

EuroExpert Aims

The promotion of common ethical and professional standards for Experts within the European Union based upon the principles of:

- high qualification
- personal integrity
- independence
- impartiality
- objectivity
- respect for confidentiality

EuroExpert provides of a point of contact between experts and:

- the European Commission
- the European Parliament
- the European Court
- other institutions of the European Union
- institutions which deal at European or international levels with tasks and issues concerning experts

Cooperation with judicial and legal authorities as well as governmental and private organisations in all matters relating to experts including accreditation and certification.

There are special facilities and membership categories to enable proper participation in the work to attain the objectives of EuroExpert.

EuroExpert is a practical multi-disciplinary organisation representing European Experts.

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Background

For many years national organisations involving Experts sought contacts in other countries. Recently organisations involving Experts have been looking beyond their national boundaries seeking cross-frontier expansion and development.

This has resulted in an exchange of views and information between European Expert organisations.

The Organisation

EuroExpert (EE) is a membership organisation whose members are representing substantial bodies of Experts in their own country. Each organisation must demonstrate to EE that they have appropriate standards for Experts.

As well as the need to co-operate and the desire to improve the quality and standards of Experts, the principal drive for progress is based on the belief that it is only a matter of time before the European Commission seeks to impose regulation on Experts across Europe. The philosophy of EuroExpert is that self-regulation by Experts and the establishment of agreed common professional standards would be in the best interests of society.

EuroExpert marked the start of the twenty first century by publishing a common Code of Practice and standards.

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EuroExpertFinder

A EuroExpert Service

What is EuroExpertFinder?

Experts play a vital role in dispute resolution and the mainstream commercial environment both within the European Union and internationally.

Experts are increasingly used in legal cases which involve cross border disputes. The increasing removal of national barriers within the European Union has seen the need for Experts from one country to give evidence in another country.

Finding the right Expert, even in one's own country is often very difficult. However when looking for an Expert from another country the problems become even greater. The terminology and qualifications may not be properly understood and in addition the requirements for Experts are very different from country to country.

EuroExpert Finder provides an easy solution to these difficult problems as it uses the local knowledge and expertise in the country from where the Expert is required.

Who can use it?

Anyone can use EuroExpert Finder.

It can be used by any individual or institution needing the services of an Expert - the service is particularly designed to assist:

- Judges needing to appoint an Expert
- Procurators and Prosecutors who need assistance when operating outside their local area.
- Lawyers representing parties involved in a dispute.

It is not uncommon to find that the parties to a dispute come from different countries and the 'incident' has occurred in a third country. There may well be several parties including insurance companies each with differing needs and requirements. The position can be further complicated with conflicts of interest.

EuroExpertFinder has been designed by Experts to facilitate the use of local experts in locating the right Expert. Those responsible for locating the Experts in a country are normally the appropriate Expert Organisation in that country. This removes the risk of just picking a name from a list or directory.


Lawyers often need information and expertise so they can properly advise their client. They need access to expertise from a skilled Expert whose knowledge is relevant to the case. It can be both country and industry specific.

www.EuroExpert.org

How does it work?

The process of finding an expert is very simple.


It can be done via the EuroExpert website.


 **Complete** the short 'Request for an Expert'

Submit your request

Receive details of an expert within 7 days

A network of more than 50,000 Qualified Experts

 Your request will be submitted to the appropriate Association for assistance.

 EuroExpert monitors the process to ensure that all users are provided with a consistently high level of service.

