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| Scientific degree: | Ph.D |
| Fields of interest, research topics, keywords: | folklore, textology, short forms, riddles, internet folklore |
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Education, Degree

- 1998–2004** Eötvös Loránd University – MA in Ethnography
2005–2008 Eötvös Loránd University, Hungarian and Comparative Folklore Studies Doctoral Program

Awards, Honours

- 2010** Jelismervény (award of the Hungarian Association for Semiotic Studies)

Grants

- 2005–2008** state scholarship as a Ph.D student

Employment

- 2011** Institute of Ethnology, Hungarian Academy of Sciences
2012– Institute of Ethnology, Research Centre for the Humanities,
Hungarian Academy of Sciences

Career

Research Activities

Folklore text research, philology, historical poetics. The 19th century corpus and interpretation of folklore genres (OTKA NI 61252, 2006-2009)

Encyclopaedia of Hungarian Folk Poetry (HAS RCH Department for Folklore Studies, 2012-)

ETNOFOLK: Preservation and Enhancement of Folk Culture Heritage in Central Europe (ERDF Central Europe Programme, 3CE296P4, April 2013 – June 2014)

Teaching Activities

- 2011** Minor genres of folk prose. Institute of Ethnography, Eötvös Loránd University

Publications

[Publications in the Repertory of Hungarian Scientific Works](#)

Other scientific publications

Professional talks, papers or posters

- 2006** Proverb Is as Proverb Does: A Survey of the Use of Proverbs and Anti-Proverbs. / ***Disciplinary and Interdisciplinary Phraseology International Conference*** / organised by the Institute of German Studies of the Pannonian University of Veszprém (Hungary) and the European Society of Phraseology (EUROPHRAS) / Veszprém, June 9-11, 2006.
- 2013** “Hungary, I Love You This Way!” Variations of a Beer Commercial as Narratives of Group Identity. / ***Folk Narrative in the Modern World: Unity and Diversity*** / 16th Congress of the International Society for Folk Narrative Research (ISFNR) / Vilnius, June 25-30, 2013.
- 2014** Verbal and Visual Humor in the Online Folklore of Political Elections in Hungary, 2014 / **International Humour Symposium. A multiple perspective approach to humour** / organized by the Department of Modern Philology, Faculty of Education, J. Selye University / Komárno, November 14, 2014.

Social activities

Membership, ranks

Hungarian Ethnographical Society
SIEF