

Composition of the ELI Council

Council decision 2011/18
16 September 2011

- (1) On the recommendation of the Council and Senate Composition Committee (CSCC), and in accordance with Article 20(2) of the Statute, the following individuals shall be invited to become members of the ELI Council:
 - (a) Janis Neimanis, judge, Supreme Court of Latvia;
 - (b) Bostjan Zalar, judge, Administrative Court of Slovenia;
 - (c) Olivier Schrameck, judge, Conseil d'Etat, France;
 - (d) Christian Alunaru, lawyer, Romania.

As far as these individuals are not yet Fellows of the ELI, the invitation to join the Council implies an invitation to apply as Fellows in accordance with Article 8(2)(b) of the Statute.

- (2) The CSCC will submit, before 15 October 2011, a proposal for the cooption of another 8 members of the ELI Council, taking into account representations from the CCBE, the CNUE and other practitioner associations and organisations regarding suitable practitioners from under-represented constituencies. To the extent such representations have not already been received, it lies within the responsibility of the CSCC to invite and obtain them in time.
- (3) The CSCC will submit, before 21 September 2011, a draft letter inviting applications for Council membership from ELI members. This letter will, upon approval by the President, be sent to all Fellows of the ELI who have joined the ELI since 1st June 2011. The CSCC is mandated to assess the applications and make, before 31 October 2011, a reasoned recommendation to the Council.
- (4) The CSCC will submit, within due time after this Council Decision, and in any event before 30 November 2011, a proposal for an authentic interpretation of the Statute by the Council concerning:
 - the relationship between ex-officio membership in the ELI [Statute Article 8(3)] and Council membership [Statute Article 10(1)-(3)] where Council members had, at the time of their election, the status of ex-officio members;
 - the conditions under which certain Institutional Observers may be accepted as Observers to the Council, with a right to attend Council meetings and full access to Council documents; and
 - the right of Council members to be represented or accompanied at Council meetings by persons who are not members of the Council.