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Training Date	Title	Countries	Sponsor	Synopsis/Comments
Sep. 01, 2003 - Sep. 01, 2003	Investigating Music Piracy	Colombia	IFPI	Location: Bogota Training Recipient: Prosecutors Training and awareness programmes for 100 members of the National Prosecutors' Office.
Sep. 01, 2003 - Sep. 02, 2003	IP Training for Regional Public Prosecutors	Colombia	BSA	Location: Neiva, Colombia Training Recipient: Prosecutors In cooperation with the head of the Colombian National Prosecutor's Office in charge of intellectual property, with the objective to inform about the technical aspects of software legality and IP issues. 85 attendees.
Sep. 02, 2003 - Sep. 04, 2003	Partnership in Combating IPR Violations	Argentina Bolivia Brazil Chile Panama Paraguay Uruguay Venezuela	CBP	Location: Buenos Aires, Argentina Training Recipient: Prosecutors Judges-civil and criminal, Police and Customs officials. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) implemented a three-day seminar on combating IPR violations in Central and South America. The agenda items included civil administrative enforcement of IPR, criminal IPR violations, and IPR violations on the internet.
Sep. 05, 2003 - Sep. 05, 2003	IPR Enforcement Training	Mexico	IACC	Location: Tijuana, Mexico Training Recipient: Trademark officials, Police, Customs officials Copyright, Trademark, Product identification seminar for Mexican law enforcement.
Sep. 05, 2003 - Sep. 05, 2003	IPR Criminal Enforcement	Mexico	ICE/IPR Center	Location: Tijuana Training Recipient: Prosecutors Basic overview of IPR criminal investigations and product identification.
Sep. 05, 2003 - Sep. 05, 2003	Intellectual Property	Czech Republic	MPAA	Location: Rumburk, Czech Republic Training Recipient: Customs officials Training seminar on Intellectual Property for Customs officials.
Sep. 09, 2003 - Sep. 12, 2003	Copyright & Neighbouring Rights	Armenia	IFPI	Location: Erevan (Armenia) Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Police, Administrative officials, Culture officials, other executive branch officials, Journalists, Right holder groups The State Agency for IPR supported by Eurasia Foundation and IFPI Moscow held a seminar for law enforcement officials, members of Ministry of Culture, the Armenian Collecting Society to discuss protection of phonograms, the Geneva Convention and TRIPS Agreement.

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Sep. 09, 2003 - Sep. 09, 2003	How to Identify Pirated DVDs	Hong Kong, China	MPAA	Location: Hong Kong, China Training Recipient: Customs officials How to identify pirated DVDs. 47 participants, including local AV shop owners and their representatives; and three officers from IPIB of the HK customs.
Sep. 12, 2003 - Sep. 12, 2003	Enforcement of Copyright & Neighbouring Rights	Russian Federation	IFPI	Location: Taganrog (Rostov region) Training Recipient: Police Seminar for Law Enforcement officers dealing specifically with Russian Federation resolution No. 421 dealing with sale of audio-visual products.
Sep. 17, 2003 - Sep. 17, 2003	Copyright & Neighbouring Rights	Georgia	IFPI	Location: Tbilisi (Georgia) Training Recipient: Patent officials, Administrative officials, Commerce officials, Right holder groups, other The seminar was organized by Georgian - European Policy and Legal Advice Center (GEPLAC) and attended by, amongst others, IFPI Moscow, to discuss Copyright Issues, broadcasting organizations and collecting societies.
Sep. 17, 2003 - Sep. 17, 2003	Identification of Pirated Products	Poland	MPAA	Location: Swider, Poland Training Recipient: Customs officials Methods of delivery of pirated product to Poland.
Sep. 18, 2003 - Sep. 18, 2003	Investigation of Music Piracy	Russian Federation	IFPI	Location: Kemerovo Training Recipient: Economy officials One-day seminar on investigation of music piracy held at premises of Department of Internal Affairs (GUVVD). The seminar concentrated on investigation, legal norms and cooperation with prosecuting bodies.
Sep. 18, 2003 - Sep. 19, 2003	IP Training for Regional Public Prosecutors	Colombia	BSA	Location: Pasto, Colombia Training Recipient: Prosecutors In cooperation with the head of the Colombian National Prosecutor's Office in charge of intellectual property, with the objective to discuss the technical aspects of software legality and IP issues. 90 attendees.
Sep. 18, 2003 - Sep. 18, 2003	Software Management	Sweden	BSA	Location: Gothenburg Training Recipient: other Management of IPR. With the participation of IT professionals, representatives of municipalities and government authorities.

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Sep. 19, 2003 - Sep. 19, 2003	Enforcement of Copyright & Neighbouring Rights	Russian Federation	IFPI	Location: Novocheerkask (Rostov region) Training Recipient: Police Seminar for law enforcement officers dealing specifically with Russian Federation resolution No. 421 prohibiting sale of audio-visual products.
Sep. 21, 2003 - Sep. 26, 2003	Consultations on IPR Enforcement in SE Europe	Albania Bosnia- Herzegovina Bulgaria Croatia FYR of Macedonia Moldova Romania Serbia- Montenegro	CLDP DOS USAID USPTO	Location: FYR of Macedonia Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Trademark officials, Patent officials, other enforcement officials, Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts To contribute to more effective enforcement of IPR legislation in the region by pinpointing challenges in enforcement, both national and international; to familiarize participants with substantive and enforcement provisions, to lay groundwork for info sharing in region to combat transborder crime through exchange of success stories and best practices; to develop a roadmap for future coordination.
Sep. 22, 2003 - Sep. 23, 2003	Consultations on Intellectual Property Enforcement	FYR of Macedonia	BSA	Location: Ohrid Training Recipient: Prosecutors BSA participated in the seminar on Legislation and International treaties in IP, Enforcement of IPR, Case-study of a case in Slovenia. Participants: Prosecutors, Judges, customs policy makers, other enforcement officials from 8 South Eastern European countries.
Sep. 25, 2003 - Sep. 25, 2003	Software Management	Sweden	BSA	Location: Stockholm Training Recipient: Administrative officials, other Management of IPR. With the participation of IT professionals, representatives of municipalities and government authorities.
Sep. 25, 2003 - Sep. 25, 2003	Intellectual Property	Czech Republic	MPAA	Location: Praha, Czech Republic Training Recipient: Customs officials Seminar on breaking trade laws by piracy.

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Sep. 27, 2003 - Sep. 27, 2003	Prosecution of End-user Software Piracy in HK	Hong Kong, China	BSA	Location: Hong Kong, China Training Recipient: Prosecutors This training of approximately 40 Hong Kong Customs officers and Prosecutors covered the following topics: Criminal prosecution of an infringing end-user; Legal principles and evidentiary requirements; Investigations; Aspects of prosecuting an end-user case. BSA focused on issues relevant to prosecuting end-user cases. An open discussion was held after the training. A very useful and productive exercise. A second similar programme was to follow two weeks later.
Sep. 27, 2003 - Sep. 27, 2003	Investigating and Prosecuting End-Users	Hong Kong, China	BSA	Location: Hong Kong, China Training Recipient: Prosecutors We provided training on investigating and prosecuting end-user piracy to Custom officers and Court prosecutors in September and October 2003. The audience numbered about 80 persons in total.
Oct. 01, 2003 - Oct. 01, 2003	Fighting Audiovisual Piracy	France	MPAA	Location: Nice Training Recipient: Police Intended for police officers specialized in fighting financial fraud. Attended by 23 police officers.
Oct. 02, 2003 - Oct. 02, 2003	Differences Between Original & Pirate DVD & Games	Sweden	MPAA	Location: Stockholm, Sweden Training Recipient: Customs officials How to tell the difference between original and pirate DVDs and games. Held in the Swedish Customs Regional Office and attended by 40 customs officials.
Oct. 06, 2003 - Oct. 08, 2003	Conference on IP and International Public Health	Czech Republic Jordan Mexico Uganda	IIPi USPTO	Location: Georgetown University Conference Center Training Recipient: Patent officials, Economy officials, Health officials, Trade officials, Right holder groups A Washington, DC-based international conference designed to highlight and explain the economic development benefits of the intellectual property rights system and to counter certain misconceptions about the value of intellectual property in the area of public health.
Oct. 07, 2003 - Oct. 07, 2003	Software Crimes	Slovak Republic	BSA	Location: Zilina Training Recipient: Administrative officials, other enforcement officials Software crimes: types, penalties and legislation. Discussion of computer crime from an expert in the computer programs field. Discussion of new aspects of software crimes from a Police representative.

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Oct. 07, 2003 - Oct. 07, 2003	"Peer to Peer" Internet Piracy	Sweden	MPAA	Location: Stockholm City Conference Center Training Recipient: Trade officials Peer to peer discussion for the business/trade organization for the ISP in Sweden. Attended by approximately 75 people.
Oct. 08, 2003 - Oct. 09, 2003	Identification of Pirate Music Product	Zambia	IFPI	Location: Lusaka, Zambia Training Recipient: Police Training programmes for Zambian Police officers organized by IFPI, members of Zambian Music Industry and Office of Registrar General
Oct. 08, 2003 - Oct. 09, 2003	Transport	Russian Federation	MPAA	Location: Moscow Training Recipient: Police RAPO gave training on transport.
Oct. 09, 2003 - Oct. 10, 2003	Music Piracy	Colombia	IFPI	Location: Cartagena Training Recipient: Police, Prosecutors Seminar for the benefit of prosecutors from the National Unit of Crime Against Authors Rights and Telecommunications. 120 participants from the cities of Cartagena (Bolívar), Barranquilla (Atlántico) and Montería (Córdoba).
Oct. 11, 2003 - Oct. 11, 2003	Prosecution of End-user Software Piracy in HK	Hong Kong, China	BSA	Location: Hong Kong, China Training Recipient: Prosecutors End-user software piracy prosecution - Legal principles and evidentiary requirements - Investigations - Aspects of prosecuting an end-user case This was the second consignment of the same training conducted on 27th September in Hong Kong. A useful and productive exercise.
Oct. 11, 2003 - Oct. 11, 2003	Yunnan Optical Disc Anti- Smuggling Training	Hong Kong, China	MPAA	Location: Hong Kong, China Training Recipient: Copyright officials MPA's role and strategy in fighting piracy; How to identify pirated DVDs and China's Title Verification system; Copyright Legislation and Enforcement Experience in Hong Kong; Chinese Copyright Law and Enforcement.
Oct. 11, 2003 - Oct. 11, 2003	Investigating and Prosecuting End-Users	Hong Kong, China	BSA	Location: Hong Kong, China Training Recipient: Customs officials Training on investigating and prosecuting end-user piracy for Custom officers and Court prosecutors in September and October 2003. approximately 80 participants.
Oct. 12, 2003 - Oct. 12, 2003	Training Seminar on IP Customs Offences	Czech Republic	MPAA	Location: Usti nad Labem Training Recipient: Customs officials IP Customs Offences. Attended by 17 Customs officers.

