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Foreword

The aim of this Directory is to provide a brief overview of the Tartu University Faculty of Law in 1994. This is a second edition, the first being published two years ago. Since that time the Faculty has seen great changes: the number of lecturers and professors has increased, the program of study has improved, and new institutions have been founded. For example in 1992 our Faculty started a law journal “Juridica” with the financial support from the Scottish Law Society. In addition the Open Estonia Foundation has contributed to the establishment of the Lawyers’ Training Centre at the Faculty this year. Also we have set up a project for publishing textbooks for lawyers. These are only some of the developments which have taken place at the Faculty in recent years.

At present the Faculty of Law and the whole University are experiencing interesting times, marked by substantial changes and reforms. This period of flux has opened up opportunities for creating a new foundation for the Faculty, giving us all a sense of accomplishment and self-realisation.

I hope that the reader will find this Directory helpful in providing information about the Faculty of Law. I also hope that this introduction to the Faculty will contribute to establishing good contacts in and outside Estonia.

Finally, I would like to extend my gratitude to everyone who helped to make the Directory: Urve Liin, Kristi Paal, language editor Merit Ilja, professor Heiki Pisuke, and the Tartu University Photo Laboratory. My special thanks go to Alo Raidaru, the technical editor, whose help has been invaluable in producing this as well as numerous other publications of the Faculty of Law.

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Faculty of Law

History

Tartu is Estonia’s second largest city, and according to historical sources, the oldest town in all the Baltic States, being first mentioned in chronicles in about 1030. But first and foremost Tartu is known as a university-town.

We have a classical university where the training of highly qualified jurists began more than 360 years ago. In 1630, when Estonia was ruled by the Kingdom of Sweden, Tartu became the juridical centre of a province of the Kingdom, and one of the four highest courts of the Kingdom was established here. With the founding of the Academia Gustaviana in 1632, the Faculty of Law became the second of its kind after the University of Uppsala in the Kingdom of Sweden.

The Swedish University was forced to close during the Great Northern War when in 1710 Estonia became part of the Russian Empire. In 1802 the University re-started its activities as Kayserliche Universität zu Dorpat (Universitas Dorpatensis). The University catered mainly for the local Baltic-German nobility, and became a centre for training specialists for the Baltic provinces. Yet, its level of instruction began to attract students from outside the Baltics. Moreover, in the second half of the 19th century the number of Estonian students began to grow, and from this time Tartu and its University served as the birthplace of Estonian literature, journalism, cultural and professional societies, and the Estonian song festival tradition.

The University opened as Tartu Ülikool (Tartu University) on December 1, 1919, which was after World War I and during Estonia’s War of Independence. It became a national university, and for the first time teaching was carried out in Estonian. The years 1920-1940 were extraordinary for the Faculty of Law. At that time it was the only institution responsible for providing legal education for the whole country. There were 953 students at the Faculty of Law in 1938, comprising nearly one third of the student body in Tartu.

The Soviet occupation of Estonia began in 1940 and brought with it a new staff of the Faculty of Law and a new curriculum. After a brief period of German occupation
from 1941-1944 the Soviets reasserted their control and the changes introduced by the Soviets remained in place for many years.

After a half-century of isolation, the year 1991 brought independence and international recognition to the Republic of Estonia. Tartu University has witnessed an intellectual revival and re-established a western curriculum, degree system and links with western universities, while maintaining its contacts with Russian universities.

Today Tartu University has ten Faculties: Theology, Law, Medicine, Philosophy, Social Sciences, Economics and Business Administration, Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry, Biology and Geography, Physical Education and Sport Sciences. The University employs around 3, 000 people, including an academic staff of 820 (179 professors), and 7,581 students. The University runs four museums, several libraries, and other cultural institutions.

At present Tartu University is administered by Professor Peeter Tulviste, Rector; Professor Jaak Aaviksoo, Professor Teet Seene and Mr. Riho Illak, Prorectors.

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Degree Programs

With the development of the national legal system and the increase in the scope and complexity of laws in Estonian society today, there is a rising demand for highly qualified lawyers. The new reality has also brought about substantial changes in the degree programs offered by the Faculty of Law. In 1993/94 the whole University, including the Faculty of Law, adopted a new system of courses. The unit of assessing a student's weekly load is a credit point (credit). One credit equals an average of 40 hours of study per week, including lectures, seminars, practicals, individual study, and examinations subject to course requirements. An academic year normally consists of 40 credits of study.

