

## Cross-Justice Transnational Training

# Procedural Rights in the EU and Effective Legal Protection

22-23 February 2021

Online event

organized by the Centre for Judicial Cooperation, RSCAS, European University Institute

### Introduction

This Cross-Justice Training Webinar inaugurates a series of Workshops organized within the framework of the project Cross-Justice - Knowledge, Advisory and Capacity Building in Information Tool for Criminal Procedural Rights in Judicial Cooperation, which was funded by the European Union's Justice Programme (2014-2020) under G.A. no 847346. The Cross-Justice Training Webinar is dedicated to discussing the most relevant frontiers of criminal procedural rights with legal practitioners. In the webinar, a panel of experts will share views, also in a comparative perspective, on recent European and national case law and decisions relevant to the project.

The speakers will present salient aspects of EU criminal law in action and will then reflect on the implications on daily practice of legal professionals with scholars and practitioners from the institutions involved the Cross-Justice project.

## Programme

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### 22 February

09.30 - 09.40 **Deirdre Curtin** | Centre for Judicial Cooperation , EUI  
*Opening: Institutional greetings*

### Setting the Scene: The EU Directives on Procedural Rights

Moderator: **Mariavittoria Catanzariti** | EUI

09.40 - 09.55 **Giuseppe Contissa** and **Giulia Lasagni** | UNIBO  
*Presentation of the CrossJustice Project*

09.55 - 10.10 **Valsamis Mitsilegas** | QMUL  
*Enforcing Fundamental Rights in Europe's Area of Criminal Justice: The Role of the Procedural Rights Directives*

10.10 - 10.25 **Francesca Galli** | EUI  
*The right to legal aid in the EU law enforcement context*

10.25 - 10.40 **Hristo Konstantinov** | APIS Europe  
*Demonstration on the Use of the Cross-Justice Platform*

10.45 - 11.00 Break

### Working Groups

Moderator: **Michele Gigli** | EUI

11.00 - 11.30 **Session 1**  
*Hypotheticals on the right of information about procedural rights and the right to communicate with third parties while deprived of personal liberty*

11.30 -11.45 Q&A

11.45 - 12.15 **Session 2**  
*Hypothetical on the right to be present at trial*

12.15 - 12.30 Q&A

12.30 - 12.45 *Presentation of the Working Groups' conclusions*

12.45 - 13.45 Steering Committee of the Cross-Justice Project

## 23 February

09.30 - 09.45 **Mariavittoria Catanzariti and Michele Gigli** | EUI  
*Opening: The rationale of the User Manual and the training methodology*

### Procedural Rights under the Radar

Moderator: **Michele Gigli** | EUI

09.45 - 10.00 **Luisa Marin** | EUI  
*Procedural Rights in the interplay between mutual recognition and mutual trust (the case of the EAW)*

10.00 - 10.15 **Lorena Bachmaier** | Universidad Complutense de Madrid  
*Legal Assistance and the protection of lawyer-client confidentiality*

10.15 - 10.30 **Pedro Caeiro and Miguel Joao Costa** | Univeristy of Coimbra & UCILER  
*The EU directives on procedural rights and their implementation in Portugal*

10.30 - 10.45 **Anna Albrecht** | University of Potsdam  
*The implementation of the right to translation under the Directive 2010/64/EU into German law: a minimally invasive operation*

10.45 - 11.00 Break

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*Hypotheticals on declarations released in presence of a public defender and the consequences of SIS alert on procedural rights*

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*Hypothetical on the modalities of the individual assessment and the right to privacy of children*

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