

## Curriculum Vitae

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### Personal information

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### Academic Qualifications

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06/2015 **Habilitation** in: Data Protection in the Digital Age in the European Union. Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences, Faculty of Law, Department for Constitutional Law, Budapest, Hungary.

06/2005 **PhD** in Constitutional Law. Topic: Freedom of Expression in the Network: how the constitutional theories of the protection of freedom of expression apply to the internet. Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences, Faculty of Law, Department for Constitutional Law, Budapest, Hungary.

### Academic Employment History

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09/2016 – current: **Budapest Business School of Applied Sciences**, Faculty of International Relations, Department for Communication Studies, Hungary.

**Title: Associate Professor**

Courses: Network Communication (BA), Public International Law (MA, English), Business Law (BA, English), Media and Communication Law (BA), Political Communication (MA, English). (On research leave since 09/2020).

09/2015 – 08/2016 **Miskolc University, Law School**, Department for Media and Information Law, Hungary.

**Title: Associate professor**

Courses: Internet Regulation, Data protection (LLM).

06/2003 – 09/2015 **Zsigmond Király Főiskola**, Budapest (King Sigismund College) Faculty of International Relations and Political Sciences.

**Title: College Professor**, (09/2005-09/2009 **Associate Professor and Head of Department**; 05/2002 – 09/2005: Adjunct Professor)

Research leave in 2006, maternity leave from 2009-2015.

Courses: International Human Rights (MA, BA), Internet law (BA), Information Society (BA), European law (BA), International Law (BA), Human Rights (BA), Media law (BA).

09/1998 – 08/2002 **International Business School by the Oxford Brookes University**, Budapest.

**Title: Assistant professor**

Courses: Business Law

### Experience as Visiting Lecturer

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- 09/2020-06/2022 [University of Münster](#), Co-teaching the course [AI, Human Rights and Ethics](#). An interdisciplinary and inter-institutional, innovative research course.
- 02/2016 – 06/2020 [Metropolitan University of Budapest](#), Faculty of Communication, Hungary. Language of instruction: English. Courses: Media Market and Media Law (BA), Advertising law (BA) International Media (MA), Media Regulation Theory. (MA)
- 02/2016 – 06/2016 [George Mason University](#), International Relations. The Budapest Semester Programme, Hungary. The representation of migration in the Hungarian media. A 48-class teaching module for MA students.
- 02/2015 – 06 2015 [Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences](#), Faculty of Arts, Media Department, Hungary. Course: International Regulation of the New Media (MA).
- 01/2006 – 12/2006: [Victoria University of Wellington](#), New Zealand. School of Law. Teaching Master and LLB Honours course in International Cyberlaw.

### Academic Research Experience and Fellowships

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- 08/2022-12/2022 WIRE Fellow at the [University of Münster](#), Institute for Information, Telecommunication and Media Law. Topic: Human Rights in the digital environment
- 09/2021-08/2022 Senior Research Fellow at the [University of Münster](#), Institute for Information, Telecommunication and Media Law. Topic: The digital legislative package of the EU.
- 06/2021- 08/2021 DAAD Fellow at the [University of Münster](#), Institute for Information, Telecommunication and Media Law. Topic: Liability and responsibility of online social media platforms. Activities: Organising a workshop series and co-authoring and co-editing a collective volume.
- 03/2021-06/2021 WWU International Fellow at the [University of Münster](#), Institute for Information, Telecommunication and Media Law.
- 08/2020 - 02/2021 Schumann Fellow at the [University of Münster](#), Institute for Information, Telecommunication and Media Law. Topic: Respecting Human Rights in the Content Removal Procedure by Social Media Platforms
- 06/2018 – 02/ 2019 Policy Fellow. ENGAGE Fellowship by Center for [European Policy Studies \(CEPS\) and Open Society for Europe \(OSIFE\)](#). Topic: Public discourse and the role of social media in its facilitation.
- 03/2009 – 05/2009 Cyber Research Fellow. [Tama University, Kumon Centre Tokyo](#), Japan. Funded by the Japan Foundation. Topic: Analysis of the Regulation on Protection of Children in Mobile Content in Japan.
- 09/2008 – 02/2009 Project Director, main author. [Hungarian Academy of Sciences](#), Budapest, Institute for Legal Studies, Centre for Infocommunication Law. Topic: European regulation of state aid and public service broadcasting and its application in Hungarian public service media.
- 01/2006 – 12/2006: Senior Research Fellow. [Victoria University of Wellington](#), New Zealand. School of Law.
- 01/2002 – 03/2003 Internet Policy Fellow. Open Society Institute, International Policy Fellowship, Budapest, Hungary. Topic: Content regulation on the internet.

### Policy Research Experience

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- 02/2021/05/2021 Project leader and author on disinformation for the European Parliament Research Service (LIBE Committee).
- 12/2020-02/2021 Project leader and author on disinformation for the European Parliament Research Service (INGE Committee).
- 09/2020-07/2020 Participant in a research on Strategic Litigation against Public Participation (SLAPP) for the European Commission.

