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Vice President of the European Commission for Values and Transparency

Dear ELI Members and Friends

It has been my great pleasure to contribute to this year's ELI Annual Conference as keynote speaker as well as to this newsletter on a topic that lies at the very foundation of the work of both the European Commission and the European Law Institute (ELI) – the rule of law.

The rule of law is one of the founding values of the European Union, and a prerequisite for the protection of all other values. It is crucial for the effective application of EU law and for mutual trust between Member States and their judicial authorities. The Russian war of aggression against Ukraine has been a stark reminder of the importance of upholding the fundamental values of the European Union. To protect our citizens and their rights, the rule of law needs to be firmly and consistently defended across the EU.

Lawyers play a key role in ensuring the protection of fundamental rights and the strengthening of the rule of law, including the right to a fair trial. One essential element of the freedom of exercise of legal professions is respect for the confidentiality of the relationship with clients, as confirmed in the Council of Europe standards. The Commission

attaches great importance to these principles and is fully committed to ensuring they are upheld.

The work of ELI – which initiates and conducts research in the field of EU law – makes an important contribution, helping to further consolidate European standards for the rule of law and to advance the legal debate in this field. In this respect, I welcome the project on the ELI-Mount Scopus European Standards of Judicial Independence under ELI's 'Rule of Law and the Convergence of Legal Systems in the 21st century' pillar, which aims at examining key principles of the rule of law, such as legality, legal certainty or effective judicial protection by independent and impartial courts. For each principle, it will clearly set out the relevant European and international standards. These are the same standards that also guide the Commission's policy for upholding the rule of law.

Over the past years, the Commission has developed a variety of instruments to address challenges to the rule of law. In 2020, we added the annual Rule of Law Report. The Report is at the centre of a yearly cycle, which aims at improving mutual knowledge, exchanging best practices and identifying problems at an

early stage, that can then be prevented from emerging or deepening. Since 2022, the Report also includes concrete recommendations to the Member States. It looks at four key areas: national justice systems; the anti-corruption framework; media pluralism and freedom; and other institutional checks and balances. In the context of this Report, the Commission also looks closely at developments that directly concern lawyers, on issues such as legal aid and litigation costs or the protection of professional secrecy.

However, upholding the rule of law is not the sole responsibility of the Commission and the EU institutions. It also requires the engagement of all authorities in the Member States and of everyone living in Europe. This includes in particular legal professionals such as judges, prosecutors and lawyers.

Through your day-to-day work and through the research and recommendations to stimulate European legal development led by organisations such as ELI you all play a very important role in building a common culture of the rule of law in Europe.

The Author

Věra Jourová is currently Vice President of the European Commission for Values and Transparency and deals with democracy, rule of law, media pluralism and the fight against disinformation. From 2014 to 2019, she served as EU Commissioner for Justice, Consumers and Gender Equality. In 2014, before arriving to the European Commission, Ms Jourová held the position of Minister for Regional Development in the Czech Republic. Previous to this, from 2006 to 2013, she worked in her own company as an international consultant on European Union funding, and was also involved in consultancy activities in the Western Balkans relating to the European Union Accession. She holds a degree in law (Mgr) and a Master's degree (Mgr) in the theory of culture from Charles University, Prague.





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On the Co-Operation between ELI and the Commission

By Richard Sonnenschein, Director of Justice Policies at DG JUST

ELI and European Commission have been partners for years. Our fruitful partnership materialised in many valuable projects which I firmly believe provide great assistance to legal practitioners throughout Europe. ELI's projects constitute an essential source of information for the Commission's forward-looking initiatives and have always been a source of inspiration and a point of reference for the Commission.

