



# PRESS RELEASE

The Italian Trade  
Agency Introduces  
Complimentary Legal  
Services from  
University of  
Chicago Law School  
Corporate Lab +  
Application Form

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**CHICAGO, Feb. 4th, 2014** - The Italian Trade Agency (ITA) is pleased to announce its partnership with the University of Chicago Law School's Corporate Lab Clinic for the purpose of providing complimentary legal services to ITA's affiliated companies.

Corporate Lab students will work on these matters under the supervision of clinical law professors and practitioners with extensive backgrounds in these areas.

The Corporate Lab's services are free, but will be provided in limited quantity. Interested affiliated companies of ITA are invited to fill out the attached form contact our Chicago Office at (312) 670-4360 or email [chicago@ice.it](mailto:chicago@ice.it).

This assistance with legal matters is being offered in addition to the wide range of services already provided by ITA to assist Italian companies to conduct business abroad and to help Italian and foreign businesses to connect with each other. Services

include: organization of business meetings, trade delegations to Italy, official participation in local fairs and events, promotional activities, forums and seminars with Italian experts and statistic /market surveys.

The Corporate Lab will assist ITA's affiliated companies with legal matters in the United States, including:

- manufacturing, supply, and distribution agreements;
- license agreements;
- consulting and staff extension agreements;
- employment agreements;
- employee manuals;
- deal structuring;
- development of intellectual-property enforcement programs;
- employment investigations;
- commercial negotiations;
- commercial settlements;
- settlement agreements;
- import controls;
- real estate transactions.

## ABOUT



### ITA - Italian Trade Agency

The Italian Trade Agency is the government organization that promotes the internationalization of the Italian companies, in line with the strategies of the Ministry for Economic Development. Operating with a worldwide network of offices, ITA provides information, support, and advice to Italian and foreign companies. For more details, contact your local ITA office or visit our website at [www.ice.gov.it](http://www.ice.gov.it)



THE UNIVERSITY OF  
**CHICAGO**

### University of Chicago Corporate Lab

The University of Chicago Law School is one of the United States' elite law schools and is noted particularly for its influence on the economic analysis of law. The Corporate Lab at the Law School is a prominent clinical program that provides students with practical experience and opportunities to work on cutting-edge projects, often with multinational companies. The Corporate Lab has partnered with some of the world's premier companies and other organizations. For more information on the program visit

<http://www.law.uchicago.edu/corporatelab>

**UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO CORPORATE LAB: INTAKE FORM**

**NAME OF PARTICIPATING ICE AFFILIATED COMPANY**

Company Name:

**CONTACT PERSONS AT PARTICIPATING AFFILIATED COMPANY**

Contact Name:

Title:

Phone:

Email:

Fax:

Contact Name;

Title:

Phone:

Email:

Fax:

**PREFERRED METHOD(S) OF COMMUNICATION**

Email

Phone

Fax

Other (please specify)

**SUBJECT FOR WHICH ASSISTANCE IS NEEDED**

**Corporate and Transactional:**

- Manufacturing Agreement
- Supply Agreement
- Distribution Agreement
- License Agreement
- Purchase Orders

**Labor and Employment:**

- Consulting or Staff Extension Agreement
- Employment Agreement
- Employee Manuals
- Employment Investigations

**Negotiations and Settlements:**

- Commercial Negotiations
- Commercial Settlements
- Settlement Agreement

**Other:**

- Import Controls
- Real Estate Transaction Deal Structuring
- Development of Intellectual-Property Enforcement Programs
- Other (please specify)

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**DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT**

### TYPE(S) OF WORK PRODUCT

Telephone  
Call

Revised  
Contract

Chart

Research  
Memorandum

Email Correspondence

Other:

### PROPOSED DEADLINE DATE

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### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please use this space to provide any information of which you would like the Corporate Lab to be aware. This might include relevant background information regarding the project or your company, comments on project scope, or comments on project logistics

### SIGNATURES

I understand that any information provided through this service is purely for discussion and informational purposes. This service does not provide formal legal advice.

Signature of applicant:

Date: