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## **All European Final of the European Law Moot Court Competition will take place at the Court of Justice of the European Union in Luxembourg on 15 April**

The European Law Moot Court Competition is the world's largest Moot Court in EU Law. Organised for the first time during the 1988-1989 academic year, the competition's primary objective is to promote practical knowledge of EU law amongst law students.

On 15 April, the students, who have already made their way through a tough selection process of around 70 teams since September 2015 when the European Law Moot Court Competition was launched, will plead before panels composed of Members of the Court of Justice, the General Court and the Civil Service Tribunal of the European Union. The competing teams represent eight universities from different countries. They won their respective Regional Finals which were held in January and February 2016 in Maastricht (the Netherlands), Helsinki (Finland), Athens (Greece) and Fribourg (Switzerland).

Students from all EU member states participated in the competition. Those who took part in the Regional Finals also included students from non-EU countries, notably the USA and Switzerland.

The final is the last stage of this competition, which has traditionally been held at the Court of Justice for 25 years. The winners will receive various prizes, including internships with European Institutions or highly respected law firms specialising in European law.

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