

# “Modernising EU justice systems by boosting training of justice professionals”

Thursday 6 and Friday 7 May 2021

## Objectives:

- Disseminate the new European judicial training strategy 2021-2024
- Present the Council conclusions ‘Boosting training of justice professionals’
- Explain, promote and discuss the strategy’s new quantitative and qualitative priorities
- Involve all stakeholders in the implementation of the 2021-2024 strategy
- Ensure the commitment of all stakeholders to step-up the efforts in training justice professionals.

## Day 1

<b>09.45</b>	<b>Check-in</b> <b>Random breakout rooms: getting to know other participants</b>
<b>10.00</b>	<b>Plenary (with interpretation)</b> <b>Welcome by DG JUST and Centro de Estudos Judiciários (CEJ)</b>
<b>10.10</b>	<b>Plenary (with interpretation)</b> <b>Opening speech by Directorate-General Justice and Consumers</b> Presentation of the conference’s objectives <b>Key note speeches:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Mr Didier Reynders, Commissioner for Justice</b> The European judicial training strategy for 2021-2024</li><li>• <b>Mrs Francisca Van Dunem, Minister of Justice of Portugal</b> Council Conclusions ‘Boosting training of justice professionals’</li></ul>
<b>11.00</b>	<b>Session 1: “Increasing participation and securing roll-out”</b> <b>Plenary (with interpretation)</b> Introduction: the new quantitative objectives of the European judicial training strategy

<b>11.10</b>	<p><b><i>5 breakout rooms tailored for different justice professions (without interpretation)</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Judges &amp; prosecutors,</li> <li>• Lawyers,</li> <li>• Notaries,</li> <li>• Bailiffs,</li> <li>• Other professions (court &amp; prosecution office staff, prison staff, probation officers, etc.)</li> </ul>
<b>12.30</b>	<b>Lunch break</b>
<b>13.45</b>	<p><b>Check-in</b></p> <p><b>Random breakout rooms: getting to know other participants</b></p>
<b>14.00</b>	<p><b><i>Session 1: "Increasing participation and securing roll-out"</i></b></p> <p><b><i>Plenary (with interpretation)</i></b></p> <p><b><i>Reports from the 5 working groups</i></b></p>
<b>14.45</b>	<p><b><i>Session 2: "Flexible answers to new challenges and training needs"</i></b></p> <p><b><i>Plenary (with interpretation)</i></b></p> <p>Introduction</p>
<b>14.50</b>	<p><b><i>5 breakout rooms tailored for different justice professions (without interpretation)</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rule of law and fundamental human rights</li> <li>• Digitalisation of justice</li> <li>• Judgecraft and non-legal knowledge</li> <li>• Security union</li> <li>• Single Market</li> </ul>
<b>16.00</b>	<p><b><i>Plenary (with interpretation)</i></b></p> <p><b><i>Session 3: Reports from the 5 working groups</i></b></p>
<b>16.30</b>	<b>End of day 1</b>
<b>17.00</b>	<b>Random breakout rooms: getting to know other participants</b>

## Day 2

<b>09.45</b>	<b>Check-in</b> <b>Random breakout rooms: getting to know other participants</b>
<b>10.00</b>	<b><i>Session 1: “High quality e-learning”</i></b> <b><i>Plenary (with interpretation)</i></b> <b>Examples of best practices</b>
<b>11.00</b>	<b><i>Session 2: “The future of judicial training”</i></b> <b><i>Plenary (with interpretation)</i></b>
<b>11.50</b>	<b>Presentation of the European Training Platform “ETP”</b> <b><i>Plenary (with interpretation)</i></b>
<b>12.00</b>	<b>Closing session</b> <b><i>Plenary (with interpretation)</i></b> <b>Wrap-up, Mr Peter Csonka, Deputy-Director, Directorate-General Justice and Consumers</b> <b>Final words, Mr João Manuel da Silva Miguel, Director of CEJ</b>
<b>12.30</b>	<b><i>End of conference</i></b>