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#### The Arab Society for Intellectual Property (ASIP)

The Arab Society for Intellectual Property (ASIP) headed by Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh is a non-profit organization that was established on February 23, 1987 in Munich Germany, by some of the top practitioners in the many fields of intellectual property (IP) in the Arab region. Its mission is to bring together the IP professionals and practitioners in the Arab region and to help build awareness and understanding of intellectual property issues and their dynamics.

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# ASIP Holds the Arab Certified Intellectual Property Practitioner (ACIPP) Certificate Exam



**AMMAN** - The Arab Society for Intellectual Property (ASIP) is holding the Arab Certified Intellectual Property Practitioner (ACIPP) Certificate exam which started in March and will continue to April 2018 for a group of participants from Abu-Ghazaleh for Intellectual Property (AGIP) and other interested staff in IP.

The program comprises three modules:

- 1. Trademarks and Unfair Competition
- 2. Patents of Inventions and Trade Secrets
- 3. Copyrights and Related Rights

# The Arab Society for Intellectual Property Holds Training Course

**AMMAN** - The Arab Society for Intellectual Property (ASIP) held a training course entitled "The Role of Intellectual Property in Economic Development" March 25-29, 2018 at Talal Abu-Ghazaleh University College (TAG-UC) – Amman. The 14 training hours of the course covered different topics, namely:



- Intellectual property and international trade
- The role of intellectual property in economic development
- The role of WIPO in economic development
- National surveys for economic development
- The contribution of creative and innovative industries in the global economy
- Challenges and opportunities: technology and economic growth
- Counterfeiting and IP piracy



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# Abu-Ghazaleh Intellectual Property Wins 'Best IP Advisor in Africa & Middle East Award'



**PARIS** - Abu-Ghazaleh Intellectual Property (AGIP) has been recognized in the first edition of the 'Innovation & IP Forum and Awards' as winner of 'Best IP Advisor in Africa & Middle East' during a special ceremony which was held in Paris, France, January 23, 2018.

AGIP was awarded for its outstanding achievements, excellent services and exceptional contributions to the IP community.

Commenting on this achievement, Mr. Charles Shaban, AGIP Executive Director, said: "We are very proud to have received the Best IP Advisor in Africa & Middle East Award. This shows our unwavering commitment to providing the best quality service to our clients worldwide."

The Innovation & IP Forum and Awards is a unique event dedicated to challenges and opportunities worldwide in patent, trademark, IT, data protection, IP litigation and other related rights.

Around 80 high-profile jury members, from different countries and prestigious firms elected the winners in more than 15 categories from leading IP firms.