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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Academic appointments:

Kent State University, Department of Political Science, Kent, OH
Associate Professor August, 2016 – Present
Assistant Professor August, 2010 – August, 2016
Instructor Summer, 2007 - 2010

Kent State University, Summer Institute, Florence, Italy
Associate Professor June, 2017

Kent State University at Stark, Department of Political Science, N. Canton, OH
Instructor Summer, 2009

Kent State University, Department of Political Science, Kent, OH
Research/Teaching Assistant 2005-2006

Other relevant professional:

Akron Global Ties, Board Member April 2021
(previously served at its predecessor Akron International Friendship, a public diplomacy arm of the U.S. Department of State International Visitors Program, the Open World Leadership Program and various national program agencies. 2001-2006)

Hungarian Trade Office, New York 2000-2001
Regional Trade Representative

Hungarian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Department of External Economic Relations, Budapest, Hungary
Counselor 1996-1999

Hungarian Foreign Trade Ministry, Department of Economics, Budapest, Hungary
Chief of section 1986-1996

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Political Science, Concentration in International Relations and Comparative politics
Kent State University, Kent, Ohio

Master of Business Administration, Concentration in International Business,
Kent State University, Kent, Ohio

Bachelor of Arts in International Management and Business, Concentration
in Foreign Trade and Business,
Budapest Business School (CIMB), Budapest, Hungary

Bachelor of Science in Engineering, Concentration in Civil Engineering,
University of Pécs (PMMK), Hungary

Postgraduate studies:

Central European University, Budapest, Hungary
Globalization and Public Policy course

Hungarian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Taipei, Taiwan
International Trade Policy training

British Council, London, United Kingdom
English Language and Literature Program

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Networked Governance and Transatlantic Relations: Building Bridges through Science Diplomacy. Routledge Advances in International Relations and Global Politics Series, London and New York: Routledge, April 28th, 2014.
<http://www.taylorandfrancis.com/books/details/9780203744598/>

The European Union in the Changing World: the United Kingdom,
Changing World Series 33, Budapest, Hungary: Press Publica, 2000.
(Original title: *Az Európai Unió a Változó Világban: Az Egyesült Királyság,*
book on the UK's economy, history, and culture)

Economic Study on Great Britain, published in CD-ROM in Hungary 1997

Work in Progress

World politics interactive textbook. Edition: 2018. Interactive Publisher: TOPHAT,
ISBN: 9781773307824

"Mobilizing Network Capital: The Role of Transatlantic Communication Networks in Science Diplomacy," journal article to be submitted in *Political Communication, Public Understanding of Science and Journal of European Public Policy*.

Conference Paper Presentations:

"Silencing Science and Hijacking Narratives: How Sophisticated Authoritarian Soft Power Threatens Science Diplomacy's Role in Governance and What We Can Do About It," Paper to be presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention's Citizens, Public Diplomacy, and International Politics panel, Honolulu, Hawaii; March 25-28, 2020

"Reshaping the Transatlantic Science Diplomacy Space: Strategic Visions for a New Governance Model between Science and Society " Paper to be presented at the

International Studies Association's Annual Convention's Citizens, Public Diplomacy, and International Politics panel, Honolulu, Hawaii; March 25-28, 2020

"Shifting the Mindset: Distributed Creativity in the Age of Social Media," Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention's Citizens, Public Diplomacy, and International Politics panel, Toronto, Canada; March 27-30, 2019

"Reshaping the Transatlantic Science Diplomacy Space: Strategic Visions for a New Governance Model between Science and Society," Paper presented at the 2019 EUSA International Biennial Conference, Denver, CO; May 9-11, 2019

"The Medici Effect and Social Media Consumption: The Power of Intersections and Breaking out of Echo Chambers," Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention's Citizens, Public Diplomacy, and International Politics panel, San Francisco, CA; April 4-7, 2018

"A Most Serious Security Threat: Let's Bring Back Science to Democracy." Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention's Science and Technology in Diplomacy panel, Baltimore, MD; February 22-25, 2017 and at the APSA Annual Meeting, Division 39: Science, Technology and Environmental Politics, The Role of Science and Experts in the Policy Process panel, August 31- September 3, 2017, San Francisco, CA

Panel participant in "Public Policy Dilemmas in the EU and North America" at the European Community Studies Association - Canada (ECSA-C) 11th Biennial Conference at Dalhousie University, Halifax Nova Scotia, Canada; May 9-11, 2016

"Talking Green: Reshaping the International Communication Space and the Politics of Energy." Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention, Atlanta, GA; March 16-19, 2016

"Innovation Futures in the EU Knowledge Economy – The Case of Hungary." Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention, Atlanta, GA; March 16-19, 2016

"Science and Technology Networks of International Communication: Catalysts of Change in a Complex Adaptive Ecosystem." Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA; February 18-21, 2015

"Spaces and Places of Security: Transatlantic Energy Governance Networks." Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention, Toronto, Canada; March 26-29, 2014

"Transatlantic Energy Governance Networks." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Palmer House Hilton, Chicago, IL, April 3-6, 2014