- 01/2020 – 05/2020 Participant in a research on Hate speech and Hate Crime within the European Union. European Parliament, LIBE Commission.
- 08/2018 – 02/2019 Project director, scientific coordinator, main author. Policy research: European Parliament, LIBE Commission (via Center for European Policy Studies, CEPS) Topic: Disinformation and Propaganda - their impact on democracy, the rule of law and human rights in the European member states and the European Union.
- 03/2016 – 11/2016 Project coordinator, author. European Parliament, LIBE Commission (via Center for European Policy Studies, CEPS). Topic: Media freedom and pluralism in the European Union.
- 10/2001–03/2002 Research Fellow. Peace Institute, Ljubljana, Slovenia. Topic and Comparative Policy Analysis of the media laws of Slovenia and Hungary.

### Academic Education

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- 09/1998– 06/2005 PhD. Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences, Faculty of Law, Department for Constitutional Law, Budapest, Hungary.
- 09/2000 – 06/2001 Doctoral Support Program. Central European University (CEU), Department of Legal Studies, Hungary.
- 09/1993 – 06/1998 LLM. Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences, Faculty of Law, Hungary.
- 09/1992 – 06/1993 Political Sciences and Psychology, University of Vienna, Austria.

### Policy Education

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- 09/2001–02/2002 Engage Fellowship, a multidisciplinary course, field work (interviews) and supervised policy work. Under the supervision of Sergio Carrera, Senior Research Fellow and Head of the Justice and Home Affairs unit at CEPS. Funded by the Open Society Initiative for Europe (OSIFE) and Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS)  
Output: Between Anarchy and Censorship - a policy paper on the regulation of social media platforms.
- 12/2020– 02/2021 OSI Policy Fellowship, Information branch  
An education program by the Open Society Foundation and Central European University on policy research  
Supervision by: Miklós Sükösd, Krisztina Rozgonyi.  
Output: Regulation of Internet Service Providers. 2002.

### Summer Schools

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- 2012 June: Mediation and Other Methods to Foster Democratic Dialogue. 2012 June  
Institution: Benjamin Cardozo School of Law & Hamline University School of Law.  
Located at Central European University, Budapest.
- 2000 August: Programme in Comparative Media Law & Policy: August 2000  
Institution: Centre for Socio-Legal Studies Oxford University, Wolfston College
- 1999 August: Oxford Brookes University: UK Law and Legal English.

### Participation in academic procedures

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#### PhD procedures:

- 2008 dr. Polyák Gábor Pécsi Tudományegyetem. Media Regulation.
- 2017 dr. Vári Péter, Corvinus Egyetem. Introduction of the digital terrestrial television.
- 2017 dr. Nagy Krisztina, Pécsi Tudományegyetem. The Importance of Media Literacy in Media Policy and its regulatory framework.
- 2016 dr. Maksó Bianka, Miskolci Egyetem. Data protection: Binding Corporate Rules.

Habilitation procedure:

2017-2018 dr. Fehér Katalin, ELTE BTK. Digital Technology and Augmented Mediatization.

Relevant Memberships of scientific societies

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2019 – Member of the International Law Association  
2018 – Member of the Media Commission of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences.  
2010 – 2017 Member of the Executive Board of the Hungarian Communication Research Society  
2010 – 2013 Chairperson of the Legal Committee of the Hungarian Advertising Association  
2003 – Member of the Hungarian Europe Society (MET).

Invited Expertise, Committee Memberships

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2022 CEPS, in cooperation with the Global Policy Institute at Queen Mary University of London (GPI-QM), and the RENFORCE Centre at Utrecht University Task Force 'Towards a global playing level field for an open and secure online environment: Regulation, enforcement, and the role of public-private cooperation in EU and UK's democratic and rule of law-based societies'.  
2022 European Commission, EMFA Consultation  
2018-2022 Media Pluralism Monitor  
2021 CEPS Framework Contract Participant  
2020 WHO Infodemic Management Network

Currently Running Research Cooperations

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- University of Münster: Rechtliche und gesellschaftliche Folgen künstlichen Entscheidens/Social and legal impact of artificial decision making
- Artificial Intelligence & Good Governance: Individual, Society & Public Policies. A 45+ member Consortium to submit EU proposals.
- AI in the Judiciary: A consortium with the University of Loughborough, the University of Münster, the University of Navarra, etc.
- WHO Infodemic Management Network

Participation in Peer-Reviewed Journal Editing or Proposal Review:

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2017 – currently Chief Editor of the academic journal [Médiakutató](#) quarterly, Hungary.  
2016 - Invited reviewer to the several academic journals, including: New Media and Society, the International Journal of Communication, European Journal of Communication, Internet Policy Review; SCRIPTed – A Journal of Law, Technology & Society.  
2003 – Member of the editorial board of Médiakutató quarterly academic journal.  
2017– 2023 Review of grant proposals for the National Science Centre of Poland, Fund for Scientific Research-FNRS Belgium, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council – Government of Canada, and Hungarian Academic Accreditation Committee

Relevant Languages:

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German: second language, TELC C1  
English: Cambridge Proficiency, 2001  
Mothertongue: Hungarian

Outstanding Skills:

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Scientific coordination of research projects  
Project leadership  
Editing academic texts  
Policy research and consulting