

CURRICULUM VITAE

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I. CONTACT INFORMATION

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II. HIGHLIGHTS

- I am a professional researcher specialised in regional geography and urban sciences. I have gained my knowledge and expertise from universities across *Europe* (*Pécs, Wolverhampton, Maribor, Zagreb, Ljubljana, and Birmingham*). During my years as a PhD Student, I was given the chance to gain experience as a lecturer (renewable energy resources and world regional geography). In 2015, I officially became a teacher after successfully completing my PGCE at the *Birmingham City University* in *England*.
- I am a qualified teacher and have gained experience in many settings including a prison where I taught mathematics to a wide age range and ability of students and different learning skills and levels, having been able to use the knowledge that I obtained from the PGCE course in practice.
- As a researcher, my interest focuses on regional geography, more specifically on locality, sustainability, environmental issues, and energetics. I am able to perform and combine various geographical fields. Besides having published a number of articles and books, I am the founder and series editor of *Frugeo's* journal called *Geographical Locality Studies*.
- I am a registered member of the *Hungarian Geographical Society (MFT)*, and the *Association of Teachers and Lecturers (ATL)*.
- I am DBS checked.

III. KEY SKILLS

- *Teaching:* I am a qualified teacher specialising in Geography. I also have experience of teaching other subjects such as Geology, Environmental geography, and Mathematics.
- *Research and survey:* I am a qualified researcher focusing on locality, sustainability, and energy resources. I have also been involved in biological monitoring surveys.
- *Academic writing:* including scientific papers and books.
- *Languages:* I speak English and Hungarian fluently. I can also speak and I am familiar with several other languages at different levels including Swedish, German and some Slavic.
- *Computer software:* I am able to work with a wide range of software including Microsoft Office, Adobe, Serif, Corel, SmartDraw, and Google.
- *Typesetting of publications:* I am the Series Editor of *Geographical Locality Studies*.

IV. EDUCATION

2013 – 2015	Birmingham City University Birmingham, England, UK	PGCE PCET	Qualified teacher Geography, Mathematics
2011 –	University of Pécs, Doctoral School of Earth Sciences Pécs, Hungary	PhD Aspirant	In progression Candidate for PhD
2008 – 2011	University of Pécs, Doctoral School of Earth Sciences Pécs, Hungary	PhD Student	Absolutory
2005 – 2008	University of Pécs, Faculty of Sciences, Institute of Geography; Pécs, Hungary	Urban Sciences	Specialisation
2004 – 2006	University of Pécs, Faculty of Sciences, Institute of Geography; Pécs, Hungary	Student of the Asia Centre (Asian studies)	Specialisation
2002 – 2008	University of Pécs, Faculty of Sciences, Institute of Geography; Pécs, Hungary	Geographer	MSc
1999 – 2002	Secondary School of Food Industry and Survey Szombathely, Hungary	Secondary Education	Certificate of Secondary Ed- ucation
1996 – 1999	Secondary School for Trade, Cater- ing and Tourism Szombathely, Hun- gary	Vocational education	Cook/Chef
1988 – 1996	Bolyai János Primary and Gram- mar School Szombathely, Hungary	Primary education	–

V. SCHOLARSHIPS

2011 (2 months)	University of Ljubljana Faculty of Arts; Ljubljana, Slovenia	Geography	CEEPUS
2010 (1 month)	University of Zagreb Faculty of Science; Zagreb, Croatia	Geography	CEEPUS
2009 (5 months)	University of Maribor Faculty of Arts; Maribor, Slovenia	Geography, Hungarian literature	CEEPUS
2007 (5 months)	University of Wolverhampton School of Applied Sciences; Wolverhampton, England, United Kingdom	Geomorphology, Analytical and Envi- ronmental Sciences	ERASMUS

2006 (5 months)	University of Groningen Groningen, The Netherlands (Despite I was awarded, the scholarship was not taken due to a serious injury to my lungs that occurred in the end of 2005)	Geography	ERASMUS
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VI. OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS AND CERTIFICATES

