



**Access to Justice:
Legal Clinics and Legal Aid**

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Auditorium XVI, Main building, 4th Floor
Unioninkatu 34, Helsinki, Finland

Seminar programme

13:30-13:40 Introduction by coordinators of the Helsinki Law Clinic,

13:40-13:55 Right to legal aid

Tuomas Ojanen, Professor of Constitutional Law, University of Helsinki

13:55-14:35 Legal aid in international setting

Tamás Barabás, Senior legal officer, PILnet (The Global Network for Public Interest Law),
Budapest office

Dmitry Shabelnikov, Director for Russia at PILnet

14:35-14:50 Coffee

14:50-15:30 Legal clinics as legal aid providers

Tonje Lilaas Larsen, Managing director, Jussbuss

Marita R. Matthews Holmeset-Varpe, Jussbuss

15:30-16:00 Legal aid in Finland

Minna Sipola, Ministry of Justice

16:00-16:45 Discussion

16:45-17:00 Closing words