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Language competencies: French, English
Scientific degree: PhD (2021)
**Fields of interest,
research topics, keywords:** synagogue communities in Budapest, identity research, cultural anthropological research methods, coexistence of Jews and non-Jews in the Selyp Basin (Heves county, Hungary) in the 20th century, ethnography of the Selyp Basin
Place and date of birth: Hatvan, 1/3/1992

Education, Degree

2016–2020 Eötvös Loránd University of Budapest, Faculty of Humanities, Doctoral School of Literary Studies, Hungarian and Comparative Folklore Studies Doctoral Program (PhD 2021, *summa cum laude*)
2014–2016 Eötvös Loránd University of Budapest, Faculty of Social Sciences, Cultural Anthropology MA
2011–2014 Eötvös Loránd University of Budapest, Faculty of Social Sciences, Social Sciences BA

Awards, grants

2020 Academic competition of The Federation of Hungarian Jewish Communities
1st place
Paper title: *Kehillah after the Shoah? Trauma-processing and “protracted social traumas” in the world of a synagogue*
2018 Academic competition of The Federation of Hungarian Jewish Communities
2nd place
Paper title: *“I lost myself in Hatvan...” Phases from life and oeuvre of doctor Vilmos Adler, ex-pupil of the rabbinical seminary of Budapest and ex-rabbi of Hatvan*
2017 National Conference of Scientific Students’ Associations, Social Sciences Section, Cultural and Social Anthropology Department
3rd place and special award (in cooperation with Hanga Eszter Kiss-Pál)
Paper title: *The Self-Revealing “Other”: the Cultural Anthropological Analysis of the “Other” from the Perspective of the Insider and Outsider Researcher*
Academic competition of The Federation of Hungarian Jewish Communities
3rd place
Paper title: *“Dated 1939/40”. Mosaic Pieces of Oral History towards a Micro-Level Understanding of the Shoah*
2016 Award of the best cultural anthropological thesis in 2015/16

- Paper title: *“To be a Jew means...”* Some determinate elements of Jewish identity in the community of the Visegrádi Street Synagogue, Budapest
- 2015** Scientific competition of The Federation of Hungarian Jewish Communities
3rd place
Paper title: The poetry of Zoltán Somlyó during the WWI
- 2015–2016** Hungarian State Scholarship
- 2013–2014** Budapest Scholarship Program

Employment

- September 2020 –** Department of Historical Ethnography, Institute of Ethnology, Research Centre for the Humanities, junior research fellow
- June – August 2017** Holocaust Memorial Center (trainee)

Career

Field Experience

- 2017–nowadays** Selyp Basin, Heves county, Hungary (Apc, Zagyvaszántó, Lőrinci-Selyp)
- 2017–2019** Páva Street Synagogue, Budapest
- 2015** Visegrádi Street Synagogue, Budapest

Publications

[Publications in the Hungarian Scientific Bibliography](#)

Social activities

Membership, ranks

- Hungarian Cultural Anthropological Association, member (2017)
- Hungarian Ethnographical Society, member (2022)
- Public Body of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Section of Linguistics and Literary Scholarship, member (2022)