



**Meeting of the Board of the Network of the Presidents of the Supreme Judicial Courts of
the European Union**

21–23 May 2025

Tartu, Estonia

The Supreme Court of Estonia is pleased to share the following practical information on the organisation of the Meeting of the Board from 21 to 23 May 2025 in Tartu, Estonia.

1. TRANSPORTATION

The Supreme Court of Estonia will provide transport to the accommodation ([Hotel Antonius](#) and [Lydia Hotel](#)) for the participants arriving at Tartu or Tallinn Airport. Transfer from Tartu Airport to Tartu city centre is approximately a 20-minute drive and from Tallinn Airport to Tartu city centre approximately a 2-hour drive. **Therefore, if possible, arrival to Tartu Airport is advisable.** Tartu Airport is a compact airport with Finnair as its sole operating airline.

A representative from the Supreme Court and a driver will meet you on arrival at Tartu or Tallinn Airport.

The transport from and to the airport will be secured according to the flight information mentioned in the registration form. Unfortunately, there are no optimal flight options from Tartu Airport on Friday, 23 May, so **for departure we recommend checking flights from Tallinn Airport.**

2. ACCOMMODATION

Guests are kindly invited to organise their accommodation in Tartu. The Supreme Court of Estonia has pre-booked rooms at the following hotels, which are in close vicinity to the Court:

- [Hotel Antonius](#), Ülikooli 15, 51003 Tartu; tel: +372 737 0377
There are 8 rooms available:
 - 1x Deluxe Room 135€ per night
 - 5 x Suite 215 € per night
 - 2 x Suite with sauna 235€ per night
- [Lydia Hotel](#), Ülikooli 14, 51003 Tartu, Estonia; tel: +372 5750 1130
There are 4 rooms available:

- 4 x Executive Room 170€ per night

Please use the keyword “**Network**” to make a reservation in the aforementioned hotels. Please take note that the pre-bookings are available until **21 April 2025**. Participants are kindly invited to cover their accommodation cost.

3. MEETING VENUE

The Board Meeting will take place on Thursday, 22 May 2025 at the Supreme Court of Estonia (Lossi 17, 50093 Tartu) at the meeting room “Valge Saal”.

A representative of the Supreme Court will meet you at the hotel lobby at 9.00 am to walk with you to the Supreme Court.

4. MEETING LANGUAGE

The Board Meeting will be held in English.

5. MEALS

The Supreme Court of Estonia will cover the costs of all meals and the cultural programme for all participants of the meeting.

6. DRESS CODE

The dress code for the Meeting of the Board is business attire.

The dress code for the cultural events is casual. As several activities will take place outdoors, we kindly recommend wearing a warm jacket and comfortable footwear.

7. CULTURAL PROGRAMME

A diverse cultural programme is being organised by the Supreme Court of Estonia.

After the official Meeting of the Board on 22 May 2025, a boat trip on Emajõgi with a [historic barge](#) is being organised. Alternatively, in case of bad weather, you are invited to visit the [Estonian National Museum](#), which is a fascinating venue both architecturally and in terms of its exhibitions. This will be followed by a short trip to the [Murimäe Winery](#), located near Tartu, where you can enjoy dinner and have a taste of locally produced wines.

On 23 May 2025, the day starts with a drive to the border town of Narva through historically and culturally rich [Onion Route](#), which runs along the shores of Lake Peipus. Several stops are planned to get an insight into the traditions and customs of the Old Believers, a religious group that separated from the Russian Orthodox Church in the 17th century, whose footprint is still visible in the shore of Lake Peipus. In Narva, a visit to the [Narva Museum](#) is proposed to encourage a discussion on current geopolitical realities. The discussions will follow during the

lunch, which will be joined by the Mr Tarvo Kruup, Head of the East Prefecture of the Police and Boarder Guard Board, who will share his experience and insights of what life in a border town means and entails. After the lunch, a transfer will take guests to the Tallinn Airport.

8. ORGANISER CONTACT DETAILS

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We look forward to welcoming you to Tartu!