



# Justice Programme 2021 - 2027

## Work Programme for 2021-2022

**Brussels, 09 March 2021**



# Objectives

contributing to the further development of a European area of justice based on **the rule of law**, including independence and impartiality of the judiciary, **on mutual recognition, mutual trust** and judicial cooperation, thereby also strengthening democracy rule of law and fundamental rights

**to facilitate and support judicial cooperation in civil and criminal matters, and to promote the rule of law**, independence and impartiality of the judiciary

**to support and promote judicial training**, with a view to fostering a common legal, judicial and **rule of law culture**

**to facilitate effective and non-discriminatory access to justice for all**, and effective redress, including by electronic means (e-justice)

Drug prevention

Internal Security Fund

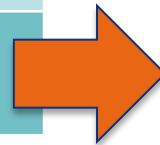


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## Budget 305 MEUR

Specific Objectives	%
Judicial cooperation	27%
Judicial training	36%
Access to justice	27%
Flexibility margin	10%



**In priority:  
promotion of  
the rule of law**



## Type of activities to be funded

Awareness raising

Training relevant stakeholders

Mutual learning through exchange of good practices among stakeholders

Analytical and monitoring activities

ICT tools development and maintenance

Developing capacity of key European level networks

**Supporting civil society organisations to increase their capacity to react and to ensure adequate access for all citizens to their services, counselling and support activities**



## Monitoring and evaluation

All individual **data** shall be **broken down by sex** whenever possible

The interim and the final evaluations of the programme shall :

- ✓ focus on each specific objective and on each activity
- ✓ include a **gender equality perspective**
- ✓ evaluate **impacts on gender equality**

## Definition of 'judiciary and judicial staff'

'judiciary and judicial staff' means judges, prosecutors, and members of staff of courts and of prosecutors' offices, as well as any other justice professionals associated with the judiciary ..., such as lawyers, notaries, bailiffs or enforcement officers, insolvency practitioners, mediators, court interpreters and translators, court experts, prison staff and probation officers

# Main features in WP 2021-2022

## *Continuity from AWP 2020*

- ✓ targeted action grant calls in line with current political priorities – continuity in call priorities, 90% co-financing
- ✓ operating grants to framework partners (80% co-financing) and to the European Judicial Training Network (€ 11 000 000)
- ✓ both national and transnational projects, depending on the call, min. grant amount € 75 000
- ✓ similar annual budget level
- ✓ role of the Committee

# Main features in WP 2021-2022

## *Novelties*

- ✓ Drugs prevention is not part of the programme
- ✓ biennial Work Programme – increased flexibility and visibility
- ✓ budget earmarkings - Judicial Cooperation: 27%, Judicial Training: 36%, Access to Justice: 27%, flexibility: 10% (emphasis on Rule of Law)
- ✓ activities update (ICT to improve judicial systems efficiency, support for CSOs, dissemination of programme results)
- ✓ new cycle of 4-year Framework Partnerships



# 2021-2022 Calls for action grants

Specific objectives	Call for proposals for action grants to support:
<b>Judicial cooperation</b>	<p><b>judicial cooperation</b> in civil matters and in criminal matters</p> <p><b>Deadline: 6 May</b></p> <p><b>€ 6 650 000 in 2021</b>  <b>€ 5 750 000 in 2022</b>  <b>(€ 6 650 000 in 2020)</b></p>
<b>Judicial training</b>	<p>transnational projects on <b>judicial training</b> covering civil law, criminal law or fundamental rights</p> <p><b>Deadline: 6 May</b></p> <p><b>€ 5 350 000 in 2021</b>  <b>€ 5 000 000 in 2022</b>  <b>(€ 6 250 000 in 2020)</b></p>



# Operating grants (OG)

- Art. 10(3) of the programme's regulation  
*"The programme shall support the European Judicial Training Network's expenditure associated with its permanent work programme and any operating grant to that effect shall be awarded without a call for proposals in accordance with the Financial Regulation."*
- new cycle of 4-year framework partnerships - formal networks organised at European level with members from in at least 14 EU Member States:
  - Call in 2021 **Deadline: 6 May**
  - OGs for 2022-2025 (annual application assessed on the basis of published award criteria)
- Total OG indicative budget:
  - € 15 300 000 in 2021
  - (€ 14 945 000 in AWP 2020)



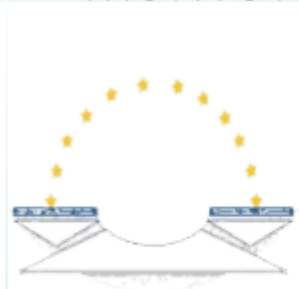
# 2018-2021 Framework Partners – Judicial cooperation AWP 2020 – OG 2021: € 1 465 000



The Council of the Notariats of the European Union (CNUE)



European Organisation of Prison and Correctional Services (Europris)



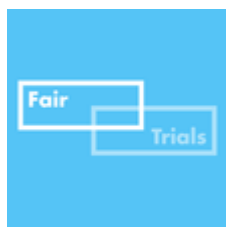
NETWORK OF THE PRESIDENTS OF THE SUPREME JUDICIAL COURTS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION



# 2018-2021 Framework Partners – Access to justice AWP 2020 - OG 2021: € 2 480 000



Association of the European Network  
on Victims' Rights (AENVR)



