Q1: A copy right holder has the right to copy, produce, reproduce, perform, publish, , adapt, communicate, and otherwise use literary , dramatic, musical, or artistic work, including computer programs.

Q2: The duration of a copyright is the life of the creator plus 50 years to end of the year , except for photographs, films, and recordings ( which are 50 years total).

Q3: To acquire a patent the three basic criteria are that the invention must be new, useful, and ingenious.

Q4: The four main steps in a patent application process are:

1. Retain an agent, and search existing patents
2. File an application
3. Request an examination
4. Protect the patent