

Curriculum Vitae

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QUALIFICATIONS

2010-2011: University of Pécs, Faculty of Adult Education and Human Resource Development: **MA in Human Resource Counselling**

2009: University of Szeged, Doctoral School of History, History of the Western Mediterranean and the Hispanic World in the 19th and 20th centuries programme: **PhD degree in history** (summa cum laude)

1995-2000: University of Szeged, Faculty of Arts: **History Teacher MA and Special Training in Political Theory**

1993-1997: Gyula Juhász Teacher Training College, Szeged: **Cultural Organization BA and Management Specialization** (diploma with honors)

1989-1993: Czuczor Gergely Benedictine Secondary School, Győr

PROFESSIONAL AND MANAGEMENT EXPERIENCES

2000- Lecturer at the Department of Human Resource Development, Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences at the University of West Hungary, Apáczai Csere János Faculty, Győr (2000-2007: Assistant Professor; 2007- Adjunct Professor),

2016- Associate Professor at the Széchenyi István University,

2017- Head of Department of Humanities and Human Resource Development,

2018- Dean of the Apáczai Csere János Faculty of Humanities, Education and Social Sciences, Széchenyi István University

2002-2003: St. László Catholic College Győr - Director

2008-2020: St. László Catholic College Győr - lecturing and teaching research courses

2010/2015-2021: Automotive Mérnöki Iroda Kft. and Automotive Development Support (ADS) Kft. for Audi Hungária Motor Kft. in the field of quality assurance, business management and HR consulting / training / coaching

2011-2014: Developing the methodology of group career guidance sessions and leading sessions in the Győr School District of the Klebelsberg Centre for Educational Maintenance (formerly in the Career Guidance and Career Guidance Centre of the Győr School District); since 2013, involvement in the work of the Győr-Moson-Sopron County Career Guidance Consortium

2014-2017: Participation in the vocational training research project of the National Institute for Vocational and Adult Education (Budapest, Ministry of National Economy, Department of Education)

2014-2021: Institute for Public Education Leadership Training and Development - Dutch-Hungarian Leadership Training Programme and **2021-** University of Szeged (SZTE) Teacher Training Centre - teaching the courses Organisational Communication and Human Resource Management

2021-22-: Developing and launching a specialised training course in coaching-oriented leadership

TEACHING ACTIVITIES AND PORTFOLIO

At the primary teacher BA, cultural education BA, andragogy BA, social pedagogy BA, therapeutic pedagogy BA, tourism and catering BA, recreation BA, human resources counselling MA, , cultural mediation MA, community organisation BA, mentor teacher post grad., teacher qualification post grad., human and group development trainer, coaching management programmes:

EU Regional Policy;
Civilisations And Europe;
Coaching;
Coaching Basics;
Coaching literature;
Structure of Human Resource Organisations (Theory And Practice);
Human Resource Management Practice;
Knowledge of the European Union;
Hungarians Beyond the Borders, Hungarian Emigration;
Local History,
HR and Civilisations;
Comparative Andragogy I.;
Methods and Techniques of Management of Cultural Organisations;
Research Methodology;
Labour Market Skills;
Cultural History I-II;
Self-Awareness;
Career Guidance in the EU;
Political Science;
Regional History;
Organisational Development;
Organisational Communication;
Counselling Methods (Training Methodology);
Planning, Counselling Practices (Career Planning);
Change- and Crisis Management

OTHER TEACHING, RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL ORGANISATION ACTIVITIES

Giving lectures and consultations in Spanish to ERASMUS students on the topic "Hungary Studies" (2006/7);

Lectures at local, national and international conferences and professional events in Hungarian, Portuguese, Spanish and English, 6-10 times a year

PHD SUPERVISION

Students currently in progress with doctoral activities: 2; Current doctoral students: 3

SCIENTIFIC STUDENT ASSOCIATIONS' CONFERENCE CONSULTATIONS

Number of students	1st place	2nd place	3rd place	Special Award	Attended
8	2			2	4

BA / MA THESES AND DISSERTATIONS' CONSULTATIONS

3-10 students per year

PUBLICATIONS

Scopus H-index: 2

<https://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorId=57202117253>

Web of Science H index: 1

Web of Science ResearcherID: HSG-7085-2023

<https://orcid.org/0000-0001-8801-9598>

<https://www.webofscience.com/wos/author/record/HSG-7085-2023>

MTMT H-index: 4

<https://m2.mtmt.hu/gui2/?type=authors&mode=browse&sel=10027203&view=pubTable>

INNOVATIONS AND SPECIAL PROJECTS

Initiator and organizer of the Europe Research Lab at the Apáczai Csere János Faculty (2003-2009)

2011- Participation in the organisation of a HR conferences and workshops with the HR Club of the Győr-Moson-Sopron County Chamber of Commerce and Industry, with 20-40 students participating every year

2011- Faculty Coaching Day and coaching presentations with external professional partner companies (Samling Kft., Legacy Kft., Solutionsurfers Kft.)

2011- Faculty Training Day for students and colleagues, accelerated with professional experts

2013-2015: Development of the Corporate Partnership Programme at the Apáczai Faculty building corporate partnerships, preparation of cooperation agreements (Győr-Moson-Sopron County Career Guidance Consortium)

2014-2017: Participation in the research project of the National Institute for Vocational Education and Training (NIVE - NSZFH) as a professional project leader

2017- Cooperation with the EPALE programme (professional and financial support for the Apáczai Conference <https://ak.sze.hu/apaczai-konferencia>)

2016-2019: HR-focused research projects for Audi Hungaria Zrt.

