

Curriculum Vitae



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WORK EXPERIENCE

2001- present	Guest Lecturer , Department of Social Work, Széchenyi István University
2001- present	Member , Romani Language Proficiency Examination Board, Center for Advanced Language Learning, Eötvös Loránd University
2009 – July 30, 2012	Director , Roma Research Center, Faculty of Pedagogy, Szent István University
Aug 2008 – July 2012	Senior Lecturer , Institute of Minority and Nationality, Faculty of Pedagogy, Szent István University
2006 - 2009	External Expert , Committee on Culture, Human Rights and Minority, Local Government of Józsefváros (8th district of Budapest)
1998-2002	Local Government Representative , Józsefváros (8 th district of Budapest): responsible for educational and social issues
1997-2011	Director , Roma Service (community outreach) of Józsefváros

1994-1998	Local Government Representative , Józsefváros (8th district of Budapest), Member , Educational Committee
1991-1994	Local Government Representative , Józsefváros (8th district of Budapest), Member , Gypsy Ethnic and Human Rights Committee
1991-1994	Social Worker , Local government of Józsefváros

EDUCATION

2008-2010	Master's degree . Major: Social and Civic Studies Department of Humanities, Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest
2005-2008	Certificate . Multidisciplinary Social Sciences Széchenyi István University, Győr
2007	Certificate . Sport and Recreation Expert Pest County Directorate of Sports, Budapest
2002-2003	Master's degree . Major: Cultural Management Department of Humanities, Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest
1999-2001	Master's degree . Major: Social Political Science Department of Humanities, Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest
1999-2001	Bachelor of Arts . Major: Social Pedagogy Janos Vitez Roman Catholic Teacher Training College, Esztergom
1996-1998	Master's degree . Major: Social Work, Minor: Politics and Economics Corvinus University of Budapest
1993-1997	Bachelor of Arts degree . Major: Social Work Faculty of Social Sciences, John Wesley Theological College
1991	Certificate. Professional boxing trainer Budapest County Sport Office

LANGUAGE

Gypsy (Romani):	advanced language exam „C-type” (native level)
English:	intermediate language exam „C-type”

PUBLICATIONS

A hátrányos helyzet problematikája az oktatási intézményekben (The Problem of Disadvantages in Educational Institutions). Valóság, Tudományos Ismeretterjesztő Társulat, 2010/3.

Roma Innovation in Higher Education. Editura Universitatii „Aurel Vlaicu” Arad, 2009.

A cigányság, mint áldozat (Gypsies as Victims). de Jure magazin. Szigetszentmiklós, March, 2009. X. 2.

Szociális városrehabilitáció „Önkormányzatok gazdálkodása-helyi fejlesztés” nemzetközi konferencia (Social Urban Rehabilitation „Management of Local Governments – Local Development, International Conference). PTE Közgazdaságtudományi Kar, Pécs, 2008. pp. 305-311.

Roma Szolgálat a Józsefvárosban: Iskola utáni programok fiataloknak. A VIII. Település és Ifjúsága Országos Szakmai Konferencia előadásai. (Roma Service in Jozsefvaros. After School Programs for Youth. Presentation at the 8th Communities and their Youth Professional Conference). Beke Pál, ed. Megyei Művelődési és Ifjúsági Központ, Szombathely, 2008. pp. 13-15.

Komáromi napok előadása (Presentation at the Komarom Days)., MTA Veszprémi területi bizottság. Dr. Beszteri Béla, ed. 2007

Tízéves a Józsefvárosi Roma Szolgálat (The Roma Service of Jozsefvaros is Ten Years Old). Mentor. VIII. 11-12. p. 33. In Cigány nyelv és identitás (Gypsy Language and Identity), Editor: Gyarmati-Szabó Éva. 2006

Szükséges-e az ombudsman a jogállamban. (Is Citizen's Advocate Needed in a Democracy?) Közpolitika 1. Századvég Kiadó. Editor: Stumf István, p. 12.

Kisebbségek és emberi jogok a hivatalos szervek gyakorlatában Féliünk. (Minorities and Human Rights in the Practice of Public Offices. We are Afraid). Humanitas Civitas Foundation, Budapest, Editor: Dr. Nagy Gábor Tamás, 1993. pp. 69-75.

Világ Családterápiás Konferencia anyaga (International Family Therapy Conference). Közgazdasági Egyetem, Editor: Dr. Burkhardt Beáta, 1993. p. 12.

Emberi jogok a hivatalos szervek gyakorlatában. (Human Rights in the Official Practice). Humanitas Civitas Foundation, Budapest, 1993. pp. 69-74.