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Oct. 13, 2003 - Oct. 17, 2003	IPR Training	Hungary	BSA	Location: Capital and the county of Pest Training Recipient: Police IPR Training
Oct. 13, 2003 - Oct. 13, 2003	Nordic Seminar	Denmark Iceland Sweden	MPAA	Location: Sweden Training Recipient: Customs officials Nordic Seminar
Oct. 14, 2003 - Oct. 17, 2003	USPTO Fall 2003 IPR Enforcement Academy	Barbados Brazil Chile China Costa Rica Egypt El Salvador Gambia Ghana Guatemala Honduras India Indonesia Jordan Lao PDR Lebanon Namibia Nepal Nicaragua Pakistan Romania Russian Federation Slovak Republic Saint Lucia Ukraine United Arab Emirates Viet Nam Zambia	USPTO	Location: Washington, D.C. Training Recipient: other enforcement officials, Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts Training, discussion and case-study on IPR enforcement, including criminal prosecution, civil infringement actions, border measures, provisional measures and digital infringement. Sponsored by USPTO and WIPO.
Oct. 14, 2003 - Oct. 15, 2003	Practical Training for Front-line Customs Officers	Brazil	CBP	Location: Rio de Janeiro, Brazil Training Recipient: Customs officials CBP provided nominal funds toward a training programme on IPR border enforcement sponsored by the World Customs Organization. The recipients of this training were managers of Brazilian Customs.
Oct. 14, 2003 - Oct. 14, 2003	IFPI / MPA Seminar	Denmark Finland Iceland Norway Sweden	MPAA	Location: Stockholm Training Recipient: Police CD and DVD forensics.

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Oct. 15, 2003 - Oct. 17, 2003	Chinese Taipei Criminal Enforcement	Chinese Taipei	USPTO	Location: Chinese Taipei Training Recipient: Police, Customs officials, Organized crime task force members, other enforcement officials, Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts Programme providing technical assistance for IP enforcement.
Oct. 15, 2003 - Oct. 15, 2003	Training for police on IPR issues	Slovak Republic	BSA	Location: Donovaly Training Recipient: Police Special event for enforcement officials dealing with IPR issues. Event organized by the Slovak Police Presidium in cooperation with BSA.
Oct. 15, 2003 - Oct. 16, 2003	Audiovisual Piracy	Slovak Republic	MPAA	Location: Donovaly Training Center Training Recipient: Police Audiovisual piracy in general and the situation in Slovakia. Cooperation with SAPU. Differences between original and pirate products. Attended by 80 police and 20 customs officers.
Oct. 16, 2003 - Oct. 16, 2003	Identification of Products	Poland	MPAA	Location: Swider Training Recipient: Customs officials To show methods of delivery of the pirate products to Poland. Attended by 35 customs officers.
Oct. 17, 2003 - Oct. 17, 2003	Fighting Audiovisual Piracy	France	MPAA	Location: Paris (ALPA offices) Training Recipient: Judges - civil/administrative courts Organized by the FNDF. Training to make magistrates aware of the piracy problems and ALPA's action.
Oct. 20, 2003 - Oct. 21, 2003	CD piracy in Poland and Eastern Europe	Poland	IFPI	Location: Krosno Odrzanskie Training Recipient: Customs officials Seminar for Polish Border Guards/Customs. First day deals with piracy in Poland and second day focuses on the wider perspective of piracy in Eastern Europe.
Oct. 20, 2003 - Oct. 21, 2003	Criminal IPR Seminar	China	DOC DOJ USPTO	Location: Shanghai and Guangzhou, China Training Recipient: Police, Customs officials, Organized crime task force members, other enforcement officials, Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts. Comprehensive programme providing technical assistance for IP enforcement.

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Oct. 20, 2003 - Oct. 20, 2003	Annual Law Seminar for Judges	Slovenia	BSA	Location: Portoroz Training Recipient: Judges - civil/administrative courts Seminar for Senate for Misdemeanours of the Republic of Slovenia ("Court of II. Instance") on selected topics including copyright infringements of computer programs as misdemeanours. Focus on international obligations of Slovenia, elements of a misdemeanour, practical examples concerning software, and analysis of jurisprudence.
Oct. 20, 2003 - Oct. 20, 2003	US-China Intellectual Property Rights	China	MPAA	Location: Beijing, China Training Recipient: Prosecutors Introduction of MPA; Internet Piracy; Optical Disc Piracy; Pirated methods to avoid detection by enforcement authorities. 110 attendees consisting of prosecutors, judges and police.
Oct. 20, 2003 - Oct. 21, 2003	Patent Right & Distribution Fair in Hokkaido	Japan	MPAA	Location: Sapporo City Training Recipient: other Seminar and Exhibition: Comparison of legitimate versus pirated DVDs.
Oct. 21, 2003 - Oct. 21, 2003	BSA and Software Crime	Slovak Republic	BSA	Location: Nitra Training Recipient: Administrative officials, other enforcement officials Software crime: types, penalties and legislation. Discussion of computer crime from an expert in the computer programs field. Discussion of new aspects of SW crime from a Police representative.
Oct. 23, 2003 - Oct. 23, 2003	Anti-piracy investigation in partnership with IFPI	Kazakhstan	IFPI	Location: Astana Training Recipient: Police Seminar dedicated to promoting a partnership approach and improving anti-piracy investigations in cooperation with IFPI.
Oct. 23, 2003 - Oct. 23, 2003	Enforcement of Copyright & Neighbouring Rights.	Russian Federation	IFPI	Location: Rostov Training Recipient: Police Seminar held for members of the Public Security Police in the Rostov region.
Oct. 23, 2003 - Oct. 23, 2003	Investigation and prosecution of music piracy	Colombia	IFPI	Location: Pereira Training Recipient: Prosecutors Seminar held for 90 prosecutors from the cities of Pereira and Armenia in which the technical investigations unit also participated.
Oct. 23, 2003 - Oct. 23, 2003	US-China Intellectual Property Rights	China United States	MPAA	Location: Shanghai, China Training Recipient: Prosecutors Introduction of MPA; Internet Piracy; Optical Disc Piracy; Pirated methods to avoid detection by enforcement officials. Attended by 100 public prosecutors, judges and police.

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Oct. 27, 2003 - Oct. 27, 2003	The Investigation of Music Piracy	Spain	IFPI	Location: Seville Training Recipient: Police Seminar organized jointly by IFPI and Spanish national group, AFYVE for 120 members of the Local Police in Seville.
Oct. 27, 2003 - Nov. 07, 2003	USPTO Visiting Scholar Program	Benin Bulgaria China Egypt Ghana Hong Kong, China Indonesia Jordan Kenya Nigeria Panama Portugal Romania Senegal Chinese Taipei Thailand	USPTO	Location: Washington, DC Training Recipient: other Since 1985, the USPTO Visiting Scholars Program has provided participants from over 30 foreign countries with two weeks of classroom and hands-on study of the United States' system for protecting intellectual property. Past participants include directors and deputy directors of industrial property offices, patent and trademark examiners, and other experts from developing countries. The goals of the programme are threefold: a) To foster a better understanding of international intellectual property obligations and norms; b) Using the US system as an example, to expose participants to at least one method of providing TRIPS-level protection for a variety of intellectual property disciplines; and c) To promote discussion of intellectual property issues in a friendly and supportive environment.
Oct. 27, 2003 - Oct. 27, 2003	US-China Intellectual Property Rights	China United States	MPAA	Location: Guangzhou, China Training Recipient: Prosecutors Introduction of MPA; Internet Piracy; Optical Disc Piracy; Pirated methods to avoid detection by enforcement authorities. Attended by 150 public prosecutors, judges and police.
Oct. 29, 2003 - Oct. 29, 2003	Investigation of Music Piracy	Spain	IFPI	Location: Vitoria Training Recipient: Police Seminar organized jointly by IFPI and its national group in Spain, AFYVE for 90 members of the Ertzaintza (Basque National Police) re: all aspects of music piracy and its investigation.
Oct. 29, 2003 - Oct. 29, 2003	Fighting Audiovisual Piracy	Turkey	MPAA	Location: Paris (ALPA offices) Training Recipient: Judges - civil/administrative courts Seminar in Paris on fighting audiovisual piracy. One Turkish magistrate attended.
Oct. 31, 2003 - Oct. 31, 2003	Fighting Audiovisual Piracy	China	MPAA	Location: Paris (ALPA offices) Training Recipient: Police Seminar in Paris for Chinese police and customs officers. 14 Chinese participants.

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Nov. 01, 2003 - Nov. 01, 2003	Enforcement Seminar	China	BSA	Location: Shanghai Training Recipient: Copyright officials In November 2003, BSA held an enforcement seminar with respect to corporate end-user infringement in Shanghai with judges and enforcement officials of the Copyright Administration.
Nov. 01, 2003 - Nov. 30, 2003	Software Asset Management	China	BSA	Location: Xi'an, Shenyang, Beijing and Chengdu Training Recipient: Copyright officials In late 2003 BSA provided training on software management related issues in Xi'an, Shenyang, Beijing and Chengdu. Topics covered during training included; Legislation/Policy; Software Asset Management and Software Licensing. The attendees comprised mainly government officials and local industry associations representatives. The number of attendees varied from around 100 to 200.
Nov. 03, 2003 - Nov. 03, 2003	Annual Law Seminar for Judges for Misdemeanours	Slovenia	BSA	Location: Portoroz Training Recipient: Judges - criminal courts Part 2 of Seminar for Senate for Misdemeanours of the Republic of Slovenia ("Court of II. Instance"). Seminar on selected topics including copyright infringements of computer programs as misdemeanours. Focus on international obligations of Slovenia, elements of a misdemeanour, practical examples concerning software, and analysis of jurisprudence.
Nov. 03, 2003 - Nov. 03, 2003	Anti-piracy & New Copyright & Neighbouring Rights	Croatia	MPAA	Location: Zagreb Training Recipient: Judges - civil/administrative courts Costs for printing material. Held in the Ministry of Commerce - State Intellectual Office. Attended by 40 judges, 16 state attorneys, 36 police officers, 8 trade inspectors, 62 others.
Nov. 04, 2003 - Nov. 04, 2003	Training New Copyright Law & Penal Code	Croatia	MPAA	Location: APAW Office - Zagreb Training Recipient: Police Costs for representation. Attended by 16 police officers.
Nov. 05, 2003 - Nov. 06, 2003	Legal Protection of IP Rights	Spain	BSA	Location: Madrid Training Recipient: Prosecutors With CEDRO, FAB and EGEDA training event discussing IPR, relevant law and judicial process.

