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Looking ahead to 51st BPIP meeting in 2022

Planning update for 50th BPIP meeting, 10 November 2021

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51st BPIP meeting

- Hosted by the IPO in Newport, South Wales
- To be held in November 2022
- 1.5 day meeting as this will be the delayed landmark event to celebrate the previous 50 meetings
 - Also allows BPIP to host a celebratory evening dinner
- Hybrid meeting with virtual attendance for those unable to travel

Early plans

- BPIP – a trip down memory lane. Digging into the archives – please circulate any photos etc that you may have from over the years to the 51st meeting planning team
- At-desk session with an IPO examiner
- A selection of IPO presentations, for example:
 - IPO Transformation, in particular Research IP
 - IPO Intelligence Hub and the Police IP Crime Unit
 - IPO campaigns and education (improving IP literacy across the UK)
- Other presentations from BPIP members – (very informal) abstract submission deadline of end of June 2022
- Looking to the future - what will BPIP look like in 2030?
- Plus all the usual great content (conference/meeting feedback, sharing tips/tricks and new features)