The academic legal education at the Faculty of Law comprises three degree programs. The Bachelor's degree program typically takes four years to complete. This program includes legal disciplines as well as general education courses, e.g. in the Estonian language, foreign languages, Latin, philosophy, economics, theory of economics, political sciences, logic, sociology, etc. The Bachelor's degree program consists of the major, minors and electives. Students can choose electives with an average of 20 credits in other faculties of Tartu University as well as other Estonian or foreign universities. A student is eligible to receive a Bachelor of Arts (Law) (BA) upon successful completion of 160
credits, distributed as follows: legal disciplines - 100, minors - 40, and electives - 20 credits. When a student earns at least 75 per cent of the required credits by the end of his/her fourth year (i.e. 120 credits), he/she can continue in the fifth year. A student who fails to complete the program by the end of the fifth year will drop out.

Students with LL.B may further their education in a Master's degree program. The chief purpose of this post-graduate program (graduate in American universities) is to advance the student's knowledge of law as well as to raise his/her general level of education. The completion of the Master's degree program takes two years. A student is awarded a Master of Laws (LL.M) after 80 credits of study, and the completion and defence of a Master's thesis.

The doctoral program normally lasts four years and consists of doctoral examinations, and the completion and defence of a doctoral dissertation. The doctoral program aims at providing students with a broader knowledge of and competence in theoretical and practical legal issues. After a successful defence of the doctoral dissertation the candidate is awarded a Doctor of Philosophy (Law) (PhD).

Recently, the undergraduate courses taught at the Faculty have undergone significant changes. In May 1993 the Faculty of Law Board approved a new Bachelor's degree program which studies the transformation in Estonian society and legal system. It also draws on the experience of Faculties of Law of other European and American universities. The program received an evaluation from the Faculty of Law of Glasgow University. In 1993 23 new undergraduate courses were offered, e.g. Liability in International Law, Structure of Legal Norms, Local Government, Criminal Policies, History of Criminal Law, Administrative Procedure, etc. Issues concerning the European Union legislation are addressed in elective courses. Visiting lecturers from European and American universities frequently hold lectures at the Faculty, and several of them have acted as experts and consultants in drafting new Estonian legislation.

The academic staff of the Faculty of Law have good opportunities for research in universities abroad, especially in Finland, Sweden, Germany, Great Britain, and the United States. Doubtless, the international contacts with other universities have contributed to improving the standards of teaching at the Faculty.

The purpose of the Faculty of Law is to train highly qualified lawyers with a broad base of general education who are competent in the legal system of Estonia as well as the special circumstances ensuing from the transition to market economy, development of democracy and Estonia's orientation to the European Union. The Faculty of Law graduates are well qualified for opening a private practice, for working in state and local government as well as in banking, industrial, and commercial companies.

Professor K. Merusk
Assistant Dean of the Faculty of Law

The undergraduate courses include Fundamentals of Civil Law, Real Estate and Inheritance Law, Contract Law, Torts, Family Law, Commercial Law as well as elective courses in civil and commercial law, for example Economic Law, Bankruptcy Law, Competition Law, Insurance Law, and Transport Law.

The Department devotes its research primarily to the ongoing work of drafting the new Estonian civil and commercial codes. Its work in these areas is an essential part of the drafting process.

The Department of Private International Law employs professor Heiki Pisuke, lecturers Hannes Veinla, Anne Kalvi and Sirje Värv, researchers Anu Avi and Andrus Siibak, and secretary Annika Reinumägi.

The undergraduate courses offered by the Department include Roman Private Law, International Private Law, Intellectual Property, Environmental Law, Land Law as well as elective courses, for example Legal Aspects of International Trade, and Copyright.

Research is centred primarily on issues regarding international private law, foreign investment, industrial property and copyright, the European Union law, environmental law, and consumer protection. Members of the academic staff are actively engaged in drafting new legislation in all the mentioned areas of research.

