



Call for Applications

Legal Dialogue Journalism Fellowship

EU-Russia Civil Society Forum's Legal Dialogue programme offers a journalism travel fellowship aimed at covering the selected legal topics in the European Union and Russia between **1st February to 30 April 2020**.

You are:

- Journalist from the European Union or Russia
- English-speaker
- 35 years old or younger

You have:

- Proven interest in legal journalism
- Motivation to improve your skills in writing about law
- Desire to cover transnational topics

We expect:

- The fellows from EU to undertake the research trip to Russia and vice versa, the trips should take place between **1st February and 15 March 2020**
- The topic investigated during the research trip to have a legal component and be in one of the following fields: **environment, civil society, European Court of Human Rights**
- The final outcome to be published in **Legal Dialogue Journal** (www.legal-dialogue.org) in English and Russian languages

We offer:

- Guidance of the professional mentors during and after the research trip
- Stipendia in the amount up to 900 EUR to cover the research trip
- Assistance with organisation of the content of the travel by the organizer

What to do next?

Send us your **CV and motivation letter** in English language, please include at least one example of the article you published on the legal topic (maximum: 2 pages). Don't forget to include, what would be the main topic of your research trip. Send all the documents to info@legal-dialogue.org until **5 January 2020**. The winning applications will be selected until the end of January 2020.

About us

The EU-Russia Civil Society Forum e.V. (CSF) is an independent network of thematically diverse NGOs, established as a bottom-up civic initiative. Its goal is to strengthen cooperation between civil society organisations and contribute to the integration of Russia and the EU, based on the common values of pluralistic democracy, rule of law, human rights and social justice.

Launched in 2011, CSF now has 180 members and supporters - 83 from the EU and 97 from Russia. The Forum serves as a platform for members to articulate common positions, provide support and solidarity and exert influence on governmental and inter-governmental relations. These goals are pursued by bringing together CSF members and supporters for joint projects, research and advocacy; by conducting public discussions and dialogues with decision-makers, and by facilitating people-to-people exchanges.

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