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PROFILE

Liisi Jürgen heads NJORD Law Firm's IT law practice. Liisi Jürgen is an attorney at law at NJORD and a visiting lecturer at Estonia's oldest and most established university – University of Tartu. Her main subject is E-Commerce and IT Contracts. Liisi Jürgen is specialized in legal issues regarding data protection, e-commerce, electronic signatures (incl. legal issues arising from authentication and e-ID), consumer protection, product development. Liisi has advised clients on general corporate, and Healthtech matters. In 2015-2016 Liisi was a member of a work group responsible for the development of the electronic identification and trust services for electronic transactions act, set up by the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Communications. In 2015, Liisi Jürgen finalized her second Master's degree in Law at the University of Münster in Germany. The topic of her thesis is Electronic Signatures according to the EU law. She has a Bachelor's Degree and Master's Degree in Law from University of Tartu.

EXPERIENCE

2019-	NJORD Law Firm, partner and head of NJORD Law Firm's IT law and data protection practice
2018-...	NJORD Law Firm, attorney at law, senior associate and head of NJORD Law Firm's IT law and data protection practice
2015-...	Guest Lecturer of IT Law programme at University of Tartu (Teaching e-commerce and IT-contract law in a University program (LLM) held in English
2014-2018	Law Firm Indela, attorney
2013-2014	SignWise, chief legal advisor
2011-2012	Glikman ja Partnerid Advokaadibüroo (Advokaadibüroo Glikman Alvin OÜ), attorney
2010 -2011	Glikman ja Partnerid Advokaadibüroo (Advokaadibüroo Glikman Alvin OÜ), lawyer

EDUCATION

2012-2015	University of Münster, Master degree in German Law (LL.M)
2008-2010	University of Tartu, Master degree in Law
2005-2008	University of Tartu, Bachelor's degree in Law

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LANGUAGES

Estonian, German, English

PUBLICATIONS

- [“The hybrid smart contract agreement challenge to European electronic signature regulation”](#), *International Journal of Law and Information Technology*, Volume 28, Issue 1, Spring 2020.
- “How to increase company value through careful strategic planning?” *Focus*, 2/2018, co-author
- [“Handwritten signatures vs. e-signatures”](#). Published in Estonian. www.rmp.ee, 26.03.2018
- [“101 on cyber hygiene – from the perspective of mothers, fathers and employers”](#). Published in Estonian. www.rmp.ee, 26.02.2018; www.ärileht.ee, 06.03.2018
- Article on E-signatures: “E-allkirja vastu tõrges erasektor”. Published by the leading daily business newspaper *Äripäev*, 14.10.2016. Article available only in Estonian
- Article on cross-border E-signatures: “Piiriülene e-allkiri – kõik on kuulnud, kasutavad vähesed”. Published by the leading daily business newspaper *Äripäev*, 27.06.2014. Article available only in Estonian
- Article on pensions from multiple EU countries: “Pension mitmest ELi riigist”. Published by the leading daily business newspaper *Äripäev*, 24.04.2012. Article available only in Estonian
- Collection on labour law in Europe: “Arbeitsrecht in Europa”. Author of the chapter for Estonian law. 2011, Köln (collection in German)

SELECTED PUBLIC SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- 2015- Guest Lecturer of IT Law programme at University of Tartu (Teaching e-commerce and IT-contract law in a University program (LLM) held in English)
- 2015- Trust Services, Electronic Transactions, and Electronic Signatures, *ITECHLAW*, San Diego
- 2014- Legal aspects of electronic signature in EU, Vilnius
- 2014- Cross-border use of electronic signature, FOC 2014 Tallinn
- 2014- Legal meaning of electronic Signature, Comex 2014 Oman

PRESENTATIONS

- 2015- Guest Lecturer of IT Law programme at University of Tartu (Teaching e-commerce and IT-contract law in a University program (LLM) held in English)
- 2020 Lecture in the lecture series "Technology and Law": "On the development of open data in Estonia and thoughts on the PSI Directive"
- 2019 How affects artificial intelligence your future? ELSA Estonia
- 2015 Presentation on e-signatures and e-transactions: Trust Services, Electronic Transactions, and Electronic Signatures, *ITECHLAW*, San Diego
- 2014 Preparation of a study of the potential use of open data <http://media.voog.com/0000/0037/8703/files/Avaandmete%20kasutuspotentsiaali%20uuring.pdf>
- 2014 Presentation on legal meaning of e-signatures: Legal aspects of electronic signature in EU, Vilnius
- 2014 Presentation on international meaning and use of e-signatures: Cross-border use of electronic signature, [FOC 2014 Tallinn](#)

2014 Presentation on legal meaning of e-signatures: Legal meaning of electronic Signature, [Comex 2014 Oman](#)

DELIVERED SEMINARS AND TRAININGS

2020 Webinar: data protection and employment issues ([Deutsch-Baltische Handelskammer](#))
2020 Webinar: Concerns and joys of IT contracts - how to agree on the object of IT contracts and what to prepare for negotiations ([Deutsch-Baltische Handelskammer](#))
2019 Open data workshop -personal data (Avaandmete töötuba – isikuandmetest). in cooperation with [OKEE](#)
2018 Training on GDPR: "Data is leaking from your company !?". [RMP](#)
2015 Training: How to draft secure e-commerce or e-service T&C?
2015 Webinar: what a company needs to know about the legal issues of a digital signature?
2014 What does an entrepreneur need to know about the legal issues of digital and electronic signatures?
2012 Liability of a member of the management board. Contract of a board member and employment contract
2012 Issues regarding data protection and employment relationships

MEMBERSHIPS

- Member of the Estonian Bar Association
- Member of the European Employment Lawyers Association (EELA)
- Member of the Employment Law Committee of the Estonian Bar Association