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Professional Experience and Activities

- 2015-present** Director and Co-Founder, Institute of Advanced Studies Kőszeg
- 2015-2016** Visiting Professor, Catholic University in Ruzomberok
- 2014-2015** Academic Director, New Central Europe I.-II Fellowship Program, National Program of Excellence
- 2014-2015** Director, „Creative Cities- Sustainable Regions” (KRAFT) Project in Kőszeg
- 2014-present** Full Professor, University of Pannonia, Faculty of Modern Philology and Social Sciences, Veszprém – Kőszeg Campus
- 2013** UNESCO Management of Social Transformation, Member of Committee
- 2012-present** Chair of the Hungarian Social and Human Sciences UNESCO Committee
- 2012** István Deák Visiting Professor, Columbia University, Harriman Institute, East European Center, Department of Sociology, New York
- 2011** UNESCO Chair, Cultural Heritage Management and Sustainability, Kőszeg
- 2010-2012** Research Professor, Péter Pázmány Catholic University, Budapest, Hungary
- 2010-** Coordinator, Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence, ISES-Kőszeg
- 2009–2015** Academic Director, Global and European Integration Studies (IGES-Corvinus), Kőszeg
- 2008-2011** The EEA Grants and Norway Grants – 00123/NA-2008; Program Director of the Project: New School at the Border
- 2008–2017** Permanent Guest-Professor, University of Bologna (MIREES MA program in East Central European Interdisciplinary Studies)
- 2005–2006** Visiting Fellow, Wissenschaftszentrum für Sozialwissenschaften (WZB), Berlin
- 2004-2012** Full Professor, Director of the Institute for International Relations, University of Western Hungary, Savaria University Centre
- 2002** Visiting Senior Researcher (Civil Society Research Project, Principal Investigator), Columbia University, Department of Sociology
- 2001–2003** Member of Social Science Research Council Steering Committee on Global Security and Cooperation
- 2005–present** Scientific Advisor, Institute for Political Science, HUN-REN
- 2001** Research Expert of Notre Europe Research Institute, Paris, France
- 2000–2001** Member of the Reflection Group on the ‘Political Consequences of Eastern Enlargement’ headed by Jacques Delors and Jean-Luc Dehaene
- 2000** Principal Investigator of the European Crossborder Research Project “*Preparity*” – *Structural Policy and Regional Planning Along the External EU Frontier to Central Europe: Preparing for Eastern Enlargement*
- 2000** Visiting Professor, University of Vienna, Institut für Politikwissenschaft
- 1999** Guest Lecturer, Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj, Romania, Department of Sociology

- 1998–2000** Deputy Academic Director, European Peace University, Stadtschlaining, Austria
- 1997** European Union Visitors Program, Brussels, London, Berlin, Bonn
- 1997** Founder of the European Documentation Center, Szombathely
- 1996–2001** Senior Research Fellow and Executive Board Member, Institute of Sociology, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest
- 1996–present** Founder and Director, International Summer University, Kőszeg, Hungary
- 1996–1998** Advisor and Contributor to *Civil Society and the Aid Industry*, North–South Institute, Ottawa, Canada
- 1994–2009** Faculty Member, Permanent Guest Professor, Deputy Academic Director, European Peace University, Stadtschlaining, Austria
- 1993–1996** Founder and Member of the Board, Savaria University Press
- 1992–2000** Head of the Department of Sociology and Political Sciences, Dániel Berzsenyi College, Szombathely
- 1992–1993** MacArthur Fellow, Individual Research and Writing Grant
- 1992** Visiting Professor, University of Salzburg, Austria, Senatinstutute für Politikwissenschaft
- 1990–1992** Academic Advisor in the project *The European Imperative: Economic and Social Cohesion in the 1990s*, with Stuart Holland
- 1990** Visiting Scholar, European University Institute, Florence; Research on Political and Social Changes in Eastern Europe
- 1989–1991** Social Science Research Council–MacArthur Foundation Grant in International Peace and Security (UC Berkeley, Stanford University, Harvard University, European University Institute, Firenze, Italy)
- 1983–1984** Leverhume Trust Young Researcher Fellowship for Poland and Hungary, Institute for Development Studies, University of Sussex, Brighton, U.K.
- 1982–2001** Research Fellow, Institute of Sociology, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest
- 1978–1989** Editor, *Fejlődés-tanulmányok* [Development Studies]

Education, Qualifications, Degrees

- 2005** Doctor of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences, in International Relations
- 2003** Habilitation, Corvinus University of Budapest
- 1994** Candidate of Science in Sociology, Hungarian Academy of Sciences
- 1983** Ph.D. (University Doctorate), 20th Century European History, ELTE, Budapest
- 1982** Masters Degree, 20th Century European History, ELTE, Budapest
- 1978** Masters Degree, Karl Marx University of Economics, Budapest

Public Activities and Memberships

- 2008–2019** Member of the Screening Committee, CivWorld-*Interdependence Day*
- 2004–2023** Editorial Board Member of the *Civil Review (Civil Szemle)*
- 2003–2006** Advisor for Etele Baráth, Minister for European Affairs
- 2000** Member of the International Editorial Board of the *Global Civil Society Almanach, LSE*
- 1999–2002** Member of the ad hoc Advisory Board for Foreign Minister János Martonyi
- 1994–** Co-Founder, Europe House, Kőszeg, Hungary
- 1992–1994** Editorial Board Member of *Contemporary Sociology (US Journal)*
- 1992** Advisory Board Member of the *Political Science Review* (Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest)
- 1992** Participated in the work of the *International Helsinki Federation for Human Rights*

- 1990–1993** Participated in Meetings of the European Parliament and the Council of Europe; Reports on Human Rights, Media, Democratization and Civil Society in East Central Europe
- 1989** Co-founder of the *Helsinki Citizens' Assembly (HCA)*, 1996 Director of the Liaison Office for East Central European Cooperation
- 1987–1999** Associate Fellow, from 1994 Member of the Planning Board, *Transnational Institute*, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- 1987** Co-author of the Memorandum *Giving Real Life to the Helsinki Accords*
- 1987** Co-founder with Iván Bába The *Central European Research Group*
- 1987** Co-founder, The Network of Free Initiatives, Hungary
- 1985** Co-founder, *European Network for East-West Dialogue*

Languages

Hungarian (native), English (excellent), German (excellent), Russian (passive)

Awards and Scholarships

- 2023** Pro Urbe Veszprém for contribution to the European Capital of Culture title
- 2022** FIABCI Awards - First prize in the category “City Dimension” and the Attila Kovács Memorial Award, iASK-KRAFT program
- 2022** Doctor Honoris Causa, Széchenyi István University
- 2021** Officer’s Cross of the Hungarian Order of Civic Merit
- 2020** Ernő Pungor Award
- 2017** Pro City Kőszeg Innovation Award
- 2015** Dr. István Lajos Innovation Award
- 2013** Jean Monnet Chair ‘ad personam’
- 2011** “Pro Integrationem” Award
- 2011** UNESCO Chair in Cultural Heritage Management and Sustainability, Kőszeg
- 2010** Jean Monnet European Centre of Excellence, ISES, Kőszeg
- 2009** County Vas ‘Prima’ Award for Outstanding Research, Education and Institution Building in Western Hungary
- 2005** Knight’s Cross of the Hungarian Republic for International Research on European Integration and Civil Society
- 2001** Jean Monnet European Centre of Excellence, ISES, Szombathely
- 1997-2001** Jean Monnet Chair in European Studies