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La responsabilité des intermédiaires pour les
atteintes au droit des marques sur Internet

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La conférence aura lieu en langue anglaise



Résumé:

Over the past few years, courts in the U.S. and Europe have ruled on whether on-line auction sites, such as eBay, and internet service providers may be held secondarily liable for facilitating the sale of counterfeit goods. The decisions issued to date have not been consistent. My talk will discuss these cases, the legal and policy issues presented, and the rationale adopted by the courts in reaching their decisions. It will also discuss whether new legislation is appropriate.

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