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# Modernising EU Justice systems by boosting training of justice professionals

## 6-7 May 2021

### Day 1

09.30

**Check-in**  
**Random breakout rooms: getting to know other participants**

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10.00

**Plenary (with interpretation)**  
**Welcome by Directorate-General Justice and Consumers  
and the Centro de Estudos Judiciários (CEJ) of Portugal**

Moderator: Brian Maguire

10.20

**Plenary (with interpretation)**  
**Opening speech by Directorate-General Justice and Consumers**  
Presentation of the conference’s objectives

**Key note speeches:**

- **Mr Didier Reynders, Commissioner for Justice**  
The European judicial training strategy for 2021-2024
- **Mr Mário Belo Morgado, Deputy Minister of Justice**  
Council Conclusions ‘Boosting training of justice professionals’

11.00

**Session 1: “Increasing participation and securing roll-out”**  
**Plenary (with interpretation)**

Introduction: the new quantitative objectives of the European judicial training strategy

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11.10

**Working groups tailored for different justice professions  
(without interpretation)**

- Judges & prosecutors,
- Lawyers,
- Notaries,
- Bailiffs,
- Other professions (court & prosecution office staff, prison staff, probation officers, etc.)

12.30

**Lunch break**

13.30

**Check-in**

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14.00

**Session 1: “Increasing participation and securing roll-out”  
Plenary (with interpretation)**

Reports from the working groups

14.45

**Session 2: “Flexible answers to new challenges and training needs”  
Plenary (with interpretation)**

Introduction: Best practices for training needs’ assessment

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15.00

**Thematic working groups  
(without interpretation)**

- Rule of law and fundamental human rights
- Digitalisation of justice
- Judgecraft and non-legal knowledge
- Security union
- Single Market

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16.00

**Plenary (with interpretation)**

**Session 2: “Flexible answers to new challenges and training needs”**

Reports from the working groups

16.30

**Random breakout rooms: getting to know other participants**

17.00

*End*

## Day 2

09.30

**Check-in**  
**Random breakout rooms: getting to know other participants**

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10.00

***Session 1: "High quality e-learning"***  
***Plenary (with interpretation)***

Examples of best practices

11.00

***Session 2: "The future of judicial training"***  
***Plenary (with interpretation)***

11.50

***Presentation of the European Training Platform "ETP"***  
***Plenary (with interpretation)***

12.00

**Closing session**  
***Plenary (with interpretation)***

**Wrap-up, Mr Peter Csonka, Deputy-Director, Directorate-General Justice and Consumers**

**Final words, Mr João Manuel da Silva Miguel, Director of CEJ**

12.30

***End of conference***