The Department of Labour and Social Welfare Law employs professor Inge-Maret Orgo, professor extraordinary Heino Siigur, lecturers Merle Muda, Gaabriel Tavits, and secretary Maire Ranno.
The Department provides undergraduate courses in Labour Law and Social Welfare Law as well as related electives, for example Labour Contract, and Conventions of the International Labour Organisation.

Research is concerned with perspectives of labour law in Estonia, legal problems of labour contracts and the wage system. The Department has been active in drafting new Estonian legislation in the mentioned areas.


The courses offered include History of Political and Legal Thought, History of Major Legal Systems, History of European Law, and History of Jurisprudence at Tartu University.

Research focuses primarily on the history of Estonian Law and European Law.

The Institute of Private Law has good contacts with academics in Finland, Sweden, Norway, USA, Great Britain, Germany, Poland, Belgium, Netherlands, etc. as well as with international organisations (World Intellectual Property Organisation, International Organisation of Consumers’ Unions, Central and East European Law Initiative).

In recent years a number of elective courses have been offered by visiting professors, e.g. Vesa Lappalainen (Finland), McNeill Smith (USA), Jenik Radon (USA), Erik Nerep (Sweden), Jüri Taalman (USA), John Burke (USA), and Heikki Leesment (USA).

Professor P. Varul
Head of the Institute of Private Law

Institute of Public Law

The Institute of Public Law is a centre for research and studies in Roman and German legal system. The institute deals with legislative, executive and judicial issues.

The undergraduate courses offered by the Institute include Constitutional Law, Administrative Law, Criminal Law and Legal Procedure as well as History of Legal Thought, and Jurisprudence. The Institute also teaches International Law. The priorities of the Institute are to promote the re-establishment and development of the Estonian legal system of public law.
The Institute is actively involved in drafting laws and commenting on new legislation adopted in Estonia. Several professors and lecturers of the Institute work as judges in courts of different levels, five members of the Faculty work as judges in the National Court of Estonia. Other professional activities of the academic staff include acting as consultants to the National Court, working as attorneys and practising lawyers.

The Institute of Public Law, headed by professor Raul Narits, comprises five departments: the Department of Criminal Law (Head: Prof. J. Sootak), the Department of Constitutional and Administrative Law (Head: prof. K. Merusk), the Department of Comparative Jurisprudence (Head: prof. R. Narits), The Department of Criminalistics and Criminology, and the Department of Procedure Law.

The Department of Criminal Law employs professor Jaan Sootak, professor emeritus Ilmar Rebane, associate professors Kalle Nigola and Uno Lõhmus, lecturers Tanel Kerikmäe and Anu Pärtel.

The Department of Constitutional and Administrative Law employs professor Kalle Merusk, professor extraordinary Jüri Põld, associate professor Indrek Koolmeister, lecturers Ants Kull, Vallo Olle, Harri Salmann, Tõnu Põder, and Toomas Sillaste.

The Department of Comparative Jurisprudence employs professor Raul Narits, associate professor Eerik-Juhan Truuväli, and lecturer Silvia Kaugia.

The Department of Criminalistics and Criminology employs professor extraordinary Herbert Lindmäe, associate professor Jaan Ginter, and doctor Peep Pruks.

The Department of Procedure Law employs professor extraordinary Eerik Kergandberg, associate professors Heldur Saarsoo and Jaano Odar, lecturers Jüri Ilvest, Donald Kiidjärv, and Peeter Jerofejev.

The secretaries of the Institute are Janne Metsa, Riina Ojavere, Kristi Paal, and Tiina Paap.

A number of visiting lecturers from European countries and the USA have held lectures at the Institute, e.g. E. Pabsch (Germany), K. Callow (USA), Dr. Jane Mair (Glasgow University, Scotland), Dorothy Gillies (Glasgow University, Scotland), Gary Davidson (Civil Education Project, Czech Republic), John Brown (Glasgow University, Scotland), Catriona Drew (Glasgow University, Scotland).

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Lawyers’ Training Centre

General Information and Goals

The Lawyers’ Training Centre (in Estonian: “Juristide Täienduskeskus”) was set up as a non-profit organisation on 14 February 1994 jointly by four institutions: the Open Estonia Foundation, Ministry of Justice, National Court, and the Tartu University Faculty of Law.

