



The Software & Information Industry Association's

Digital Policy Roundup

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Policy Calendar

April 28-29

[Workshop on Web Tracking and User Privacy](#)

May 2

[Hearing on ICANN with a focus on the new gTLD issues](#)

House Judiciary Subcommittee on Intellectual Property, Competition and the Internet

May 3

SIIA IP Policy Committee Meeting
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May 4

[China's Intellectual Property Rights and Indigenous Innovation Policy](#)

May 10

[Hearing: Mobile Technology and Privacy](#)
Senate Judiciary Subcommittee on Privacy, Technology and the Law

May 11

[SIIA Government Affairs Council Meeting](#)
Featuring FTC Commissioner Julie Brill

May 24

[Copyright Office Public Meeting](#)
Technical Aspects of Mandatory Deposit of Published Electronic Works Available Only Online

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It's a relatively slow week for technology policy in Washington's second week of its Easter recess. But much activity is looking ahead on the calendar is a House Judiciary Subcommittee hearing on the top level domain (gTLD) rollout, and the first hearing of the Senate on Privacy, Technology Subcommittee on mobile technology. Next week, SIIA President Ken Wasch will be testifying before the Security Review Commission Hearing on IP Rights and Innovation.

Looking further down the road in May, patent reform, privacy reform are expected to be front-and-center, among a wide range of other issues. It is still that the Administration will release its long-awaited cybersecurity strategy in early May, including possibly draft legislation that has been circulated. Stay tuned!

SIIA News & Notes

[SIIA President Ken Wasch to testify at U.S. China Economic and Security Review Commission Hearing on IP Rights and Indigenous Innovation](#)

[SIIA Senior Director of Public Policy David LeDuc to speak at Workshop on Web Tracking and Privacy](#) (April 28)
[Read his comments](#)

[Presentations from the 2011 Ed Tech Government Forum](#)

Top Headlines

[American companies say Chinese protectionism rising over technology policies](#) (AP, April 25)

[Franken schedules mobile privacy hearing](#) (Washington Post, April 25)

[Kundra takes on federal IT reform](#) (Washington Post, April 25)

[Schmidt says cyber progress being made quietly behind closed doors](#) (NPR Radio, April 22)

[White House draft bill expands DHS cyber responsibilities](#) (AP, April 15)

