



YOUNG EUROPEAN LAWYERS CONTEST 2022

Semi-Final, Bratislava,
10 June 2022

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List of Jurors

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Aim of the contest

The contest will bring together young and newly-qualified lawyers to spotlight the importance of European law for their future legal practice.

Event number

222DT97f

Organiser

ERA (Florence Hartmann-Vareilles) in cooperation with
Slovak Bar Association



Young European Lawyers Contest 2022: Semi-final, Bratislava

Friday, 10 June 2022

- 08:15 Welcome coffee and registration of participants
- 08:30 **Opening and introduction to the rules of the contest**
Florence Hartmann-Vareilles, Head of Business Law Section, ERA
Zuzana Čížová, Member of the Slovak Bar Association, Presidency and Chair of the Committee for Trainee Lawyers Issues

GETTING TO KNOW EACH OTHERS

- 08:45 **Introducing yourself**
Team 1
Team 4
Team 7
Team 12

ORAL DEFENCE OF THE WRITTEN REPORT

- 09:10 Oral defence of first team
09:30 Questions from Jury to first team
- 09:40 Oral defence of second team
10:00 Questions from Jury to second team
- 10:10 Coffee break
- 10:40 Oral defence of third team
11:00 Questions from Jury to third team
- 11:10 Oral defence of fourth team
11:30 Questions from Jury to fourth team
- 11:40 Teams gathering in order to prepare their answers
- 12:00 Answers from Team 1
12:10 Answers from Team 4
12:20 Answers from Team 7
12:30 Answers from Team 12
- 12:40 Lunch and deliberation of the Jury
- 14:15 Wrap-up session with Jury and Teams: what went right and wrong?
Jury comments on Teams' presentations and gives tips and tricks
- 14:45 Announcement of the two winning teams
- 15:00 End of the semi-final

For programme updates: www.younglawyerscontest.eu
Programme may be subject to amendment.

Participation

The contest is open to trainee lawyers and newly qualified lawyers (in their first year after qualification) in EU Member States.

Language

Participants should have a working knowledge of English.

Venue

Slovenská Advokátska Komora
(Slovak Bar Association)
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France

Regional Lawyers' Schools within the Jurisdiction of the Versailles
Court of Appeal (HEDAC)



Regional lawyers' schools of the Grand Est (ERAGE)



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Thessaloniki Bar Association



Ireland

The Bar of Ireland THE BAR
OF IRELAND
The Law Library



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Italian Bar Association (CNF) Consiglio
Nazionale Forense



Latvia

Latvian Bar Association



Lithuania

Lithuanian Bar Association



Luxembourg

Luxembourg Young Bar Association



Poland

Polish National Bar of Attorneys-at-Law (KIRP) KRAJOWA IZBA
RADCÓW PRAWNYCH



Romania

National Association of the Romanian Bars (UNBR)

National Institute for the Training and the Improvement of Lawyers



Format

The semi-final in Bratislava, will consist of the defence by the teams of their written report that have been prepared ahead of the face-to-face semi-final.

The semi-final will be organised according to the following rules:

- The oral defence will be organised in plenary
- Each team have 5 mns to introduce itself
- Each team is given 20 minutes in order to present its written report
- Jury is invited to ask two questions to each team
- Each team is given 10 minutes in order to answer to the two questions
- Jury comments on each team presentation
- Jury announces the two winning teams invited to take part in final
- The best two teams from each semi-final will take part in a three-day final held at ERA's premises in Trier and at the General Court of the European Union in Luxembourg on 10-12 October 2022.
- Teams not participating in the final will be offered to participate online to the training on "how to litigate before the Court of Justice" on 10 October 2022

For further information:

www.younglawyerscontest.eu

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Semi-final

Bratislava, 10 June 2022 / Event Number: 222DT97f



Conditions of participation

1. The participants are responsible for making their own travel arrangements. Travel costs for participants not based in Bratislava or surroundings will be reimbursed up to a maximum of €300 subject to submission of the originals of travel receipts to be sent in within one month after the training (deadline 10 July 2022).
2. **In the context of the Covid-19 Pandemic, the participants are advised to book travel and accommodation with flexible cancellation conditions or to take out travel cancellation insurance. ERA reserves the right according to its General Terms and Conditions to cancel an event until two weeks beforehand.**
ERA will not reimburse the costs of travel and/or accommodation booked earlier than one month before the event. The cost of travel cancellation insurance can be reimbursed.
3. Accommodation for one night from 9 to 10 June 2022 will be organised and paid by ERA in the AC Hotel Bratislava Old Town near to the seminar venue.
4. All semi-finalists will be required to arrive the day before the semi-final to attend the Welcome Dinner. Lunch on the day of the semi-final, dinner on 9 June, beverages consumed during the event and seminar documentation are offered by ERA.
5. Certificates of attendance will be issued after the semi-final.
6. Participation in the whole semi-final programme is required. Participants must not make travel arrangements that require them to leave the semi-final before its end. Filling in the evaluation form is also mandatory. Failure to attend the entire semi-final and/or to fill out the evaluation form will automatically mean that the participant is not entitled to a certificate of attendance or to reimbursement of travel costs.
7. Please note that in the event of cancellation after the respective deadlines and without a legitimate reason ERA will charge for the costs arising as a result thereof, e.g. for any hotel and/or travel arrangements made.
8. A list of participants including each participant's address will be made available to all participants unless ERA receives written objection from the participant no later than one week prior to the beginning of the event.

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Teams and topics

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Topic of the written report: The European Arrest Warrant and Fundamental Rights
(rights to health)

Team 1	Katrijn Vermeulen (B)
	Lisa Gabriele Stoeckl (D)
	Artemis Glasimakopoulou (GR)
	Antoine Prétot (FR)
Team 4	Vareriya Lauwers (B)
	James P. O'Brien B.L. (IR)
	Elisa Zecchini (IT)
	Denisa Gallová (KL)
Team 7	Elna Mizerova (EE)
	Margaux Ramos-Darmendrail (FR)
	Floriane Sement (SP)
	Eleftherios Xinaris (CY)
Team 12	Tess Bellanger-Garcia San Jose (FR)
	Martina Tarantola (IT)
	Dušan Štric (SK)
	Christophoros Iosif (CY)



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Questions for the written report

The European Arrest Warrant and Fundamental Rights (rights to health)

An Italian citizen residing in Italy is subject of a European Arrest Warrant (EAW) issued by the Croatian Judicial Authority for the purposes of criminal proceedings for suspicion of unlawful possession of drugs in the territory of Croatia. Said citizen suffers from mental health illness, as proved by several medical reports submitted to the case and a psychiatric expertise ordered by the executing authority (Court of Appeal of Milano). This expertise concluded inter alia that: i) the person was in need of mental health care and therapy which, if interrupted, could determine a possible prejudice for his health and for the care pathway started a few years ago; ii) a real risk of suicide, if surrendered, existed.

- Is the executing authority obliged to request further information from the issuing authority on the treatment that the person sought would receive in the issuing state?
- If the executing authority concludes that the surrender of a person suffering from a serious chronic and potentially irreversible illness may expose them to a risk of serious harm to their health, must surrender be refused if no assurances may be obtained to rule that risk out?