2013	Full UK Driving Licence	DVLA	AM/A/B1/B f/k/p/q
2013	Anglia Ruskin University Cambridge, England, UK	IELTS English Test Academic	Overall: 6.5 Listening: 6.0 Reading: 7.0 Writing: 6.5 Speaking: 7.0
2008	BME Nyelvvizsga Penta Unió Oktatási Centrum, Pécs	BME English Test	Intermediate B2 (written)
2006	BME Nyelvvizsga Penta Unió Oktatási Centrum, Pécs	BME English Test	Intermediate A (oral)

VII. WORK HISTORY

VII.1. Geography, Research, Teaching and Academic Work Experience

2017 – on-going	Geoshrews – Scientific Rants and Bants Frugéo Geography Research Initiative GB-Clive Cottage, SY1 1LT, Shrewsbury	Geography-themed thematic debates, video blog. Videos are available on YouTube. Team leader & editor
2013 – on-going	Geographical Locality Studies Periodical publication of Frugéo Geography Research Initiative GB-Clive Cottage, SY1 1LT, Shrewsbury	Series Editor, Editor-in-Chief Founder of GLS
2011 – on-going	Frugéo GRI Limited Frugéo Geography Research Initiative GB-Clive Cottage, SY1 1LT, Shrewsbury	Tutor, researcher, designer, manuscript developer and book editor, publisher Managing director of Frugéo GRI
2012 – on-going	Treetec (proprietor: Angus Andrew) Environmental research and survey GB-3 Dorset Street, SY1 2JB Shrewsbury	- Bat and newt survey - Tree survey - Tree surgery
2013 – 2015	Eco Project Birmingham City University Students' Union Franchise Street, B42 2SU Birmingham	Learn Team Leader - Speaker, presenter - Researcher - PDF writer & designer

2013 – 2015	HMP Birmingham (Winson Green) Winson Green Road, B18 4AS Birmingham	BCU placement (trainee) Teacher of Mathematics
2013 – 2015	Birmingham City University Faculty of Education, Law & Social Sciences Perry Barr, City North Campus, Birmingham, B42 2SU	Student representative Part time PGCE
2010 / 2011	Akadémiai Kiadó (Academic Press); H-1117 Budapest, Prielle Kornélia u. 19/D H-7624 Pécs, Ifjúság útja 6. Hungary	Academic book technical editor and designer
2008 – 2011	PhD student at the Doctoral School of Earth Sciences at the University of Pécs; Institute of Geography H-7624 Pécs, Ifjúság útja 6. Hungary	PhD Student: - Assistant lecturer - Book editor and designer - Conference and event organiser - Minute-book reporter
2010 – 2011	University of Pécs; H-7624 Pécs, Ifjúság útja 6., Hungary	Book editor and designer
2010	Participation in the common survey project of Ádám Kőrösi PhD and the Őrségi National Park: „The effect of mowing on the Scarce Large Blue (<i>Maculinea teleius</i>) population in the Őrség” H-9941 Őriszentpéter, Siskaszer 26/A	Volunteer - Identifying and counting of butterfly species, ants and flowers

VII.2. Teaching experience

2011 – on-going	Private tuition in Geography, Geology, Mathematics	Frugero GRI Shrewsbury, UK
2013 – 2015	Mathematics (Entry level 1, 2, 3 and Level 1, 2)	HMP Birmingham Winson Green, UK
2013 – 2015	Sustainability	ECO, BCU SU Birmingham, UK
2010/2011	Európán kívüli kontinensek regionális földrajza – World Regional Geography – seminary for BSc students	University of Pécs Pécs, Hungary
2009/2010	Európán kívüli kontinensek regionális földrajza – World Regional Geography – seminary for BSc students	University of Pécs Pécs, Hungary
2009/2010	Megújuló energiaforrások – Renewable Energy Resources for BSc & MSc students	University of Pécs Pécs, Hungary

