



Secrétariat des Commissions

REPORT ON FBE COMMISSIONS

Presidency Meeting - Le Figaret, August, 30th , 2018

PERMANENT COMMISSIONS

COMMISSION ACCESS TO JUSTICE - LUCCA

President : Enrico Lattanzi - Vice President : Suzanne Stern - Secretary : Elena Picchetti

There was no new information sent to the Secretariat of the Commissions since the Presidency meeting in Lucca.

HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION - POZNAN

President : Artur Wierzbicki - Vice President : Marc Wesser - Secretary : Renata Karbowska-Kuźma

There was no new information sent to the Secretariat of the Commissions since the Presidency meeting in Lucca.

ETHICS COMMISSION – BILBAO

President : Michael Auer - Vice President : Rod Mole - Secretary : Nazario de Oleaga

There was no information sent to the Secretariat of the Commissions since February 2018.



LEGAL EDUCATION COMMISSION - MADRID

President : To be determined - Vice President : To be determined - Secretary : To be determined

Following email has been sent to President Lucherini the 27th of July.

Dear Michele,

I hope you are fine.

I am pleased to inform you that Raúl Ochoa Marco, Board Member of the Madrid Bar responsible for Legal Education, and myself will be attending the FBE Congress in Warsaw.

Raúl Ochoa, who took office with the new Governing Board last January, is very interested in having the opportunity to work with the Legal Education Commission, that the Madrid Bar is hosting, and wants to present a project proposal during the next Comission meeting.

In that sense, I attach a letter he wrote to FBE members (in Spanish and in English) that we would like to be sent from the FBE, preferably before the month of August and the holidays, in order to promote the work of the Commission and invite FBE members to participate.

We believe it would really help with the promotion of the Commission and facilitate the development of future legal education project.

I thank you in advance for help and look forward to seeing you in Warsaw.

Best regards,

Constance Lubet



ILUSTRE
COLEGIO DE ABOGADOS
DE MADRID

Madrid, 26 July 2018

Dear President,
Dear colleague,

As Board Member responsible for Legal Education, I am pleased to inform you that, as agreed during the last FBE Congress in Bologna, the Madrid Bar Association is once again hosting the Legal Education Commission of the FBE.

Our Bar has always been committed to the legal education of lawyers and has had its own Legal Education Centre for more than 30 years. One of the objectives of the new ruling Board, to which I belong and that took office last January, is to become a leader in the field of Legal Education for the Lawyer Profession.

Therefore, we want to take this opportunity provided by the Federation of gathering representatives of European Bar Associations to develop together specific International Legal Education projects with the Commission.

I will be in Warsaw on 20-22 September for the FBE Congress to submit a work proposal to the Commission, which will be presented during the General Assembly.

I would be glad to be able to count on your participation in our commission meeting on the 20th at 3:00 pm and debate legal education issues.

Sincerely,

Raúl Ochoa Marco
Board Member
Head of Legal Education

AD HOC COMMISSIONS

ARBITRATION COMMISSION - NAPOLI

President : Alessandro Senatore - Vice President : No information - Secretary : No information

There was no information sent to the Secretariat of the Commissions since August 2017.

COMMISSION PROFESSIONAL INSURANCE - ANTWERP

President : Leo Bouteligier - Vice President : Luc De Somer - Secretary : Stefanie Verstraete

There was no new information sent to the Secretariat of the Commissions since the Presidency meeting in Lucca.

EASTERN BARS COMMISSION - CLUJ

President : Stanca Gidro - Vice President : Christoph Munz - Secretary : Diana Andrasoni

There was no new information sent to the Secretariat of the Commissions since the Presidency meeting in Lucca.

MEDIATION COMMISSION - BARCELONA

President : Eugenia Gay - Vice President : No information - Secretary : No information

Following letter has been sent to the members of Mediation Commission by President Eugenia Gay :



M^a Eugènia Gay Rosell
President

July 31st, 2018

Dear Colleague,

Through this letter I would like to introduce myself as president of the Mediation Commission of the FBE, position that I hold since the intermediary meeting of the FBE that took place in London from 9 to 11 November 2017.