"Mobilizing Network Capital: The Role of Transatlantic Communication Networks in Science Diplomacy." Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention, San Francisco, CA; April 12-7, 2013

"Innovation Diffusion in the European Union and in Hungary," Paper co-authored with Katalin Csorba Balogne (Embassy of Hungary, Washington, D. C.), presented at the

International Studies Association's Annual Convention, San Francisco, CA; April 12-7, 2013

"The Next Wave of Governance: Brokers, Network Architects, and Other Actors in Transatlantic Cyberspace." Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention, San Diego, CA; April 1-4, 2012

"Coping with Complexity: Transatlantic Virtual Communication Networks as Sources of Legitimacy and Creativity in Global Governance." Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention, Montréal, Québec, Canada; March 16-19, 2011

"Opportunities or Threats? – Global Governance vis-à-vis R&D and Innovation Policies in Hungary and within the European Union." Paper co-authored with Katalin Csorba Balogne (Ministry for National Development and Economy, Hungary; Budapest Business School), presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention, Montréal, Québec, Canada; March 16-19, 2011

"Knowledge Sharing and Networking between the United States and the European Union: A Network Analytical Approach to Scientific and Technological Cooperation." Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA; February 17-20, 2010

"Crossing the Boundaries between Theory and Practice: Why Improved R&D and Innovation Policies could redefine the Role of Hungary in the EU's Knowledge Economy." Paper co-authored with Katalin Csorba Balogne (Ministry for National Development and Economy, Hungary; Budapest Business School), presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA; February 17-20, 2010

"Towards a New Transatlantic Partnership: Science, Society, Governance, and the Power of Networks in Creating Synergistic Linkages." Poster presented at the Harvard Political Networks Conference, Cambridge, MA; June 11-13, 2009

"Science, Society, Governance, and the Power of Networks: Transatlantic Partnerships in Managing Global Risks and Opportunities." Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention, New York city, NY; February 15-18, 2009

"Path to an 'Acquis Atlantique?'- Transatlantic Knowledge Networks as Catalysts of Change in Global Governance." Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention, San Francisco, CA; March 26-29, 2008

"Towards a New Transatlantic Partnership: Creating Synergistic Linkages between Knowledge Networks and Civil Society to Bridge Global Divides." Paper presented at the 3rd Annual Graduate Student Conference on the European Union, Pittsburgh, PA; March 1, 2008

"A Clash between the 21st Century Knowledge Economy and the Rise of Anti Intellectualism: A Comparative Study of the Impacts of Politicization of Scientific Inquiry in the United States and the European Union." Paper presented at the International Studies Association's Annual Convention, Chicago, IL; February 28-March 3, 2007

"2008 and Beyond: Unraveling the Dean Vote in the 2004 Democratic Presidential

Primaries.” Paper co-authored with Professor Caroline Tolbert, presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Palmer House Hilton, Chicago, IL, April 12-15, 2007

“Coping with Regionalism: A Study of the Impacts of the Hungarian EU-integration.” Paper presented at the International Studies Association’s Annual Convention, San Diego, CA; March 22-25, 2006

“Divided America: Conflicting Views of Equality, Democracy, and Capitalism in Presidential Vote Choice.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Palmer House Hilton, Chicago, IL, April 7, 2005

“The Global Monitoring System Revisited: Challenges of Assigning Global Responsibility and the Reestablishment of Human Value Systems in the Era of Globalization.” Paper presented at the Annual Policy Science Institute at Yale Law School, New Haven, Conn., October 21-24, 2004

Invited Speaker:

“European Union in a Changing World: Promise and Potential (Un)Fulfilled?” at the Cleveland Hungarian Heritage Society lecture series, Cleveland, Ohio, November 12, 2016

“Nanotechnology, Security, & US-EU Approaches to Governance Workshop,” Georgia Institute of Technology, Sam Nunn School of International Affairs and the GT EU Center of Excellence, Atlanta, Georgia; April 7-8, 2011

Forum on “Doing Business in Hungary” presented as part of the Center for International Education’s International Business series, in cooperation with the U.S. Dept. of Education at Lakeland Community College, Lakeland, Ohio; April 25, 2002

Invited panelist:

Forum on Justice for Women at Kent State University, Kent, Ohio, November 30, 2017

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Intercultural Faculty Scholar, Kent State University’s Fall 2018 *Intercultural Faculty Scholars Program*

Teaching Scholar, Kent State University’s 2016-2017 *Teaching Scholars Program*

Courses taught:

Smarter Than Your Smart Phone, Design Innovation course

ST: How to be a Renaissance Boss in the Modern World, Florence, Italy

Senior Seminar: Networks and Transnational Governance (writing intensive)

IR Theory

Politics of the Global Economy

U.S. Foreign Policy

Politics of War

European Politics

Comparative Foreign Policy

Nongovernmental Organizations
Introduction to World Politics
Comparative Politics
First Year Experience/ Freshman orientation

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS AND AWARDS

Nominated for the Distinguished Teacher Award at the College of Arts and Sciences, Kent State University (2019)

Faculty Recognition Award (2016). University Teaching Council, Kent State University.

