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Nationality Hungarian
Citizenship Slovak

Date of birth | 22 August, 1973

Gender | female

Work experience

Dates | April 2008 onwards

Occupation or position held Education researcher, education specialist

Main activities and responsibilities Leading projects and researches on equity in education, on evaluating programmes aiming

integration of Roma pupils into mainstream education, monitoring the process of desegregation

Name and address of employer | TÁRKI-TUDOK Centre for Knowledge Management and Educational Research Inc. 1112 Budapest,

Budaörsi út 45. Hungary

Type of business or sector | Private

Dates | March 2008 - October 2002

Occupation or position held | Education specialist

Main activities and responsibilities | Responsible for conducting empirical researches on Roma issues and special needs, writing country

reports on discrimination in Hungarian Education for UNESCO, UNHCR, OSI EUMAP

Name and address of employer | National Institute for Public Education (from 2007 called Hungarian Institute for Educational Research

and Development) 1054 Budapest, Dorottya utca 8. Hungary

Type of business or sector | Public (background research institute of Ministry of Education and Culture)

Education and training

Dates 2005. 12. 15 – 2005. 09. 01.

Title of qualification awarded | Postgraduate non-degree course

Principal subjects/occupational skills

covered

Name and type of organisation | Columbia University, New York City, USA

providing education and training

Dates 2004. 12. 31 -2000. 09. 15.

Title of qualification awarded PhD in Education (in progress)

Principal subjects/occupational skills | Access to quality education for Roma, Education of children with special educational needs, Education

covered of refugees and immigrants

Name and type of organisation | Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences , Faculty of Education, Doctoral School of Education, Budapest providing education and training

Level in national or international ISCE

r international ISCED 6 classification

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Dates | 2002. 07. 31-2001. 10. 01

Title of qualification awarded

MPhil in Education

Principal subjects/occupational skills

covered

Educational aspect of psychological development, equity in education

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Cambridge University, Faculty of Education, Cambridge, U.K.

Level in national or international classification

ISCED 5

Dates

es | 2000. 06. 30 - 1996. 09. 15.

Title of qualification awarded

MA in Sociology

Principal subjects/occupational skills

Ethnic and Minority Studies

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences, Institute of Sociology, Ethnic and Minority Studies, Budapest, Hungary

Level in national or international

Title of qualification awarded

ISCED 5

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Dates

es | 1999. 06. 30 – 1996. 09. 15.

Principal subjects/ecoupational skills

MA in Pedagogical Sciences

Principal subjects/occupational skills

Theory of teaching and learning, Educational psychology, Multiculturalism

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences, Faculty of Education, Budapest, Hungary

Level in national or international classification

ISCED 5

Dates

1992. 09. 15 - 1996. 06. 30.

Title of qualification awarded

BA in Teaching English Language and History

Principal subjects/occupational skills

skills Methodology and practice of teaching English and History

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences, Teacher's Training College, Budapest, Hungary

Level in national or international classification

national ISCED 4

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s)

Hungarian

Other language(s)

Self-assessment

European level (*)

English Slovak

		Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
		Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	
	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user	В1	Independent user	
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(*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Social skills and competences

- Team work: I have worked in national and international research teams, and I have been working as a trainer of educational specialists for more than five years
- Intercultural competences and team work: I have been working as a cluster-member (education specialist) in the "Cluster on Social Access and Inclusion" at the European Commission, DG Education and Culture

Organisational skills and competences

- Project-management: I have been responsible for managing monitoring and evaluation projects
- Organising, leading and conducting empirical (quantitative and qualitative) researches
- Organising and moderating stakeholder workshops in Roma education issues

Computer skills and competences

 Competent with most Microsoft Office Programmes and often use Statistical Programme of Social Sciences (SPSS) and Scientific Software Atlas.ti

Driving licence

Category B, since 1992

Additional information

Main projects (responsible for as a project-leader and/or researcher)

2008-2007: Monitoring and evaluation of extracurricular afternoon schools for Roma and socially disadvantaged pupils. (Study on 56 schools)

2006 – 2005: Monitoring project on National Integration Network. (Comparative study and policy recommendations based on field researches in 25 settlements - e.g. Pocsaj, Tiszabő, Tiszabura, Darány, Istvándi, Hejőkersztúr, etc.)

2005-2004: Possibility of solving conflicts at schools in multiethnic regions (Case studies made in Encs, Zalakomár, Miskolc, Budapest 7th district, Bogács, Erdőtelek)

2005-2004: Integration of Roma students - from the perspective of local self-governments, quantitative research-survey (1000 questionnaires)

2005-2003: External evaluation of the Hungarian project of Roma Education Initiative (qualitative and quantitative research in four settlements: Miskolc, Budapest, Pátka, Pécs)

2004: Case study concerning the characteristics of relationships between parents and school in two primary schools (Miskolc – Pereces) OSI-ISSA, Case Study project.

2003. Integration versus Segregtion. Policy note on integration of Roma pupils into mainstream education. Based on 12 focus-group discussions.

Main publications (published in English)

Immigrant children with special educational needs – the Hungarian case European Agency for Development in Special Needs Education, Brussels, 2009.

Analysis on the Access to Quality Education by Asylum-seeking and Refugee Children in HUNGARY, UNHCR, Geneve-Budapest, 2008.

Equal Access to Quality Education for Roma. Hungarian monitoring report. Open Society Institute, EU Monitoring and Advocacy Program, Education Support Program, Roma Participation Program. Budapest, 2007.

Discrimination in Education, UNESCO Country-report, Hungary, 2006. National Institute for Public Education.

Hungarian REI-report. (Open Society Institute – Ec-Pec Foundation). Budapest, 2005.

Chance for integration. (Integration versus segregation). Edited by Silvia Nemeth. National Institute for Public Education, 2004, Budapest.

Characteristics of relationships between parents and school in two primary schools (Co-author: Attila Papp Z.) In Sarah Klaus, Hugh McLean (ed.): *Step by Step Program Case Studies: A Reflective Process. Looking back on our first 10 years: 1994-2004*.ISSA, Budapest-New York, 2004. 44-59.p

"Quality public education against segregation" REI-project, results of the first monitoring study. Research report. Budapest, 2004. 44 p.