

Participation of the Constitutional Court of Albania in the 16th Meeting of the Ibero-American Conference of Constitutional Justice

Upon the joint invitation of the President of the Supreme Federal Court of Brazil and the President of the Ibero-American Conference of Constitutional Justice, a delegation of the Constitutional Court of the Republic of Albania, headed by the President of the Court, Fiona Papajorgji, and composed of Judges Marsida Xhaferllari, Ilir Toska, Genti Ibrahimimi and Marjana Semini, is participating in the 16th Meeting of the Ibero-American Conference of Constitutional Justice. The Constitutional Court of Albania is represented at this important international gathering also in its capacity as the court holding the Presidency of the Conference of European Constitutional Courts (CECC) for the period 2024–2027.

The Meeting, which is being held in Brasília, Brazil, from 12 to 14 May 2026, includes the First Meeting of the Centres for Constitutional Studies, organized under the auspices of the Supreme Federal Court of Brazil, as well as the International Conference on “Constitutional Justice and Democracy”, bringing together high-level representatives of constitutional jurisdictions and counterpart institutions from the Ibero-American region and beyond.

Within the framework of this international forum, the President of the Constitutional Court of the Republic of Albania, Ms Fiona Papajorgji, delivered a greeting address in her capacity as President of the Conference of European Constitutional Courts (CECC), emphasizing the growing importance of international judicial dialogue and cooperation among constitutional jurisdictions in safeguarding democracy, strengthening the rule of law and ensuring the effective protection of fundamental rights and freedoms.

President Papajorgji delivered a second presentation during the session dedicated to human rights, where she shared reflections on the contemporary challenges confronting constitutional justice in an era marked by rapid technological developments, profound social transformations and increasingly complex challenges affecting democratic institutions and the protection of fundamental rights.

The Ibero-American Conference of Constitutional Justice constitutes an important international forum for cooperation and exchange among constitutional courts, supreme courts and other institutions exercising constitutional jurisdiction, contributing to the promotion of a shared constitutional culture, the strengthening of democratic standards and the advancement of constitutional justice at the international level.