

LONG-TERM TRAINING PERIODS AT EUROJUST - 2026

Before applying, candidates are strongly advised to carefully review the long-term training General Conditions (attached to the call for applications) as well as the EJTN financial policy, which provide detailed information about the EJTN long-term training scheme.

1. Presentation

A total of 20 3-months long-term training placements will be implemented at the <u>European Union Agency for Criminal Justice Cooperation</u> (Eurojust) in The Hague, Netherlands. Eurojust is a specialised hub where national judicial authorities work closely together to fight serious organised cross-border crime. The role of Eurojust is to help make Europe a safer place by coordinating the work of national authorities – from the EU Member States as well as third States – in investigating and prosecuting transnational crime.

During a long-term training period at Eurojust, the participants will be assigned to the National Desk of their Member State. They will be fully engaged in the daily tasks, handling operational cases and projects under the supervision of the National Member.

2. Duration and available positions

Number of placements: 20

• Duration: 3 months

• Training periods: the program will be divided into three cohorts as follows:

	Start date	End date
1	Monday 2 March 2026	Friday 29 May 2026
2	Monday 30 March 2026	Friday 26 June 2026
3	Monday 31 August 2026	Friday 27 November 2026

Each National Desk has indicated its specific preferences, as detailed in the table below. A
Desk may accommodate several trainees, depending on the budget.

National Desk	Scheduled start date
Austria	30 March or 31 August
Belgium	2 March or 30 March
Bulgaria	2 March or 31 August
Croatia	2 March, 30 March or 31 August
Czech Republic	2 March or 31 August
Estonia	31 August
Finland	30 March or 31 August
Germany	30 March or 31 August
Greece	30 March





Hungary	2 March or 31 August
Italy	2 March, 30 March or 31 August
Ireland	2 March
Latvia	2 March, 30 March or 31 August
Lithuania	2 March or 31 August
Poland	2 March, 30 March or 31 August
Portugal	2 March or 31 August
Romania	2 March or 31 August
Slovakia	2 March or 31 August
Spain	2 March or 31 August

3. Requirements

The requirements to participate in the long-term training scheme at Eurojust are the following:

- Be a practicing prosecutor or judge (preferably investigative judge) in an EU Member State;
- Have practical experience dealing with international judicial cooperation in criminal matters, such as executing or issuing European Investigation Orders, European Arrest Warrants, or mutual legal assistance requests;;
- Have at least three years of practical experience in the field of criminal law;
- Have a sufficient level of English to work in an international environment.

4. Supporting documentation

Participants are required to provide the following supporting documents in PDF format:

- a curriculum vitae in Europass format in English;
- a cover letter in English (to be included in the application form);
- the authorisation from their hierarchy permitting participation in a long-term traineeship. EJTN is fully aware that participants might not be able to provide this document by the end of the application period. However, it will be requested at a later stage and participants are encouraged to submit their leave request to the appropriate authority as soon as possible.

5. Calendar

1 September 2025 – 15 October 2025	Application period
December 2025 – January 2026	Selection of applications by Eurojust
January – February 2026	Notification of selected participants by EJTN
March – November 2026	Implementation of the training period





6. Financial policy

Participants will receive a daily allowance of €120 for the entire duration of the training period. For more detailed information, candidates must consult the EJTN financial policy applicable to long-term training periods (attached to the call for applications).

7. Deadline

Candidates from all EU Member States participating in the Justice Programme of the European Union and with strong motivation are invited to submit their applications by 15 October 2025, 18:00 (Brussels time).

