



Careers In Ideas Mentoring Scheme

An opportunity for anyone considering a career in the field of Intellectual Property

WHO IS IT FOR?

- Are you a recent graduate or professional seeking advice on a career in IP, a grad student / postdoc nearing the end of your training or someone having trouble getting your foot in the door in the IP profession?
- Would it help to connect with existing IP professionals?

Consider joining us!

WHAT WILL YOU GET?

- You will be able to connect with a mentor in the Intellectual Property profession and benefit from their knowledge and expertise;
- You will get 1:1 mentoring with your dedicated mentor to discuss careers in patents, trade marks and the general IP field;
- The relationship with your mentor will last up to three months and during that time you will be able to ask questions about entering the profession, traineeships, work experience and how to prepare yourself for a career in the IP profession.
- Our mentors come from different types of organisations including private sector firms, in-house IP departments and civil service IP organisations. Many of our mentors have decades of experience in their respective fields and are an exceptional resource for would-be recruits into the profession. Some of our mentors have also very recently joined the profession so will be able to give a perspective of what to expect, not only through the application process but also once you are successful in joining the profession.

To register your interest, please contact the scheme coordinator, Carol Nyahasha via email on carolcareersinideas@gmail.com.

Careers in Ideas ("CinI") is an IP Inclusive initiative that was created for anyone considering – or who might consider – a career in the world of intellectual property, and for those who support them in their choices: careers advisers, teachers and parents (for more information see <https://careersinideas.org.uk/> and <https://ipinclusive.org.uk/>).