

AIPLA-NIST Partnering in Standards Event

Day 1: April 21, 2026 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM ET (Virtual)

Day 2: April 22, 2026 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM ET (Hybrid)

Event Summary: For the past several years, NIST and the AIPLA Standards and Open Source Committee have organized a program called “Partnering in Standards.” Topics to be covered include Standards and Intellectual Property Rights, Artificial Intelligence (AI), Copyright and Standards Incorporated by Reference, and Standardization for Critical and Emerging Technologies. The program is directed towards federal agency employees and provides an opportunity for us to get private sector perspectives on topics of interest in an informal setting that promotes information exchange and dialog.

Instructions: Registration is not required. If you plan on attending in person on April 22, please email Maria Knake at maria.p.knake@nist.gov by April 17. There is no cost for attendance.

DAY 1, April 21, 2026 (Online)

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10:00 AM – 10:05 AM	Opening Remarks / Housekeeping
10:05 AM – 10:35 AM	Standards and Standards Development 101 Maria Knake, Group Lead, Standards and Conformity Assessment Services, Standards Coordination Office, NIST
10:35 AM – 11:05 AM	Standards and Intellectual Property Rights 101 Per Larsen, Partner, Holland & Hart
11:05 AM – 11:35 AM	Conformity Assessment 101 Amy Phelps, Computer Scientist, Standards Coordination Office, NIST
11:35 AM – 11:45 PM	Wrap Up

DAY 2, April 22, 2026 (Hybrid)

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| 10:00 AM – 10:15 AM | Opening Remarks / Housekeeping |
| 10:15 AM – 11:00 AM | Global Frameworks Shaping Standards, Trade, and Innovation
<i>World Trade Organization (WTO) Technical Barriers to Trade Enquiry Point, MaryAnn Hogan, NIST</i>

<i>WTO Council for Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS) Council, Jake Ewerdt, Qualcomm</i>

<i>Case Study: IEEE Standards Association Working Group P3465 (MRAM Magnetic Immunity), Daniel Gopman, Physicist, NIST</i> |
| 11:00 AM – 11:45 AM | AI Standardization and IP Updates

<i>A Global View of AI Standardization Efforts, Mohammed Ali, Senior Standards Strategy and Policy Leader, HP</i>

<i>NIST's Role and the Federal Landscape, Ahmad Jandal, Computer Scientist, Office of Emerging Technologies, NIST</i>

<i>Update on Deep Seek, Paul Ragusa, Partner, Baker Botts</i> |
| 11:45 AM – 12:15 PM | BREAK |
| 12:15 PM – 1:15 PM | CET- Technology Moving Forward
<i>Accelerating Critical & Emerging Technologies Standardization – Why Now?, Mohsen Seifi, Senior Vice President of Global Advanced Manufacturing Programs, ASTM International</i>

<i>Standardization Readiness in Quantum Networking, Maël Flament, Chief Technology Officer of Qunnect</i> |
| 1:15 PM – 1:45 PM | Copyright and Standards Incorporated by Reference
Mary Saunders, Senior Vice President, Government Relations and Public Policy, American National Standards Institute (ANSI) |
| 1:45 PM – 2:00 PM | Wrap Up |
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