

EJTN CRIMINAL JUSTICE I

“International Judicial Cooperation in Criminal Matters in Practice: EAW and MLA simulations”

Omšenie, 24-26 November 2014

*Detached Centre of the
Judicial Academy of the Slovak Republic
Omšenie 280-Slovakia*

DRAFT PROGRAM

CORE GROUP 1 Slovakia / CORE GROUP 2 Netherlands / CORE GROUP 3 Spain

Monday 24th November 2014

09:00 Arrival and registration of participants

09:15 Opening of the seminar

*JUDr. Jana Michaličková, Judicial Academy of the Slovak Republic
Mónica Martí, European Judicial Training Network (EJTN)*

09:30 Introduction to the seminar

Petr Klement, Public Prosecutor, General Coordinator of the EJTN Criminal Justice I Project

09:45 Study of cases/ Drafting of international requests *(in separate rooms)*

SK National Expert (N.N.)

ES National Expert (N.N.)

NT National Expert (N.N.)

EUROJUST representatives (N.N.)

11:00 Coffee break

11:15 Drafting of international requests continued *(in separate rooms)*

SK National Expert (N.N.)

ES National Expert (N.N.)

NT National Expert (N.N.)

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12:45 Lunch

13:45 Drafting of international requests continued *(in separate rooms)*

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15:30 Coffee break

15:45 Drafting of international requests continued *(in separate rooms)*

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17:00 End of first day

Tuesday 25th November 2014

09:00 Arrival and registration of participants

CHAIR : *Petr Klement, Public Prosecutor, General Coordinator of the EJTN Criminal Justice I Project*

09:15 International judicial cooperation in criminal matters: concurring jurisdictions, ne bis in idem and transfer of criminal proceedings *(lecture)*

Dr. Michele Simonato, Post-doctoral Researcher in Criminal Law, University of Luxembourg (tbc)

10:15 Coffee break

10:30 Executing of an EAW and MLA *(in separate rooms)*

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12:30 Lunch

13:30 Executing of an EAW and MLA continued (in separate rooms)

SK National Expert (N.N.)

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EUROJUST representatives (N.N.)

15:00 Coffee break

15:15 General debriefings on the execution of an EAW and MLA by the Core Groups (in separate rooms)

16:30 End of second day

19:30 Social dinner

Wednesday 26th November 2014

8:45 Arrival and registration of participants

09:00 European actors and the effectiveness of the European Arrest Warrant: the role of Eurojust in judicial cooperation in criminal matters

Eurojust representatives (N.N.)

CHAIR: *Petr Klement, Public Prosecutor, General Coordinator of the EJTN Criminal Justice I Project*

10:00 Plenary session:

- *Final debriefings by rapporteurs from CG1, CG2 and CG3*
- *Reports of the National Experts*

11:00 Frequent Questions and Answers

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11:30 Farewell coffee

12:00 End of the seminar and bus departure to Vienna airport (tbc)

This event is a part of the Criminal Justice project I in 2014. Programme may be subject to amendments.
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CONTENT

To promote judicial cooperation with the aim of contributing to the creation of a genuine European area of justice in criminal matters based on mutual confidence, EJTN has organised a series of sets of seminars in different venues across Member States since 2010.

The new approach on methodology of the seminars, based upon a simulation of the existing EU judicial cooperation environment has been a success among the European judiciary. The progress of a case inspired from actual facts written by experts involving both nationally and cross-border judicial cooperation and in applying EU mutual recognition instruments will be examined by the participants. By means of the simulation, judges and prosecutors will learn about the practical questions that arise under their own legal system and moreover, under the systems of their colleagues in other Member States when executing a European Arrest Warrant or requesting Mutual Legal Assistance.

The seminar will require strong interactivity between the participants divided in 3 Core Groups having a national component in each seminar. The Core Group 1 composed of judges and prosecutors who are nationals from the Hosting country (Slovak Republic) and the Core Groups 2 and 3 composed of judges and prosecutors from the Sending countries (Netherlands and Spain). Participants will comment on the practical cases according to their national systems to promote mutual trust.

A comprehensive overview of the work of EUROJUST and the EJM and their contribution to the process of international judicial cooperation in criminal matters will be examined. The seminars will be assisted by international and national experts, EJM contact points as well as EUROJUST representatives.

The working language will be English but the participants' national language can be used during the discussions in national core groups.

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The seminar will address judges and prosecutors as follows: **13 to 15** judges/prosecutors from Slovakia (including a national expert) selected by the Judicial Academy of the of the Slovak Republic will act as Core Group 1 (CG1); **13 to 15** judges/prosecutors from The Netherlands (including a national expert) selected by the SSR will act as Core Group 2 (CG2); **13 to 15** judges/prosecutors from Spain (including a national expert) selected by the CGPJ-Escuela Judicial and Centro de Estudios Juridicos will act as Core Group 3 (CG3).

Please contact your national EJTN Member (www.ejtn.eu) to apply for the selection procedure. For further information: Mónica Martí, EJTN Secretariat, Tel. +32 2 2802242 Email: Monica.MARTI-GARCIA@EJTN.EU

SPEAKERS AND CHAIR PERSONS (tbc)



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