



# **Advanced Training in EU Law for Court Coordinators**

PRELIMINARY RULING PROCEDURE, FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS AND EU CITIZENSHIP Online, 19-21 May 2021 (mornings)





#### **Speakers**

**Filippo Fontanelli**, Senior Lecturer, International Economic Law, University of Edinburgh

**Adam Łazowski**, Professor of EU Law, University of Westminster, London

Valeria Piccone, Judge, Supreme Court, Roma

**Daniel Sarmiento Ramírez-Escudero**, Counsel, Uría Ménendez; Professor, Complutense University of Madrid

#### **Key topics**

- Best practice of courtcoordinators' networks in the EU
- A national judge and her/his preliminary reference at the core of the EU judicial system
- The Charter of Fundamental Rights in practice for judges
- Free movement of persons
- Useful electronic search tools for judges

Language English

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Organiser
ERA (Karolina Rokicka) in
cooperation with the Dutch
Training and Study Centre for
the Judiciary (SSR) and the
Italian High School for the
Magistracy (SSM)



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## **Advanced Training in EU Law for Court Coordinators**

## Wednesday, 19 May 2021

08:30 Connecting to the online platform

09:00 Welcome and introduction to the platform

Karolina Rokicka

09:15 Introduction of participants in their role as court coordinators in respective Member States

#### I. PRELIMINARY RULING PROCEDURE

Speaker: Valeria Piccone

10:00 A judge's recommendations on a preliminary reference

10:30 Discussion

10:45 Break

WORKSHOP: Preliminary ruling procedure in practical terms

11:00 Technical introduction to breakout rooms

11:10 Part 1: discussion in working groups

12:10 Part 2: presentation in plenary and discussion

13:00 End of first training day

## Thursday, 20 May 2021

08:45 Connecting to the online platform

09:00 Opening of the session

#### II. SESSION ON CEEs

09:05 Best practice of national networks of court coordinators in EU law – Discussion and exchange of national practice among participants

10:30 Break

#### III. FUNDAMENTAL/HUMAN RIGHTS (Part 1)

Speaker: Filippo Fontanelli

10:45 The scope of application of the EU Charter in national legal orders (Part 1)

11:15 Discussion

11:25 The scope of application of the EU Charter in national legal orders (Part 2)

11:45 Discussion

CASE STUDIES: SCOPE OF APPLICATION OF THE EU CHARTER

12:00 Part 1: working on cases

12:45 Part 2: discussion in the plenary

13:30 End of second training day

#### **Objective**

The aim of this online seminar is to bring together court coordinators in EU law in order to exchange best practice. The latest developments concerning areas of EU law of particular importance for national judges will also be presented.

#### Who should attend?

38 court coordinators in European law from Bulgaria, Hungary, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Romania and Spain.

#### You will learn...

- what are the best practices of other court coordinators' networks
- how to improve your preliminary reference
- how and when to apply the Charter in your national case
- how to search effectively for in-force legal acts and relevant jurisprudence
- what is the recent case law with regard to free movement of persons

#### Interactive online training

This seminar will be hosted on ERA's own platform. You will be able to interact immediately and directly with our top-level speakers and other participants. We will make the most of the technical tools available to deliver an intensive, interactive experience. As the platform is hosted on our own server, the highest security settings will be applied.

#### Your contact persons



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## Friday, 21 May 2021

08:45 Connecting to the online platform

09:00 Opening of the session

#### IV. EU CITIZENSHIP

Speaker: Adam Łazowski

09:05 Recent developments in EU case law with regard to the free movement of third-country nationals (Part 1)

09:25 Questions

09:35 Recent developments in EU case law with regard to the free movement of third-country nationals (Part 2)

09:55 Discussion

10:05 Break

CASE STUDY: FREE MOVEMENT OF THIRD-COUNTRY NATIONALS

10:10 Part 1: discussion in working groups

10:40 Part 2: presentation in plenary and discussion

11:15 Networking break

#### V. FUNDAMENTAL/HUMAN RIGHTS (Part 2)

Speaker: Daniel Sarmiento Ramírez-Escudero

12:00 Recent judgments of the CJEU based on the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights and on the European Convention of Human Rights: how the Court grounds its judgments on human and fundamental rights (Part 1)

12:20 Questions

12:30 Recent judgments of the CJEU based on the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights and on the European Convention of Human Rights (Part 2)

12:50 Discussion

#### VI. TUTORIAL ON E-SEARCH TOOLS

Speaker: Daniel Sarmiento Ramírez-Escudero

- 13:00 Electronic search tools and modern technology in the legal domain: how to find EU legislation, national implementing laws and CJEU and ECHR jurisprudence effectively
  - EUR-Lex
  - CURIA
  - HUDOC
- 13:30 End of the online seminar

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Times indicated are CEST (Central European Summer Time)

#### **Partners**

High School for the Magistracy (SSM), Italy



Training and Study Centre for the Judiciary (SSR), The Netherlands



#### **Supporting organisations**

- National Institute of Justice (NIJ), Bulgaria
- National Office for the Judiciary (NOJ), Hungary
- National School of Judiciary and Public Prosecution (KSSiP), Poland
- National Institute of Magistracy (NIM), Romania
- Judicial School (Escuela Judicial

   Consejo General del Poder
   Judicial), Spain









#### **National networks of CCEs**

The following national networks of CCEs will participate in this project:

- Network of Judges-Coordinators on European Law in Bulgaria
- European Law Advisors' Network (ELAN) in Hungary
- Gaius in Italy
- Eurinfra in the Netherlands
- Coordinators for International
   Cooperation and Human Rights in
  Poland
- EuRoQuod in Romania
- European Network of Legal Experts (REDUE) in Spain.

## **Application for**

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can be made only via the partner and supporting organisations (participating judicial schools).



Location Online

Language English

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#### Participation

Participation will be subject to a selection procedure by the supporting organisation or partner, since the number of places is limited. In addition, you will need to register online on ERA website in order to participate in the seminar.

#### Registration fee

There is no registration fee.

#### Calendar of events 2019-2021

- Trier, 14-16 October 2019, 36 participants
- Online seminar, 8-10 February 2021 (3 mornings), 40 participants
- Online seminar, 19-21 May 2021 (3 mornings), 38 participants
- Bucharest, 11-12 October 2021, 41 participants

Participants: CCEs from Bulgaria, Hungary, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland,

Romania and Spain

Language: All events will be held in English.

Application: Application is possible only via the project partner and supporting

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#### Advanced Training for Court Coordinators in European Law

This project is funded by the Justice Programme of the European Union (2014-2020).

## General information on the project

The project addresses the need for joint advanced training on EU law for court coordinators in European law (CCEs) by organising a series of legal seminars focusing on the latest developments concerning fundamental/ human rights in the EU, the preliminary ruling procedure and EU citizenship. The project will provide a platform for exchange of best practices, information and knowledge and create close contacts among CCEs from Member States that have active CCE networks.

#### **Project webpage**

If you are interested in more information about the seminar project or would like to have free access to the specially developed training materials, please visit our project webpage at:

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coordinators.european.law