The Open Estonia Foundation was instrumental in forming the Centre. Moreover, the Open Estonia Foundation continued its financial support which has enabled the Centre to offer its 1994 courses at reduced tuition levels.

During the last five years the legal system in Estonia has undergone dramatic transformation from the Soviet system to a unique Estonian civil-law based system. Consequently, the amount of new legislation is enormous. The aim of the Centre is to help lawyers to cope better with these changes. Moreover, the transition to market economy has greatly increased the demand for qualified lawyers.

The Lawyers’ Training Centre operates in three main areas.

Areas of Operation

First, the Centre organises seminars and courses, lasting from 1 day to 1 week, in various legal and law-related topics for lawyers working in the private as well as the public sector.

Second, a one-year program of general legal re-qualification began in December 1994. This includes 126 hours of lectures during one academic year. The participants are awarded a Certificate.

Third, an extra-mural study program has been set up. The 5-year program leads to the award of Bachelor of Arts (Law) (BA).

Furthermore, the Centre will publish legal literature, undertake legal research, etc. In conjunction with other institutions, a law library will be founded in Tartu.
Structure of the Centre

The Centre is governed by the Board. According to the Statutes of the Lawyers’ Training Centre, it consists of 10 members as representatives of ten different legal institutions, and two elected members.

At the moment the members are as follows:
- Dr. Peep Pruks, Dean of the Faculty of Law - Chairman of the Board;
- Mr. Mihkel Oviir, Chancellor of the Ministry of Justice - Vice Chairman of the Board;
- Mr. Rait Maruste, Chairman of the National Court (Lord Chief Justice);
- Mr. Eerik-Juhan Truuväli, Chancellor of Justice;
- Prof. Jaak Aaviksoo, Vice-Rector of Tartu University;
- Prof. Raul Narits, Head of the Institute of Public Law, Tartu University Faculty of Law;
- Prof. Paul Varul, Head of the Institute of Private Law, Tartu University Faculty of Law;
- Mr. Jaak Oja, Chairman of the Board of Directors, Open Estonia Foundation;
- Mr. Indrek Meelak, Attorney General;
- Mr. Aare Tark, President of the Bar Association;
- Ms. Karin Piirikivi, President of the Chamber of Notaries.

At present the Centre has one permanent employee, the managing director whose task is to carry out the decisions of the Board and to do all the organising work. Lectures are held by University professors, practising lawyers as well as judges.

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Law Journal “Juridica”

The first edition of the law journal “Juridica” was published in April 1993. The idea to establish such a journal at the Faculty of Law evolved from contacts with the Glasgow University Faculty of Law. Professor John P. Grant, Dean of the Glasgow University Faculty of Law, and Mr. David Fletcher, a Scottish Editor, gave invaluable advice on starting the journal and provided us with necessary materials. The help from Scotland was not confined to useful suggestions. The Law Society of Scotland gave financial backing for the first 12 editions of the journal. At present the journal has new sponsors.

In 1993 6 issues of the journal appeared. 10 issues were planned for 1994. In the future we intend to publish 10 issues a year, including several special editions.

The journal is designed for lawyers, professionals of other fields, and officials engaged in local government, economic and state affairs.

As the journal was started at the Faculty of Law, whose academic staff are actively involved in drafting new legislation, the main purpose of the journal is to inform the reader of the new laws and to publish commentaries by legal experts and practising lawyers on the adopted legislation. Recently the journal has also included articles addressing more general issues of jurisprudence and history of law. In addition, the reader will learn about what goes on at the Faculty of Law. The journal welcomes articles from undergraduate and postgraduate students.

In 1993, to enhance its practical implications, the journal published some interesting court cases with commentaries. Starting from this year the journal has permission of the National Court to publish major decisions passed by its Panels.

