# **Highlights of 2012**

#### JANUARY

- IP education for the disadvantaged
- Presentation on support project for the creation of standardrelated patents
- 16 Visit to a traditional market in Daejeon



- **FEBRUARY** 01 1st anniversary of IP advanced country declaration
  - IP forum in Incheon, Korea



#### **MARCH**

- PPH Pilot Program between KIPO and SIPO
- 10th Anniversary of Patent Customer Call Center
- 26 Launch of IP-DESK in L.A



# **APRIL**

- MOU Signing with the Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA)
- **10** MOU Signing with SIPO



#### MAY

- **03** Korea International Women's Invention Exposition 2012
- **18** The 47th Invention Day Ceremony
- Launch of TM5
- Launch of anti-counterfeiting campaign with consumers



#### JUNE

- **04** IP5 deputy heads and heads meeting
- Conference on the Development of IP Human Capital 2012
- 21 Heads meeting between KIPO and the National Office of Intellectual Property of Vietnam (NOIP)



#### **JULY**

- 18 IMOU Signing with the Korea Creative Content Agency (KCCA)
- Youth Invention Festival 2012



#### **AUGUST**

- Heads meeting between KIPO and the USPTO
- MOU Signing between the Korean Intellectual Property Tribunal and Kyungpook National University's Law School
- **30** IP forum in Gangwon-do, Korea



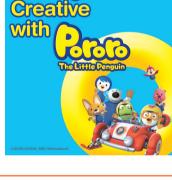
#### SEPTEMBER 05

- IP forum in Chungcheongbuk-do, Korea
- PATINEX 2012
- IP forum in Ulsan, Korea



#### **OCTOBER**

- · Participation of KIPO Commissioner in WIPO General Assembly
  - Official release event for an educational animation on IPRs entitled "Getting Creative with Pororo"
- Heads meeting between Korea and the African Regional Intellectual Property Organization (ARIPO)
- 18 IP forum in Jeollabuk-do, Korea
- Seoul International Trademark Forum 2012
- Joint Briefings on the US Patent System held by KIPO and the USPTO
- Intellectual Property Protection Conference 2012
- IP forum in Gyeonggi-do, Korea
- IP forum in Daegu, Korea



**Getting** 

### NOVEMBER 06

- Heads meeting between KIPO and SAIC
- Heads meeting between KIPO, SIPO and JPO
- IP forum in Jeollanam-do, Korea
- IP forum in Busan, Korea
- International symposium on work-related inventions
- International IP Policy Symposium 2012
- D2B (Design to Business) Award Ceremony 2012



# DECEMBER 03

- Heads meeting between KIPO and EPO
- Heads meeting between KIPO and the Austrian Patent Office (APO)
  - University invention contests 2012
- Heads meeting between KIPO and SIPO Campus Patent Strategies Universiade Award Ceremony 2012
- Initiative for fostering IP human capital
- Heads meeting between KIPO and JPO

