

LONG-TERM TRAINING PERIODS IN EUROJUST

Presentation

The long-term training periods will take place at the Eurojust headquarters in The Hague, The Netherlands. Participants will be assigned to the National Desk of their Member State in order to be actively involved in its daily work, in particular in operational work dealing with operational cases and/or project under the supervision of the National Member. They may also be involved in other Eurojust activities (College plenary meetings, strategic meetings, coordination meetings and team meetings).

Length

The length of training periods in Eurojust will vary from 3 to 4 months depending on the National Desks. Please see below an indicative list of available National Desks and the length of the training period corresponding to each one of them. Please note that the length per national desk is subject to changes.

3 months	4 months
Austrian National Desk	Belgian National Desk
Czech National Desk	Bulgarian National Desk
Lithuanian National Desk	Finnish National Desk
Polish National Desk	French National Desk
Portuguese National Desk	German National Desk
Romanian National Desk	Greek National Desk
Spanish National Desk	Hungarian National Desk
	Italian National Desk
	Slovak National Desk
	Slovenian National Desk

Requirements

- be a practicing prosecutor or judge (preferably investigative judge) in an EU Member State
- work at a national level where rogatory letters and other forms of judicial cooperation in criminal matters are dealt with
- have at least three years of practical experience in the field of criminal law

Number of places available

20

Calendar

November-December 2017	Application period
January-February 2018	Selection of applications by Eurojust
March-December 2018	implementation of the training periods (all training periods must be completed by 31 December 2018)

Financial conditions

A daily allowance/per diem of € 120 will be paid to participants by EJTN during the whole training period.

LONG-TERM TRAINING PERIODS AT THE COURT OF JUSTICE OF THE EUROPEAN UNION (CJEU)

Presentation

The long-term training periods will take place at the Court of Justice of the European Union in Luxembourg. EJTN trainees will be assigned to the Chambers of a Member of one of the courts making up the CJEU. Their tasks will vary according to the needs of each Member but they will be called upon, in particular, to assist the Member concerned in processing files for which he or she has been appointed Judge Rapporteur or Advocate General. They will not participate in the deliberations of those courts.

Length

- 6 months (from 1st of September 2018 to 28th of February 2019)
or
- 10 months (from 1st of September 2018 to 30th of June 2019)

NB: The agreed duration for the training placement cannot be extended under the EJTN financial scheme

Requirements

- be a judge or a prosecutor from an EU Member State
- have at least one year of experience as a judge/prosecutor
- be familiar with EU law
- Candidates must have an adequate knowledge of French to be able to provide support to the Cabinet members in processing files and drafting decisions
- The good knowledge of another EU language is also required

Number of places available

15

Calendar

November-December 2017	Application period
January-April 2018	Selection of applications by the CJEU
April-May 2018	Notification of selected participants by EJTN
May-September 2018	Preparation of the selected candidates in view of the training period.
1st of September 2018	Start of the training period

Financial conditions

A daily allowance/per diem of € 120 will be paid to participants by EJTN during the whole training period.

LONG-TERM TRAINING PERIOD AT THE EUROPEAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS (ECtHR)

Presentation

The long-term training periods will take place at the European Court of Human Rights in Strasbourg, France. Participants will normally be integrated in one of the case-processing divisions of the Court's Registry and mainly deal with individual applications, in English or French, from their country of origin. More particularly, they will

- examine and deal with applications in accordance with the Court procedures and internal guidelines; applications dealt with include in particular prima facie inadmissible cases and cases which can be dealt with in a standard manner;
- draft decisions, minutes, reports, notes and other documents;
- maintain correspondence with applicants and, where appropriate, with Governments and third parties;
- advise applicants on the conditions of admissibility of applications to the Court and provide them with all relevant information;
- ensure legal analysis and assist experienced case-lawyers in the preparation of Chamber cases for examination by the Court and in the drafting of Chamber judgments and decisions; attend the Court's sessions;
- undertake studies and research relating to the Court's case-law and domestic law as well as comparative and international law.

NOTE: Participants may also be assigned to the Court's Research Division. In that case, they would dedicate more time to research assignments and projects, this will include in particular:

- To provide contributions for comparative research reports concerning national law or laws depending on the knowledge of different languages and legal systems
- To assist or to prepare research reports on requested topics in the field of the Court's case-law, comparative law or international law within the set time-limit.
- To write (as author and co-author) comparative law research reports under supervision
- To update existing reports on various topics. Research reports are confidential but the results are to be found and are referred to in the judgements.

Lawyers in that division also monitor relevant developments in the human rights field elsewhere in the Council of Europe, in other international organisations and at national level.

Length

12 months (1st September 2018 to 31st August 2019)

NB: The agreed duration for the training placement cannot be extended under the EJTN financial scheme

Requirements

- be a judge (either ordinary or administrative) or a prosecutor
- have between 7 and 10 years of professional experience
- have a very good command of French or English (ability to draft decisions in one of these languages)

Number of places available

15

Calendar

November-December 2017	Application period
January-April 2018	Selection of applications by the ECHR
April-May 2018	Notification of selected participants by EJTN
May-September 2018	Preparation of the selected candidates in view of the training period.
1st September 2018	Start of the training period

Financial conditions

A daily allowance/per diem of € 120 will be paid to participants by EJTN during the whole training period.