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Nov. 06, 2003 - Nov. 06, 2003	Investigation of Music Piracy	Colombia	IFPI	Location: Riohacha, Colombia Training Recipient: Police, Administrative officials, Prosecutors Attended by 80 persons from the departments of Valledupar, Santa Marta and Riohacha.
Nov. 06, 2003 - Nov. 06, 2003	Fighting Audiovisual Piracy	France	MPAA	Location: Paris (ALPA offices) Training Recipient: Judges - civil/administrative courts Intended for foreign magistrates, members of WIPO. Attended by 12 magistrates.
Nov. 06, 2003 - Nov. 07, 2003	WCO Training Seminar	Malta	MPAA	Location: Mediterranean Conference Centre - Valletta Training Recipient: Customs officials Presentations by various organizations, including IFPI, Nike, Ford, etc. Attended by about 80 customs and police officials.
Nov. 08, 2003 - Nov. 08, 2003	Fighting Audiovisual Piracy	France	MPAA	Location: Fontainebleau Training Recipient: Police Training course for gendarmerie officers specializing in computer crime. Attended by 31 gendarmerie officers.
Nov. 10, 2003 - Nov. 14, 2003	IPR Training	Hungary	BSA	Location: Hungary Training Recipient: Police IPR Training.
Nov. 10, 2003 - Nov. 12, 2003	Lecture on Audiovisual Piracy	Hungary	MPAA	Location: Budapest Training Recipient: Police Training by MPAA, BSA and AVSA to the National Police on audiovisual piracy. Covered copyright issues on the law enforcement side. Approximately 200 police officers attended.
Nov. 11, 2003 - Nov. 11, 2003	BSA and Software Crime	Slovak Republic	BSA	Location: Kosice Training Recipient: Administrative officials, other enforcement officials Software crime: types, penalties and legislation. Discussion of computer crime from an expert in the computer programs field. Discussion of new aspects of software crime from a Police representative.
Nov. 11, 2003 - Nov. 12, 2003	IPR Training	Thailand	IACC	Location: Thailand Training Recipient: Police, Customs officials, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts, Commerce officials. Interactive training using case-study hypotheticals for both criminal trademark and customs enforcement.

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Nov. 12, 2003 - Nov. 13, 2003	IP Enforcement Training	Thailand	DOS	Location: Bangkok, Thailand Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Trademark officials, Police, Customs officials, Administrative officials Intellectual property enforcement training.
Nov. 12, 2003 - Nov. 12, 2003	IPR Investigation and Optical Disc Piracy	Romania	IFPI	Location: Iasi Training Recipient: Customs officials Seminar organized by IFPI for members of the Romanian Customs service in the Iasi region. Senior members of the customs service and field officers attended.
Nov. 12, 2003 - Nov. 12, 2003	Customs & Audiovisual Anti-Piracy	Romania	MPAA	Location: Lasi City Customs Department Training Recipient: Police Customs and audiovisual anti-piracy. Attended by 52 participants - consisting of police officers from economic, anti-fraud and border departments, customs officers and experts, prosecutors.
Nov. 13, 2003 - Nov. 13, 2003	Identification of Pirate Products	Cyprus	MPAA	Location: Nicosia Training Recipient: Police Identification of pirate products. Attended by 19 police officers, four Custom officers, two employees of Ministry of Commerce and Industry.
Nov. 13, 2003 - Nov. 14, 2003	Counterfeit Problems	Russian Federation	MPAA	Location: Moscow Training Recipient: Police Training by RAPO on counterfeit problems and solutions. Attended by 450 people, including police, Russia, USA-AmCham prosecutors, ministry people, etc.
Nov. 14, 2003 - Nov. 14, 2003	Training for the Police Academy students	Romania	BSA	Location: Bucharest Training Recipient: Police IPR training for the Police Academy students discussing IP legislation, anti-piracy organizations and case studies. BSA participation in event organized by the Police Academy "Alexandru Ioan Cuza".
Nov. 14, 2003 - Nov. 14, 2003	How to Identify Pirated DVDs, Internet & Digital	Hong Kong, China	MPAA	Location: Hong Kong, China Training Recipient: Customs officials Training on how to identify pirated DVDs, as well as Internet and Digital Piracy Trends. Attended by 98 HK Customs officers, mainly from Border Control Points.
Nov. 14, 2003 - Nov. 14, 2003	Identification of Pirate Products	Cyprus	MPAA	Location: Nicosia Training Recipient: Police Identification of pirate products. Attended by 17 police officers, three customs officers, two employees of the Ministry of Commerce and Industry.

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Nov. 18, 2003 - Nov. 18, 2003	Identification of Pirate Products	Poland	MPAA	Location: Swider Training Recipient: Customs officials Show methods of delivery of pirate products to Poland. Attended by 35 customs officers.
Nov. 20, 2003 - Nov. 20, 2003	Investigation of Music Piracy	Chinese Taipei	IFPI	Location: Yang Ming Shan, Taipei Training Recipient: other enforcement officials, Prosecutors, Justice officials A seminar was held for members of the Ministry of Justice Investigation Branch for its prosecutors and investigators into all aspects of music piracy and copyright offences. IFPI was invited by Ministry of Justice, Chinese Taipei to conduct this seminar.
Nov. 20, 2003 - Nov. 20, 2003	Lecture on Audiovisual Piracy	Hungary	MPAA	Location: Gyor Training Recipient: Police Training to County Police by ASVA on audiovisual piracy. Attended by 60 police officers and customs officers.
Nov. 20, 2003 - Nov. 20, 2003	IP Crime	China	DOJ	Location: NJ, US Training Recipient: Administrative officials, other enforcement officials, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts, Legal professionals. Programme for Chinese judges, lawyers, and administrative officials on IP crime. Sponsored by Atlantic Cape Community College, NJ
Nov. 21, 2003 - Nov. 22, 2003	Seminar of IP Legislation and Anti-piracy	Romania	MPAA	Location: Brasov City Training Recipient: Police Discussed circumvention devices and signal theft. 45 attendees from the police, ORDA and other government bodies.
Nov. 24, 2003 - Nov. 28, 2003	Intensive Course on the WTO TRIPS Agreement	Azerbaijan Bangladesh China Fiji India Indonesia Kazakhstan Kyrgyz Republic Mongolia Myanmar Nepal Pakistan Papua New Guinea Samoa Tajikistan Thailand Tonga Viet Nam	CBP	Location: Bangkok, Thailand Training Recipient: Economy officials, Commerce officials, Copyright officials, Trademark officials, Patent officials. CBP is providing nominal funds toward a programme sponsored by The Asian Development Bank on the WTO TRIPS Agreement.

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Nov. 25, 2003 - Nov. 25, 2003	Internet Training for Police Officers	Estonia	MPAA	Location: Narva Police Prefecture Training Recipient: Police Piracy in FTP servers and how to detect it. 12 attendees.
Nov. 26, 2003 - Nov. 26, 2003	Police Training	Chinese Taipei	MPAA	Location: Taipei City Training Recipient: Police Identifying pirated discs and discussion of investigation. Attended by 50 police officers.
Nov. 26, 2003 - Nov. 27, 2003	Software Piracy	Germany	BSA	Location: Germany Training Recipient: Legal professionals BSA sponsored workshop to discuss aspects of software piracy at seminar organized by the District Attorney of Mecklenburg- Vorpommern, specializing in white-collar crime.
Nov. 27, 2003 - Nov. 27, 2003	5th Int'l Conf. on Copyright and Related Rights	Croatia	BSA	Location: Zagreb Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Trademark officials, Police, Administrative officials, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts, Right holder groups BSA participation (sponsorship, materials and co-PR). Review and discuss the new Croatian Copyright and Related Rights Act.
Nov. 27, 2003 - Nov. 27, 2003	Training for the Police Academy students	Romania	BSA	Location: Bucharest Training Recipient: Police IPR training for the Police Academy students discussing IP legislation, anti-piracy organizations and case studies. BSA participation in event organized by the Police Academy "Alexandru Ioan Cuza".
Nov. 27, 2003 - Dec. 01, 2003	Manabi-pia 2003 Exhibition	Japan	MPAA	Location: Ginowan-City, Okinawa Training Recipient: other Exhibition: comparison of legitimate versus pirated DVDs.
Nov. 27, 2003 - Nov. 27, 2003	Police Training Program	Romania	MPAA	Location: Romanian Police Academy Training Recipient: Police Discussed raid organization, obtaining evidence, and identification of pirate DVDs. Attended by 45 cadets specializing in fighting economic fraud.
Nov. 28, 2003 - Nov. 28, 2003	Lecture on Audiovisual Piracy	Hungary	MPAA	Location: Kaposvar Training Recipient: Police Training to the County Police given by ASVA on audiovisual piracy. Attended by 40 police officers and customs officers.

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Nov. 28, 2003 - Nov. 28, 2003	Police Training Program	Romania	MPAA	Location: Romanian Police Academy Training Recipient: Police Discussed raid organization, obtaining evidence, and identification of pirate DVDs. Attended by 45 cadets specialized in fighting organized crime.
Nov. 29, 2003 - Nov. 29, 2003	Police Training Program	Romania	MPAA	Location: Botosani City Police Department Training Recipient: Police IP Legislation and DVD Piracy. Attended by two prosecutors and 10 police officers.
Dec. 01, 2003 - Dec. 10, 2003	Licensing and Computer Searches	Croatia	BSA	Location: Osijek, Varazdin, Split, Rijeka, Zagreb Training Recipient: Administrative officials, other enforcement officials Licensing basics and evidence collection techniques.
Dec. 01, 2003 - Dec. 01, 2003	Internet Piracy, Identifying Counterfeit Software	Bulgaria	MPAA	Location: Sofia - Police Academy Training Recipient: Police Attended by 45 police officers.
Dec. 02, 2003 - Dec. 02, 2003	IP Training	Estonia	MPAA	Location: Tallinn PD Training Recipient: Police IP training for economic police, training for Tallinn PD economic police officers. 15 attendees.
Dec. 02, 2003 - Dec. 02, 2003	IP Protection	Russian Federation	MPAA	Location: Moscow Training Recipient: Trade officials IP protection. Attended by 200 trade inspectors.
Dec. 03, 2003 - Dec. 03, 2003	Police Training	Chinese Taipei	MPAA	Location: Taipei City Training Recipient: Police Identifying pirated discs and discussion of investigation. Attended by 50 police officers.
Dec. 03, 2003 - Dec. 05, 2003	Piracy and Counterfeiting	Romania	MPAA	Location: Mangalia City Training Recipient: Copyright officials Piracy and counterfeiting fighting and prevention. modification of the IPR legislation, mainly Copyright Law. Attended by 60 participants from all government bodies in the IPR field.
Dec. 04, 2003 - Dec. 04, 2003	CMPDA APO	Canada	MPAA	Location: Canada Training Recipient: Police Satellite and optical disc training.

