

## **QPAT – What Makes QPAT Unique?**

### **Analyzing a Target Company's Active Patent Portfolio**

A Professional Search Scenario (presented by IBM)

#### **Abstract:**

The first part of this two-part workshop will be devoted to the content and features that make QPAT a truly unique global patent resource: e.g., Multilingual Search Assistant; citation searching & analysis; new Asian and full-text content; Number Import Wizard; fully Customizable Workfiles with searchable user-defined fields; and Advanced Graphical Analysis.

The second part of the workshop will be a presentation by Michele Crecca (IBM) describing a process for analyzing a target company's active patent portfolio (US grants, US published applications, and foreign documents) – with discussion of how using Questel facilitates the analysis and exporting of data.

#### **Logistics:**

Date: Sunday, May 18<sup>th</sup> 2008, Time: 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Location: Jefferson Conference Room, Hyatt Regency Crystal City

Cost: Free