



South East European **Law** School
– *Characteristics, way of functioning
and achievements -*

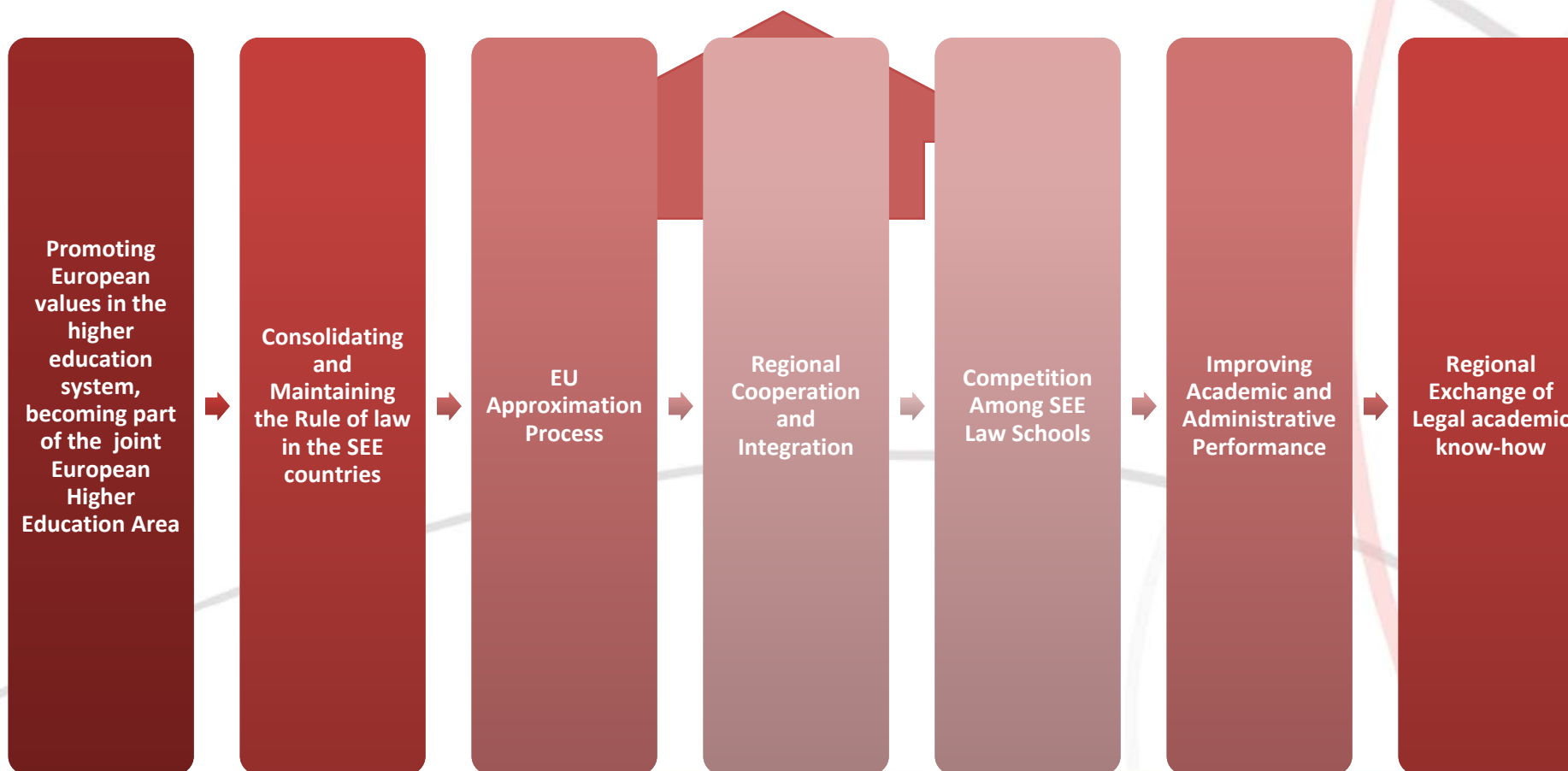
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Characteristics

Why SEEELS (mission, vision, goals)?



Scope

- All legal disciplines and fields
- Regional or cross-border dimension
- Three pillar approach

Education

Master studies
(developing harmonized
joint curricula)

Doctoral studies

Summer schools

Research

Joint research programs

Experts' forums

**Researchers'
networking**

Publishing

SEE Law Journal

SEELS Gateway
(Internet - based
networked database)

Publications

Members

SEELS open for
other public Law
Schools.



