



INNOVINCIA

PROTECT WHAT MAKES **YOU VALUABLE**

Time-stamping designed to
protect your trade secrets

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UNWANTED YET PLAUSIBLE SCENARIOS



IMAGINE...

A competitor launches a product strikingly similar to your new project, which has not yet been brought to market. The timing raises questions, and doubts begin to emerge.



IMAGINE...

A client sends you competing proposals containing detailed and revealing information. If they are also sharing your own proposals, this may explain the unusual competitiveness of certain competitors.



IMAGINE...

A key member of your team leaves your company to join a direct competitor. A few weeks later, that competitor announces a "new" innovation.



IMAGINE...

You become involved in a legal dispute but are unable to prove when your technology was developed or demonstrate that you were its original creator.

***We all hope such
situations never arise.***



But in a competitive business environment, **anticipating and preventing risk is the safest and wisest course of action.** Protecting your intellectual assets before problems arise is not paranoia. It is **simply a matter of prudence.**



TO AVOID THESE SITUATIONS

There are various ways of establishing the date on which information, such as know-how or trade secrets, was in your possession (e.g. bailiff's reports, Soleau envelopes, etc.). Among these, time-stamping is an effective solution, which we present here.

The benefits of time-stamping

- ✓ **Irrefutable proof**
Cryptographic proof that documents existed on a specific date.
- ✓ **Legal recognition**
Evidence admissible in court in the event of intellectual property litigation.
- ✓ **Protection of know-how**
Securing R&D documentation and trade secrets.
- ✓ **Cost-effective solution**
A simpler and more cost-effective alternative to a bailiff's report, while preserving confidentiality.
- ✓ **Peace of mind**
Third-party verification guarantees the authenticity of the time-stamped materials.

IDEAL FOR

Research & Development • Software source code • Technical designs • Manufacturing processes • Business methods • Formulations • Prototypes • Trade secrets • Know-how documentation • Pre-patent innovations



WE ARE HERE TO HELP YOU

Our commitment to you

At LLR, we understand that **identifying what should be protected and determining** the most effective way to protect it can be challenging. That is why **we support you at every stage of the process.**

We work closely with you to **identify your innovations, assess your most valuable intellectual assets, and determine which should be protected** as trade secrets or know-how. **Our expertise enables you to make informed decisions** about which elements of your work deserve protection, ensuring that no critical element is overlooked.



EVALUATION & ADVICE

We help you identify the innovations, processes and know-how that merit protection and develop a tailored strategy.



DOCUMENTATION & ORGANISATION

We guide you in documenting and organising your technical information to maximise its legal protection.



SECURE TIME- STAMPING

We provide professional time-stamping services to establish irrefutable cryptographic proof of existence and possession of your documents at a specific point in time.

OUR SERVICES

- **Time-stamping service**
- **Storage renewal every 5 years**
(automatic or upon request)
- **(optional) Assistance with reviewing and selecting the files to be time-stamped**

**Don't wait until
it is too late.**

**Contact us today
to discuss how to
protect your valuable
innovations.**



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protection**

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