Kisebbségek és Emberi Jogok a rendőri szervek gyakorlatában (Minorities and Human Rights in the Practice of Police Forces). Főiskolai Figyelő, Rendőrtiszt Főiskola, 1993. IV. 2. pp. 210-214.

OTHER ACADEMIC RELATED ACTIVITIES

2002-present Gypsy Language Exam Administrator
Foreign Language Center, Budapest

2006 Language Teacher
Apor Vilmos Catholic College, Vac

2005 Lecturer
Department of Social Work, Szechenyi Istvan University, Gyor

2001 Teaching Romani language and social studies in secondary school

2000 Teaching Roma social studies at the Budapest Police Academy

1999 Directing the Roma Residence Hall of the Teacher Training College of Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest

1998 Campaign Manager, Minority Local Government Elections

1997 Romani Language instruction

1994 Campaign Manager at Local Government Elections

1991-94 Social Work Field Instructor, Barczy Gusztav Special Education College, Budapest

1990 Self-Defense Sport Instructor

FOREIGN PROFESSIONAL TRAVEL

1997 Germany and Luxemburg: one-week study tour learning about the two countries' educational systems

1996 Denmark: one-week study tour learning about the Danish educational system

1995 U.S.A: State Department, International Visitors Program: Visiting human rights and civic organizations throughout the U.S.

1993 France: invited presentor at university

CONFERENCES

Organizer. Gypsies about Gypsies Conference. Szent István University, Roma Research Center, Sept. 23, 2010.

Organizer and Presenter. Romas in the Educational System. International Conference. Szent István University, Roma Research Center. Sept. 23, 2010

Organizer and Presenter. Synergies and Innovation Conference. Szent István University, Department of Pedagogy, Szarvas Campus. Febr. 11, 2009.

Organizer and Presenter. Security and Gypsies Conference. Magdolna projekt, HEFOP. Budapest, Nov. 7, 2008

Participant. The Present and Future of the European Politics of Cohesion Conference. Széchenyi István University, Multidisciplinary Graduate Program of Social Sciences and The Regional Science Council of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences. Győr, May 23, 2008.

Presenter. Management in Local Governments – Local Development. International Conference. University of Pecs, Department of Economics. Pecs. May 16-17, 2008.

Participant. Conference of the National Roma Intellectuals. Hungarian Academy of Sciences. Budapest. Apr. 11, 2008.

Presenter. The 8th Community and Its Youth Conference. The Vas County Cultural and Youth Center and the Logo Youth Service. Budapest. April 10, 2008.

Presenter. Gypsy Identity, Culture, History. National Conference. Hungarian Cultural Institute and the Fine Arts Lectorate, Budapest, Febr. 22, 2008.

Presenter. Komarom Days Conference. Regional Committee of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences, 2007.

Organizer and Presenter. The Past and the Future Seventeen Years through the Eyes of the Gypsies. Jozsefvaros Roma Service, Budapest, Apr. 19, 2007.

Presenter. Andorka Rudolf Memorial Conference. Corvinus University, Budapest, 2006

Presenter. Issues of Education of the Roma Minority in Slovenia, Ukraine and Hungary. Hungarian Association of School Leaders, Budapest 2004.

Organizer and Presenter. National Conference on Socially Disadvantaged Groups. Budapest, 1999.

Presenter. International meeting in Germany and Luxemburg. My participation was sponsored by the Jozsefvaros Local Government. 1997.

Presenter. International meting in Denmark. My participation was sponsored by the Jozsefvaros Local Government. 1996.

Presenter. USIS program. Presentations at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, University of Texas-Austin, and Washington, D.C., 1995.

Presenter. International Roma Conference,. Budapest, 1994.

Presenter. Roma Conference., Police Academy, Budapest,1993.

Presenter and Roma Panel Organizer. World Family Therapy Conference. Karl Marx University, Budapest, 1993.

Presenter. National Human Rights Conference. City Council, Budapest, 1992.

Presenter and Panel Organizer. International Roma Conference. City Council, Bratislava, Slovakia, 1991.

Organizer and Presenter. International Roma Conference. Hungarian Roma Parliament, 1991.

Organizer and Presenter. International Roma Conference. Budapest. 1990.

R E S E A R C H

Febr. 1, 2009 – present	Research Center Leader, Pedagogy Department, Szent Istvan University, Szarvas
October 2009	Roma participation in national election, Szonda Ipsos
2004-2007	Cultural Management Training Program, Department of Humanities, Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest
May-June, 2005	Decade of the Roma. Public opinion survey. Szonda Ipsos, Media, Opinion and Market Research Institute, Budapest.
1991-1994.1.1.1	„The Big Gypsy Research” interviews conducted in Jozsefvaros, Budapest. Research.
1992	Századvég Research Institute Citizen’s Advocate and Democracy