## **BIOGRAPHY**

JACAK LAZAROWICZ has been a prosecutor for 15 years. In 1996 he graduated from the Law and Administration Faculty at the University of Warsaw and later on improved his legal expertise by completing postgraduate studies in European law, intellectual property law and economy. In 2000 he finished the apprenticeship at the Appellate Prosecutor's Office in Warsaw, passed the final exam and was appointed for the position of junior prosecutor. In 2003 Jacek was promoted to the Department for Organized Crime at the Regional Prosecution Office in Warsaw where he had an opportunity to investigate and prosecute organized criminal groups operating in the capital city of Poland. In 2006 Jacek was seconded to the Department for Organized Crime and Corruption in the Office of Prosecutor General. For nearly 10 years his principal field of expertise has been money laundering, terrorism financing, corruption and crime against financial interests of the European Union. Since 2006 Jacek Łazarowicz has been a representative of the prosecution service in the Polish delegation to the Council of Europe Committee of Experts on Evaluation of Anti-Money Laundering Measures and Financing of Terrorism – MONEYVAL. He is also an evaluator of the OECD's Working Group on Corruption and a contact point for corruption issues in the EUROJUST's network.