* SEELS Founders

Albania

* Law School Tirana

BiH

* Law School Sarajevo

* Law School Zenica

Croatia

* Law School Zagreb

* Law School Split

Macedonia

* Law School Skopje

Montenegro

* Law School Podgorica

Serbia

* Law School Belgrade

* Law School Kragujevac

* Law School Nis

Target groups



Students

- Undergraduate
- Postgraduate
- Doctoral students



Academic staff

- Regional lecturers
- International lecturers
- Researchers



Legal professions

- Judges
- Attorneys
- Notaries
- Bailiffs
- Others

Mobility

Students

Academics

South East European **Law** School Network

**Legal
professions**

Way of functioning

Establishment



The founding Charter was signed on March 25th, 2011

The Management Board is established and Rules of Procedures are adopted.

The Advisory Board is established.

The Annual Operational Plan and Budget are adopted.

Structure

- The governance structure is composed of two main organs:

Management Board (the highest governing body)

- Inviting of the Advisory Board
- Adoption of SEELS Strategy, OP and Budget
- Decision upon new members
- Decision upon project proposals
- Promoting and representing SEELS
- Developing IP policy for SEELS Products and Services
- Adoption of Curriculum for joint programmes

Advisory Board

(represents the major national stakeholders)

- Provide scientific, strategic and political advice
- Promote SEELS on a regional and international level
- Assure political support in the individual countries
- Accommodate general interest of donors

SEEELS^{Network} Management Board

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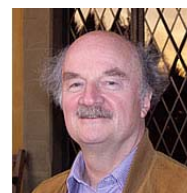
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Coordination and administrative support

