



**CONFERENCE**  
**e- voting: opportunities and challenges**  
September 16, 2005, Hotel Olümpia Conference Centre

AGENDA

9.45 – Registration, coffee

10.00 – Welcoming speeches

**10.15 – 11.30 I session – Estonian e-Voting Project**

Moderator Ivar Tallo, e-Governance Academy, Director

Management of Estonian e-Voting Project – Heiki Sibul, Head of Estonian Electoral Committee

E-voting: from idea to implementation – Ülle Madise, Advisor to the Constitutional Committee of the Parliament of Estonia

E-voting from the users' point of view - Tarvi Martens, Project Manager of Electronical Voting System

Technological Security of e-voting – Jaak Tepandi, Tallinn Technical University, Professor, auditor of information technology systems

Questions, discussion

*11.30-11.45 Coffee break*

**11.45 – 13.15 II Session – Key principles of electoral democracy**

Moderator Ülle Madise, Advisor to the Constitutional Committee of the Parliament of Estonia

Legality of e-voting – Märt Rask, Chief Justice of Supreme Court

Public control over e-voting – Peeter Marvet, IT specialist

Fair elections - Allar Jõks, Chancellor of Justice

Questions, discussion

*13.15 – 14.00 Lunch*

**14.00 – 15.00 III Session – International e-voting experience**

Moderator Linnar Viik, IT College, lecturer

e-voting and electoral participation – Prof. Alexander H. Trechsel (*e-Democracy Center*)



e-voting and development of democracy –Dr. Fernando Mendez (*e-Democracy Center*)

Questions, discussion

**15.15 15.00 – 16.00 IV Session - Good Practice of e-voting- panel discussion (representatives of political parties)**

Moderator Liia Hänni, e-Governance Academy, e-Democracy Programme Director

16.00 Closing

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