

JDD 2017 FC COURSES

FOUNDATION CERTIFICATE COURSES FOR PEB 2017

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Dates for our 2017 courses

We are holding our Foundation Certificate (FC) courses for the 2017 Patent Examination Board (PEB) exams between 23 June and 8 July. The intention is to allow attendees three months to build on and consolidate their learning during the courses, ahead of the exams in October 2017. Course dates are set out overleaf.

Changes this year

After many years tutoring introductory Trade Mark courses Alice Mastrovito has now retired. On her recommendation, her **FC5 Trade Mark Law** course will be tutored by her former colleague, Sharon Daboul, a senior associate Trademark Attorney at EIP Europe LLP.

Likewise, after long service tutoring **FC2 English Law**, Ed Barker and Wendy Pang have retired from tutoring. Ed has taken up a new position responsible for IP Law at Manchester United FC. The 2017 FC2 course will be tutored by Jason Raeburn, an IP solicitor-advocate at Baker & Mackenzie LLP.

The remaining tutors from our 2016 courses are in place and the courses are supported again by an online Moodle resources and discussion forum.

“Excellent course and well presented.

Interspersing exam questions throughout was very useful”.

- FC3 2016

“Thanks to both tutors for going through the material so clearly”.

- FC1 2016



FC4 course in 2016 with Caroline Marshall and Darren Mitchell

FC course programme

17A FC1	UK Patent Law	Ivor Harrison & Mark Yeadon	5-6 July (1.8 days)	£670+vat
17B FC2	English Law	Jason Raeburn	7-8 July (2 days)	£740+vat
17C FC3	International Patent Law	Steven Gurney	3-4 July (2 days)	£740+vat
17D FC4	Design & Copyright Law	Caroline Marshall & Darren Mitchell	30 June - 1 July (2 days)	£740+vat
17E FC5	Trade Mark Law	Sharon Daboul	23-24 June (2 days)	£740+vat

The course fee includes 1 night's accommodation at the training venue in Milton Keynes, along with meals - if not required, the fee is reduced by £95+vat.

The discounted fee for attending all five courses is £3,400+vat. This includes seven nights accommodation and represents a saving of £350+vat.

Course features

Each course includes extensive materials on the key parts of the syllabus.

These notes are discussed and explained by the tutors during the face-to-face days of the course.

Also, during the face-to-face course, there is practice of exam questions, with feedback from the tutors.

In the cases of FC1 and FC3, you will be asked to submit answers to questions ahead of the course and the tutors will provide feedback during the course.

Before and after the courses, you will be connected with other course members through an online Moodle resources and discussion forum.

“Very enjoyable course. Good mix of presentation and engagement.”

-FC2 2016

“The tutors’ explanations were very clear and covered all essential topics.”

-FC4 2016



FC3 course in 2016 with Steven Gurney