

Court staff training systems in the EU

Hungary

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| DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL TRAINING SYSTEM FOR COURT STAFF in Hungary | | |
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| 1. Training of court staff | | |
| Legal basis/ regulatory documents on training | Decrees of the National Judicial Council: http://mia.birosag.hu/engine.aspx?page=mba_aloldal3 | |
| Categories/ professions concerned | In Hungarian: Titkár | |
| | In English: Court Secretary | |
| 2. Induction period | | |
| Is there an induction period? | NO | |
| Structure responsible for rules | | |
| Compulsory | NO | |
| Description | Length: N/A | |
| | Form: N/A | |
| | Curriculum & main topics: N/A | |

| Options | Linguistic training: N/A | |
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| | Training in another MS: N/A | |
| 3. Continuous training system | | |
| Continuous training available? | YES | |
| Financial support by | National Office for the Judiciary | |
| Specificities | Compulsory: Yes Obligations: • Specific curriculum for accessing certain positions • Courses related to the position held | |
| | Methods: Attending face-to-face training sessions Completing distance training sessions Completing blended-learning activities Training period in other courts | |
| | Programme available at national level, regional level, court level, online | |
| | Includes EU law aspects: Yes • EU legislation • EU jurisprudence/case law • EU cross-border judicial procedures | |
| Training in another MS as part of continuous training | NO - The Hungarian Academy of Justice does not offer training activities abroad for court secretaries However, specific conditions of participation are listed in each call for application when international training opportunities arise on an ad hoc basis | |
| | Specific conditions: No | |
| | Exchange : YES - It is possible, as an exceptional part of the training | |
| Continuous training impact on professional evaluation of a person | No , as court secretaries do not take exams | |

| 4. Evaluation of training activities | | |
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| Regarding induction period training activities | No There is no induction period for court secretaries | |
| Regarding continuous training activities | Yes Court secretaries participating in courses at the Academy may fill out evaluation forms | |
| 5. Assessment of needs | | |
| Assessment scheme description | Yes Participants may rate the speaker, the content of the presentation, as well as make suggestions for future training needs | |
| 6. Foreseen reform | | |

In September 2013 a new training strategy was proposed but it has yet to be adopted.

Source: Pilot Project - European Judicial Training: "Lot 3 – State of play of training of court staff in EU law and promotion of cooperation between training providers at EU level", carried out by the European Institute of Public Administration (EIPA) together with a consortium