Project Deliverable L: **Intellectual Property Search**

GNG 2101 – Intro. to Product Dev. and Mgmt. for Engineers Faculty of Engineering – University of Ottawa

***Objective:***

To investigate intellectual properties related to your product and explain the importance of these with regard to your product.

***Instructions:***

As a group:

1. Explore intellectual property databases (i.e. patents, industrial designs, integrated circuit topographies, trademarks, copyrights, creative commons or open source software) to identify at least ***three*** products to which intellectual properties have been applied and that are related to your product:

a. http://cipo.gc.ca

b. http://www.freepatentsonline.com/

c. http://patft.uspto.gov/

d. https://www.google.ca/advanced\_search or other

2. Describe the relationship that exists between these products to which intellectual properties have been applied and your product.

3. Explain the importance of these intellectual properties with regard to your product and the impact they could have on your success.

4. Discuss the way in which your team intends to manage intellectual property created with your product, assuming you decide to market your product.

***Submission:***

Each team (***only one person from each team***) must submit a PDF copy of this deliverable by uploading the file as an attachment into Brightspace.

***Due Date:***

See Brightspace.