Fair Trials Europe



European Network of Councils  
for the Judiciary (ENCJ)

Réseau européen des Conseils  
de la Justice (RECJ)



Association of the Councils of State and  
Supreme Administrative Jurisdictions of the  
European Union (ACA-Europe)



## Next steps ...

- by mid March: calls open for submission of proposals - calls published in [Funding & Tenders portal](#) on 3 March (deadlines in May and September 2021) – contacts for questions:


[EC-JUSTICE-PROGRAMME@ec.europa.eu](mailto:EC-JUSTICE-PROGRAMME@ec.europa.eu) (Programme related)

[EC-JUSTICE-CALLS@ec.europa.eu](mailto:EC-JUSTICE-CALLS@ec.europa.eu) (Call related)

- end March: adoption of Justice Work programme 2021-2022
- end April: adoption of the new Justice programme regulation

**Please visit the [Funding & Tenders portal](#) for more information on the calls**

## Funding and tenders (5)

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**Grant** Call for proposals for action grants to support national or transnational e-Justice projects

Forthcoming

<b>Programme</b>	Justice Programme (JUST)	<b>Deadline model</b>	single-stage
<b>ID</b>	JUST-2021-EJUSTICE	<b>Opening date</b>	09 March 2021
<b>Types of action</b>	JUST Project Grants	<b>Deadline date</b>	06 May 2021 17:00:00 Brussels time

**Grant** Call for proposals for action grants to support transnational projects to enhance the rights of persons suspected or accused of crime and the rights of victims of crime

Forthcoming

<b>Programme</b>	Justice Programme (JUST)	<b>Deadline model</b>	single-stage
<b>ID</b>	JUST-2021-JACC	<b>Opening date</b>	12 May 2021
<b>Types of action</b>	JUST Project Grants	<b>Deadline date</b>	09 September 2021 17:00:00 Brussels time

**Grant** Call for proposals for action grants to promote judicial cooperation in civil and criminal matters

Forthcoming

<b>Programme</b>	Justice Programme (JUST)	<b>Deadline model</b>	single-stage
<b>ID</b>	JUST-2021-JC00	<b>Opening date</b>	09 March 2021
<b>Types of action</b>	JUST Project Grants	<b>Deadline date</b>	06 May 2021 17:00:00 Brussels time

**Grant** Call for 4-year Framework Partnership Agreements to support European networks active in the area of facilitating and promoting judicial cooperation in civil and/or criminal matters and in the area of access to justice

Forthcoming

<b>Programme</b>	Justice Programme (JUST)	<b>Deadline model</b>	single-stage
<b>ID</b>	JUST-2021-JC00-JACC-OG-FPA	<b>Opening date</b>	09 March 2021
<b>Types of action</b>	JUST Operating Grants Framework Partnerships	<b>Deadline date</b>	06 May 2021 17:00:00 Brussels time

**Grant** Call for proposals for action grants to support transnational projects on judicial training covering civil law, criminal law or fundamental rights

Forthcoming

<b>Programme</b>	Justice Programme (JUST)	<b>Deadline model</b>	single-stage
<b>ID</b>	JUST-2021-JTRA	<b>Opening date</b>	09 March 2021
<b>Types of action</b>	JUST Project Grants	<b>Deadline date</b>	06 May 2021 17:00:00 Brussels time

# Call for proposals for action grants to support transnational projects on judicial training covering civil law, criminal law or fundamental rights

TOPIC ID: JUST-2021-JTRA

Grant

## General information

Topic description


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## General information

Programme **Justice Programme (JUST)** Work programme part **JUST-2021**

Call **Call for proposals for action grants to support transnational projects on judicial training covering civil law, criminal law or fundamental rights (JUST-2021-JTRA)** Work programme year **JUST-2021**

 [See budget overview](#)

Type of action **JUST-PJG JUST Project Grants** Type of MGA **JUST Action Grant Budget-Based [JUST-AG]**

Forthcoming

Deadline model **single-stage** Planned opening date **09 March 2021** Deadline date **06 May 2021 17:00:00 Brussels time**

## Topic description

Objective:

The priorities of 2021 and 2022 will concentrate funding on training activities and tools for training providers, as described below, in order to support cross-border training activities:

for justice professionals, and/or

for multipliers, such as judicial trainers or EU law court coordinators, where there are guarantees that the multipliers will pass on their knowledge to other justice professionals in a systematic way, and/or


for cross-professional training, in order to stimulate discussions across judicial professions about the application of EU law and contribute to a European legal culture across professional boundaries on precisely identified topics of relevance to the concerned professions.



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BES Practice 3.0

101007772

Training of lawyers on EU instruments on insolvency law and family law

CiviLAW

101005779

Cross border family matters – a tour de table of good practices

CrossBFamilyMatt...

101008434

Eu L@w for Notaries – Notaries for EU L@w

ELaN

101008418

Innovating together : Connecting European Penitentiary Training Academies

EPTA II

101008433

Interactive training events for lawyers on Litigating EU law

EU Litigation 3

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E-training on EU Family Property regimes

EU-FamPro

101008404

EULAW: EUropean LAWyers training on EPPO

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FILIT

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**Thank you for  
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