CURRICULUM VITAE

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Personal information

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Nationality	Hungarian
Date of birth	04.03.1977
Gender	male

WORK EXPERIENCE

Dates	**2009 onward**
Occupation or position held	senior research fellow (2009-2012: junior research fellow, 2009-2016: research fellow) former Head of Research Department for Social Relations and Network Analysis (2013-2016)
Main activities and responsibilities	European Social Survey (ESS, www.europeansocialsurvey.org) national coordinator for Hungary, member of the Computational Social Science (CSS) research group & ANet (Agglomeration and Social Networks Research Lab)
Name and address of employer	Centre for Social Sciences, Institute of Sociology, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest, Hungary (www.tk.mta.hu)
Type of business or sector	academic research institution

Dates	**2004-2017**
Occupation or position held	managing director, co-owner of the company
Main activities and responsibilities	general control and management of the company and head of research, EU Kids Online (www.eukidsonline.net) network coordinator for Hungary, project leader World Internet Project (www.worldinternetproject.net), member of international research group management of complex research projects in IT related social research (for IT, telecom & fintech companies using quantitative & qualitative methods)
Name and address of employer	ITHAKA Research and Consulting Ltd., Budapest, Hungary
Type of business or sector	market and opinion research, consultancy in social informatics

Dates	**2006 - 2008**
Occupation or position held	research fellow
Main activities and responsibilities	execution of complex research projects in the field of regional sciences
Name and address of employer	Center for Regional Research, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest, Hungary
Type of business or sector	academic research institution

Dates	**2005-2008**
Occupation or position held	researcher
Main activities and responsibilities	carrying out quantitative and qualitative research on children, young people, and youth policy in general
Name and address of employer	National Youth Research Institute
Type of business or sector	market and opinion research, consultancy in the broadly defined field of IT

Dates	**2001 - 2003**
Occupation or position held	research analyst, research director
Main activities and responsibilities	execution of complex research projects CAWI and CAPI survey research (focus on public attitudes, consumption, technology, etc.)
Name and address of employer	NRC Marketing and Market Research Ltd.

Type of business or sector	market and public opinion research
Other professional experiences	**15 years of international experience in market, public opinion, product development and UX research both as freelance and full-time researcher, consultant and project leader**. Subcontractor of multiple global agencies such as: GfK, TNS, Ipsos, MEMRB, Nielsen. Special expertise in IT/Telecom, youth, survey methodology and data analysis.
	Well trained **focus group moderator** (with more than 200 discussion groups experience mostly in Hungarian but also in English.)
	Teaching experience in Hungarian and in English at BA, MA and PhD level. (Topics in sociology and social research methodology)
	Knowledge in **statistical software** (SPSS, Stata, R) database systems (e.g. SQL), **expertise in handling and analysis large datasets**, conjoint analysis, network analysis (Gephi, iGraph), professional data visualization (using MS Office, Tableau, R-ggplot2, Adobe InDesign), basic knowledge of programming in Python.
	Former member of the Pool of European Youth Researchers (PEYR) (2010-2016)
	Member and working group coordinator (WG3 – Business of Surveillance) of COST Action "Living in Surveillance Societies" (COST LiSS) (2009-2012)

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Dates	**2011**
Title of qualification awarded	PhD
Principal subjects	Sociology (title of dissertation: The Role of Personal Values and Attitudes in Economic Development)
Name and type of organisation	Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences, Faculty of Social Sciences, Budapest
Level in international classification	ISCED 6

Dates	**1996 - 2001**
Title of qualification awarded	graduate studies (MA) in Sociology
Principal subjects	Sociology
Name and type of organisation	Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences, Faculty of Social Sciences, Budapest
Level in international classification	ISCED 5

Special courses

	Online courses
Title of qualification awarded	Programming for Everybody. Getting Started with Python (2016); Python Data Structures (2016) Using Python to Access Web Data (2016); Using Databases with Python (2016); *University of Michigan (Coursera Online Courses)*
	Getting and Cleaning Data (Coursera online course) (2015) Johns Hopkins University (by Roger D. Peng, PhD, Jeff Leek, PhD & Brian Caffo, PhD) https://www.coursera.org/account/accomplishments/records/eusPr7yA5XSsR6ww
	R Programming (Coursera online course) (2014) Johns Hopkins University (by Roger D. Peng, PhD, Jeff Leek, PhD & Brian Caffo, PhD) https://www.coursera.org/account/accomplishments/records/dV56adMspTHyqRAc
	Social Network Analysis (Coursera online course) (2013) University of Michigan (by Lada Adamic), completion with distinction https://www.coursera.org/account/accomplishments/records/eGJPwjbByMfSA5Vj
	Data Analysis. Statistical Programming in R John Hopkins University (by Jeffrey Leek), Coursera online course (88.9%)
	Other courses
	Designing questionnaires for cross-cultural surveys 1st SERISS Training Course, Ljubljana, Slovenia October 2016
	Multilevel Modelling for Comparative Research 11th ESS Training Course, Ljubljana, Slovenia October 2013

FELLOWSHIPS

Dates	2014/15 (full academic year, 10 months)
Location	Indiana University, Bloomington, IN, USA
Type of fellowship	Fulbright Visiting Professor (courses taught: Digital Societies, Sociology of Organizations, Youth Sociology, European Social Survey)

Dates	2011 (1 month)
Location	USA (various states and cities: Washington DC; New York, NY; Columbus, OH; Montgomery, AL; Phoenix, AZ)
Type of fellowship	Marshall Memorial Fellowship of the German Marshall Fund of the United States (GMFUS)

Dates	2004 (5 months)
Location	Indiana University, Bloomington, IN, USA
Type of fellowship	holder of Rézler Gyula Visiting Scholar Fellowship

PERSONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

Mother tongue(s) — **Hungarian**

Other language(s)

	Understanding			Speaking			Writing	
	Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production		Writing
English	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user
German	B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user

(*) Common European Framework of Reference (CEF) level

Social skills and competences — Good adaptation to multicultural environment, experience gained in international research environment. Good presentation skills in Hungarian and in English.

Organisational skills and competences — Project and group leader experiences (as a managing director of ITHAKA, research associate of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences and leader of various other research projects both in academia, policy and business).

Computer skills and competences — Knowledge in computer operation systems (Microsoft Windows, Mac OS X) above user level, daily use of statistical (**SPSS**, **R**, **Python**), GIS (**Mapinfo**, **qGIS**), qualitative text analysis (**Atlas.ti, MaxQDA) softwares** and expert in data visualization software **Tableau** and PowerBI.

Artistic skills and competences — guitar, drums, percussion, video shooting and editing

Driving licence(s) — driving licence for passenger cars

Awards — Junior Prima Primissima Award in the category of Science (2007)
Member of the "50 most successful Hungarian young professionals" elected by Napi Gazdaság (leading daily economic newspaper) in 2009