People move and businesses expand increasingly beyond national borders using the opportunities offered by open borders and the Single European Market. Under such circumstances, facilitating access to official and trusted documents and information to vendors, creditors, business partners and consumers is necessary to enhance transparency and legal certainty throughout the EU.

In Europe

- business registers
- land registers
- and insolvency registers

offer a range of services, which may vary from one country to another. This section links to them by providing information at both European and national levels.