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On Monday May 22nd, **The Latin American Lawyer** will be in Barcelona hosting a high level [debate](#) on protecting IP rights on the new digital age. The event, organised in association with **Kluwer Law International**, is now sold out and there is a waiting list.

In other news, [Basham](#) acted for a leading Mexican hospital group on a multimillion dollar outside investment while in Chile, Guerrero Olivos obtained an arbitration win for a football club.

In Central America, appliance retailer Grupo Monge retained Simpson Thacher on obtaining a syndicated loan. The lenders instructed several offices of regional law firm Consortium Legal.

In Colombia, [PPU](#) advised Team Foods on the sale of its container division to Amcor, the Australian packaging giant. Global law firms continue to disembark in Latin America, the most recent examples are Clyde & Co joining forces with a Mexican law firm and Dentons announcing its strategic alliance with Vella Pugliese in Brazil.

INTA [announced](#) earlier this month the launch of its new representative office in Latin America and if you are joining the over 10 000 IP professionals already registered at the annual [meeting](#) in Barcelona, please note that the organisation announced that Spain's Minister of Education, Culture and Sport Íñigo Méndez de Vigo y Montojo will provide the keynote address at the event's opening ceremony.

See you in Barcelona!

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News

Basham advised Medica Sur on outside investment

Basham, Ringe & Correa advised Medica Sur, a Mexican hospital group, on receiving a multi-million dollar investment from ProActive Capital.

Guerrero Olivos wins arbitration for Chilean football club

Guerrero Olivos advised Azul Azul on proceedings before FIFA and the Court of Arbitration for Sports.

PPU instructed on Amcor expansion in Colombia

Philippi Prietocarrizosa Ferrero DU & Uría advised Team Foods Colombia on the sale of its speciality container division Plásticos Team to Amcor.

García & Bodán closed anti-piracy case for Crocs in El Salvador

Central American law firm García & Bodán advised shoemakers Crocs on a matter arising from IP rights infringement.

Consortium Legal and Simpson Thacher instructed on \$120 million loan to Grupo Monge

Consortium Legal advised the lenders in a \$120 million syndicated loan to Grupo Monge, which instructed Simpson Thacher as NY counsel.

Fox Rothschild adds finance partner from Squire Patton Boggs in Miami

Fox Rothschild hired Barbara Alonso from Squire Patton Boggs in Miami.

Dentons set to strike up alliance in Brazil

Legal behemoth Dentons announced its intention to form a strategic alliance with Brazilian law firm Vella Pugliese Buosi Guidoni (VPBG)

ICC Court opens in Brazil

The International Court of Arbitration of the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) announced the launch of a case management team in Sao Paulo, Brazil.

Clyde & Co to launch in Mexico

Insurance specialist law firm Clyde & Co announced the opening of its first office in Mexico, via a merger with Garza Tello & Asociados.

Lexincorp instructed on renewable energy transaction in Guatemala


Central American law firm Lexincorp advised Grupo Kin on matters pertaining to the operational start of several renewable energy projects in Guatemala.

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Companies must be proactive on compliance training

Companies must abandon “this is the way we always do things” attitudes and engage in more proactive compliance training in order to manage risks and prevent sanctions. This was one of the conclusions drawn at a recent event hosted by The Latin American Lawyer in Mexico attended by leading corporate lawyers and board secretaries.




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Events

Leading lawyers through changing times. Lawyers’ Management Program

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Protecting IP Rights in the new digital age

22 May Barcelona

The Latin American Lawyer by Iberian Lawyer invites you to join the discussion on new challenges and opportunities for IP practitioners and in-house lawyers in the age of digital transformation. [Read more](#)





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