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### **How can I protect my invention?. BioMed Patents**

Inventions are one of the most powerful intangible values within a company, and Industrial Property can be the most effective way of protection. The objective of this lecture is to give an overview of what and how the inventions (particularly the nanoinventions applied in Pharma and Bio fields) can be protected.

We will also answer some questions such as:

- Do the industrial property titles expire and are territorially limited?
- What I should and I shouldn't do before making available any important technical information?
- What are the patent requirements in nanotechnology?
- How Pharma and Bio inventions are evaluated by the Patent Offices?
- What are the exceptions to patentability in Biotechnology?
- Did you know that all nanopatents are classified in a specific technical "drawer" and that you have free access to all of them?
- Have you heard about the Nanopharma Technological alerts?
- How to search in Espacenet, ChemBL (Chemical structure drawing) and NCBI (Mesh)?
- Is there any tips for drafting a successful patent?

We truly hoping to be able to count on your presence on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> November