



THEMIS 2023 COMPETITION AGENDA

SEMI-FINAL B EU and European Family Law

**6-9 June 2023
Naples, Italy**

Castel Capuano
Via Concezio Muzii 2

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BACKGROUND

EJTN THEMIS Competition is a competition with a unique format, opened to judicial trainees from across Europe and aiming to exchange views and develop new approaches on topics related to international civil and criminal cooperation, human rights and judicial deontology.

The competition is opened to judicial trainees from all training institutions who are members or observers of EJTN. Teams of three judicial trainees accompanied by one teacher/tutor may enroll in the competition which consists of four semi-finals and a grand-final. The official language of the competition is English.

The jury of the competition is chosen from a pool of experts appointed by EJTN Members, that are well-regarded professionals in the field of the given semi-

final/final. As a general rule, experts must not have the same nationality as the competing team they will have to assess.

The jury members assessed the overall quality and the originality, the critical thinking and the anticipation of future solutions, the reference to relevant case law, but also the communication skills and the consistency.

Each semi-final had three stages: a written paper on a topic relevant for the subject of the semi-final, an oral presentation of that paper and a discussion with the jury. The maximum number of teams participating in a semi-final is eleven. The winner and runner up of each semi-final will enter the grand-final, consequently there are eight teams in the grand-final. The prize for the winning team is a one-week study visit, organised and financed by EJTN, in any European judicial institution.

Venue location: Castel Capuano, Via Concezio Muzii 2, 80139 Naples (NA), Italy

Date of arrival: Monday 5 June 2023

AGENDA

Tuesday 6 June 2023		
09:00	Registration opens	Rasmus VAN HEDDEGHEM, EJTN Gianluca GRASSO, Director of the School for the Judiciary
09:30	Opening Ceremony of the THEMIS 2023 Semi-Final B	Ingrid DERVEAUX, EJTN Secretary General Rasmus VAN HEDDEGHEM, EJTN THEMIS project manager
09:45	Lecture – Italian Judicial System	Margherita CASSANO, First President of the Italian Court of cassation
10:15	Coffee Break & Group Photo	
10:45	Presentation of Rules & Jury introduction	Rasmus VAN HEDDEGHEM, EJTN <u>Jury members:</u> Stylios BIOS (EL) Ilse COUWENBERG (BE) Boriana MUSSEVA (BG)
11:10	Presentation and discussion – Team SERBIA	Jovana KOCIĆ Iva ZDRAVKOVIĆ Ana PETROVIĆ Tutor: Ljiljana MARJANOVIĆ ANDRIĆ

12:30	Coffee break	
12:45	Presentation and discussion – Team CZECH REPUBLIC	Marian WAŽIK Tomáš RINGSMUTH Martin PRACNÝ <i>Tutor: Petr PŘINDIŠ</i>
14:05	LUNCH	
15:00	Presentation and discussion – Team ROMANIA 1	Maria JUDE Fabiana Gabriela ȘOȘOI Alexandra GHINTUIALĂ <i>Tutor: Cristina Raluca RADU</i>
16:20	End of day 1 Jury deliberation	
18:30	Social activity – Visit to Napoli Sotteranea	

Wednesday 7 June 2023

09:30	Presentation and discussion – Team ITALY	Liboria Maria STANCAMPIANO Giulia ZAPPALÀ Elena BANCHI <i>Tutor: Giovanna BILO</i>
10:50	Coffee break	
11:20	Presentation and discussion – Team FRANCE	Aymeric DERVILLERS-DE TERVES Laura BUFFART Frédéric BREGER <i>Tutor: Myriam Saunier</i>
12:40	Lunch	
13:40	Presentation and discussion – Team ALBANIA	Boiken BENDO Erolda TARELLI Eda GJOVARI <i>Tutor: Marjana SEMINI</i>
15:00	End of day 2 Jury deliberation	

Thursday 8 June 2023

09:30	Presentation and discussion – Team THE NETHERLANDS	Fanny Leonarda DONDEERS Klaas Adriaan Jan BISSCHOP Sohail WAHEDI <i>Tutor: Berbel DE VOS</i>
10:50	Coffee break	
11:20	Presentation and discussion – Team ROMANIA 2	Aurelia VASILACHE Ioana Bianca BURCIU Karina Livia REIZNER <i>Tutor: Laura ANDREI</i>
12:40	Lunch	
13:40	Presentation and discussion – Team POLAND	Justyna PYTLIŃSKA Karolina SZUCKA Jakub STOLAREK

Tutor: Sylwia JASTRZEMSKA

15:00 **End of day 3**
Jury deliberation

19:30 **OFFICIAL THEMIS DINNER – FRESCO Via Partenope, 8 80121, Napoli**

Friday 9 June 2023

10:00 **Award Ceremony**

Jury members:

Stylios BIOS (EL)

Ilse COUWENBERG (BE)

Boriana MUSSEVA (BG)

Antonella CIRIELLO, Vice-President of the School for the Judiciary

10:45 **Closing ceremony**

Rasmus VAN HEDDEGHEM, EJTN THEMIS project manager

11:15 **End of the Semi-Final B**

12:30 Departure of participants

JURY MEMBERS

Stylios BIOS (EL)

Judge at the First Instance Court of Thessaloniki & Seconded National Expert at EUROJUST

Ilse COUWENBERG (BE)

Judge at the Supreme Court of Belgium

Boriana MUSSEVA (BG)

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