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INAUGURATION OF THE UNIFIED PATENT COURT

Hémicycle
Luxembourg-Kirchberg



Unified Patent Court
Einheitliches Patentgericht
Jurisdiction unifiée du brevet



THE GOVERNMENT
OF THE GRAND DUCHY OF LUXEMBOURG
Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs

PROGRAMME

11:00 **Arrival of the participants & seating**

11:30 **Start of the ceremonial part of the event**

1. **Mr. Klaus Grabinski**
President of the Court of Appeal of the UPC
2. **Ms. Florence Butin**
President of the Court of First Instance of the UPC
3. **Mr. Xavier Bettel**
Prime Minister of the Grand-Duchy of Luxembourg
4. **Mr. Franz Fayot**
Minister of the Economy of the Grand-Duchy of Luxembourg
5. **Mr. Marco Buschmann**
Federal Minister of Justice of Germany
6. **Mr. Mikael Kullberg**
State Secretary of the Ministry of Justice of Sweden
7. **Ms. Carine Chevrier**
Secretary General of the Ministry of Justice of France
8. **Ms. Kerstin Jorna**
Director-General of DG GROW, European Commission
9. **Mr. Carl Josefsson**
President of the Boards of Appeal, European Patent Office
10. **Mr. Thierry Sueur**
Chair of BusinessEurope's Patent Working Group
11. **Ms. Margot Fröhlinger**
Former official of the European Patent Office
and the European Commission
12. **Mr. Johannes Karcher**
Chair of the UPC Administrative Committee

13:15 **Reception at the Bar de l'Hémicycle**

15:30 **End of the event**