ICJ Seminar on Comparative Approaches to Judicial Ethics

In the framework of the EU supported Project "International Human Rights Law Training and Exchange to Improve National Justice Systems in Central Asia"

09.00 – 09.30 Registration

09.30 – 10.00 Welcoming Remarks from representatives of the Supreme Court of Turkmenistan, Khasan Akyev, Senior Consultant, Supreme Court of Turkmenistan

Welcoming Remarks from, EU Liaison Office in Turkmenistan, Lubomir Frebort, XCharge d’Affaires a.i., Liaison Office in Turkmenistan

Welcoming Remarks from the ICJ, Ian Seiderman, Legal and Policy Director, International Commission of Jurists

Session I. Judicial ethics: International and National Perspectives

10.00 – 10.20 International and Regional Standards on Judicial Ethics, Ian Seiderman, ICJ Legal and Policy Director

10.20 – 10.40 Judicial Ethics Code in the Republic of Kazakhstan, Judge Vladimir Borisov, Republic of Kazakhstan

10.40 – 11.00 Discussion

11.00 – 11.30 Coffee-break

11.00 – 11.50 Comparative Perspectives on Judicial Ethics in Europe, Judge Georg Stawa, President of the European Commission for the Efficiency of Justice (CEPEJ)

11.50 – 12.10 Presentation on Judicial Ethics by a representative of the Supreme Court of Turkmenistan

12.10 – 13.00 Discussion

13.00 – 14.00 Lunch

Session 2. International standards and Comparative Perspectives on Judicial Disciplinary Procedures

14.00 – 14.15 Standards on Disciplinary Procedure against Judges in the Russian Federation, Temur Shakirov, ICJ.


14.40 – 15.00 Discussion

15.00 – 15.30 Coffee-break

15.30- 15.45 Comparative Perspectives on Disciplinary Procedures against Judges in Europe, Judge Georg Stawa, President of the European Commission for the Efficiency of Justice (CEPEJ)

15.45 – 16.00 Judicial Independence vs. Accountability. Where to draw the line? Dmitry Nurumov, ICJ

16.00 – 16.30 Discussion

16.30 – 17.00 Concluding remarks