Developing annual Operational Plan

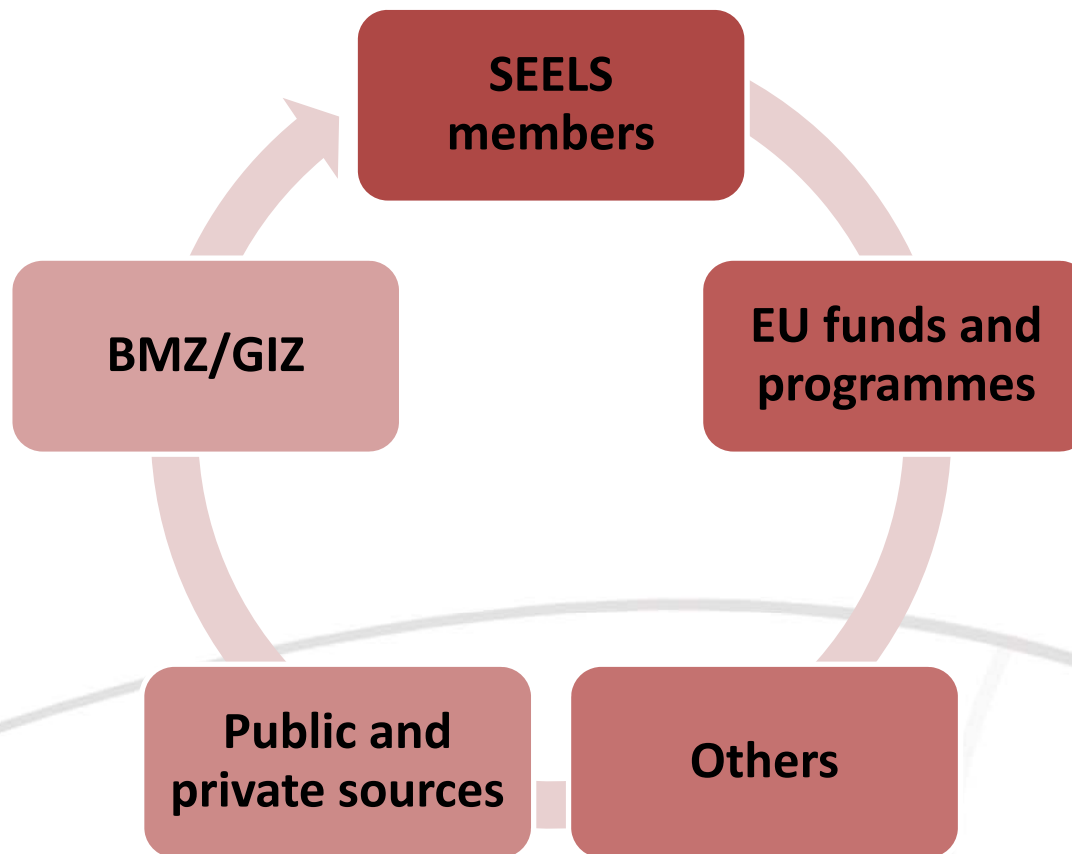
Coordination of SEEELS projects

Financial management and consolidated accounting for SEEELS

Exploring external potential financiers and donors

Developing Communication Promotion Strategy

Financing

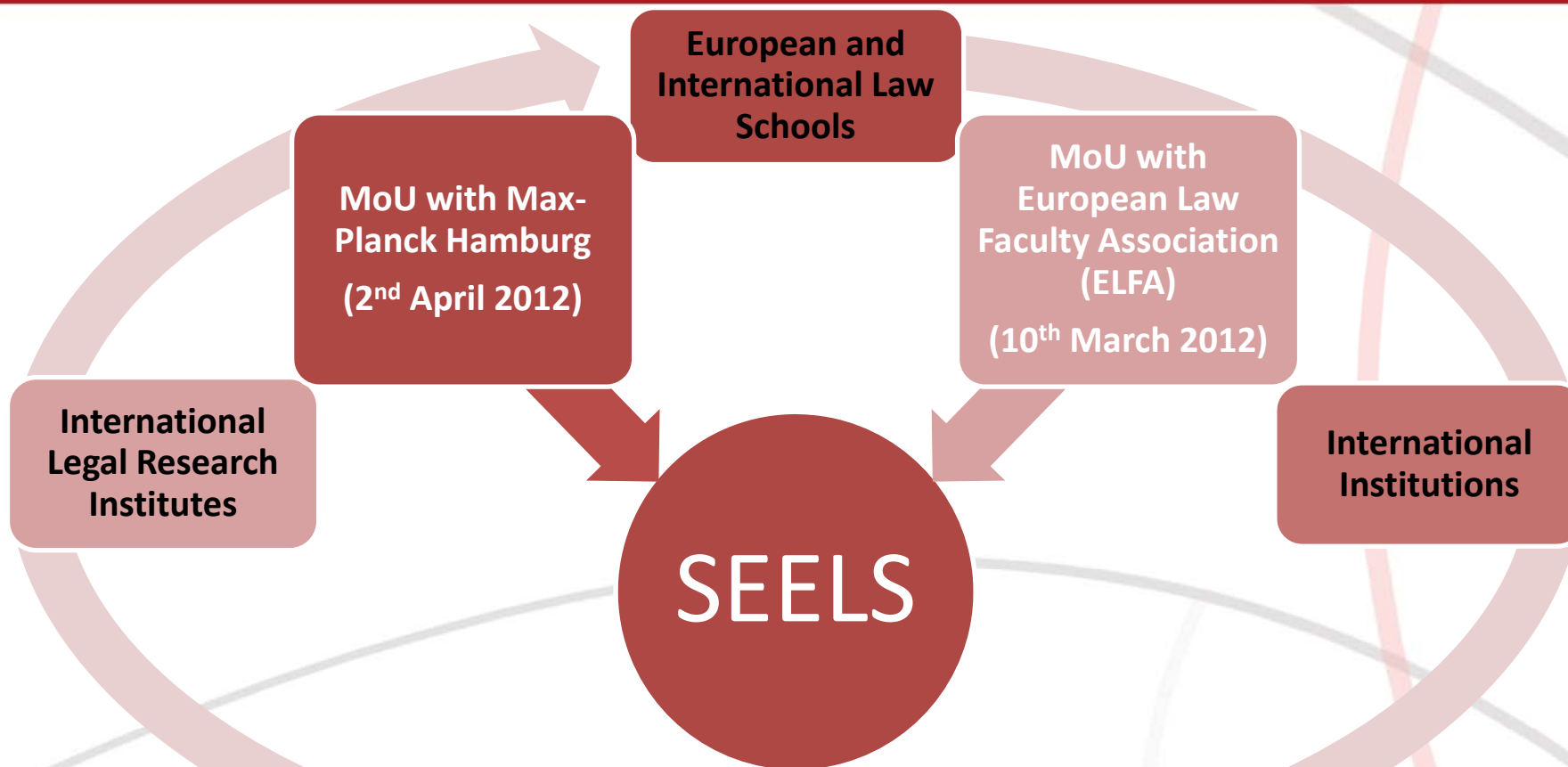


Achievements

Current activities

1. **Civil Law Forum** (3rd Regional Conference, March 2013, Tirana, Albania)
2. **Summer Academy on Rule of Law, Human Rights and EU** (24-27th June 2012, Budva, Montenegro)
3. **Academic Staff Mobility** (20 lecturers)
4. **SEE Gender Expert's Law Forum** (24-25th September 2012, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina)
5. **SEE Post-doc Colloquium in Private Law** (27-28th September 2012, Zagreb, Croatia)
6. **Training on Harmonisation of SEE's Legislation with the EU Law** (10-14th September 2012, Albania)
7. **IPL (International Private Law) Conference** (4-5th October 2012, Nis, Serbia)
8. **SEE Law Journal** (<http://www.seelawschool.org/seelawjournal>)

Strategic cooperation



Benefits of joining SEEELS



**Institutional academic network of
public Law Schools from South East Europe**

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