

# Useful sources of information for pensioners

On the Europa website [https://european-union.europa.eu/index\\_en](https://european-union.europa.eu/index_en)

- **Live, work, study and travel in the EU**  
[https://european-union.europa.eu/live-work-study\\_en](https://european-union.europa.eu/live-work-study_en)
- **Data Europe** : The EU open data portal is a single point of access to data from the institutions and other bodies of the European Union - The European data portal provides, in the 24 official languages of the EU, a single point of access to data published by public administrations at all levels of government in Europe. <https://data.europa.eu/fen>

- **Publications Office:** Publications of the European Union

<https://op.europa.eu/en/web/general-publications/publications>

EU law in force: <https://op.europa.eu/en/web/eu-law-in-force/#>

Eur-Lex: <https://eur-lex.europa.eu/homepage.html?locale=en>

- **Europe Direct** [https://european-union.europa.eu/contact-eu\\_en](https://european-union.europa.eu/contact-eu_en)

enables you to call them free of charge, write to them or meet them [00800 6 7 8 9 10 11](tel:0080067891011)

- o from any EU country
- o from 9am to 6pm on working days
- o in any EU language

**Write to them** and they will reply within 3 working days (or more, for more complex questions), in any EU language, as well as in Ukrainian or Russian.

**Meet them** at an EU centre near you to meet us, ask questions and talk about the EU.

**The Council:** news, past present and future meetings, thematic pages, etc.

<https://www.consilium.europa.eu/en>

**The European Parliament:** Keep up to date with all the latest news from the European Parliament: check out the latest news, watch plenary sessions and meetings live and keep in touch with your MEPs on social networks.

<https://www.europarl.europa.eu/portal/en>

**The Court of Justice:** news, searching for cases

[https://curia.europa.eu/jcms/jcms/j\\_6/en](https://curia.europa.eu/jcms/jcms/j_6/en)

## Libraries of the EU institutions

<https://ec.europa.eu/libraries/>

<https://ec-europa-eu.libguides.com>

## **Bibliothèque et centre de ressources électroniques**

The library and electronic resource centre are an important source of information on EU policies, history and integration. The reading rooms are open to EU staff and, by appointment, to external visitors specialising in European affairs. The public can consult the online catalogue, which includes in-house resources, as well as the full text of millions of online journal articles, using the Find-eR tool.

[https://ec.europa.eu/info/departments/european-commission-library\\_en](https://ec.europa.eu/info/departments/european-commission-library_en)

**Council Library.** The Council Library provides access to a wide range of information sources related to the work of the Council of the European Union and the European Council. Collections have been built up on EU policies, European integration and the Member States, law, political science, international relations, languages and much more.

<https://www.consilium.europa.eu/en/documents-publications/library>

**Eureka:** the portal to the Council's information sources

The Council library's information sources and collections are accessible via the Eureka online catalogue, which includes printed and electronic books and journals as well as online articles and databases, including many open access publications.

<https://www.consilium.europa.eu/fr/documents-publications/library/>

**Eurolib**

<https://euolib.europa.eu>

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**Europeana**

<http://www.europeana.eu/portal/en>

Discover 6 million digital documents belonging to various cultural collections in Europe

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<https://www.europeana.eu/en/TEL>

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**Library of the Court of Justice:**

[https://curia.europa.eu/jcms/jcms/Jo2\\_11902/en](https://curia.europa.eu/jcms/jcms/Jo2_11902/en)

**Media libraries of the European institutions**

[https://europa.eu/newsroom/audiovisual\\_en](https://europa.eu/newsroom/audiovisual_en)

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<https://www.touteurope.eu/serie/explique-moi-l-europe/>

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