

**EJTN STUDY VISITS 2023**  
**PRESENTATION, CALENDARS AND REQUIREMENTS**

1. STUDY VISITS WITH THE EUROPEAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS (ECtHR)

**Presentation**

The study visits will be organised in collaboration with the European Court of Human Rights. The aim of these visits is to provide a deeper knowledge of the Court, its functioning and its case law.

The study visits will focus on:

- Presentations on the Court's competencies, procedures and case law
- Possibility to attend a hearing session (when available)
- Meeting with a Judge from the Court
- Presentation of the HELP Programme of the Council of Europe
- Visit to the EU Parliament

**Requirements**

To participate in study visits at the ECtHR, you need to be:

- A judge, prosecutor, court/prosecution staff or judicial trainer

**Calendar**

Five study visits will be organised during 2023 with the ECtHR, amongst which two in the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester:

Period	Location	Length	Working Language	Number of places available
25 – 27 September (tbc)	Strasbourg, France	2.5 days	English	40
16 – 18 October (tbc)	Strasbourg, France	2.5 days	English	40

**Financial conditions**

A daily allowance of 190 € will be paid to participants by EJTN during the whole period of the study visit. Transport costs will be reimbursed on a real-cost basis up to a maximum of 500 € upon receipt of original transport documents. National participants will be reimbursed on a real-cost basis. Further information can be found in the Financial conditions document.

**Deadline for applications**

The deadline for applications is **Monday, 15 May 2023, 18:00 Brussels time.**

## 2. STUDY VISITS WITH THE COURT OF JUSTICE OF THE EUROPEAN UNION (CJEU)

### Presentation

The study visits will be organised at the Court of Justice of the European Union. The aim of these visits is to provide a deeper knowledge on the powers, organisation and functioning of the Court.

The study visit will focus on:

- Presentations on the Court's competencies, procedures, and case law
- Participation in a Court hearing

### Requirements

To participate in study visits at the CJEU, you need to be:

- A judge, prosecutor, court/prosecution staff or judicial trainer

### Calendar

Two study visits will be organised at the CJEU in the second semester 2023:

Period	Location	Length	Working Language	Number of places available
18/19 September 2023	Luxembourg	1.5 days	English	35
13/14 November 2023	Luxembourg	1.5 days	English	35

### Financial conditions

A daily allowance of 180 € will be paid to participants by EJTN during the whole period of the study visit. Transport costs will be reimbursed on a real-cost basis up to a maximum of 400 € upon receipt of original transport documents. National participants will be reimbursed on a real-cost basis. Further information can be found in the Financial conditions document.

### Deadline for application

The deadline for application is **Monday, 15 May 2023, 18:00 Brussels time.**

## 3. STUDY VISIT WITH THE EUROPEAN UNION INSTITUTIONS

### Presentation

The study visit will be organised with the European Commission, the Council of the European Union, the European Parliament, the European Anti-fraud Office (OLAF) and the European Data Protection Supervisor (EDPS). The study visit is designed to provide beneficiaries with an insight into the EU law making process and the host institution's functioning and procedures. The role of the EDPS and OLAF will also be explained.

### **Requirements**

To participate in study visits in EU Institutions, you need to be:

- A judge, prosecutor, court/prosecution staff or judicial trainer

### **Calendar**

Two study visits are organised during 2023 with the EU institutions, amongst which one in the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester:

Period	Location	Length	Working Language	Number of places available
24 – 26 October	Brussels, Belgium	3 days	English	35

### **Financial conditions**

A daily allowance of 180 € will be paid to participants by EJTN during the whole period of the study visit. Transport costs will be reimbursed on a real-cost basis up to a maximum of 400 € upon receipt of original transport documents. National participants will be reimbursed on a real-cost basis. Further information can be found in the Financial conditions document.

### **Deadline for applications**

The deadline for applications is **Monday, 15 May 2023, 18:00 Brussels time.**

#### 4. STUDY VISIT WITH THE EUROPEAN UNION AGENCY FOR FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS (FRA)

##### **Presentation**

The study visit will be organised with the European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights (FRA) in Vienna, Austria. It will be complemented by a visit at the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC). The aim of the study visit is to introduce the participants to the work of the visited institutions in the judicial context. Among the topics tackled will be the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights, FRA's work in the area of Non-Discrimination, LGBTI, Access to Justice, Asylum and Migration, Hate Crime, the Rights of the Child and Data Protection.

##### **Requirements**

To participate in this study visit, you need to be:

- a judge, prosecutor, court staff/prosecution or judicial trainer

##### **Calendar**

One study visit will be organised in the second semester 2023:

Period	Location	Length	Working Language	Number of places available
23/24 October (t.b.c.)	Vienna, Austria	1.5 days	English	40

##### **Financial conditions**

A daily allowance of 170 € will be paid to participants by EJTN during the whole period of the study visit. Transport costs will be reimbursed on a real-cost basis up to a maximum of 400 € upon receipt of original transport documents. National participants will be reimbursed on a real-cost basis. Further information can be found in the Financial conditions document.

##### **Deadline for applications**

The deadline for application is **Monday, 15 May 2023, 18:00 Brussels time.**

## 5. STUDY VISIT AT THE HAGUE CONFERENCE ON PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL LAW (HCCH)

### **Presentation**

This visit aims at giving an insight to practitioners of the EU MS working about the main instruments of the Hague Conference on Private International Law (Conventions, Protocols and Principles) in the area of **international family law**. The visit will cover the Conventions on the civil aspects of international child abduction, the protection of children and cooperation in respect of intercountry adoption, the jurisdictions applicable law, recognition, enforcement, cooperation in respect or parental responsibility and measures for the protection of children, the international recovery of child support and other forms of family maintenance as well as the protocol on the law applicable to maintenance obligations. The visit will also provide for EU law perspective and relations between The Hague Conventional system and the EU law system.

The exact dates remain to be confirmed. When available, the information will be shared in the call for applications.

### **Requirements**

To participate in the study visit at the Hague Conference on Private International Law, you need to be:

- A family judge or prosecutor working with family-law issues
- A court staff working with family-law issues

### **Calendar**

One study visit will be organised at the Hague Conference on Private International Law in 2023:

Period	Location	Length	Working Language	Number of places available
End of September 2023	The Hague	2 days	English	35 places

### **Financial conditions**

A daily allowance of 200€ will be paid to participants by EJTN during the whole period of the study visit. Transport costs will be reimbursed on a real-cost basis up to a maximum of 500 € upon receipt of original transport documents. National participants will be reimbursed on a real-cost basis. Further information can be found in the Financial conditions document.

### **Deadline for applications**

The deadline for application is **Monday, 15 May 2023, 18:00 Brussels time**.