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Dec. 08, 2003 - Dec. 08, 2003	"Peer to Peer" Piracy	Sweden	MPAA	Location: KTH - Royal Institute of Technology Training Recipient: Trade officials Training on file-sharing in general. Attended by approximately 25 people.
Dec. 10, 2003 - Dec. 10, 2003	Enforcing Intellectual Property Crimes in Europe	Italy	BSA	Location: Cesena Training Recipient: Police Event for representatives of police authorities Europe-wide. Various industries participated in discussion of nature, effects and consequences of piracy within Europe, juridical aspects and procedures, and discussion of experiences in enforcement. Event was organized by the Italian Police of State
Dec. 10, 2003 - Dec. 10, 2003	Criminal IP Enforcement	Korea	DOS	Location: Washington, DC Training Recipient: Police, other enforcement officials Programme for Korean enforcement officials on criminal IP enforcement.
Dec. 15, 2003 - Dec. 15, 2003	Law enforcement in IPR	Slovak Republic	BSA	Location: Banska Bystrica Training Recipient: Judges - civil/administrative courts, Legal professionals IPR training for judges. Event organized by the Slovak Industrial Property Office with participation of BSA.
Dec. 15, 2003 - Dec. 15, 2003	Copyright Protection, Results and Obstacles	Croatia	MPAA	Location: Police Academy, Zagreb Training Recipient: Police Copyright protection, results, obstacles and collecting of hard evidence.
Dec. 16, 2003 - Dec. 16, 2003	BSA Conference	Romania	BSA	Location: Bucharest Training Recipient: Police, Administrative officials, other enforcement officials, Legal professionals Discussion of current issues regarding enforcement of IP rights and prosecution of software piracy cases, with participation of representatives of Police, Romanian Copyright Office and National Institute for Criminology. Participants: - Police officers - Economic and Criminal investigation Sections; - Prosecutors; Copyright Office inspectors
Dec. 17, 2003 - Dec. 17, 2003	Prosecutor/Judge Training	Chinese Taipei	MPAA	Location: Taipei City Training Recipient: Prosecutors Identifying pirated discs and discussion of investigation. Attended by 44 prosecutors and judges.

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Dec. 22, 2003 - Dec. 22, 2003	Prosecutor/Judge Training	Chinese Taipei	MPAA	Location: Taipei City Training Recipient: Prosecutors Identifying pirated discs and discussion of investigation. Attended by 44 prosecutors and judges.
Dec. 25, 2003 - Dec. 25, 2003	Authors and Neighbouring Rights	Russian Federation	IFPI	Location: Kemerovo Training Recipient: other enforcement officials Seminar attended by 42 personnel from regional prosecutors office in Kemerovo re: issues concerning the new version of Article 146 of the RF criminal code. Part of the seminar was devoted to inefficiencies of investigations in criminal cases.
Jan. 01, 2004 - Dec. 30, 2004	IPR Enforcement	Ukraine	DOS	Location: Ukraine Training Recipient: Police State Department Bureau for International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL) will provide USD \$650,000 in FY 03 crime funds to carry out three programmes in Ukraine: 1) establish an interagency training programme for Ukrainian law enforcement officials; 2) deliver IPR forensic equipment to the Ministry of Internal Affairs to enable capabilities to analyse compact discs and; 3) develop an IPR claims system database of patent, trademark and copyright claims with which to determine the authenticity of goods. For further information on timing and delivery of these programs, please contact INL/AEE Officer Judith Campbell via email at CampbellJR@State/Gov.
Jan. 12, 2004 - Jan. 12, 2004	Pirate Products	Poland	MPAA	Location: Poland Training Recipient: Customs officials Identification of pirate products and to show methods of delivery of the pirate products to Poland. Attended by 40 custom officers.
Jan. 13, 2004 - Jan. 14, 2004	IPR Enforcement Training Workshop	Bahrain Kuwait Oman Qatar Saudi Arabia United Arab Emirates Yemen	IACC USPTO	Location: Muscat, Oman Training Recipient: Customs officials, Administrative officials, Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts, other IPR Enforcement training workshop for 60 individuals. Also sponsored by GCC Patent Office. Contact: Peter Fowler, Senior Counsel, Office of Enforcement, USPTO, Tel. 703-305-9300, Fax 703-305-8885; email: Peter.Fowler@uspto.gov

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Jan. 13, 2004 - Jan. 13, 2004	Pirate Products	Poland	MPAA	Location: Poland Training Recipient: Police Identification of pirate products and DVD piracy. Attended by 30 police officers.
Jan. 16, 2004 - Jan. 16, 2004	Identification of Music Products	Moldova	IFPI	Location: Dondyushany Training Recipient: Police A discussion programme for four officers from the Dondyushany Police Department. Following the training programme the officers took part in seizures of counterfeit audio products.
Jan. 20, 2004 - Jan. 20, 2004	Identification of Music Products	Moldova	IFPI	Location: Orgeev Training Recipient: Police Training program for 5 officers from the Economic Crime Division of the Orgeev Police Department. Raids carried out after training.
Jan. 22, 2004 - Jan. 22, 2004	Kamrat	Moldova	IFPI	Location: Identification of music products Training Recipient: Police Training seminar for 5 officers from the Economic Crime Division of the Kamrat Police Department. about the identification of pirate music products. Practical exercises and seizures carried out after training.
Jan. 27, 2004 - Jan. 27, 2004	Identification of Music Products	Moldova	IFPI	Location: Kishinev Training Recipient: Police Training for 8 members of the Economic Crime Division of the Kishinev Police Department.
Jan. 28, 2004 - Jan. 28, 2004	Investigating End-User Piracy	Indonesia	BSA	Location: Jakarta Training Recipient: other enforcement officials BSA conducted training in Jakarta on investigating end-user piracy. Participants numbered 56 and were a mix of 34 police officers and 22 PPNS from the DGIPR office, from various units from Jakarta and others from different parts of the island of Java. The deputy Chief of Economic Crimes unit 11, Edy Wardoyo, was also present.
Jan. 29, 2004 - Jan. 29, 2004	Copyright & Music Piracy	Russian Federation	IFPI	Location: Moscow Training Recipient: other enforcement officials, Prosecutors, Justice officials A seminar encompassing copyright issues, IP protection, international regulations and Russian legislation and practice. A total of 100 persons attended the seminar including members of the prosecutors office, law enforcement and courts.

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Jan. 30, 2004 - Jan. 30, 2004	Copyright Seminar	Japan	MPAA	Location: National Police Academy Training Recipient: Police Seminar of copyright violation on the Internet (P2P). 85 attendees from police headquarters.
Jan. 30, 2004 - Jan. 30, 2004	Issues relating to End-User Infringement	Indonesia	BSA	Location: Jakarta Training Recipient: Copyright officials BSA gave a presentation to National Task Force on IP. BSA staff attended a GOI inter-departmental meeting of members of the task force at the Ministry of Justice on the morning of 30 January. The participants numbered around 30 and were from the Police, Customs, Department of Trade and Industry, AG's department, Judiciary and DGIPR and Ministry of Justice.
Feb. 01, 2004 - Feb. 01, 2004	Detection of Pirated Copy	Estonia	MPAA	Location: Estonia Training Recipient: Police Piracy trends, the process of copyright offence and detection of pirated copy. Attended by 20 police officers.
Feb. 01, 2004 - Feb. 01, 2004	Penal Copyright Law	Portugal	MPAA	Location: Portugal Training Recipient: Police Penal copyright law.
Feb. 02, 2004 - Feb. 02, 2004	Detection of Music Piracy Offences	Moldova	IFPI	Location: Kishinev Training Recipient: Police Training programmes for officers of the Moldavian Economic Crime Unit of the Transport Police Department.
Feb. 02, 2004 - Feb. 02, 2004	Intellectual Property Protection	Croatia	MPAA	Location: Croatia, Zagreb Training Recipient: Police Importance of intellectual property protection. Collecting of hard evidence on optical disc piracy. Attended by 35 police officers and commissioners.
Feb. 05, 2004 - Feb. 05, 2004	Intellectual Property Rights in IT Sector/Bulgaria	Bulgaria	CLDP	Location: Sofia Training Recipient: other CLDP provided funding for an American Chamber of Commerce conference in Sofia on the protection of intellectual property and information technology. USPTO, DOJ, Bulgarian government officials and private industry participated in the conference.

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Feb. 05, 2004 - Feb. 05, 2004	Intellectual Property Rights in IT Sector	Bulgaria	BSA	Location: Sofia Training Recipient: other enforcement officials, Justice officials BSA counsel participation in AmCham event. Software and Internet piracy, prosecution and trial of software piracy cases, OD plant regulatory framework in Bulgaria.
Feb. 06, 2004 - Feb. 06, 2004	International Piracy Trends	China	MPAA	Location: Harbin/China Training Recipient: Copyright officials How to identify pirated DVDs infringing MPA titles. MPA's Anti-piracy Strategy in China. Attended by 100 enforcement officials in charge of copyright and publication market.
Feb. 10, 2004 - Feb. 10, 2004	IP Enforcement	Mexico	DOS	Location: Mexico Training Recipient: Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts Programme for Mexican judges on U.S. judicial system, U.S. IP law, prosecuting IP crime in U.S. and Mexico
Feb. 10, 2004 - Feb. 10, 2004	Optical Discs and Internet Piracy	Slovak Republic	MPAA	Location: Slovakia - Poprad Training Recipient: Police Optical discs and internet piracy.
Feb. 10, 2004 - Feb. 10, 2004	Optical Discs	Bulgaria	MPAA	Location: Sofia Police Academy Training Recipient: Police Local programme investigator, optical discs.
Feb. 11, 2004 - Feb. 11, 2004	Indicators of Counterfeit Audio Product	Russian Federation	IFPI	Location: Tatarstan Mol, Kazan Training Recipient: Police 12 officers from Tatarstan Mol Public Order Police with specific responsibility for detecting consumer market infringements attended a seminar about counterfeit audio products.
Feb. 13, 2004 - Feb. 13, 2004	Workshop for Police, Prosecutors and Customs Officials	Estonia	BSA	Location: Pärnu Training Recipient: Police, Customs officials, Prosecutors The investigation of copyright related crimes and attendant duties of investigating authorities.
Feb. 18, 2004 - Feb. 18, 2004	Detection of Music Piracy Offences	Moldova	IFPI	Location: Tiraspol, Pridnestrovskaya Training Recipient: Police Training for members of the Moldavian Republic Economic Crime Department and Tiraspol Police Department Note that Pridnestrovskaya Moldavian Republic has its own legislation, separate from Moldova

