

Seminar organisers

- Ministry of Regional Development of Poland
- National School of Judiciary and Public Prosecution, Lublin
- ERA - Academy of European Law

Contents

The **objective** of this seminar is:

to meet the requirements of trainers to stay informed on the latest developments in the methodology of teaching EU law.

Key **topics** include:

- Teaching EU law
- Visualising EU law: the Charts method
- Multi-media teaching
- Teaching effectively using different training methods
- Case studies on European Private Law
- Case studies on Criminal Law

Seminar location

National School of Judiciary and Public Prosecution
Ul. Przy Rondzie 5
31-547 Kraków

Speakers

Mr John Ahern, School of Law, Trinity College Dublin

Mr Jacques Beglinger, Attorney-at-law, Zurich

Mr John Coughlan, Deputy Director, Head of Corporate Communications, Academy of European Law, Trier

Mr David Dickson, Crown Office, Edinburgh

Professor Christa Tobler, Professor of European Law at the Universities of Basel Leiden

For further information:

Christiane Schmitz
Tel.: +49 (0) 651 937 37 81
Fax.: +49 (0) 651 937 37 90
E-mail: cschmitz@era.int



METHODOLOGY AND APPLICATION OF ACTIVE TEACHING METHODS IN TEACHING EU LAW

The project is co-financed with EU funds under the European Social Fund, implemented under the supervision of the Ministry of Regional Development
Project No. POKL.05.03.00-00-002/08

Cracow
22-23 November 2010

Languages:
English and Polish (simultaneous interpretation)

Event number:
110DV93



This project has been funded with support from the European Commission. This communication reflects the views only of the author, and the Commission cannot be held responsible for any use which may be made of the information contained therein.

Monday, 22 November 2010

08:45 Registration of the participants 13:30

09:00 **Welcome**
Wojciech Postulski, Judge,
Head of the International
Cooperation Department, NSJPP
John Coughlan, ERA

I. Teaching methods

09:15 **Teaching EU law**

- setting the scene with a guided case study
- contents, structures and priorities
- experiences

Christa Tobler

10:45 Coffee break

11:00 **Visualising law: the Charts method**

- a learning and presentation tool
- topic charts and decision trees
- making charts

Jacques Beglinger

12:30 Lunch break

13:30 **Presentation of the essential EU law in charts**

- primary and secondary EU law in charts
- accessing ECJ case law

Christa Tobler

14:15 **Multi-media teaching**

- EU law on the Internet
- eJustice Portal

John Coughlan

15:00 Coffee break

15:15 **Teaching effectively using different training methods**

- workshops and case studies
- using new technologies (videoconferencing, webstream, skype...)
- e-learning

John Coughlan

16:45 Coffee break

17:00 **Evaluation of the first seminar day**

Christa Tobler
Jacques Beglinger
John Coughlan

17:45 End of the first seminar day

Tuesday, 23 November 2010

II. Case Studies

Participants will be divided in two groups:

08:00 **Case studies on European Private Law**

- Brussels I and beyond
- Law applicable to contractual and non-contractual obligations (Rome I and Rome II)

John Ahern

or

Case studies on Criminal Law

- European Arrest Warrant
- mutual legal assistance
- mutual recognition
- freezing orders
- confiscation orders
- foreign evidence

David Dickson

09:30 Coffee break

09:45 **Continuation of Case Studies**

11:15 End of the seminar