Collaborative Research Award (*Transatlantic Science and Technology Networks*)
KSU, College of Arts and Sciences, 2013

Summer Teaching Development Grant
KSU, Teaching Council, 2013

NSF travel grant to attend the Program on Networked Governance Conference
Harvard, Cambridge, 2009
Summer Course Fellowship
Central European University, Open Society, 2004

English Language and Literature Program, Scholarship from the British Council
London, United Kingdom, 1986

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Incoming Section Chair for the International Communication Section at the 2022 International Studies Association Annual Convention in Nashville, TN

Design Innovation Initiative Member, KSU 2021

Section Program Chair for the International Communication Section at the 2021 International Studies Association Annual Convention in Las Vegas, NV

Undergraduate Coordinator, Department of Political Science, KSU 2020-2021

A & S College Curriculum Committee member, KSU 2020-2021

Educational Policies Council member, KSU 2020-2021

Vice Program Chair for the International Communication Section at the 2020 International Studies Association Annual Convention in Honolulu, Hawaii

Global Understanding Research Initiative planning focus group 2018

European Commission - identified and registered as an expert for the evaluation of proposals submitted under the EU research and innovation programme Horizon 2020, Societal Challenge 6, call/topic Engaging Together Globally 04-2017: Science diplomacy for EU neighbourhood policies. 2017

Panel discussant for "Governing Ocean Resources" (Junior Scholar Symposium) and for "Space" (International Security Studies) at the upcoming 2019 Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association

Panel Chair for "Human Rights and the Internet" and "Regions and Institutional Change" at the 2017 Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association

Best Book Award Committee member for the 2017 International Studies Association-International Communication Section

Program Committee Member for the 2016 Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association-International Communication Section (ISA-ICOMM)

Panel discussant for "Contested Narratives: Political and Cultural Dimensions" and for "Representation and Participation in Global Governance" (Junior Scholar Symposium) at the 2016 Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association

Journal Reviewer/Referee: *International Studies Review*, 2014 & *Humanities and Social Sciences Communications*, 2020

Mentor for Oliva Kavishe for the McNair Scholars Program, KSU, Summer 2016

Supervise Public Service internships, Fall 2016 (Amanda Michalak)

Supervise Public Service summer internships, 2016 (Tanmay Shah, Chelsey Kaufman)

Supervise Public Service internship, Fall 2015 (Santino Napoli, Andrew Rossman, Grace Goodluck)

Supervise students at the "Focus on the Future: Careers in Public Service," Annual KSU Political Science Club Conference, Washington D.C., April 10-14, 2015

Supervise students at the "Focus on the Future: Careers in Public Service," Annual KSU Political Science Club Conference, Washington D.C., March 22-26, 2013

Supervise independent studies for Honors students, KSU 2010-2017

Senior Honors Thesis, Advisor, Joshua Haynie, KSU 2019-2020

Senior Honors Thesis, Advisor, Reuben Francis, KSU 2019-2020

Senior Honors Thesis, Advisor, Andrea Orszag, KSU 2017-18

Senior Honors Thesis, Advisor, Emily McDonnell, KSU 2016

Senior Honors Thesis, Committee Member, Jhanisse Vaca Daza, KSU 2016

Senior Honors Thesis, Advisor, Alex Hart, KSU 2015

Senior Honors Thesis, Committee Member, Michaela Kline, KSU 2015

Senior Honors Thesis, Committee Member, Ericka Alexandres, KSU 2015

Journal Reviewer/Referee: *International Studies Review*

Senior Honors Thesis, Committee Member, James King, KSU 2013

Board Member at Akron International Friendship - 2001-2006
AIF sponsors international exchanges through the U.S. Department of State International Visitors Program, the Open World Leadership Program and various national program agencies. (Akron International Friendship citizen diplomats, as part of a network of 95 community-based organizations known as the National Council of International Visitors, were nominated for the Nobel Peace Prize in 2001).

Master's thesis advisor for students at the College for Foreign Trade, Budapest and the University of Miskolc, Hungary, 1998-99

MEDIA APPEARANCE

Interview on science diplomacy with Colleen Carroll, Sciences reporter for The Kent Stater & TV2 on December 5, 2019. "Navigating science, politics: a rocky relationship," http://www.kentwired.com/latest_updates/article_def53946-17e4-11ea-8054-2fdf40d6e55a.html

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Hungarian Educators Association (AHEA), 2014 – present
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), 2013 - present
European Union Studies Association (EUSA), 2013 - present
International Studies Association (International Communication section, Comparative Interdisciplinary Studies section), 2006 - present
American Political Science association, 2003- present
First president of ΦΒΔ society of international teachers and scholars at KSU 1992

SKILLS

Native speaker of Hungarian, good command of French, basic Italian knowledge, basic Russian knowledge, proficient in Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint); PAJEK software for the analysis and visualization of large networks, currently learning "R" programming language and NVivo qualitative data analysis software.