッション “Panel Session X – My Routes, my Role Model! AIPPI Model Law and Impact of Traditional Knowledge in IP Rights” において、モデレーターとして出席します。

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世界知的所有権機関（WIPO）でも激しい議論が進められている中、実務家の視点で、日本の第一人者である鈴木教授もパネリストに迎え、世界を代表するパネリストを束ねるモデレーターとしての大役を果たす予定です。

### Panel Session X - My Routes, my Role Model! AIPPI Model Law and Impact of Traditional Knowledge in IP Rights

15 September 2025 14:30-16:00 JT

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The Panel shall deliberate on the contours of a possible Model Law on traditional knowledge (TK) which aims to preserve and protect TK sources and govern use and transmission thereof at a community level through rules, rights and obligations for collective community responsibility and ownership.

The Panel will explore and identify IP needs and expectations of TK holders, current approaches and futures possibilities for protection of TK. These include challenges such misappropriation, biopiracy, weak enforcement mechanisms, and the lack of clear legal frameworks, and lack of equitable benefit-sharing and repatriation obligations.

The Panel will briefly traverse pre-existing international frameworks for TK protection, such as the Convention on Biological Diversity, Nagoya Protocol, and WIPO's treaties on genetic resources, analysing their enforcement caveats and challenges.

Panelists would also explore how TK converges with other IP rights, the disparities in global enforcement, and the importance of integrating TK into a balanced and equitable global IP ecosystem. By addressing these multifaceted issues, the session aims to foster dialogue on creating a Model law that provides a tailored solution that respects TK and cultural heritage, ensure fair benefits for indigenous communities, and strengthen the global framework for TK protection.



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