

CHAIR: **Mariya Nedelcheva**, *Member of the European Parliament, EPP Group*

INTERVENTIONS BY:

- **Nicola Giovannini**, *President, Droit au Droit – Right to Law (Belgium)*
“Which criteria of evaluation for justice systems: quality or performance?”
- **Francesco Contini**, *Research Institute on Judicial Systems (IRSIG-CNR, Bologna), Italy*
“Building infrastructures for national and cross-border e-justice”
- **Dick Heimans**, *Deputy Head of Unit, Unit B2: Criminal Law, DG Justice, European Commission*
“The European E-Justice Portal: improving access to justice throughout the EU”
- **Maurice van der Velden**, *Effective Justice Platform Manager, Effectius, Belgium*
“Fostering the effectiveness of justice through the sharing of best practices”

Discussion

11:30h - 11:45h

Coffee Break

11:45h - 12:30h

Second Panel (1st part):

“E-tools for Justice: practices and perspectives in EU Member States”

The purpose of this panel is to present an overview of existing practices and challenges regarding the e-modernization and evaluation processes of criminal justice systems in different EU Member States.

CHAIR: **Dr. Maria Yordanova** *Director of Law program, Center for the Study of Democracy (Sofia, Bulgaria)*

INTERVENTIONS BY:

- **Monica Luisa Macovei**, *MEP, EPP Group, Romania*
- **Dimitar Markov**, *Senior Analyst and Project Director, Law Program, Center for the Study of Democracy (Sofia, Bulgaria)*
“Indicators for Criminal Cases Management in Bulgaria”
- **Dominika Hojerova**, *Program Officer, European Public Law Organization (EPLO), Greece*
“Electronic tools for criminal justice in Finland and Greece”

12:45h - 14:00h

Lunch break

14:00h - 15:30h

Second Panel (2nd part):

“E-tools for Justice: practices and perspectives in EU Member States”

CHAIR: **Dr. Pawel Wilinski**, *Professor of Criminal Law, Adam Mickiewicz University (Poznan, Poland)*

INTERVENTIONS BY:

- **Marco Velicogna**, *Scientific expert, European Commission on the Efficiency of Justice of the Council of Europe (CEPEJ)*

“European Criminal Justice Systems Performance and ICT: a Picture from CEPEJ Data”

- **Piotr Karlik**, *Faculty of Law and Administration, Adam Mickiewicz University (Poznan, Poland)*

“Criminal case management in Poland: challenges and perspectives”

- **Sophie de Biolley**, *Interdisciplinary Research Center on Deviance and Penalty, Catholic University of Louvain, Belgium*

“The use of videoconferencing in criminal procedures: overview of practices and legal frameworks in Europe”

- **Malena Zingoni-Fernandez**, *Lawyer and Secretary General of Right to Law, Spain*

“The use of e-tools and evaluation indicators in Spain”

Discussion

15:30h - 16:00h

Coffee Break

16:00h - 17:00h

Concluding remarks

“Towards a Common European e-Justice Strategy?”

- **Dr. Maria Yordanova**, *Director of Law program, Center for the Study of Democracy (Sofia, Bulgaria)*

- **Nicola Giovannini**, *President, Droit au Droit – Right to Law (Belgium)*

Simultaneous interpretation will be provided in French, English, Bulgarian and Polish.