

AIKOS PROGRAMME**LITHUANIA – NATIONAL COURTS ADMINISTRATION AND
PROSECUTOR GENERAL’S OFFICE****Description and objectives of the AIKOS Programme**

The EJTJN AIKOS Programme is addressed specifically to future and early-career judges, giving them the opportunity to learn about other judicial systems and training curricula, enhance their knowledge of EU law and judicial cooperation instruments as well as meet with their counterparts and develop useful contacts for their future professional life.

The AIKOS Programme’s objectives are:

- To bring together future or newly appointed judges from different EU Member States;
- To foster mutual understanding of different European judicial cultures and systems;
- To raise awareness of the European dimension of their (future) work.

Specificity of the host institution

In Lithuania, two different institutions are in charge of the training of judges and prosecutors: the National Courts Administration of the Republic of Lithuania for trainee judges and the Prosecutor General’s Office of the Republic of Lithuania for trainee prosecutors.

NATIONAL COURTS ADMINISTRATION OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA**Key points for the host institution’s programme**

The aim of the programme is to provide the participants of AIKOS with deeper knowledge of Lithuanian judicial system through the interaction with various Lithuanian judicial professionals.

Content of the host institution’s programme

During the exchange week participants visit various institutions of Lithuanian judicial system (National Courts Administration, General Prosecutor’s Office, 1st and 2nd Instance Courts etc.*). Meetings and discussions with various judicial professionals are organised.



*The institutions mentioned here might change. Final list of institutions to be visited during this exchange programme will be updated and sent approximately 1 month prior to the start of AIAKOS Programme.

Additional information

National Courts Administration is expecting to host 4 judges during AIAKOS Programme 2019. Dates of the exchange: 20-24 May 2019.

PROSECUTOR GENERAL'S OFFICE OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA



Key points for the host institution's programme

The programme includes presentation of justice system in Lithuania, discussions on various topics of criminal proceedings. Participants will familiarize themselves with pretrial institutions, Prosecutor's Office, Courts and other institutions of the Justice chain in Lithuania.

Content of the host institution's programme

It is expected to introduce participants into Lithuanian justice system, get to know the main insights of the work of prosecutors and their main tools (e.g. Integrated Criminal Procedure Information System). Other part would be meeting with pretrial investigation officers in areas related to financial, corruption crimes in their specialised institutions. Visits to court and introduction to courts system will take place as well as visit to Lukiškės Prison is expected.

