

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education

- 1970 Budapest, Berzsenyi D. Gymnasium
- 1976 Semmelweis Medical University, Budapest (341/76, summa cum laude)
- 1980 Specialized in Pathology (931/80, excellent)
- 2010 Specialized in Molecular Genetics

Employment

- 1973- Ist Institute of Pathology and Experimental Cancer Research, Semmelweis University
- 1973-76 paid graduate assistant
- 1976-83 Assistant professor
- 1984-89 Senior assistant professor
- 1990-95 Associate professor
- 1995- Professor of Pathology (KE265/95)
- 1999-2008 National Institute of Oncology, Dept. Tumor Progression, Department head
- 2008-2016 Director, 2nd Department of Pathology, Semmelweis University

Degrees

- 1988 Ph.D. (12006/88) Tumor biological role of surface glycoconjugated molecules
- 1995 D.Sc. (3439/95) Role of tumor cell-extracellular matrix interrelationship in tumor progression

Professional activities

- Pathology training for English-Hungarian medical students
- Pathology differential diagnostics (tumor diagnostics)
- Histology assistant training
- Ph.D. training

Fellowships

- 1983-84, 1986, 1989 Research Fellow EM Unit, Institute of Cancer Research, London, UK
- 1987, 1988 Research Fellow CNRS Connective Tissue Biochemical Laboratory, University of Paris XII. Créteil, France
- 1990-91 Research Fellow - tutor Wayne State University, Dept. of Radiation Oncology, Detroit, MI, USA

Memberships in scientific societies

- 1976- Hungarian Society of Oncologists
- 1993-97 Hungarian Society of Oncologists – secretary-general
- 1980- Hungarian Society of Pathologists
- Hungarian Society of Biologists, Section of Cell Biology
- Hungarian Microscopy Society
- 2001-2008 National Oncology Research+Development program - head of consortium
- Metastasis Research Society - board member
- European Association for Cancer Research
- International Academy of Pathology
- American Association for Cancer Research
- 2008 President, Hungarian Society of Pathologists
- 2011 Society for Immunotherapy of Cancer, USA
- Health Professional Board, Pathology Division – president
- 2012 European Society of Pathology – advisory board member



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Memberships in Professional Boards

- 1990-94 Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Medical Division, Oncology Committee
- 1998- Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Biology Division, Cell Biology (secretary)
- 1993- Hungarian Professional Board of Oncology
- 2000-2002 Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Theoretical Medical Scientific Committee (secretary)
- 2004-2008 Hungarian Academy of Sciences, II. Medical Committee
- 2004-2008 Medical Scientific Committee, Clinical and Experimental Oncology Committee
- 2002-2007 National Scientific Research Fund, Life Sciences Committee, Pathology Committee member
- 2004-2008 Professional Board of Pathology
- 2009- Semmelweis University Doctoral Council, vice president
- 2013- Semmelweis University, Vice-Rector for Educational Affairs
- 2013-2016 János Bolyai Board of Trustees Research Fellowship of Hungarian Academy of Sciences, expert advisory board member
- 2014- Semmelweis University Professional Board of Clinical Oncology

International collaborations

- Semmelweis University – Liege University, Belgium: collaboration between Universities
- 1987-1989 CNRS-Semmelweis University Ist Institute of Pathology and Experimental Cancer Research: Hungarian-French Scientific Technical Collaboration
- 1987-1989 Institute of Cancer Research – Semmelweis University Ist Institute of Pathology and Experimental Cancer Research: Hungarian-British Technical and Scientific Collaboration
- 1995-2000 NATO Lab Linkage Program: Wayne State University, Detroit
- 1994-1997 NIH/Fogarty Collaborative Research Program: Karmanos Cancer Center, Detroit, MI

Editorship

- 2000- Hungarian Oncology (Editor-in-chief)
- 1995- Pathology Oncology Research (founder, co-editor)
- 1995- Clinical and Experimental Metastasis (Advisory board member)
- 2006- J Clinical Oncology Hungarian edition (Editor-in-chief)
- 2001- Cancer and Metastasis Reviews (Advisory board member)

Honors and Awards

- 1983 Outstanding Scientific Work – awarded by the Ministry of Health
- 1994 Huzella prize – awarded by the Semmelweis University
- 1996 „Best Teacher of the Year” – awarded by the Semmelweis University
- 1997 Széchenyi professor fellowship – awarded by the Ministry of Education
- 1998 Hungarian Academy of Sciences Award
- 2001 Markosovszky Prize – awarded by the Hungarian Medical Journal
- 2003 Krompecher Prize – awarded by the Hungarian Society of Oncologists
- 2003 Best Teacher of Ph.D. students – awarded by the Semmelweis University
- 2005 Hungarian Academy of Sciences Award
- 2005 George Weber Prize – awarded by the Hungarian Society of Oncologists
- 2008 Baló József Prize – awarded by the Hungarian Society of Pathologists
- 2010 Romhányi György Prize – awarded by the Romhányi Foundation
- 2014 Genersich Antal Prize – awarded by the Dr. Antal Genersich Foundation
- 2015 Eckhardt Prize – awarded by the Hungarian Society of Oncologists and Pharmaceutical Sciences
- 2017 Hungarian Order of Merit Civil Division

Publications

343 scientific publications in peer-reviewed journals; editor, co-editor of 3 books; co-author of 84 book chapters. Cumulative impact factor: >696, number of independent citations: >7500.

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