# EUROPEAN COMMISSION DIRECTORATE-GENERAL JUSTICE AND CONSUMERS

**Acting Director-General** 

#### AWARD DECISION

for action grants to support transnational projects on promoting the quality of the national justice systems

## Justice Programme

Call for proposals: JUST/2015/JACC/AG/QUAL

Having regard to Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 October 2012 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union and repealing Council Regulation (EC, Euratom) No 1605/2002 (hereinafter referred to as the 'Financial Regulation') , and in particular Article 133 thereof,

Having regard to Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) No 1268/2012 of 29 October 2012 on the rules of application of Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union (hereinafter referred to as the 'Rules of Application')<sup>2</sup>, and in particular Article 204 thereof,

Having regard to Regulation No 1382/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 December 2013 establishing a Justice Programme for the period 2014 to 2020<sup>3</sup>, and in particular Article 4 (1) (c) thereof,

### Whereas:

- (1) The Commission adopted the 2015 Commission Implementing Decision concerning the adoption of the work programme for 2015 for the implementation of the Justice programme<sup>4</sup>, which provides for a call for proposals for action grants to support transnational projects on promoting the quality of the national justice systems;
- (2) A call for proposals has been published on the internet site of the Directorate-General for Justice under the reference JUST/2015/JACC/AG/QUAL, which establishes the objectives and priorities and the admissibility, eligibility, exclusion, selection and award criteria;
- (3) An Evaluation Committee was appointed pursuant to Article 204(1) of the Rules of Application in order to evaluate the applications submitted under the above mentioned call for proposals and to identify the proposals which may receive funding;

OJ L 298, 26.10.2012, p. 1.

OJ L 362, 31.12.2012, p. 1.

OJ L 354, 28.12.2013, p. 73.

Commission Implementing Decision of 30.3.2015 C(2015) 1997 final.

(4) The Evaluation Committee established an Evaluation Report which contains all the information required under Article 204(4) of the Rules of Application.

I hereby decide:

## Article 1 Selected proposals

The proposals listed in Annex 1 to this Decision shall be awarded a grant under the Justice Programme - call for proposals JUST/2015/JACC/AG/QUAL, up to the maximum amount indicated in that Annex. The overall amount of financing provided is 941.052,96 EUR.

### Article 2 Reserve List

The proposals listed in Annex 2 to this Decision shall be awarded a grant under the Justice Programme – call for proposals JUST/2015/JACC/AG/QUAL, up to the maximum amount indicated in that Annex, subject to the availability of funds.

## Article 3 Rejected proposals

The proposals listed in Annex 3 to this Decision are not selected for financing under the Justice Programme - call for proposals JUST/2015/JACC/AG/QUAL.

Done at Brussels,

Francisco FONSECA MORILLO

Acting Director-General Authorising Officer by Delegation

#### Annexes:

- 1. List of selected proposals
- 2. Reserve list
- 3. List of rejected proposals

# ANNEX 1 - List of selected proposals per merit

Reference Number	Name of Applicant	Name of Partner (s)	Project Title	Amount of Grant Requested (Total)
400008547	Research Institute On Judicial Systems, Italy	Lappeenrannan teknillinen yliopisto, Finland	Handle with care: assessing and designing methods for evaluation and development of the quality of justice.	300.658,02
		Universiteit Utrecht, Netherlands		
		Université de Limoges, France		
		Debreceni Egyetem Főépülete, Hungary		
4000008521	Ministry Of Justice, Poland	Regional Court of Limburg, Netherlands	Knowledge sharing network for justice management and communication.	270.350,67
		National Office for the Judiciary of Hungary		
		National Courts Administration of Lithuania		
		Saxon State Ministry of Justice, Germany		
4000008484	Supreme Court Of The Republic Of Latvia	Curia of Hungary	Supreme Courts as guarantee for effectiveness of judicial systems in European Union.	198.787,27
		Supreme Court of Spain		
		University of Antwerp, Belgium		
		University of Ljubljana, Slovenia		
4000008517	High Council Of Magistracy, Portugal	Consejo General del Poder Judicial, Spain	Court Management old problems new solutions for caseload management.	171.257,00
		National Courts Administration of Lithuania		

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	Amtsgericht Leipzig, Germany	
	National Council of the Judiciary, Poland	
	Le Collège des cours et tribunaux, Belgium	
	Tribunal da Relação de Coimbra, Portugal	
	Tribunal da Relação do Porto, Portugal	
	Tribunal da Relação de Évora, Portugal	
	Tribunal da Relação de Guimarães, Portugal	
	Tribunal da Relação de Lisboa, Portugal	
TOTAL:		941.052, El

## ANNEX 2 - Reserve list

Reference Number	Name of Applicant	Name of Partner (s)	Project Title	Amount of Grant Requested (Total)
4000008524	Ministry Of Justice, France	Justice Cooperation Internationale (JCI), France  Ministry of Justice of Estonia  Ministry of Justice of Italy  National Courts Administration of the Republic of Lithuania  Judicial High Court of Portugal  Supreme Court of Slovenia	Court Quality Framework Design (CQFD)	165.169,86
TOTAL:				165.169,86 EUR

## ANNEX 3 - List of not selected proposals with an average of points below the threshold of 70 points

Reference Number	Name of Applicant	Name of Partner (s)	Project Title	Amount of Grant Requested (Total)
4000008499	Research Institute On Judicial Systems, Italy	Centro de Estudos Sociais (CES) - Universidade de Coimbra, Portugal  Centre Emile Durkheim (CED) - Sciences Po Bordeaux, France  Lappeenranta University of Technology (LUT), Finland Utrecht University, Netherlands	Caring with Justice 4 EU: a research conference on quality of justice	169.230,11
TOTAL:				169.230,11 EUR