VII.3. Other work experience

2017 –	Ginger Cats Shrewsbury GB-Clive Cottage, SY1 1LT, Shrewsbury	Owner, cat sitter
2016	Absolute Interpreting and Translations Ltd. GB-46 Hylton Street, Jewellery Quarter Birmingham, B18 6HN	Hungarian interpreter
2015 – 2017	Shropshire House Sitters GB-Clive Cottage, SY1 1LT, Shrewsbury	Owner, pet sitter

2014 – 2015	Ellie and Oscar's Ltd. led by Mr Robert Buka 386 Penn Road, Penn, Wolverhampton, WV4 4DF	Pet sitter, home boarder
2011 – 2014	Wolverhampton Pet Sitters led by Mr Robert Buka 386 Penn Road, Penn, Wolverhampton, WV4 4DF	Pet sitter, Dog walker, Home boarder
2011	Rock Hotel 8 Old Hill, Tettenhall, Wolverhampton, WV6 8QB	Kitchen assistant
2008	Gomba büfé H-8313, Balatonyörök, Strand, Hungary	Kitchen manager
2007	Rock Hotel 8 Old Hill, Tettenhall, Wolverhampton, WV6 8QB	Kitchen assistant
2007	Wolverhampton Pet Sitters led by Mr Robert Buka 386 Penn Road, Penn, Wolverhampton, WV4 4DF	Pet sitter (Volunteer)
2006 – 2007	Pécs Zoo H-7621 Pécs, Hungary Munkácsy Mihály u. 31	Animal carer (Volunteer)
2000 – 2002	TESCO H-9700 Szombathely, Hungary Zanati út 70.	Pizza & grill cook, and cashier
2001	Philips Hungary Ltd. H-9700 Szombathely, Hungary Géfin Gyula u. 22.	Assembler (temporary, 9 days only)
1999 – 2000	Fogadó a fekete lóhoz, Restaurant H-9700 Szombathely, Hungary Középhegyi úti Lovasiskola	Kitchen manager
1996 – 2000	Gól vendéglő, Restaurant H-9700 Szombathely, Hungary Domonkos utca 3.	Cook

VIII. SPOKEN AND FAMILIAR LANGUAGES/SKILLS

Hungarian	Fluent (1 st Language)	Nationality, Mother tongue
English	Fluent (2 nd Language)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BME Intermediate A (2006) + B (2008) • IELTS 6.5 (2013)
Swedish	Conversational level	Actively learning for a certificate
German	Conversational level	-
Slovenian	Conversational level	-
Russian	Ability to read the Cyrillic scripts	-

IX. COMPUTER-SOFTWARE SKILLS

Operating systems	MS-DOS, Linux, MS Windows systems, MacOS
Microsoft Office	Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Publisher, Designer
GIS	Idrisi, CartaLinx, ArcGIS
Google	Google Earth Pro, Docs, Sheets, Slides

Graphic design software packages	SmartDraw, Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator, CorelDraw, Serif WebPlus, Serif PagePlus, Serif PhotoPlus, Serif DrawPlus, Serif MoviePlus
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X. MEMBERSHIPS

member since 2009	International Centre for Ecoremediation Universa v Mariboru (University of Mairbor), Slovenia
member since 2011	Hungarian Geographical Society (MFT – Magyar Földrajzi Társaság)
member since 2013	Associations of Teachers and Lecturers (ATL)

XI. HOBBIES

Settlement signs	https://www.flickr.com/photos/96521519@N06/albums
Others	traveling, walking, photography, bicycles/cycling, mountain hiking/climbing, tree climbing, minerals, gems, stones, rocks, energy resources, natural objects, manhole lids, trees, flowers, animals, drawing, patchwork, craft
List of publications	http://www.fruggeo.co.uk/laszlo_bokor_list_of_publication.html

XII. GENERAL REFERENCES/REFEREES

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