

Inventing America presents
Save the Inventor: Fighting for Invention and
Innovation – Past, Present, and Future

at the offices of Covington & Burling LLP
hosted by a Coalition of Innovators
850 10th Street, NW, Washington, DC
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- 1:30 p.m. Registration
- 1:45 p.m. Welcome by Brian Pomper, Executive Director, Innovation Alliance
- 1:50 p.m. Panel I – Slouching Toward Beijing: How U.S. Patent Policies Undermine America’s Future
- Jonathan Rogers, Chief Operating Officer, Centripetal
 - John J. Hamre Former Deputy Secretary of Defense, President and CEO, Langone Chair in American Leadership, CSIS
 - Adam Mossoff, Chair, Hudson Institute Forum for Intellectual Property, and Professor of Law, Antonin Scalia Law School, George Mason University
 - Hans Sauer, Deputy General Counsel and Vice President for Intellectual Property, the Biotechnology Innovation Organization
- Moderated by Kristen Osenga, Austin E. Owen Research Scholar & Professor of Law at University of Richmond School of Law
- 3:00 p.m. Panel II – A Conversation with USPTO Director Kathi Vidal
- Moderated by Former USPTO Director and Partner, Irell & Manella LLP, Andrei Iancu
- 4:00 p.m. Panel III – The America Invents Act at 11 – A Review from Those in the Room Where It Happened
- Phil Johnson, Steering Committee Chairman, Coalition for 21st Century Patent Reform
 - Laurie Self, Senior Vice President and Counsel, Government Affairs, Qualcomm
 - Marian Underweiser, Former Senior Counsel, IBM
 - David Kappos, Former USPTO Director and Partner, Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP
- Moderated by Dana Colarulli, Former Director of the USPTO Office of Governmental Affairs and Senior Advisor, ACG Advocacy
- 5:30 p.m. Conference concludes and happy hour reception