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Feb. 20, 2004 - Feb. 20, 2004	Music Piracy	India	IFPI	Location: Mumbai Training Recipient: Police, Customs officials Training seminar organized by IFPI and the Indian Music Industry for members of Police and Customs.
Feb. 23, 2004 - Feb. 25, 2004	Music Piracy Investigation	Sri Lanka	IFPI	Location: Colombo Training Recipient: Police, Customs officials This three-day seminar will target the following persons. Day 1: Police trainers from the Police academy who will develop their own training programme. Day 2: Police from the IPR commercial crime unit. Day 3: Customs officers from the rapid response unit specializing in IPR issues. Days 2 & 3 were shared with BSA.
Feb. 23, 2004 - Feb. 24, 2004	WCO IPR Customs Seminar	Serbia-Montenegro	BSA	Location: Belgrade Training Recipient: Customs officials IPR and counterfeit training for customs officials. BSA participation together with right holders and right holder groups.
Feb. 23, 2004 - Feb. 23, 2004	IP Enforcement	Viet Nam	DOS	Location: Washington, DC Training Recipient: Administrative officials, other enforcement officials Training programme for Vietnamese officials on IPR enforcement
Feb. 24, 2004 - Feb. 25, 2004	USPTO IPR Enforcement Workshop and Seminar	Guyana	USPTO	Location: Georgetown, Guyana Training Recipient: other enforcement officials, Right holder groups, other, Academics IPR Enforcement Workshop and Seminar for local government officials, law enforcement, business community, right holders, and academic participants. Co-sponsored by the US Embassy and US Foreign Commercial Service Additional POC: Mitch Mabrey, US Embassy-Georgetown.
Feb. 24, 2004 - Feb. 25, 2004	Identification of Pirate Goods	Romania	MPAA	Location: Romania Training Recipient: Prosecutors Identification of pirate and counterfeited goods.
Feb. 26, 2004 - Feb. 27, 2004	USPTO IPR Enforcement Workshop and Seminar	Suriname	USPTO	Location: Paramaribo, Suriname Training Recipient: other enforcement officials, Right holder groups, other, Academics IPR Enforcement Workshop and Seminar for local government officials, law enforcement, business community, rights holders, and academic participants. Co-sponsored by US Embassy and US Foreign Commercial Service. Additional POC: Beth Lampron, US Embassy-Paramaribo.

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Feb. 26, 2004 - Feb. 26, 2004	Detecting Music Piracy Offences	Moldova	IFPI	Location: Ungeny Training Recipient: Police Training for members of the Ungensky District Economic Crime Department in the investigation of music piracy offences.
Feb. 26, 2004 - Feb. 26, 2004	ASEAN-3 Copyright Seminar	Japan	MPAA	Location: Tokyo Training Recipient: Copyright officials The present condition of the movie protection of copyrights activities in China, Chinese Taipei, and Hong Kong, China. 100 attendees from the Government.
Feb. 27, 2004 - Feb. 27, 2004	IPR Legal Protection	Belarus	IFPI	Location: Minsk Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Trademark officials, Administrative officials, Culture officials, Economy officials Seminar for heads and officials of the Belarus ministries and state departments dealing with IP protection.
Feb. 27, 2004 - Feb. 27, 2004	Detecting Music Piracy	Moldova	IFPI	Location: Beltsy Training Recipient: Police Training for members of the Economic Crime Police regarding the detection of offences and identification of product.
Feb. 27, 2004 - Feb. 27, 2004	Annual meeting of Association of Estonian Cities	Estonia	BSA	Location: Paide Training Recipient: Administrative officials Software licences and auditing software use. At the invitation of the Association of Estonian Cities.
Feb. 27, 2004 - Feb. 27, 2004	NCAC Copyright Enforcement Training	China	MPAA	Location: Beijing, China Training Recipient: Copyright officials How to identify pirated DVDs infringing MPA titles. MPA's anti-piracy strategy in China. Attended by 78 copyright enforcement officials.
Mar. 01, 2004 - Mar. 01, 2004	Police Seminar Practical Aspects of IPR Protection	Lithuania	BSA	Location: Vilnius Training Recipient: Police, Prosecutors Practical issues in the enforcement of copyright/ related rights cases, with particular reference to accession to EU. Discussion of types of software piracy, raids, investigation of copyright cases.

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Mar. 02, 2004 - Mar. 02, 2004	Protection of Intellectual Property	Russian Federation	IFPI	Location: Nizhny Novgorod Training Recipient: Police, Customs officials, Prosecutors, Legal professionals Seminar for 100 officers of the prosecutors offices, customs, law enforcement agencies and courts of the Privolzhsky region. The course covered a wide range of issues connected to IP, international regulations, current Russian legislation and the application of legislation on the protection of neighbouring rights of the phonogram producers.
Mar. 03, 2004 - Mar. 03, 2004	Music and Software Piracy	Italy	BSA	Location: Reggio Emilia Training Recipient: Police Discussion of nature, effects and consequences of piracy in several industries. Analysis of the Italian copyright law (particularly criminal provisions) and software licences. Forum to share the effective enforcement procedures. With participation of FPM (local IFPI anti- piracy agency) and FAPAV (local MPA anti- piracy agency)
Mar. 03, 2004 - Mar. 03, 2004	Software Piracy Trg: Italian Financial officials	Italy	BSA	Location: Reggio Emilia Training Recipient: Police, Revenue (Tax) officials, other enforcement officials Software piracy and its economical and social consequences, to train police officers on software licensing and copyright-related investigations.
Mar. 08, 2004 - Mar. 08, 2004	Software Users Seminar	Estonia	BSA	Location: Tallinn Training Recipient: Right holder groups, other BSA activities and legal issues related to software licensing. With the participation of rights holders.
Mar. 10, 2004 - Mar. 10, 2004	Police Seminar	Norway	BSA	Location: Oslo Training Recipient: Police, Prosecutors An introduction to the activities of BSA and other rights holder groups for law enforcement and prosecutors. Key topics were anti-piracy work and legislation and digital integrity.
Mar. 11, 2004 - Mar. 11, 2004	Musical, Audiovisual and Software	Italy	BSA	Location: Cagliari Training Recipient: Police Discussion of nature, effects and consequences of piracy in several industries. Analysis of the Italian copyright law (particularly criminal provisions) and software licences. Forum to share the effective enforcement procedures. With participation of FPM (local IFPI anti- piracy agency) and FAPAV (local MPA anti- piracy agency)

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Mar. 11, 2004 - Mar. 11, 2004	Training on Software Piracy for the Italian Finance	Italy	BSA	Location: Cagliari Training Recipient: Police, Revenue (Tax) officials, other enforcement officials Software piracy and its economical and social consequences, to train police officers on software licensing and copyright-related investigations.
Mar. 12, 2004 - Mar. 12, 2004	Prevention of Production of Counterfeit Goods.	Russian Federation	IFPI	Location: Rostov on Don Training Recipient: Police 39 heads of the Public Order Police subdivisions of Rostov regional Police department dealing with consumer market violations. The lectures centered on the stabilization of the audio and video market and the prevention of production and distribution of counterfeit product.
Mar. 13, 2004 - Mar. 13, 2004	Identification of Pirate Product	Moldova	IFPI	Location: Beltsy, Moldova Training Recipient: Police Training seminar attended by five officers of the Economic Crime Police and which concentrated on the identification of pirate product.
Mar. 15, 2004 - Mar. 15, 2004	Music Piracy and Identification of Product	Philippines	IFPI	Location: Manila Training Recipient: Customs officials Training seminar for the Intellectual Property Unit of the Philippine Bureau of Customs. Only 12 persons attended and the scheduled presentation by the Bureau of Customs did not take place.
Mar. 15, 2004 - Mar. 15, 2004	Software Assets Management (SAM) in State Administ.	Lithuania	BSA	Location: Vilnius Training Recipient: other The adoption process of Gov't Order re: software use in state institutions. An introduction to basics of software asset management, legal IPR/CR protection. BSA participation in the event held on behalf of Information Society Development Committee at the Government of Lithuania.
Mar. 15, 2004 - Mar. 15, 2004	Training for Local System Builders (SBs)	Lithuania	BSA	Location: Kaunas Training Recipient: other Discussion of aspects of software copyright protection, emphasizing the accession into the EU, with particular reference to IT professionals.
Mar. 16, 2004 - Mar. 16, 2004	Software Piracy Seminar	Croatia	BSA	Location: Osijek Training Recipient: other Discussion of software piracy, its effects and BSA activities in Croatia.

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Mar. 16, 2004 - Mar. 19, 2004	USPTO Academy on Enforcement of IPR	Albania Bosnia- Herzegovina Bulgaria Croatia FYR of Macedonia Romania Serbia- Montenegro	CLDP USPTO	Location: Washington, DC Training Recipient: Trademark officials, Patent officials, Customs officials, Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts, other Ministry of Culture - civil, criminal and border enforcement challenges.
Mar. 18, 2004 - Mar. 18, 2004	Prevention of Production of Counterfeit Goods	Russian Federation	IFPI	Location: Rostov on Don Training Recipient: Police 36 Heads of Economic & Tax crimes subdivisions of Rostov regional Police Department were in attendance at a seminar dealing with audio and video products.
Mar. 18, 2004 - Mar. 18, 2004	Identification of Counterfeit Product	Moldova	IFPI	Location: Tiraspol, Pridnestrovie Training Recipient: Police Training for members of the Economic Crime Division of Tiraspol Police Department concentrating on the recognition of pirate product.
Mar. 23, 2004 - Mar. 24, 2004	University Technology Transfer for Economic Growth	Brazil	IIFI	Location: Campinas, Brazil Training Recipient: Patent officials, Commerce officials, Culture officials, Economy officials, Right holder groups, Academics To consult with university technology transfer professionals to increase the efficiency of commercialization of government funded research and development.
Mar. 23, 2004 - Mar. 23, 2004	Haifa Law School Seminar	Israel	BSA	Location: Haifa Training Recipient: Legal professionals, Academics Software infringement and special remedies provided by the courts in the fight against software piracy. At the invitation of the Haifa University Law School.
Mar. 24, 2004 - Mar. 24, 2004	Training for the Leading Local Designers	Lithuania	BSA	Location: Vilnius Training Recipient: other Discussion of copyright protection legalization and effect of accession to EU, with particular reference to design software and its users.
Mar. 24, 2004 - Mar. 24, 2004	Intellectual Property Protection	Croatia	MPAA	Location: Croatia Training Recipient: Judges - civil/administrative courts Importance of intellectual property protection, Croatian experiences. Attended by 22 judges.

