

TRIPS Webinar Series

Webinar 2: Diverging Approaches to Addressing the COVID-19 Pandemic

Date: 7 September 2021

Time: 15:30 to 17:00

The Health Justice Initiative and Mandela Institute invite you to the second webinar in a series of webinars addressing legal and policy issues arising out of the proposed WTO TRIPS waiver.

Guest Speakers

Dr. Leena Menghaney, Head – India and Global IP Advisor, MSF Access Campaign

Indian perspectives: On the TRIPS waiver proposal, Supreme Court and (not) issuing compulsory licences

Mr. Felipe de Carvalho, Médecins Sans Frontières (Brazil)

The view from Brazil: On opposing the TRIPS waiver and the prospects of using compulsory licences

Professor Brook Baker, Northeastern University

Canada, Biolyse and Bolivia: A litmus test for the Article 31bis compulsory licencing route?

Ms. Katie Gallogly-Swan, Boston University Global Development Policy Center and UNCTAD

Prolonging vaccine scarcity: Exploring the paths not taken to end the pandemic

Moderator

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