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## STUDIES

**Habilitation (Dr. habil)**

**Obuda University 2025**

Business and Management

**PhD**

**University of Miskolc 2018**

Business and Organisational Sciences

**MsC**

**University of Miskolc 2002**

economist, organisational  
management specialisation

**Languages**

English fluent

German conversational

## Memberships

- Hungarian Economists' Association  
Department of Innovation, founding  
president
- Young Researchers Academy, advisory  
board member
- National research Infrastructure  
Committee, member
- ELTE Faculty of Natural Sciences Advisory  
Board member
- Member in the European Science Advisory  
forum

## Awards

- hon. associate professor  
Magyar Agrár- és Élettudományi Egyetem  
(2021)
- Medal for Hungarian Prosperity (2020)
- Golden Insignia, OTDT (2019)
- OTDK first place (2001)

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Head of Office

*Obuda University Talent Management Office*

*2025 05 - ongoing*

### Deputy CEO for Science Affairs

*HUN-REN Research Network HQ*

*2024 01 - 2025 01*

### Director

*ELTE TTK Research and Industrial Relations Center*

*2023 04 - 2024 10*

### Vice President for Science and International Affairs

*National Research, Development and Innovation Office*

*2018 - 2023*

### Head of Department

*Ministry of Human Capacities, Department for Research  
and higher education strategy 2017-2018*

### Head of Department

*National Innovation Office, Department for analysis and  
monitoring 2011-2016*

### Project manager

*Governmental Development Agency 2008-2011*

### Consultant

*Catro Vezetői Tanácsadó Kft.*

*2005-2008*

### Grant administrator

*Oktatási Minisztérium Alapkezelő Igazgatósága 2003-2005*

## RESEARCH AND LECTURING

MTMT: 10054123

**Obuda University, 2022 szeptember-**

**Associate Professor**, Faculty of Economics

Subjects: At IMDI - Innovation management and theories

Deputy Leader, Doctoral School for Innovation Management,

Initium ZRt. board member

**University of Pannonia 2020 09 -**

**Research fellow**

Subjects: Innovation policy, Economics of RDI, innovation  
management

**Budapest Business University, 2017 - 2025**

**Associate professor**

**BA and MA subjects:**

Innovation management, Progress management, Organisational  
management