



**HUMAN RIGHTS AND
ACCESS TO JUSTICE IN THE EU**
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National Institute of Magistracy
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EJTN HUMAN AND FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS PROJECT



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Day-and-a-half training focused on the right to a fair trial and the notion of effective remedies as a fundamental right (Article 6 of the European Convention on Human Rights, Article 47 of the EU Charter on Fundamental Rights). This training will combine theoretical lectures with practical workshops and will allow participants to address issues ranging from judicial independence to the principle of equality of arms and the length of legal proceedings. The sessions will be led by academics, Strasbourg and Luxembourg courts officials, trainers and practitioners in the field of EU human rights. It will serve as a forum for the exchange of knowledge and best practices between judges and prosecutors from across the EU.

PROGRAMME

Tuesday, 26 June 2018

Moderator: Grzegorz BORKOWSKI, Judge (PL)

08.45	<i>Arrival and Registration of Participants</i>	
09.00-09.30	Welcome Words & Presentation of the European Judicial Training Network (EJTN) & Pre-Training Knowledge Assessment (Turning Technologies)	Grzegorz BORKOWSKI , Judge (PL) TBC, NIM Brandi BROWN-MOREAU , EJTN
09.30-10.30	Evidence Standards as a part of a Fair Trial (presentation followed by discussion)	Danutė JOČIENĖ Judge, Constitutional Court of Lithuania (LT)
10.30-11.00	<i>Group photo & Coffee-Break</i>	
11.00-12.00	The Right to Fair Trial from General Court of EU perspective (presentation followed by discussion)	Octavia SPINEANU- MATEI Judge, General Court of EU
12.00-13.00	The Judicial Independence as a European standard (presentation followed by discussion)	Ireneusz KONDAK , Senior lawyer, Registry of the European Court of Human Rights
13.00-14.00	<i>Lunch</i>	
14.00-15.30	Workshops 1 & 2 (2 groups simultaneously) Workshop 1: Lengthy Proceedings v. Reasonable Time of a Trial Workshop 2: Evidence Standards as a part of a Fair Trial	Martin KUIJER , Senior Legal Adviser on Human Rights Law, Dutch Ministry of Security and Justice (NL) Danutė JOČIENĖ , Judge, Constitutional Court of Lithuania (LT)
15.30-16.00	<i>Coffee-break (6TH floor)</i>	
16.00 -17.00	The Right of Access to a Court – recent case-law of European Court of Human Rights (presentation followed by discussion)	Beatrice RAMASCANU , Judge, National Institute of Magistrature (RO)
17.00	End of First Day	
19.30	Restaurant Lacrimi și Sfinți Șepcari 16, Centrul Vechi, Bucharest	

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08.45-09.00	<i>Arrival and Registration of Participants</i>	
09.00-09.20	New practical guide on access to justice in European law: ECtHR-FRA Handbook on European law relating to access to justice	Jana GAJDOSOVA , Head of Sector - Access to Justice Sector, Freedoms and Justice Department
09.20-09.45	Presentation of the Human Rights Education for Legal Practitioners	Ana-Maria TELBIS , HELP Unit, Directorate General of Human Rights & Rule of Law Council of Europe
09.45-11.15	Workshops 3 & 4 (2 groups simultaneously) Workshop 3: Selected aspects of the Right of Access to a Court Workshop 4: Selected Aspects of the Judicial Independence and Impartiality	Ireneusz KONDAK , Senior lawyer, Registry of the European Court of Human Rights Beatrice RAMASCANU , Judge, National Institute of Magistrature (RO)
11.15-11.45	<i>Coffee-Break</i>	
11.45-12.45	The European Court of Human Rights and the Domestic Courts	Martin KUIJER , Senior Legal Adviser on Human Rights Law, Ministry of Security and Justice of The Netherlands (NL)
12.45-13.15	Summary of Workshops 1 to 4 and Wrap-Up Discussion	<i>Workshop moderators, Lecturers & Participants</i>
13.15-13.30	Assessment of Knowledge Acquired (Turning Technologies) & Evaluation of the Training by the Participants (Submission of Evaluation Forms) Closing words, end of the conference	Grzegorz BORKOWSKI , Judge (PL) Brandi BROWN-MOREAU , EJTN
13.00-13.30	<i>Departure of Participants</i>	

SPEAKERS

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