Talking about synergies in our work, I would like to specifically mention the ELI project on Digitalisation of Civil Justice Systems in Europe to which we are honoured to have been invited as an observer. This project, just like our recent initiative on digitalisation of judicial cooperation and access to justice in cross-border civil, commercial and criminal matters¹, aims to improve access to justice and the efficiency of judicial cooperation. At the same time, these projects ensure that

digitalisation is not imposed to the detriment of fundamental rights and their full respect is guaranteed and even reinforced. I appreciate that the work that our two institutions do is complimentary, and we could offer to legal practitioners a mix of policy, financial, legislative and non-legislative measures. For example, our digitalisation initiative introduces a legal framework for mandatory electronic communication between competent authorities in civil, commercial and criminal matters with cross-border implications. Communication by digital means in judicial procedures relating to cross-border civil and commercial matters between natural or legal persons, on the one hand, and competent authorities, on the other, will remain optional. The initiative also establishes a legal basis for the use of videoconferencing or other distance-communication technology for hearings in civil, commercial and

criminal matters with cross-border implication. The primary purpose of the ELI Principles on the Digitalisation of Civil Justice Systems in Europe Project is to provide an overarching framework to improve the use of digital technology in the judiciary. It bundles dispersed knowledge and research, and facilitates digitalising civil justice systems while securing fundamental values of civil procedure. Mandatory electronic exchange between competent authorities was already introduced for service of documents and taking of evidence in civil matters² and will apply as of May 2025.

The Commission also works with ELI on future-oriented projects relating to emerging technologies, like Artificial Intelligence (AI). It is likely that the use of new technologies, such as AI, will only increase in the future, so I am delighted to see that ELI and the Commission are well-aligned in examining this

¹ Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on the digitalisation of judicial cooperation and access to justice in cross-border civil, commercial and criminal matters, and amending certain acts in the field of judicial cooperation, COM/2021/759 final.

² Regulation (EU) 2020/1783 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2020 on cooperation between the courts of the Member States in the taking of evidence in civil or commercial matters (taking of evidence) (recast) and Regulation (EU) 2020/1784 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2020 on the service in the Member States of judicial and extrajudicial documents in civil or commercial matters (service of documents) (recast).

digital transition. A current ELI project on Guiding Principles and Model Rules on Algorithmic Contracts, in which the Commission is an observer, is very well in line with currently running exploratory projects of the Commission, examining if existing legal frameworks are adapted to the use of new technologies, for example in private transactions and contracting.

I very much look forward to ELI's project deliverables on this, which I am sure will provide a significant source of information for the European Commission.

A recently completed ELI project on Principles on Blockchain Technology, Smart Contracts and Consumer Protection is also a valuable instrument for the Commission's considerations in this field.

Similarly, the collaboration between ELI and the European Commission found

fruitful ground in the criminal justice area. We recently gladly participated as an observer in the ELI project on mutual Admissibility of Evidence in Criminal Proceedings in the EU, which led to the preparation of a Draft Legislative Proposal on common standards for the admissibility of cross-border evidence, including electronic evidence.

The possible adoption of minimum rules on mutual admissibility of evidence, with a view to facilitating the cross-border gathering of evidence, while ensuring strong procedural safeguards for suspects and accused persons, is an area of focus for further progress which the Commission is exploring.

I would like to conclude by mentioning the ELI project on the cross-border Protection of Adults finalised in March 2020.

The main findings of the project are consistent with the Commission's

legislative package³ adopted this year. Indeed, the option chosen by the Commission includes a proposal aimed at authorising all EU Member States to become or remain Party to the 2000 Hague Convention on the Protection of Adults and a proposal for a Regulation to improve the cross-border protection of adults within the EU. Therefore, as suggested by ELI, both the external and the internal aspects of the problem have been considered. Several measures suggested in the ELI project have been considered in the Commission proposal for a Regulation such as the European certificate of Representation, which will help the adult's representative to assert his or her powers before non-judicial actors, for instance banks and health providers.

I am looking forward to the further cooperation with ELI on all these important initiatives.

The Author



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2016 to 2020 Principal Security Adviser in the European Commission in the Directorate-General for Human Resources and Security in charge of Crisis Management. From 2008 until 2016 several middle management functions in the area of human resources and security, notably in Protection and Crisis Management.

Joined the European Commission in 2003 as policy officer and later as assistant to the Director Resources within Directorate-General for Communications Networks, Content and Technology. Focus on Digital Commerce, Security and Digital Law.

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He holds a law degree (University of Freiburg, Germany).

³ https://ec.europa.eu/commission/presscorner/detail/en/ip_23_2955.

Updates on ELI Projects

The following events took place in July and August 2023.

New ELI Project on Enterprise Foundations in Europe

On 3 July 2023, the ELI Council adopted a new project on Enterprise Foundations in Europe, which aims at providing guidance on present approaches and solutions to foundation law in different European countries, as well as at developing a model enterprise foundation law.