2020-2022: Participation in the Economic Development Working Group of the Győr-Moson-Sopron County Chamber of Commerce and Industry (GYMSMKIK), leading the Education and HR Working Group

INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCES

February and July 2023 **Komarno (Slovakia)** - professional networking with the Association of Hungarian Teachers in Slovakia (SZMPSZ)

May 10-16, 2022: **Selye János University, Komarno (Slovakia)** - participation in Erasmus teacher mobility, teaching, networking

4-7 May 2019: **Dublin (Ireland)**, participation in the EFOP-3.4.3-16-2016-00016 study visit (study of good practices at **Dublin City University** and initiation of contacts with the institution)

5-8 October 2018: **London (United Kingdom)**, participation in the International Conference on Education, Teaching and Learning "Interdisciplinarity in a Knowledge-based Society" at **Birkbeck College (University of London)** and presentation of a paper on Theory and Practice of Lifelong Guidance Education in the MaxWhere 3D VR Framework

March 1-2, 2017: **Ingolstadt (Germany)** – **Audi AG** - professional consultation for the research "Investigating the factors of effective intergenerational cooperation at Audi Hungaria, with special focus on attachment, motivation, leadership and motivational factors"

27-31 July 2015, **Hörsching (Austria)** - work experience in the field of work organisation and human resource management in a joint project of ADS Ltd. and Autcon GmbH

24-26 August 2009 "Deutsch lernen, Wien erleben", Intensive German language and culture training in **Vienna (Austria)** at **EdTWIN Bildungsraum Centrope (BiC)**

28 July - 8 August 2003: **Centro de Lenguas e Intercambio Cultural - Seville - (Spain)** - Spanish language and culture studies

January 2002: **Rio de Janeiro (Brazil)** - Hungarika research - scholarly study of the work of Dr. Oliver Ónody

2001-2007: guest lecturer at the **Municipal University in Rév-Komárom (Slovakia)** (teaching EU Studies and History of Culture courses to students of teaching)

April 2000: **Cluj-Napoca (Romania)** – guest student at **Babes-Bolyai University**

May 1999: **Viana do Castelo (Portugal)** - participation in an EU youth conference, building cultural relations

February - July 1998: **Universidade de São Paulo (Brazil)** - Historia da America Independente I. - History of Independent America I.

January 1998: **Colégio Santo Américo** - Departamento de Ensino Informática - (São Paulo (Brazil)) - Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint courses

October 1997 - August 1998: **São Paulo (Brazil)** - Hungarika research trip on the history of Hungarian emigration in Brazil; employment as cultural advisor - building Hungarian-Brazilian cultural relations

September 1994 - August 1995: **São Paulo (Brazil)** - study trip to learn about the Portuguese language and Brazilian culture, the cultural life of the Hungarian community in Brazil

FOREIGN LANGUAGE KNOWLEDGE

Portuguese – General - Advanced

English – General – Intermediate

Spanish – General – Intermediate

German – General – Basic

Latin –General - Baccalaureate

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS' MEMBERSHIPS

2023- Organic Pedagogy Association (<https://organikusegyesulet.hu/>), Member

2021- Hungarian Pedagogical Society (<https://pedagogiai-tarsasag.hu/>), Member

2014- Hungarian Academy of Sciences Public Entity (IX. Department of Economics and Law, Subcommittee of the Scientific Committee on the Economics of Human Resources, Subcommittee on the Management of Human Resources - https://mta.hu/koztestuleti_tagok?PersonId=32329), Member

2001- Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Regional Committee of Veszprém (Hungarian Studies Working Committee of the Historical Sciences -MTA – VEAB -) <https://tab.mta.hu/veszpremiteruleti-bizottsag>), 2004-2016 Secretary, Member

AWARDS AND HONOURS

2022: Certificate (Economic Development Working Group of the Győr-Moson-Sopron County Chamber of Commerce and Industry)

2021: Kopp-Skrabski Scientific Award (Three Kings Three Queens Foundation and Richter Gedeon Plc. - <https://www.haromkiralyfi.hu/kopp-skrabski-dij-2021>)

2016: "Teacher for Students" Award (SZE HÖK)

2009: Rector's Commendation (NYME Rector)

2003: Students' Award (NYME AK HÖK)

2000: Brazil 500 Years Contest - Special Award (Brazilian Embassy of the Brazilian Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Budapest)

1998: Republican Scholarship for the academic year 1998/99 (Republic of Hungary)

SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT

1995-: Lectures at the request of NGOs and other institutions (e.g. Association of Christian Intellectuals Győr, Senior University of Győr, etc.)

1990-2005: permanent choir membership in the St. Cecília Choir in Győr
1996-2000: Portuguese Language World University Society - Portuguese Club of Szeged - group founder and leader
2000-: Membership of the Association of Christian Intellectuals (KÉSZ - <https://keesz.hu/>)
2002-: Membership of the Association of Benedictine Students of Győr (BDGYE)
2018-: Family Counselor and Marriage Preparation Courses - Diocese of Győr
(<https://gyor.egyhazmegye.hu/#/egyhazmegyenk/oldal/TEST%C3%9CLETEKBIZOTTSAGO>
[K](#))
2019-: Family trainer qualification at the Schoenstatt Family Academy
(<http://csaladakademia.schoenstatt.hu/>) and lectures on social responsibility