Following the work done by the previous president of the commission, Silvia Giménez-Salinas, we have designed an action plan for the two-year term. The aim of this plan is to deepen the comparative study carried out in 2016, analyzing and comparing the different mediation laws in the member countries of the FBE, detecting common elements, good practices and common problems. All of this, in order to comply with the objective, set by the EU in directive 2008/52 / CE, to design a proposal that harmonizes the legislations of the member states and solves the common problems.

For me, as president of the Mediation Commission of the FBE, it would be a pleasure to continue counting on your help and collaboration in this great project. It is thanks to your active and participatory involvement, that allows us to achieve the objectives required by such a vibrant and heterogeneous environment as is the one formed by the different European Bar Associations.

Therefore, I would appreciate it if, for the proper functioning of the commission, you inform us about your availability to continue forming part of it.

I remain at your disposal for any information you need

M^a Eugènia Gay
President
FBE's Mediation Committee



ACTION PLAN OF THE FBE'S MEDIATION COMMITTEE

For the two years as President of the FBE's Mediation Committee it is proposed to carry out two actions:

FIRST. - RESEARCH WORK: Comparative of the different laws and regulations of mediation that exist in the States of the Bar Members of the FBE

- (i) It is proposed to the Mediation Committee to carry out a **research work consisting of a comparison of the different laws and regulations of mediation that exist in the States of the FBE Bar Members** in order to extract from them the common aspects in all the legislations on mediation and being able to propose to the EU a harmonization directive that regulates some essential parameters that will be common to all the mediation laws of the member countries of the EU.

This work would be articulated and organized under the following parameters:

- a) The Bar Associations of the FBE would be contacted to facilitate the laws and regulations of mediation existing in their State.
- b) You would be contacted directly in order to report on the following aspects:
 - o If there is a law of mediation in your country
 - o If different laws and regulations of mediation coexist in your country
 - o To send us the laws and regulations in force and in turn make a brief summary (no more than 3 or 4 sheets) in which indicate which are the main problems that are found in the application of its law of mediation or regulation that develops it.
- (ii) Once we have all these data, we will analyze the common elements in all the laws and regulations, and in turn, we will also put in common the possible problems of application in each country, in order to be able to propose improvement actions.

This research work will allow us to know the real situation of mediation in the countries of the FBE's Bar Association members, the degree of implementation of mediation in different countries and Bars and establish proposals for harmonization and improvement.
- (iii) Barcelona Bar Association is proposed as the headquarters and as the management entity responsible for the research work.

SECOND. - MEETING OF THE MEDIATION CENTERS OF THE FBE BAR MEMBERS

It is proposed to organize during these two years of mandate, a meeting of all the mediation Bars of the FBE members to share, among other aspects, how Bar Associations work, whether or not they have public support, whether or not they manage public mediation services, whether they are independent or not of the bar associations, etc.

It would be proposed to be carried out in the spring of 2020 in Barcelona, and we could also take advantage of this meeting to present the work proposed in the previous point to the Bar Associations.



M^a Eugènia Gay
President
FBE's Mediation Committee



Barcelona, 31st July 2018

<p>COMMISSION ORGANISATION AND OPERATION OF THE BAR ASSOCIATIONS AND LAW SOCIETIES - FFM</p>

<p><i>President : Andrea Griem - Vice President : Rudolf Lauda - Secretary : Heike Steinbach-Rohn</i></p>

There was no new information sent to the Secretariat of the Commissions since the Presidency meeting in Lucca.

COMMISSION FUTURE OF THE PROFESSION – THE HAAGUE

President : Bas Martens - Vice President : David de Knijff - Secretary : Saskia van der Toorn

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COMMISSION NEW TECHNOLOGIES - WROCLAW

President : Iza Konopacka - Vice President : Franceso Tregnaghi - Secretary : Anna Materla

Two new members from the Warsaw Bar Association have joined the commission.

EQUALITY COMMISSION - PARIS

President : To be determined - Vice President : To be determined - Secretary : To be determined

Information is awaited from the Paris Bar Association regarding the presidency and the composition of the commission.

COMMISSION LAW WITHOUT BORDERS - FFM

President : Rudolf Lauda - Vice President : Sergiusz Foltynowicz - Secretary : Tanja Wolf

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