The ELI project focuses on European enterprise foundations, which are important as responsible long-term owners of businesses and contributors to the public good through donations and philanthropy. Despite their significant societal impact, these foundations face legal ambiguity that limits their potential. The project aims at addressing these challenges by proposing legal solutions to regulate enterprise foundations.

The team will develop a legal definition of enterprise foundations, with a view to providing clarity on this legal construct. Through comparative legal analysis, the project will identify key sources of variation in national enterprise foundation law (including the law of functional equivalents such as trusts and companies) and explain the legal and economic implications of these choices. This will provide national and European legislators with an informed menu of options on the issue. Finally, a model enterprise foundation law and key legal obstacles which currently prevent enterprise foundation rules from being implemented by a broader set of European countries will be elaborated upon. The model law will be drafted to meet the needs from as many European countries as possible. The project, which will be completed in August 2025, is generously supported by the Enterprise Foundations project of the Copenhagen Business School.

ELI Members and Friends are kindly invited to join the project's kick-off webinar of 27 September 2023 (from 12:30–14:00 CEST) by registering [here](#).

New ELI Project on Foreseeable Amendments to the European Commission Proposal on the Recognition of Foreign Filiations

On 3 July 2023, the ELI Council adopted a above project, which aims at proposing amendments to the above proposal, tabled by the Commission on 7 December 2022.

The Commission's proposal aims at establishing consistent rules on parenthood across European countries, in line with Commission President von der Leyen's commitment to universal parenthood recognition. The ELI Project Team will assess the proposed rules from four perspectives: children's rights, the rights of LGBTI individuals, women's rights, and EU primary law relating to citizen mobility. Based on its analysis, the Project Team will develop a Position Paper, in which provisions of the Commission's Proposal will be scrutinised and alternative formulations proposed. Given that the European Parliament and the Council of the EU will be examining the proposal in the forthcoming months, the ELI project will be conducted under the accelerated procedure, with the aim of producing results by February 2024. More information about the project is available [here](#).

ELI Members and Friends are kindly invited to join the project's kick-off webinar of 2 October 2023 (from 13:00–14:30 CEST) by registering [here](#).



Updates on ELI Projects

The following events took place in July 2023.

ELI Project on Extra-Judicial Administration of Justice in Cross-Border Family and Succession Matters Workshop

Elena Bargelli, Anatol Dutta and François Trémosa, Reporters of the above ELI project, met in Pisa with National Correspondents on 17 July 2023 to discuss the project's questionnaire and initial results. In total, representatives from 16 EU Member States were present.

The Workshop consisted of three panels. The first featured detailed presentations on the project's reports from Austria, Germany, and Italy, serving as guides for other country reports. National Correspondents from other countries then shared their initial findings, focusing on project-relevant aspects. The Workshop, which took place in hybrid format, was held at the University of Pisa. Participants included Advisory and Members Consultative Committee members. This event provided an opportunity to provide common coordinates for the drafters of national reports. Read more [here](#). More information about the project is available [here](#).



ELI Represented at a Panel on Judicial Independence at the 2023 World Law Congress

On 20 July 2023, ELI's President, Pascal Pichonnaz, and members of the ELI-Mt Scopus Standards of Judicial Independence Project Team, spoke at the 2023 World Law Congress in New York.

The panel was chaired by Prof Dr Shimon Shetreet (Co-Reporter of the ELI-Mt Scopus Standards of Judicial Independence project). Other panellists from within the project were Prof Dr Sophie Turenne (Co-Reporter) and Prof Dr Giuseppe Ferrari (Advisory Committee Member). Prof Dr Angelika Nussberger (Former Vice-President of the European Court of Human Rights (2017–2019)), President Milton Ray Guevara (World Law Foundation Trustee, President of the Dominican Republic Constitutional Court), President M'hammed Abdenabaoui (President delegate of the Supreme Council of the Judiciary of Morocco), Justice Gonçalo Almeida Ribeiro (Vice-President of the Constitutional Court of Portugal), Justice Carmen Corral Ponce (Vice-President of the Constitutional Court of Ecuador), Prof Dr Zheng TANG (Professor at Law, Associate Dean at Wuhan University Academy of International Law, and Global Governance), all externals, enriched to panel. Read more [here](#).



