

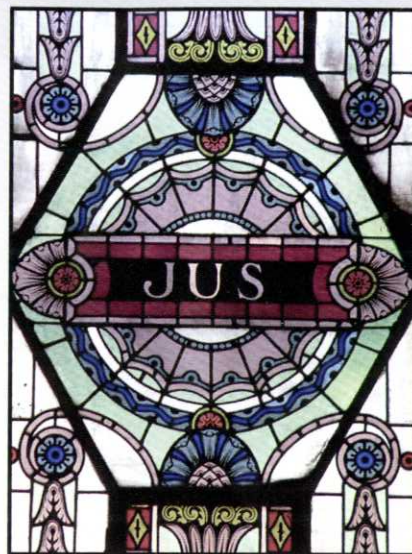
Pécs

Pécs, the fifth largest town in Hungary, with a population of about 180,000, is lying (at the southern foothills of the Mecsek Mountains), in South Transdanubia, close to the Croatian border, and has a mild, almost Mediterranean climate. The history of Pécs dates back over twenty centuries and the name of the old Roman town (settlement), "Sopianae" is still could be found in the names of institutions and products. Although its development suffered several setbacks throughout the centuries, such as during the Tartar invasion or the Ottoman-Turkish Rule, it has not only survived, but developed into a pleasant and modern town, rich in historical monuments. Pécs is an administrative, cultural and educational centre offering a lot of possibilities to whom wish to live or study here. The city is famous for its museums, galleries beside the festivals and cultural events it hosts.



University of Pécs

At the time when several universities were founded in Central Europe, the Anjou king of Hungary, Louis the Great established the first Hungarian university in Pécs in 1367. Thus the history of Hungarian higher education goes back to this date. The University of Pécs is one of the largest higher educational institutions in Hungary with high-quality research and education. At present the number of students is more than 33,000.



Important links

<http://www.iapl2010.hu>
<http://en.pecs.hu>
<http://english.pte.hu>
<http://www.law.pte.hu/menu/110>



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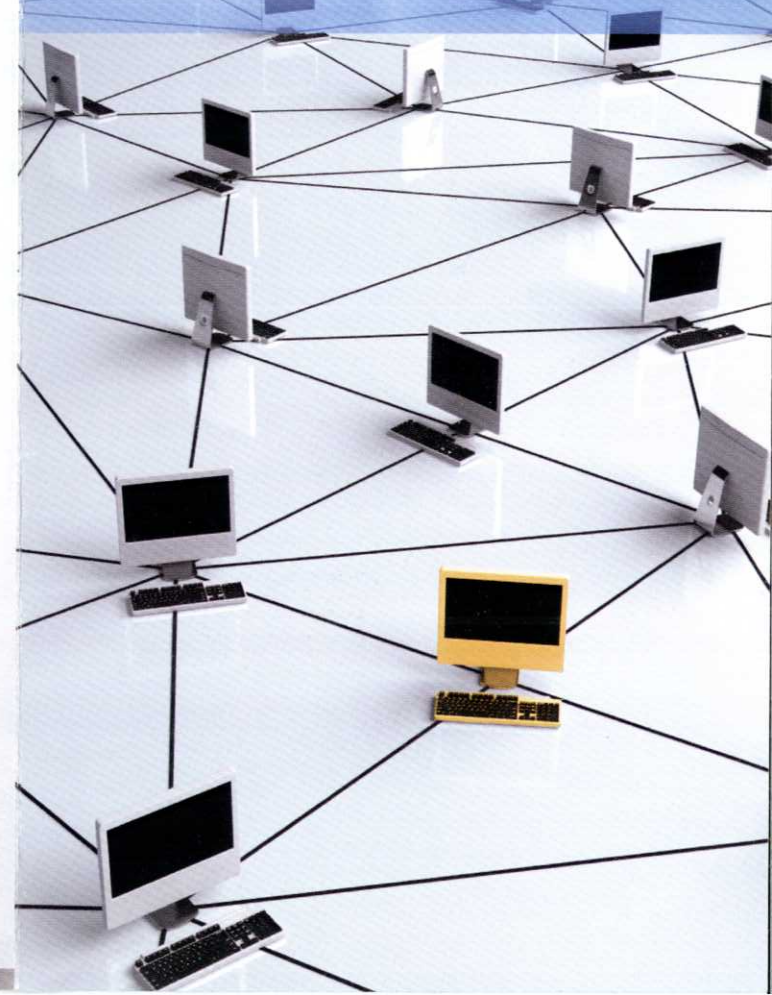
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Colloquium of the International Association of Procedural Law

Electronic Justice, Present and Future

University of Pécs (Hungary)
September 23-25, 2010

Conference website: www.iapl2010.hu



1. Venue

Pécs, Hungary: The Cultural Capital of Europe in 2010

The fact that Pécs becomes the Cultural Capital of Europe in 2010 plays an important role in determining the date and location of the conference.

2. Date

September 23-25, 2010

September seems to be a favorable month for the conference. The weather in Hungary is usually nice and mild at that time. In addition, the main programs of the Cultural Capital are focused in the fall season.

3. Program Chair

Prof. Dr. Miklós Kengyel

Faculty of Law, University of Pécs

4. Topics

Electronic Justice: Present and Future

1. **Course of Proceedings by Electronic Means, Effectiveness and Access.**
2. **Electronic Service of Documents, National and International Aspects.**
3. **Enforcement of a Claim with the Support of the New Information Technology, Protection of the Creditor and the Debtor.**
4. **Electronic Documents, Security and Authenticity.**
5. **Taking of Evidence, Electronic Means of Proof and Estimation of Evidence.**
6. **The Future of the Traditional Civil Procedure, The Effect of the IT on the Legal Culture.**

5. Language

English, German

Simultaneous translation will be provided during the entire meeting.

6. General organisation of work at the colloquium

In accordance with the main topic of the meeting, we are determined to take advantage of the possibilities of new information technologies. The general speakers establish their thesis statements about the sub-topics and generate questions that will be published on the Conference website. Then the participants will be called to submit their presentations in English or German language. After a preliminary review, the chosen presentations could be presented at the sessions; the others – that meets criteria standards - will appear on the Conference website and will be published in the *electronic conference issue*.



7. Important deadlines

September 30, 2009

Publication of the thesis statements and questions of the general speakers on the Conference website. Call for presentations.

February 28, 2010

Presentation submission deadline

April 15, 2010

Early registration deadline (discounted registration fee)

April 30, 2010

Deadline for the general speakers to submit their papers

May 15, 2010

Publication of the general speakers' papers and the chosen presentations on the Conference website

June 15, 2010

Final application deadline

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8. Registration

Registration requires online application via the Conference website along with online payment of the registration fee.

9. Accommodation

Links to websites of the hotels offering reduced prices for the participants are available on the Conference website (<http://www.iapl2010.hu>).