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Mar. 24, 2004 - Mar. 24, 2004	Cross Border Piracy - DVD	Slovak Republic	MPAA	Location: Slovakia - Bandejou Training Recipient: Customs officials Cross border piracy - DVD.
Mar. 25, 2004 - Mar. 25, 2004	Conference on Cyber Crime	Romania	BSA	Location: Bucharest Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Trademark officials, Police, Legal professionals Participation in the National Institute for Criminology Seminar, educating legal professionals on software piracy and cyber crime. Speakers included representatives of the Police, the Copyright Office, the National Institute for Criminology, and the Council of Europe.
Mar. 25, 2004 - Mar. 25, 2004	Copyright Seminar for Israeli Judges	Israel	BSA	Location: Jerusalem Training Recipient: Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts Civil enforcement of rights relating to software piracy. In conjunction with the Institute of Advanced Judicial Studies
Mar. 26, 2004 - Mar. 26, 2004	BSA Seminar on Software Copyright Protection	Croatia	BSA	Location: Zagreb Training Recipient: Police, Justice officials, Legal professionals, Academics Civil law protection of computer software copyright under the new Copyright and Related Rights Act. Customs measures for IPR protection. Misdemeanour protection computer software copyright and the damaged party's rights in misdemeanour proceedings. Public policy activities in the enlarged EU. Criminal liability of legal persons. Software- Copyrights Protection: Practical issues.
Mar. 26, 2004 - Mar. 26, 2004	Legal Protection of Software	Spain	BSA	Location: Madrid Training Recipient: Prosecutors, Justice officials, Legal professionals Discussion of relevant legislation and casework on the legal protection of software. Participation together with SGAE (Spanish Authors and Editors Collective Society)
Mar. 26, 2004 - Mar. 26, 2004	Computer Software Copyright Protection	Croatia	BSA	Location: Zagreb Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Trademark officials, Commerce officials, Right holder groups Civil law protection of computer software copyright under the new Copyright and Related Rights Act. Customs measures for intellectual property rights protection. Misdemeanour protection computer software copyright and the damaged party's rights in misdemeanour proceedings. Key public policy priorities in the European Union and Croatian perspective: IP

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Mar. 26, 2004 - Mar. 26, 2004 [continued]	Computer Software Copyright Protection	Croatia	BSA	protection, technology mandates and cyber crime. Criminal liability of Legal persons. Criminal law protection of copyright and the damaged party's rights in proceedings - an overview on the criminal policies of courts and experiences in the proceedings from the damaged party perspective. Software Copyrights Protection: Practical issues.
Mar. 26, 2004 - Mar. 26, 2004	Copyright and Related Rights Act	Croatia Slovenia	MPAA	Location: Croatia, Zagreb Training Recipient: Police Administrative and civil issue on new provisions under new copyright and related rights act. Infringed parties rights during criminal procedure. Attended by 75 judges, police and custom officers.
Mar. 30, 2004 - Mar. 30, 2004	Prosecuting Copyright Infringers	Malaysia	BSA	Location: Langkawi Training Recipient: other enforcement officials - In association with MPA and IFPI we conducted training in March 2004 with MDTCA officers on prosecuting copyright cases. Issues relating to the interpretation of sections of the Copyright Law were discussed. The audience numbered around 60 participants and included an Appeals court judge from Malaysia who spoke on copyright related issues.
Mar. 31, 2004 - Apr. 02, 2004	IPR Judicial Workshop	Italy	BSA	Location: Montecatini Training Recipient: Police, Prosecutors, Justice officials Comparison of Italian and American experiences in IPR criminal enforcement, and the contribution of right holder groups in enforcement. Event organized by the US Embassy and sponsored by BSA, FAPAV and FPM.
Apr. 01, 2004 - Apr. 02, 2004	Regional Conference on Intellectual Property	Poland	BSA	Location: Warsaw Training Recipient: Police, other Discussion of enforcement of IP rights, and other aspects of internet-related piracy. Local Anti-piracy Coalition (BSA, MPA, IFPI) was an official co-organizer of the conference.
Apr. 01, 2004 - Apr. 01, 2004	Copyright Law	Hungary	BSA	Location: Balatonfured Training Recipient: other lectures on copyright law, together with ASVA.

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Apr. 01, 2004 - Apr. 01, 2004	Identifying Pirate Software product	India	BSA	Location: Jaipur, Rajasthan Training Recipient: Police BSA provided training for channel raids to officers of the Economic Offences Wing of the Jaipur Police in Rajasthan state. This training was followed by raids within four weeks against retail outlets selling pirate software in Jaipur.
Apr. 05, 2004 - Apr. 06, 2004	Trainings for Polish judges and prosecutors	Poland	BSA	Location: Popowo Training Recipient: Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts Enforcement of IP rights in the Polish legal system (in particular, policy of Polish courts and prosecutors applied in criminal proceedings). Participation at the invitation of the US Embassy in Warsaw
Apr. 05, 2004 - Apr. 08, 2004	Polish-American IPR Enforcement Workshops	Poland	USPTO	Location: Popowo and Krakow, Poland Training Recipient: Police, Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts Workshops focusing on importance of IPR enforcement and economic development; litigation of civil infringement cases in Polish courts, intellectual property criminal enforcement efforts; intellectual property enforcement online. US District Courts, FBI, and DOJ participated.
Apr. 05, 2004 - Apr. 05, 2004	AnHui Press & Publication Enforcement Training	China	MPAA	Location: Hefei/China Training Recipient: Copyright officials International piracy trend. How to identify pirated DVDs infringing MPA titles, MPA's anti-piracy strategy in China. Attended by 130 enforcement officials in charge of copyright and publication market.
Apr. 05, 2004 - Apr. 12, 2004	Star Viet Nam Training on IPR	Viet Nam	BSA	Location: Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City Training Recipient: other enforcement officials This was training organized by Star to which BSA was an invited speaker. BSA provided basic training on end-user related issues to economic officers. The audience numbered between 50-100 at each of the three events in which BSA was involved.
Apr. 06, 2004 - Apr. 07, 2004	IPR Protection	Russian Federation	IFPI	Location: Ekaterinburg, Russia Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Patent officials, Police, Customs officials, Prosecutors, Justice officials Approx. 100 officials of the Prosecutor's Office, Customs, law enforcement agencies, Sverdlovsky, Kurgansky, Tyumensky and Chelyabinsky Regional courts including the Russian Federation patent attorneys participated in the seminar. A wide range of

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Apr. 06, 2004 - Apr. 07, 2004 [continued]	IPR Protection	Russian Federation	IFPI	issues connected to IPR protection, its international regulations, the current legislation survey, and judicial practices was discussed. The seminar was sponsored by Rospatent and IFPI invited to speak about the music industry.
Apr. 06, 2004 - Apr. 06, 2004	Chinese Taipei	Chinese Taipei	MPAA	Location: Lo Tung Yilan County Training Recipient: Police Training to identify pirated optical discs. Attended by 50 police officers.
Apr. 09, 2004 - Apr. 09, 2004	Chinese Taipei	Chinese Taipei	MPAA	Location: Lo Tung Yilan County Training Recipient: Police Training to identify pirated optical discs. Attended by 50 police officers.
Apr. 15, 2004 - Apr. 15, 2004	Intellectual Property Rights	Hungary	MPAA	Location: Budapest, Hungary Training Recipient: other enforcement officials A training seminar about private copy, DRM, and levy system.
Apr. 15, 2004 - Apr. 15, 2004	Legal Protection of Software	Spain	BSA	Location: Avila Training Recipient: Police Discussion of criminal casework on the legal protection of software, with the participation of the National police.
Apr. 16, 2004 - Apr. 16, 2004	Chinese Taipei	Chinese Taipei	MPAA	Location: Keelung City Training Recipient: Customs officials Training to identify pirated optical discs and border control system. Attended by 50 customs officers.
Apr. 21, 2004 - Apr. 21, 2004	Identification of Pirate Music Product.	Moldova	IFPI	Location: Kishinev, Buyukany District Training Recipient: Police Training seminar for officers from the Economic Crime Police of Buyukany District Police Department.
Apr. 22, 2004 - Apr. 23, 2004	Pharmaceutical Patent Examiner Training	Paraguay	DOS	Location: Asuncion, Paraguay Training Recipient: Patent officials USPTO Patent Attorneys Dominic Keating and Charles Eloshway conducted a two-day training session on pharmaceutical patent examination practice for officials from the Paraguayan Office of Industrial Property in Asuncion. Contacts: Charles Eloshway, Dominic Keating, USPTO, Tel: (703) 305-9300

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Apr. 22, 2004 - Apr. 22, 2004	IPR Training	Slovak Republic	BSA	Location: Trencin Training Recipient: Police, Right holder groups Copyright infringement and criminal law - types, penalties, and legislation, with a particular focus on software.
Apr. 23, 2004 - Apr. 23, 2004	Investigation of Music Piracy	China	IFPI	Location: London Training Recipient: Copyright officials Visit to IFPI by eight members of the People's Republic of China, Copyright Office. The programme dealt with aspects of music piracy and its investigation with particular emphasis on the south east Asian region
Apr. 26, 2004 - Apr. 27, 2004	USPTO Patent Examination Practice	Brazil	DOC DOS	Location: Brazilian Industrial Property Office (INPI) Training Recipient: Patent officials USPTO Patent Attorney Charles Eloshway trained a group of 80 Brazilian patent examiners on USPTO patent examination practice. Contact: Charles Eloshway, USPTO, Tel: (703) 305-9300
Apr. 26, 2004 - Apr. 28, 2004	CAFTA IP Training for El Salvadoran Officials	El Salvador	USPTO	Location: Washington, D.C. Training Recipient: Patent officials Training on Implementation of IP Chapter of Central American Free Trade Agreement. Training provided to Ministry of Economy and Trade, and Intellectual Property Registry offices. Cosponsored by USAID. Contact: Michael Adlin, USPTO, Tel: (703) 305-9300
Apr. 26, 2004 - Apr. 26, 2004	Training for police officers (Tallinn Central District)	Estonia	BSA	Location: Tallinn Central District Training Recipient: Police Practical legal questions regarding the activities of authorities when investigating copyright related crimes. Event held together with the Tallinn Police prefecture and EAKO.
Apr. 26, 2004 - Apr. 26, 2004	IPR Training	Slovak Republic	BSA	Location: Banksa Bystrica Training Recipient: Patent officials, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts, Justice officials, Legal professionals Copyright infringement and criminal law - types, penalties, and legislation, with a particular focus on software. At the invitation of the Industrial Property Office of Slovakia.

