

RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

European research grant advisor	April 2019 –
Dr. Borbála Schenk Consultancy <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ supporting proposal writing and management for European esp. H2020 calls▪ research impact, stakeholder engagement, communication, ethics and GDPR▪ capacity-building for universities and research institutions to maximize funding opportunities.▪ special services tailored to the needs of institutions and researchers in the Widening countries	
Board Member-elect and Chair of Policy and Representation Standing Committee	March 2019 –
European Association of Research Managers and Administrators (EARMA) <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ member-elect of the highest governing body of the Association▪ leading the committee responsible for preparing strategic documents and representing EARMA in international EU funding stakeholder events▪ Member, Policy and Representation Committee, August 2017 –▪ Member, Editorial Board April 2018 -	
Member	November 2018 –
Ethics and Research Integrity Officers' Network (ERION) <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ community for professionals in Research Ethics, Research Integrity and GDPR issues▪ providing input as a stakeholder group to the DG RTD Ethics and Research Integrity Sector	
WG1 member, Core Group member	September 2017 –
BESTPRAC The Voice of Research Administrators COST Action <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ member of governing board of a network of research managers from 40 countries▪ Impact and Stakeholder Engagement Group, Leader March 2018 – March 2019	
Project manager (pre-and post-award)	December 2017 -
Democratic Efficacy and the Varieties of Populism in Europe (DEMOS)	March 2019
H2020 RIA project Grant agreement ID: 822590 <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ leading the research management team that contributed significantly to the winning of the 3 million EUR research project under the coordination of MTA TK▪ responsible for Consortium Agreement and deliverables on Communication, Stakeholder Engagement, Ethics and Data Protection	
Centre for Social Sciences, Hungarian Academy of Sciences (MTA TK)	March 2012 –
Head of the Office of the Director-General	March 2019
Head of Communications <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ overseeing legal and administrative aspects of a public research organization (190 researchers, 30 administration), managing work-flow. GDPR-compliance.▪ directing communication to peers, founders and public. Managing channels of internal communication.▪ institution branding and promotion.▪ leading a proactive pre-award research management team responsible for EU grant-proposal consultancy, proposal design and writing, research impact and communication activities, Ethics and Data Protection	
Mindennapi Pszichológia (Everyday Psychology) Magazin	
External Relations Manager <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ participation in the publishing process of a scientific journal designed for a public audience▪ managing accounts and external partners, brand promotion and development	2011 – 2012

Dialóg Campus Kiadó/Publishing Company**Legal Editor****2006 – 2011**

- developing the legal portfolio of a scientific publishing company
- managing all stages of the book publishing process, liaising with external partners
- promoting the company in professional and public events

Office of the Commissioner for Educational Rights**Legal Officer****2004 – 2006**

- investigate petitions, providing legal aid and opinion on the field of Education Law
- raising awareness for educational rights and obligations

Bibó István College for Advanced Studies**Director****2002 – 2004**

- managing the everyday operation of the institution (cca. 70 students and administration)
- talent development of students selected in a competitive process
- developing and implementing the educational and organisational strategy of the college
- liaising with university leaders, legal professionals, alumni and other external partners

RELEVANT EDUCATION**Industrial Property Law Specialist****2019**

Certificate issued by Hungarian Intellectual Property Law Office

Eotvos Lorand University of Sciences, Faculty of Law**1995 – 2001**

Dr. Iur. degree “cum laude”,

member of Hungarian team, Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition, Washington, DC

Bibó István College for Advanced Studies**1996 – 2002**

1996-2001 student, 2000-2001 Head of Student Board, 2001-2002 mentor

Bard College, New York**1998 – 1999**

academic year on Kellner scholarship

TRAININGS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**Trainer – “How to support successful grant proposals.****July 1-3, 2019****Grant-writing, Impact, Implementation”**

BESTPRAC COST Training School, Zagreb

Presentation – “The evolution of support services in relation to challenge-led and impact-oriented research**March 28, 2019**

EARMA Annual Conference, Bologna

Trainer – “How to support successful grant proposals.**December 10-12,****Writing the Impact section”****2018**

BESTPRAC COST Training School, Lisbon

Presentation, workshop – “How to write a successful H2020 grant proposal?”**December 5,**

Conference for Research Managers, Hungarian Academy of Sciences

2018

Trainer – “Integrating societal impact in a research strategy” **November 28-30, 2018**
AESIS – Network for Advancing and Evaluating the Societal Impact of Science
Winter School Leuven

Trainer – “How to maximize impact and public outreach from the research management perspective?” **May 28, 2018**
BESTPRAC Group Short Term Scientific Mission, Budapest

Presenter - “Impact Inside – Lessons learned from setting up on a proactive pre-award research management system” **April 17, 2018**
EARMA Annual Conference, Brussels

Lecturer of International Law, **2001 – 2006, 2012**
Coach of International Law Moot Court Competition teams
Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences Faculty of Law, Corvinus University Budapest,
Rajk László College of Advanced Studies

PRIZES

Prize of the Secretary-General, Hungarian Academy of Sciences **2014**
in recognition of achievements as Head of the Office of the Director-General

IBBY-prize – Best Scientific Book for Young People **2008**
for editing a children’s book about law and rights “A jogerő legyen veled”

Pro Facultate Award **2004**
for contributions to the results of Eötvös Loránd University, Faculty of Law

LANGUAGE SKILLS

English (working proficiency), German (B1), Hungarian (Native)