

## Revised GIPA Overseas Survey v.3

### 1. Survey Instructions

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2. LEVEL 1: Program Reaction

1. Please rate your overall satisfaction with the USPTO-GIPA training.

Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neither Satisfied Nor Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

2. How likely is it that you would recommend USPTO-GIPA training to a friend or colleague?

Not at all likely Extremely likely

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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3. Please rate the extent of your agreement with the following statements about the COURSE CONTENT.

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	N/A
The content of the material presented was understandable.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The course content is relevant to my role in intellectual property.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The participant materials will be useful to me for my work.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

4. Please rate the extent of your agreement with the following statements about the INSTRUCTOR(S).

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
The instructor(s) were experts in the subject matters they presented.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The instructor(s) were engaging and kept my attention.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**5. Please rate the extent of your agreement with the following statements about the LEARNING ENVIRONMENT.**

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	N/A
The physical environment (facilities) was conducive to my learning.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The USPTO staff was attentive to my needs/able to resolve any issues I had.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**6. Please rate the extent of your agreement with the following statements about YOUR PARTICIPATION.**

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	N/A
I was able to participate by asking questions and/or sharing my experiences.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I was able to relate new information I learned to my previous intellectual property experience.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

3. LEVEL II - Learning Effectiveness

7. Please rate the extent of your agreement with the following statements about the **LEARNING EFFECTIVENESS**.

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	N/A
I learned new knowledge and skills from this training.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I have a better appreciation for intellectual property rights and enforcement policies, procedures and strategies.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I better appreciate the complexity and magnitude of today's intellectual property rights threats.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am more confident in my abilities to comprehend, analyze, and evaluate intellectual property rights and enforcement issues.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

8. BEFORE participating in the USPTO-GIPA training, I would rate my knowledge of the content area as:

No Knowledge	A Little Knowledge	Fairly Knowledgeable	Very Knowledgeable	Expert
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

9. AFTER participating in the USPTO-GIPA training, I would rate my knowledge of the content area as:

No Knowledge	A Little Knowledge	Fairly Knowledgeable	Very Knowledgeable	Expert
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

10. To what extent did your knowledge and understanding of the training topic increase or improve as a result of your USPTO-GIPA experience?

Not at all	A little	A moderate amount	A lot	A significant amount
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**11. Please rate your agreement or disagreement with the following statement.**

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree
I could have acquired the same level of learning <u>without</u> USPTO-GIPA training	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**12. Please rate the extent of your agreement or disagreement with the following statements.**

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree
I am committed to protecting and enforcing intellectual property rights.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My organization has an important role in maintaining a strong <u>national</u> intellectual property system.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Intellectual property protection is a critical driver of innovation and creativity for my country.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My country has an important role in maintaining a strong <u>international</u> intellectual property system.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

4. LEVEL III - Application

**13. Please rate your agreement or disagreement with the following statements.**

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree
I intend to apply the knowledge and skills learned in the USPTO-GIPA course to my job.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The USPTO-GIPA training will improve my ability to work in intellectual property.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**14. Which of the following do you intend to do when you return to your job? Please check all that apply.**

- Share what I have learned from the USPTO-GIPA training topic with my colleagues.
- Develop a new policy related to intellectual property.
- Stay in contact with USPTO staff.
- Nominate a colleague to attend a USPTO-GIPA training program.
- Work to improve the intellectual property protection and enforcement capacity in my country.
- Contribute to the establishment of government to government cooperative mechanisms
- Publish a paper or book on an IP-related topic.
- Engage USPTO-GIPA classmates from my country to work together on intellectual property issues.
- Develop new procedures in our organization related to intellectual property.
- Build intellectual property protection and enforcement coalitions.
- Other (please specify)

5. GIPA Program Value

**15. What did you find most valuable about the USPTO-GIPA training experience?**

**16. What changes or improvements would you make to improve USPTO-GIPA training?**

6. Demographics

**17. Which country are you from?**

**18. Please choose the type of Intellectual Property function in which you work.**

- Patent Examination
- Trademark Examination
- Copyright
- Administrative or civil enforcement
- Investigation
- Prosecution
- Judicial
- Intellectual Property Customs Enforcement
- Other (please specify)

**19. How long have you been working in the Intellectual Property Area**

- Less than 1 year
- 1 - 3 years
- 4 - 7 years
- 8 - 10 years
- More than 10 years



**20. Please choose the type of organization in which you work**

- National level government agency
- Local level government agency
- National level court
- Local level court
- Judiciary or Prosecutor's Office
- Private law firm
- Private or business organization
- Other (please specify)

**21. How would you describe the level of your position/role?**

- Executive
- Senior Level Manager
- Mid-Level Manager
- Front-Line Supervisor
- Programmatic
- Other (please specify)

7. Follow Up

To develop our knowledge about your needs and success, so we may provide the most useful and relevant training, USPTO follows up with its participants usually 6 to 12 months after participating in a course. The following questions ask about your willingness and preference for the follow-up survey.

**22. Would you be willing to respond to the follow up survey when it is sent?**

- Yes
- No

**23. For the follow up survey, what method would be your most preferred way to respond? Please rank the choices in our prioritized order with 1 being your most preferred and 3 being least preferred.**

	<input type="text" value="1"/>	Desktop/Laptop computer
	<input type="text" value="2"/>	Tablet
	<input type="text" value="3"/>	Smart phone