Further Updates on ELI Projects

The following events took place in July 2023.

ELI Fundamental Constitutional Principles

Meeting

On 4 July 2023, members of the Project Team, Advisory Committee, and Members Consultative Committee discussed the extensive comments and feedback received. Read more [here](#).

ELI Right to Disconnect Project

Project Team Meeting

The Team held a meeting on 6 July 2023, during which they worked on the current draft and made final revisions, reflecting comments received from the Council. Read more [here](#).

ELI Project on Access to Digital Assets

Project Presentation

On 17 July 2023, the Co-Reporter of the above ELI project, Teresa Rodríguez de las Heras Ballell, presented the project at the 21st Century Tech Applications Conference. Read more [here](#).

ELI Climate Justice – New Challenges for Law and Judges

Conference

A Conference took place on 6 July and was followed by a Project Team meeting on 7 July 2023. Both events took place in hybrid format. Read more [here](#).

ELI-Mount Scopus Standards of Judicial Independence

Meeting

On 14 July 2023, the Reporters met the Project Team, Advisory Committee and Members Consultative Committee of the above project to discuss the revised draft. Read more [here](#).

Council of Europe CDCJ-ADMIN-AI

Working Group Meetings

On 10 and 17 July 2023, Co-Reporter of ELI's project on AI and Public Administration, Jens-Peter Schneider, participated in meetings of the above Working Group. Read more [here](#).

Third Party Funding of Litigation

Meeting

On 25 July 2023, the Reporters and Research Assistants of the ELI Third Party Funding of Litigation project met with the Advisory Committee online to collect feedback on the latest draft. Read more [here](#).

Digitalisation of Justice Systems

Meeting with the Commission

On 28 July 2023, Dr Dory Reiling, Lead Reporter, and Associate Reporters, Prof Dr Xandra Kramer, Prof Dr Masood Ahmed and Dr Jiří Novák, met with representatives of the European Commission, Prof Dr Dirk Staudenmayer and Ms Katerina Entcheva. Read more [here](#).

MCC Call

ELI Members are invited to join one or more Members Consultative Committees (MCCs) of the following projects:

- Access to Digital Assets
- ELI Principles on the Extra-Judicial Administration of Justice in Cross-Border Family and Succession Matters
- ELI-Mount Scopus European Standards of Judicial Independence
- Digitalisation of Civil Justice Systems in Europe
- Climate Justice – New Challenges for Law and Judges
- Guiding Principles and Model Rules on Algorithmic Contracts
- Third Party Funding of Litigation
- Advance Choices for Future Disablement
- Corporate Criminal Liability in the European Union
- Enterprise Foundations in Europe

MCC members will be invited to comment on drafts at various stages of the project's lifecycle. Typically, Project Reporters will submit drafts to the MCC at least twice per year, ahead of the ELI Council meeting in February and September, and invite comments.

It goes without saying that MCC members will be fully acknowledged in the final ELI publication.

You can register your interest to join one or more MCCs by sending a message to [ELI Secretariat](#).

Updates on Other ELI Initiatives

The following event took place in July 2023.

Webinar on Common Rules Promoting the Repair of Goods

On 11 July 2023, ELI held a webinar on its [Feedback on the Commission's Proposal for a Directive on Common Rules Promoting the Repair of Goods](#), that was chaired by Pascal Pichonnaz (ELI President; Professor, University of Fribourg). Susanne Augenhofer (Chair of the ELI Feedback; Professor, University of Innsbruck) outlined ELI's feedback. Among other things, she questioned the Commission's focus on policy options beyond the legal guarantee period instead of adjusting the Sales of Goods Directive to attain a more sustainable sales law.

René Repasi (Member of the European Parliament, Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats), made various suggestions to make repair a more attractive. He was followed by Kilian Kaminski (Founder of Refurbed), who advocated a universal consumer right to repair, regardless of warranty limits, among other things, while Cristina Ganapini (Environmental Campaigner, Right to Repair Europe) stressed the need for affordable repair, including tackling practices that prevent or limit repair beyond manufacturer circles.

