



Draft program (23 th January 2018)

EAJ Meeting 2018

24th – 26th May 2018

In the Representation of the Free State of Bavaria to the Federal Government of Germany –
Bavarian State Chancellery
Behrenstraße 21/22, 10117 Berlin
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24th May 2018 (Thursday)

14.30–15.00 hrs

Registration of participants

15.00-15.45 hrs

Official opening and welcome speeches

José Igreja Matos

President of European Judges Association

Jens Gnisa

President of German Judges Association

Heiko Maas, Member of the Bundestag

Acting Federal Minister of Justice

Prof. Dr. Winfried Bausback, Member of the Landtag

Bavarian State Minister of Justice

15.45-16.00 hrs

Family photo

16.00-17.30 hrs

Independence of Justice and dangers for the Rule of law in Europe

Frans Timmermans

First Vice-President of the European Commission

Commissioner for Better Regulation, Interinstitutional Relations, the Rule of Law and the Charter of Fundamental Rights

Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. Thomas von Danwitz

Chamber President of the Court of the European Union



Tim Eicke
Judge of the European Court of Human Rights

Discussion

17.30 – 17.45 hrs

Conclusio

Christophe Regnard or José Igreja Matos
President of the International Association of Judges/of the European Association of Judges

17.45-18.15 hrs

Press interviews

19.00 hrs

Welcome reception in the Haus des Rechts
Federal office of the German Judges Association,
Kronenstraße 73, 10117 Berlin

20.00 hrs

Dinner (Restaurant Maximilians, Friedrichstr. 185-190, entrance Kronenstr., 10117 Berlin)

25th May 2018 (Friday)

9.00 -18.00 hrs

Working sessions for delegates of the EAJ Meeting

Accompanying person may enjoy a tour around the Museum Island and Berlin centre

19.20/19.30 hrs

Bus shuttles from hotels Maritim pro Arte and Motel One Berlin-Potsdamer Platz to Restaurant Rio Grande

20.00 -23.00 hrs

Farewell-Dinner for delegates and accompanying persons
Restaurant Rio Grande, May-Ayim-Ufer 9, 10997 Berlin

Bus shuttles back to the hotels Maritim pro Arte and Motel One Berlin-Potsdamer Platz

26th May 2018 (Saturday)

11.00 – 16.30 hrs

Guided sightseeing tour around Berlin including boat tour

16.30 – 18.30 hrs

Guided tour of the Reichstag Building

Farewell drink