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Apr. 28, 2004 - Apr. 30, 2004	Baltic Prosecutors Seminar	Estonia Lithuania	BSA	Location: Druskininkai Training Recipient: Prosecutors Exchange of best practices and discussion of authorities in each state. Impact of accession into EU, main practical issues and aspects, best practices of other EU countries in software copyright criminal cases, discuss with prosecutors the main issues in prosecuting copyright crimes. EU copyright legislation & best practices of other European countries; overview of national legislation and practice of copyright criminal cases; investigation of counterfeiting and internet piracy.
Apr. 29, 2004 - Apr. 29, 2004	Identification of pirate music product	Moldova	IFPI	Location: Kishinev Training Recipient: Police Training seminar for officers from the Economic Crime Police and Public Order Police Departments.
May. 04, 2004 - May. 04, 2004	Software Law 2004	Slovak Republic	BSA	Location: Trnava Training Recipient: Legal professionals, other, Academics The Slovak Copyright Act; IP infringement - types, penalties and legislation; new aspects of IP infringement. With the cooperation of ELSA (European Law Students Association Slovakia)
May. 07, 2004 - May. 07, 2004	End-User Issues and Government Legalization	Indonesia	BSA	Location: Bogor Training Recipient: Copyright officials - BSA spoke on the issues of end-user piracy at the Indonesian Government Summit on IPRs, which was held in Bogor in March 2004. It was organized by the Indonesian Government IT Coordination Team in cooperation with the Directorate General of Intellectual Property Rights, Ministry of Justice and Human Rights and the Ministry of Communication and Information. The aim of the summit was to raise IPR awareness among government agencies and to emphasize the need for the government agencies to lead by example and use only legal software. The audience numbered around 150 Government representatives from various agencies.
May. 11, 2004 - May. 11, 2004	Introduction to the WTO TRIPS Agreement	Iraq	USPTO	Location: Iraqi Ministry of Trade, Baghdad, Iraq Training Recipient: Trade officials The day-long seminar for 60 Ministry of Trade officials was composed of five presentations: (1) Overview of WTO/TRIPS Agreement; (2) TRIPS and Patents, Data Protection, Plant Variety Protection and Industrial Designs; (3) TRIPS and Trademarks and Geographical Indications; (4) TRIPS and Copyrights and Related Rights; (5) TRIPS and Enforcement:

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May. 11, 2004 - May. 11, 2004 [continued]	Introduction to the WTO TRIPS Agreement	Iraq	USPTO	Civil, Criminal and Border Measures. Sponsored by Coalition Provisional Authority Contact: Linda Lourie, Office of General Counsel, Coalition Provisional Authority, Iraq Tel: (703) 343-8844
May. 11, 2004 - May. 11, 2004	Recognition of Counterfeit Product	South Africa	IFPI	Location: Sandton, Johannesburg Training Recipient: Police Training seminar for 100 officers of the South African Police Service Commercial Crime Unit. Main sponsor MPA. Platform shared by IFPI and Recording Industry of South Africa.
May. 11, 2004 - May. 12, 2004	IP Crime and Organized Crime	Uruguay	DOS	Location: Montevideo, Uruguay Training Recipient: Police, other enforcement officials, Prosecutors, Judges - criminal courts Programme on criminal IP enforcement and combating organized crime.
May. 11, 2004 - May. 11, 2004	Trace & investigate Internet pirates and ISPs	Chinese Taipei	BSA	Location: Taipei Training Recipient: Police BSA conducted training with IPR police officers in May 2004 on how the P2P file sharing system worked and on also how to trace and investigate pirates and ISPs on the Internet. In addition to the training on the Internet, BSA also provided general information of software piracy, the procedure of conducting end-user/channel/counterfeiting raids, and some case studies. The trainees numbered around 60 officers.
May. 12, 2004 - May. 12, 2004	Software Piracy Trg: Italian Finance officials	Italy	BSA	Location: Palermo Training Recipient: Police, Revenue (Tax) officials, other enforcement officials Software piracy and its economical and social consequences, training police officers on software licensing and copyright-related investigations.
May. 13, 2004 - May. 13, 2004	Training on Software Piracy for the Italian Finance	Italy	BSA	Location: Catania Training Recipient: Police, Revenue (Tax) officials, other enforcement officials Software piracy and its economic and social consequences, training police officers on software licensing and copyright-related investigations.

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May. 16, 2004 - May. 17, 2004	Training for prosecutor and judges	Poland	BSA	Location: Popowo near Warsaw Training Recipient: Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts. Enforcement of copyrights through criminal cases. Discussion of issues in Warsaw courts. Event organized by the Ministry of Justice.
May. 17, 2004 - May. 20, 2004	Training for Trainers	Bosnia- Herzegovina Bulgaria Croatia FYR of Macedonia Romania Serbia- Montenegro	IFPI	Location: Sofia, Bulgaria Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Police, Customs officials, Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts. The training session was organized for IPR officials from the following countries in South Eastern Europe and attended by 20 persons: Bulgaria, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Croatia, Serbia and Montenegro, FYR of Macedonia and Romania. It included practical interactive sessions and full details of legislation in all the attending countries. Coverage of the TRIPS Agreement and the new EU Enforcement Directive was also discussed. The main sponsor for this training was UNESCO.
May. 17, 2004 - May. 20, 2004	Southeast Europe IPR Border Enforcement Workshop	Albania Bosnia- Herzegovina Bulgaria Croatia FYR of Macedonia Romania Serbia- Montenegro	CLDP USPTO	Location: Croatia Training Recipient: Customs officials Workshop for Southeast Europe Customs Officials focusing on border enforcement of intellectual property rights. US Bureau of Customs and Border Protection and Slovenian Customs participated. Sponsors also included US Embassy Zagreb.
May. 17, 2004 - May. 21, 2004	UNESCO Anti- Piracy Training	Bulgaria	BSA	Location: Sofia Training Recipient: Police, other enforcement officials, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts UNESCO event, covering copyright piracy; Internet piracy; enforcement and prosecution of piracy cases; border control measures; criminal, civil, administrative remedies for IP protection.
May. 17, 2004 - May. 17, 2004	Enforcement Training	Hong Kong, China	MPAA	Location: Kunming/China Training Recipient: Copyright officials Introduction of MPA/MPAA and memcos.; the piracy trend, how to identify pirated DVD, Internet piracy in China and Optical Disc Piracy - a global organized crime. Attended by 33 officials from Guangzhou APPO.

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May. 18, 2004 - May. 21, 2004	ASEAN-USPTO IPR Enforcement Workshop	Australia Brunei Darussalam Cambodia Indonesia Japan Lao PDR Malaysia Myanmar Philippines Singapore Thailand Viet Nam	USPTO	Location: Bangkok, Thailand Training Recipient: Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts Organized by the USPTO Office of Enforcement, this workshop was held in partnership with the ASEAN Working Group on IP Cooperation, IP Australia, Japan Patent Office, KIAAsia, and the Thai Department of Intellectual Property. 50 attendees from ASEAN member states. Contact: Peter N. Fowler, Senior Counsel for Enforcement, USPTO, Tel: (703) 306-2967 (peter.fowler@uspto.gov)
May. 18, 2004 - May. 18, 2004	IPR Protection	Russian Federation	IFPI	Location: Sochi Training Recipient: Patent officials, Police, Customs officials, Prosecutors, Judges - criminal courts Seminar for 100 officials of the prosecutors office, Customs and other law enforcement officials from Krasnodar and other regional courts. Organized by Rospatent.
May. 18, 2004 - May. 18, 2004	FFE Seminar	Finland	BSA	Location: Oulu Training Recipient: Police, other Organized with the Federation of Finnish Enterprises in Oulu. Licence management and auditing; licence issues in accountancy practice, impact on competition and the role of law enforcement in investigating and prosecuting copyright infringement.
May. 18, 2004 - May. 18, 2004	ASEAN IPR Enforcement Workshop	Thailand	BSA	Location: Bangkok Training Recipient: Judges - civil/administrative courts At the seminar in Bangkok in which BSA participated, we provided insights to judges and prosecutors from ASEAN countries on end-user issues relating to investigating and prosecuting offenders.
May. 21, 2004 - May. 21, 2004	Jiangxi Press & Publication Enforcement Training	China	MPAA	Location: Nanchang/China Training Recipient: Copyright officials International piracy trend; how to identify pirated DVDs infringing MPA titles; MPA's anti-piracy strategy in China. 139 enforcement officials in charge of copyright and publication market.
May. 24, 2004 - May. 24, 2004	Copyright Law	Hungary	BSA	Location: Budapest Training Recipient: Police, other enforcement officials Training for law enforcement.

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May. 28, 2004 - May. 28, 2004	Legal Protection of Software	Spain	BSA	Location: Escuela Judidica Madrid Training Recipient: Prosecutors Review of obstacles that may arise at trials involving software piracy. With particular attention to familiarizing prosecutors with the offences. With CEDRO, FAB and EGEDA.
May. 28, 2004 - May. 28, 2004	Guangxi Press & Publication Enforcement Training	China Hong Kong	MPAA	Location: Guillin/China Training Recipient: Copyright officials International piracy trend. Attended by 64 enforcement officials in charge of copyright and publication market.
Jun. 01, 2004 - Jun. 01, 2004	Investigating End-User Software Infringement	Indonesia	BSA	Location: Megamendung Bogor, West Java Training Recipient: Police BSA provided training to 28 junior police officers on IPR and end-user software infringement at the CID Education Center - Megamendung Bogor, West Java.
Jun. 03, 2004 - Jun. 03, 2004	Introduction to the WTO TRIPS Agreement	Iraq	USPTO	Location: Baghdad, Iraq Training Recipient: Trade officials The day-long seminar for 30 Ministry of Industry and Minerals and Ministry of Interior officials was composed of five presentations: (1) Overview of WTO/TRIPS Agreement (2) TRIPS and Patents, Data Protection, Plant Variety Protection and Industrial Designs: (3) TRIPS and Trademarks and Geographical Indications, (4) TRIPS and Copyrights and Related Rights, (5) TRIPS and Enforcement: Civil, Criminal and Border Measures. Sponsored by Coalition Authority Contact: Linda Lourie, Office of General Counsel, Coalition Provisional Authority, Iraq Tel: (703) 343-8844
Jun. 04, 2004 - Jun. 16, 2004	Training on Customs Risk- Based Targeting	Kuwait	CBP	Location: Kuwait City Training Recipient: Information officials (i.e. Ministry of) Officials from Kuwaiti Customs, the Ministry of Information and the Ministry of Communication. CBP official provided technical training on risk-based targeting of shipments to Kuwaiti officials. The project included presentations to a group of 100 participants and consultations with the newly formed Kuwaiti Customs IPR Team.