The webinar's penultimate panelist, Hugh Kirk (Senior Policy Manager, DIGITALEUROPE), welcomed the Commission's proposal. He was followed by Martins Prieditis (Deputy Head of Unit B.2 'Consumer Law'; Directorate-General for Justice and Consumers, European Commission) who explained the rationale behind the Commission's policy choices. Read more [here](#).

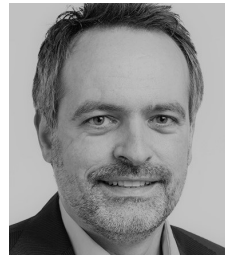
On 13 July 2023, Prof Dr Susanne Augenhofer gave an interview on the topic to the JustCE – Toward a Just Circular Economy Research Group. Read more [here](#). Rebecca Küter, who supported the Drafting Committee of the above ELI Feedback, presented ELI's findings at the 18th World Consumer Law Conference organised by the International Association of Consumer Law (IACL), which took place from 19–21 July 2023 in Hamburg (Germany). Read more [here](#).



Pascal Pichonnaz



Susanne Augenhofer



René Repasi



Kilian Kaminski



Cristina Ganapini



Hugh Kirk



Martins Prieditis



Updates on ELI Hub and SIG Activities

The following events by ELI Hubs and SIGs took place in July and August 2023.

ELI Turkish Hub

Webinar

On 6 July 2023, the Hub held the third webinar in its series organised to introduce ELI projects to Turkish lawyers and to discuss their influence on Turkish Law. Read more [here](#).

ELI Turkish Hub

Webinar

On 18 July 2023, the Hub held a webinar on UNIDROIT's Principles on Digital Assets and Private Law. The webinar is a part of series aimed at discussing recent developments in European law. Read more [here](#).

ELI Nordic Hub Organised its First In-Person Meeting in Copenhagen

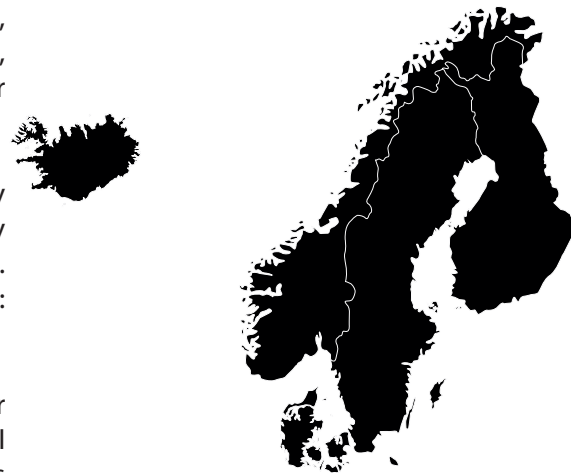
The meeting took place at the Hub's base in Aalborg University in Copenhagen on 30 August 2023. It was open to both Nordic ELI Members and non-Members.

Among participants were ELI President, Prof Dr Pascal Pichonnaz (remotely), and ELI First Vice-President (then Second Vice-President), Anne Birgitte Gammeljord (in person). Prof Dr Pascal Pichonnaz informed those present that following the election, the inaugural Chair of the Hub is Associate Professor Marie Jull Sørensen and the inaugural Co-Chairs of the Hub are Prof Dr Hrefna

Friðriksdóttir, Prof Dr Jens Scherpe, Dr Erik Sinander, Prof Dr Beata Sjöfjell, Prof Dr Amund B Tørum and Prof Dr Kaius Tuori.

The Hub is based at Aalborg University in Denmark and administered by Caroline Hornum Martinussen. The Hub can be contacted under: nordichub@law.aau.dk.

ELI is grateful to the above for their initiative and wishes them, and all ELI Members from the Nordic countries the best of luck for their upcoming activities.



Updates on ELI Representation

Below is an overview of representational activities that took place in July 2023.



ELI President Meets DG of Digital Transformation, Justice and Consumers

11 July 2023

ELI President, Prof Dr Pichonnaz, met Deputy DG, Richard Sonnenshein. The meeting was an occasion to explore synergies and how best to cooperate going forward. Read more [here](#).



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ELI President Meets President of the Supreme Court of Lithuania

18 July 2023

ELI President, Prof Dr Pichonnaz, remotely met the recently appointed President of the Supreme Court of Lithuania Dr Danguolė Bublienė. Read more [here](#).



