

Patent Quality Pillars and the six proposals for Enhanced Patent Quality

A summary of the pillars and their proposals is shown below.

Patent Quality Pillars	New Quality Proposals
1. Excellence in work products	 Applicant Requests for Prosecution Review of Selected Applications Automated Pre-Examination Search Clarity of the Record
2. Excellence in measuring patent quality	Review of and Improvements to Quality Metrics
3. Excellence in customer service	5. Review of Current Compact Prosecution Model and the Effect on Quality6. In-Person Interview Capability with All Examiners