



I am willing to stand as a candidate for the Board of EUROCLIO:

My short CV:

Was born April 1951. Graduated Tartu University Faculty of History in 1978. Later graduated Asbury theological Seminary (USA) with Master of Divinity (M.Div.) degree and in 1996 received in church history doctorate (D.Min. in Theol. Studies) from Boston University. Due to the Christian faith was not allowed to be a teacher of history during Soviet occupation time. Since 2000 teaches history, civics, philosophy and religion in several schools. Has been active in several historical activities. In 2002 received an Medal of Honor from Estonian Heritage Society. Also Dr Ritsbek is since 1996 a Professor of Church History at Baltic Methodist Theological Seminary, teaching more than several hundreds of future teachers.

I would like to contribute to the work of EUROCLIO through:

All kind of activities, sharing the experiences from post-Communist context of teaching history, teaching history of sensitive issues, teaching methods etc. I am ready to be involved in conferences, teachings, and all kind of activities to be trained and to train teachers of history.