



# State of play of the CPC Implementation at National Offices and delivery of the CPC data at IMPI - México

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# Classification/Search under the CPC system at National Offices



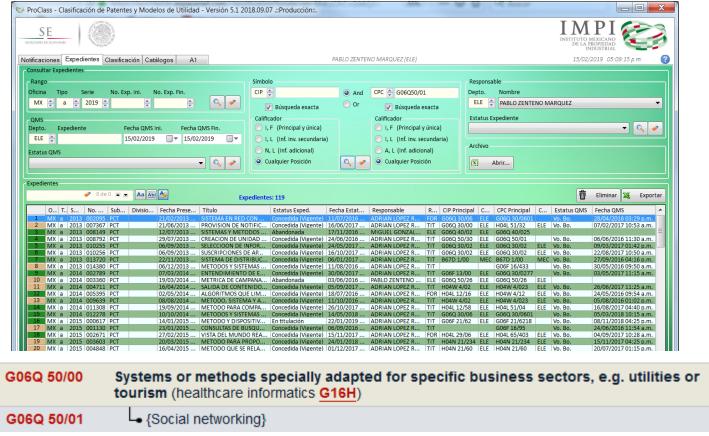






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**ProClasS = Professional Classificacion System of IMPI- Mexico** 



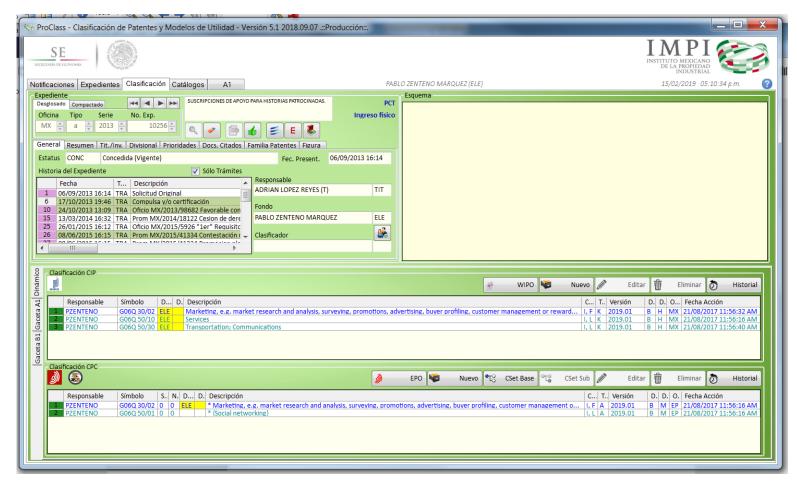






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Fully design and implementation of the procedures and IT tools (ProClasS) at IMPI-Mexico







#### Classification/Search under the CPC system at National Offices



- We classify in CPC in all technical fields.
- We classify all documents: Patents and Utility models.
  - We classify PCT and National Applications.
- We started classifing in CPC all new documents from 1rst of April 2016.
- We search documents using CPC symbols (internal and external searches).









# Quality Assurance process under the CPC system at National Offices.



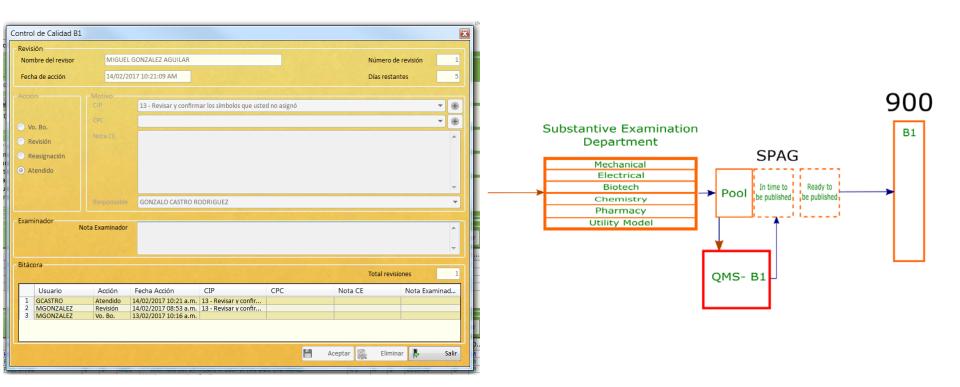








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# **CPC Trainning**









#### **CPC Trainning materials**

- We use the CPC guideliness.
- We watch the Epoxy videos.
- We believed that we need specific training to 4 classifiers.
- We suggest to USPTO and EPO's authorities to visit IMPI's Headquarters to see how CPC project is going on.









#### **CPC Implementation**







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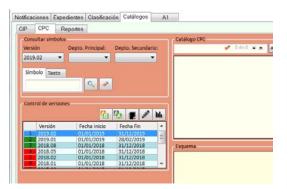
#### **CPC Implementation**

• Benefit- Now we have a administrative procedure of Classification and an advanced IT tool (ProClass).

 Challenges- At the beginning of the proyect, there is not enought information of how to implement the proyect and some orientation of the IT tools.

Until this year we developed an IT tool dedicated to update the CPC scheme catalog.

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- We have classified near of 50,000 applications for A1 and B1 gazette. More or less 8% are national applications.
  - There is not enought resources to reclassification back-file documents yet.
    - There is no intention to translate the scheme to Spanish.
- It's still pending the proposal of an implementation manual of IMPI's CPC project, in order to orientate other offices in their own implementation.







#### **CPC Data Exchange**









#### **CPC Data Exchange**

- Front File- We use the FTP folder to transmit our CPC data.
- We still have some administrative problems with other formality departments. The granted applications has to be digitalized in order to be transmitted to EPO.
- We have in mind to do an inner tool in ProClass to transmit the data via OPS.









# Thank you