The law journal “Juridica” would be impossible without its enthusiastic makers. The Editorial Board of the journal includes Prof. Paul Varul, Editor in Chief, and the following Members:

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A Chronicle of Tartu University 1985 / Edit. by M. Hirvlaane, Tartu 1989 (co-author J. Lankots; in Estonian)
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Teaching area: criminalistics, examination of the scene of crime, methods of preliminary investigation, organisation of expert examination and inspection, scientific organisation of investigator’s work

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Teaching area: History of criminal law, encyclopedia of political and legal thought, introduction to ethnography of law, history of Estonian law, history of major legal systems, jurisprudential thought at Tartu University, history of European law

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Career: Tartu University: Associate Professor (part-time) 1990-current, Senior Lecturer 1985-1990; Barrister 1992-current; Attorney 1976-1992

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Research: general problems of criminal law codification, economic offenses


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Supreme Court Civil Panel 1977–1978; Chairman, Court of Kohtla-Järve

Teaching area: civil procedure

Research: civil law, procedure, jurisdiction

Publications: 31, main: Formation of the Three–Level Court System // Eesti Jurist
(Estonian Lawyer), Tallinn 1991, No 5 (in Estonian); Development of Estonian
Jurisdiction // Eesti Jurist (Estonian Lawyer), Tallinn 1990, No 2 (in Estonian);
Candidate Dissertation: Application of the Main Principles of Management
Theory in Soviet Civil Procedure, Tartu 1974 (in Estonian)

Other professional activities: member of the Estonian Lawyers’ Association, the
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Teaching area: labour law, liability of employees for causing damage, provision of employment

Research: female and youth labour protection, employment contract

Publications: 65, main: Terminating Labour Contracts, Tallinn 1994; Labour Contract and Its Application in Terminating a Labour Contract // Juridica, Tartu 1993, No 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 (in Estonian); Material Responsibility in Labour Relations, Tallinn 1990 (in Estonian); Material Responsibility of Workers and Employees, Tartu 1986 (in Estonian); Rights and Obligations of Young Workers in the Sphere of Work, Tallinn 1985 (in Estonian); Candidate Dissertation: Legal Regulation of the Preparation and Appointment of Young Workers (on the basis of the ESSR), Tartu 1967 (in Estonian)

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Guest Lecturer: University of Helsinki 1994; University of Lapland, Finland 1992

Research: copyright law, private international law, international economic relations, consumer protection, European Union law

Other professional activities: member of the Executive Committee of the International Association for the Advancement of Teaching and Research in Intellectual Property (ATRIP); the Board of the Estonian Academic Jurisprudence Society, the Estonian Bar Association, the Estonian Authors Association; Correspondent of the Financial Times Newsletter “East European Business Law”

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Teaching area: criminalistics

Research: expert opinion in criminal procedure, instrumental diagnostics of emotional tension in criminal procedure (problems of polygraph)


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Teaching area: international law

Research: international law, international contracts, international organisations, armed conflicts law

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Teaching area: criminal law, criminology

Guest Lecturer: Salzburg University, Austria 1990; University of Latvia, 1976

Research: general problems of criminal law codification

Other professional activities: Head of the Commission for the Penal Code of Estonia (since 1989), member of the Association internationale de droit penal, the Estonian Academic Jurisprudence Society (Chairman of the Board 1988-1991), and the International Society of Social Defence

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Teaching area: criminal procedure

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Publications: On Issues Regarding the Detanees' Right to Vote // Juridica, Tartu
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Studies abroad: Szegel Attila University, Hungary 1993; Moscow University, USSR 1973

Teaching area: foreign state finance, financial law, organisation of work and payment in agricultural enterprises, labour law, planning of national economy

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Studies abroad: Doctoral Study in the International Human Rights Law Program, University of Notre Dame, Indiana, USA 1993-current; Notre Dame University, Indiana, USA 1990-1991

Teaching area: human rights and international law

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Publications: 2, main: The Possibility of Introducing International Norms of Human Rights into the Estonian Legal System // Juridica, Tartu 1993, No 1 (in Estonian)

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Teaching area: criminal law, penitential law, crimes against property, crimes against person

Research: general problems of criminal law codification, crimes against person and family, crimes against property

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Teaching area: civil law, torts, remedies, property law, bankruptcy law

Research: civil law, bankruptcy, property law

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Studies abroad: Limburg University, Holland 1993

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Research: land use law, environmental law

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// Juridica, Tartu 1993, No 4 (in Estonian)
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November 1, 1991 to April 15, 1993 // Juridica, Tartu 1994, No 3 (in Estonian);
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