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Jun. 14, 2004 - Jun. 25, 2004	USPTO Visiting Scholar Program	Bahrain Belize Bosnia- Herzegovina Brazil Bulgaria Chile China Croatia Czech Republic Guinea Indonesia Korea Paraguay Philippines Portugal Romania Saudi Arabia Serbia- Montenegro South Africa Chinese Taipei Thailand Viet Nam	USPTO	Location: Washington, DC Training Recipient: other Since 1985, the USPTO Visiting Scholars Programme has provided participants from over 30 foreign country with two weeks of classroom and hands-on study of the United States' system for protecting intellectual property. Past participants include directors and deputy directors of industrial property offices, patent and trademark examiners, and other experts from developing countries. The goals of the programme are threefold: a) To foster a better understanding of international intellectual property obligations and norms; b) Using the US system as an example, to expose participants to at least one method of providing TRIPS-level protection for a variety of intellectual property disciplines; and c) To promote discussion of intellectual-property issues in a friendly and supportive environment. Contacts: Charles Eloshway, Minna Moezie, John Rodriguez, Tel: (703) 305-9300
Jun. 14, 2004 - Jun. 15, 2004	Judicial IP Training	United Arab Emirates	IACC	Location: United Arab Emirates Training Recipient: Administrative officials Two-day seminar in Dubai on trademark infringement and counterfeiting. Organized jointly with the Dubai Department of Justice, the Institute of Training and Judicial Studies (ITJS), and the UAE Ministry of Justice. The programme's objectives were to highlight the challenges in protecting intellectual property, share the findings and help build an understanding of how to use the local judicial systems to more efficiently protect IP rights in the region.
Jun. 15, 2004 - Jun. 15, 2004	Copyright law	Hungary	BSA	Location: Budapest Training Recipient: Prosecutors Copyright law training for public prosecutors, with focus on software and associated offences.
Jun. 21, 2004 - Jun. 23, 2004	Application of Council Directive 2002/38/EC- VAT	Denmark	IACC	Location: Arhus, Denmark Training Recipient: Administrative officials, other enforcement officials, Commerce officials, Economy officials Quarterly tax seminar held by the European Commission. Entitled Practical Application of Council Directive 2002/38/EC-VAT on E Service. Presentation done by IACC member Microsoft. Provided an overview of software piracy and other cyber related crimes (spam, hacking, fraud, etc.) and the use of online tools.

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Jun. 21, 2004 - Jun. 21, 2004	Training for Ministries Chancellors	Estonia	BSA	Location: Sausti Training Recipient: Legislators Discussion of software licensing issues with persons responsible for these matters in their ministries. Key topics were software licensing and auditing.
Jun. 21, 2004 - Jun. 21, 2004	IPR Seminar	Hong Kong, China	MPAA	Location: Hong Kong, China Training Recipient: Customs officials Piracy trend, how to identify pirated DVDs infringing MPA. Attended by 92 officials from customs.
Jun. 23, 2004 - Jun. 24, 2004	Symposium on GIs and Collective Marks	Philippines	USPTO	Location: Makati City, Manila, Philippines Training Recipient: Trademark officials, Legal professionals, other Symposium to discuss with IPO and IP practitioners the benefits of protecting GIs through collective marks. Sponsor: Philippine Intellectual Property Office Office Contact: Deborah Lashley-Johnson, USPTO, Tel: (703) 305-9300
Jun. 23, 2004 - Jun. 23, 2004	IP from Legislation to Implementation	Serbia- Montenegro	BSA	Location: Belgrade Training Recipient: Police, Customs officials, Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts IPR protection, the legal framework, enforcement, highlights and shortfalls, future actions and prospects. BSA participation in an AmCham event.
Jun. 25, 2004 - Jun. 25, 2004	IPR Seminar	Hong Kong, China	MPAA	Location: Hong Kong, China Training Recipient: Customs officials Piracy trends, How to identify pirated DVDs. Attended by 69 Customs officials.
Jun. 25, 2004 - Jun. 25, 2004	Copyright Seminar	Japan	MPAA	Location: National Police Academy Training Recipient: Police Seminar on copyright violation on the Internet (P2P). 72 attendees from prefectural police headquarters.
Jun. 30, 2004 - Jun. 30, 2004	Seminar on IP Rights	Romania	BSA	Location: Bucharest Training Recipient: Police, Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts, Legal professionals Participation in a training event for legal professionals on IP rights, industrial property rights and copyright and related rights. Organized by the Phare Program.

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Jun. 30, 2004 - Jun. 30, 2004	Intellectual Property 2004	Israel	BSA	Location: Tel Aviv Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Administrative officials, Journalists, Legal professionals, other Overview of software piracy and the BSA's role in combating software copyright infringement. Organized by the national daily "Haaretz" and co-sponsored by the BSA.
Jun. 30, 2004 - Jun. 30, 2004	Copyright Seminar	Japan	MPAA	Location: Kyoto Research Park Hall Training Recipient: Information officials (i.e. Ministry of) Seminar on information based Society and Copyright Law. Crimes related to the internet.
Jun. 30, 2004 - Jun. 30, 2004	Joint MPA/Customs Anti-Piracy Workshop	Indonesia	MPAA	Location: Jakarta International Airport Training Recipient: Customs officials Pirate product identification, methods of smuggling, IP and Customs laws and regulations. Training by MPAA and MPA/Indonesia.
Jul. 03, 2004 - Jul. 03, 2004	Round table on Role of Judiciary in IPR Development	India	BSA	Location: Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh Training Recipient: Judges - civil/administrative courts BSA provided a speaker at the round table on role of judiciary in IPR development and adjudication. The audience included two judges from each of the 21 High courts in India and also included invitees from other jurisdictions outside India. The BSA speaker focused on corporate end-user infringers and issues relating to prosecuting such infringers.
Jul. 06, 2004 - Jul. 06, 2004	Customs Enforcement of IPR crime	Russian Federation	IFPI	Location: Svetlogorsk, Kaliningrad Training Recipient: Customs officials, Prosecutors, Economy officials IFPI Moscow Regional Office attended WCO organized event to train 100 customs officers from Russian Federation.
Jul. 07, 2004 - Jul. 07, 2004	Software Piracy Trg: Italian financial officials	Italy	BSA	Training Recipient: Police, Revenue (Tax) officials, other enforcement officials Software piracy and its economical and social consequences, to train police officers on software licensing and copyright-related investigations.

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Jul. 21, 2004 - Jul. 23, 2004	USPTO/Pacific Islands IPR Workshop	Fiji Kiribati Marshall Islands Micronesia New Zealand Palau Papua New Guinea Samoa Solomon Islands Tonga Tuvalu Vanuatu	USPTO	Location: Nadi, Fiji Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Trademark officials, Police, Customs officials, other enforcement officials, Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts, Trade officials, Legislators, Legal professionals, Right holder groups Organized by the USPTO Office of Enforcement in partnership with the Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat, IP Australia, and the US Foreign Commercial Service. 30-40 attendees from Forum Island countries. Additional Countries Include: Cook Islands, Nauru, and Niue Contact: Peter N. Fowler, Senior Counsel for Enforcement, USPTO, Tel: (703) 306-2967
Jul. 26, 2004 - Jul. 26, 2004	Investigating End-User Infringement	China	BSA	Location: Shanghai, Beijing Training Recipient: Copyright officials - In July 2004 BSA provided two enforcement training sessions, one each in Shanghai (26 July) and Beijing (29 July). The training focused on issues relating to investigating end-user infringement. The audience comprised of enforcement officials of the local copyright association, the government body tasked to protect copyright.
Jul. 28, 2004 - Aug. 28, 2004	Investigating and Prosecuting End-User Cases	Indonesia	BSA	Location: Jakarta Training Recipient: Judges - civil/administrative courts BSA conducted training on investigating and prosecuting end-user cases with around 25 District Court Judges.
Jul. 29, 2004 - Jul. 29, 2004	IP Infringement	Slovak Republic	BSA	Location: Bratislava Training Recipient: other Discussion of IP infringement, definitions and damages with software experts. Discuss aspects of criminal law and how it pertains to IP infringement.
Aug. 03, 2004 - Aug. 03, 2004	Investigation of Music Piracy	Mexico	IFPI	Location: Guadalajara Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Police, Revenue (Tax) officials, Prosecutors, Commerce officials, Justice officials The State Government of Jalisco have introduced an experimental licensed street traders project in an effort to eliminate illegal street traders. IFPI and its Mexican music group together with the music industry in Mexico have supported this initiative and have trained personnel from Jalisco in the recognition of pirate product and provided other support to them.

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Aug. 03, 2004 - Aug. 03, 2004 [continued]	Investigation of Music Piracy	Mexico	IFPI	If this project is successful in reducing piracy levels in Jalisco then it may well be carried forward into other Mexican states.
Aug. 04, 2004 - Aug. 04, 2004	End-User Investigation	Philippines	BSA	Location: Manila Training Recipient: other enforcement officials BSA conducted end-user investigation and product ID training with NBI (IPR and Anti Fraud sections)including the Head of the NBI Training School, in August 2004. The audience numbered around 30 officers.
Aug. 05, 2004 - Aug. 05, 2004	The Investigation of Music Piracy Offences	Mexico	IFPI	Location: Mexico City Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Police, Administrative officials, Prosecutors, Legal professionals IFPI in conjunction with its Mexican Music Group held a seminar in Mexico City for approximately 60 personnel of the Procurator Generals Office. The seminar dealt with all aspects of the investigation of music piracy.
Aug. 22, 2004 - Aug. 26, 2004	Jordan IP Week/Judicial Education Workshop	Iraq Jordan	IIFI USPTO	Location: Jordan Training Recipient: Copyright officials, Trademark officials, Patent officials, Police, Customs officials, other enforcement officials, Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts, Commerce officials, Culture officials, Trade officials, other executive branch officials, Journalists, Legal professionals, Right holder groups, Academics. Annual IPR education and public awareness programme with multiple training tracks and workshops. Many Jordanian judges and six Iraqi judges attended. Additional Sponsor: Government of Jordan, Jordan Intellectual Property Association Contact: Peter Fowler, USPTO, Tel: (703) 306-2967, or email peter.fowler@uspto.gov
Aug. 23, 2004 - Aug. 23, 2004	Workshop on the Enforcement of IP Rights	South Africa	USPTO	Location: South Africa Training Recipient: Police, Customs officials, Revenue (Tax) officials, Prosecutors, Judges - civil/administrative courts, Judges - criminal courts, Industry officials (i.e. Ministry of), other. Training session on IPR enforcement best practices, through case-study and discussion of hot issues, including counterfeit drugs and software and film piracy. Contact: Michael Adlin, USPTO, Tel: (703) 305-9300, email: Michael.Adlin@uspto.gov

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Aug. 25, 2004 - Aug. 26, 2004	Fostering Econ. Dev., Ensuring Public Safety	Uganda	USPTO	Location: Uganda Training Recipient: Police, Revenue (Tax) officials, Prosecutors, Justice officials, other executive branch officials, other. Seminar on the benefits of IPR enforcement and current enforcement issues. Contact: Michael Adlin, USPTO, Tel: (703) 305-9300, email Michael.Adlin@uspto.gov
