



21st Symposium on Emerging Intellectual Property Issues:
Intellectual Property Frontiers

February 28, 2025
SMU Dedman School of Law

8:15 a.m. **Registration and Breakfast Buffet**
Hillcrest Classroom, Underwood Law Library

9:00 a.m. **Opening Remarks**
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Jason P. Nance, Judge James Noel Dean and Professor of Law, SMU Dedman School of Law

David O. Taylor, Co-Director of the Tsai Center for Law, Science and Innovation and Professor of Law, SMU Dedman School of Law

9:00–10:15 a.m. **Patent Reform Legislation: Updates, Debate and Predictions**

*Panelists: Malle E Anond, Partner, Anond Wilson LLP
Did W ones, Executive Director, High Tech Ventures Alliance
Did Jos, Former Director, US Patent and Trademark Office, Partner, Crauthers Saine & Moore LLP*

10:15:-10:30 a.m. **Break**

10:30–11:45 a.m.

Emerging Issues in AI and Law

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As AI tools have proliferated over the last few years, so have legal issues surrounding them. Some legal issues (such as those concerning patents and