ELI President Participates in the 56th UNCITRAL Session

3–21 July 2023

ELI President, Prof Dr Pichonnaz, attended part of the three weeks ordinary session of UNCITRAL, representing ELI as an Observer. Read more [here](#).

ELI Welcomes its New Members

ELI is pleased to welcome the following institutional and individual Members that joined recently.



New Institutional Members

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New Individual Members

Franziska Arnold-Dwyer, Queen Mary University of London, United Kingdom

Yohan Andrés Campos Martínez, Castilla-La Mancha University, Spain

Illia Chernohorenko, Ukrainian Centre for the Efficiency of Justice; University of Oxford, England

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Tim Lassen, Association of German Pfandbrief Banks, Germany

Liubov Maliarchuk, Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv, Ukraine

Claes Martinson, University of Gothenburg, Sweden

Juan Francisco Moreno Domínguez, University of Huelva, Spain

Anna Nylund, University of Bergen, Norway

Susana Sánchez Ferro, Autonomous University of Madrid, Spain

Sharon Shakargy, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel

Kateryna Shunevych, Ukrainian Women Lawyers Association; Ivan Franko National University of Lviv, Ukraine

Nathalie Smuha, KU Leuven, Belgium

Oleksandr Snidevych, Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv, Ukraine

Agnieszka Sołtys, Institute of Law Studies, Polish Academy of Science, Poland

Rieneke Stelma-Roorda, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Netherlands

Inesa Stolper, European Humanities University, Mykolas Romeris University, Lithuania

Marc Sugnaux, Cantonal Tribunal Fribourg, Switzerland, Switzerland

Ibrahim Dogan Takavut, Yalova University, Turkey

Lasha Tsertsvadze, Colliers Georgia Legal, Georgia

Anna Van Duin, University of Amsterdam, Netherlands

Events Calendar At-A-Glance

Please save the following dates. Stay up to date by visiting our [website](#) and following our social media channels.

Sep	19 Sep	ELI Croatian Hub: The New Challenges to Inheritance Law in the 21st Century <i>Online</i>
	22 Sep	ELI Business and Financial Law SIG: Webinar on Taxation and Digital Assets <i>Online</i>
	27 Sep	ELI Project Kick-Off Webinar: Enterprise Foundations in Europe <i>Online, register here</i>
Oct	2 Oct	ELI Project Kick-Off Webinar: Foreseeable Amendments to the European Commission Proposal on the Recognition of Foreign Filiaions <i>Online, register here</i>
	6 Oct	ELI Spanish Hub: Conference on Digital Law <i>Online</i>
	13 Oct	ELI Spanish Hub: Conference on Digital Law <i>Online</i>
	17 Oct	ELI Croatian Hub: Conference on Digital Law <i>Online</i>
	18 Oct	ELI Austrian Hub: Evening Lecture: Comparing Regulatory Instruments - Empirical Legal Research That is Sound and Relevant at the Same Time <i>Hybrid</i>
	8 Nov	ELI Austrian Hub: Evening Lecture: Book presentation – Outside In A conversation between Judge Calabresi and Prof Silber <i>Hybrid</i>
Nov	14 Nov	ELI Croatian Hub: 29th Webinar in its Series <i>Online</i>
	27 Nov	ELI Spanish Hub: Workshop on Gender in the Law <i>Girona, Spain</i>

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Members of ELI can contribute to its projects and gain access to an international network of jurists. Apart from other activities, ELI organises its Annual Conference and Meetings, bringing together Europe's leading experts in diverse fields of law.

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First Vice-President:	Anne Birgitte Gammeljord
Second Vice-President:	Sir Geoffrey Vos
Treasurer:	Pietro Sirena
Other Members:	Sylvaine Poillot-Peruzzetto Teresa Rodríguez de las Heras Ballell Aneta Wiewiórowska-Domagalska

ELI in Vienna

The Secretariat of ELI, which is hosted by the University of Vienna, is located in the heart of the Austrian capital, close to the main building of the University, the representation of the European Commission in Austria as well as the information office of the European Parliament.

We cordially invite you to visit us whenever you are in Vienna.



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