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Academic appointments

Tilburg Law School, Tilburg University, The Netherlands

2011– Assistant Professor
2009–10 Post-doctoral Researcher
2009– Senior Research Fellow, Tilburg Law and Economics Center (TILEC)

Pázmány Péter Catholic University, Faculty of Law and Political Science, Budapest, Hungary

2008–09 Assistant Professor, Department of Legal Philosophy
2001–08 Assistant Lecturer, Department of Legal Philosophy

Qualifications

2008 PhD in Law *magna cum laude*, University of Hamburg
2004 LLM (European Master in Law and Economics) *with distinction*, University of Hamburg
2001 Master in Economics, Budapest University of Economic Sciences and Public Administration
2001 Master in Law *summa cum laude*, Pázmány Péter Catholic University, Budapest

Visitorships

2010 Visiting fellow, Institute of European and Comparative Law, University of Oxford, UK
2010 Visiting researcher, Max Planck Institute for Comparative and International Private Law, Hamburg, Germany
2009 Erasmus visiting professor, Hochschule für Technik und Wirtschaft, Berlin
2007 Visiting research fellow, Columbia University School of Law, New York
2004 Junior researcher, Collegium Hungaricum, Vienna

Teaching

Business Law and Economics (course coordinator), LLM International Business Law, Tilburg University, 2009–
Legal Philosophy; Political Theory; History of Political Thought; Comparative Legal Cultures (lectures, seminars and tutorials for law students), Pázmány Péter Catholic University, 2001–09
Game Theory and the Law; Economics and Politics of the Welfare State (course developer and coordinator), Pázmány Péter Catholic University, 2003–09
Sociology; Communication Theory (course coordinator), BA in International Administration, Pázmány Péter Catholic University, 2008–09

Professional activities

Journal refereeing: Journal of Social Philosophy, Review of Law and Economics, Review of Sociology, Közgazdasági Szemle [Review of Economics]

Research grant refereeing: National Scientific Research Fund (Hungary)

Convener of conferences

Theoretical and Methodological Foundations of Law and Economics, special workshop at the 25th IVR World Congress on Legal and Social Philosophy, Frankfurt, 15 August 2011
MetaLawEcon: TILEC Workshop on the Foundations of Law and Economics, Tilburg University, 26 November 2010
Second Central and Eastern European Forum for Young Legal, Political and Social Theorists, Pázmány Péter Catholic University Faculty of Law, Budapest, 21–22 May 2010

Membership

European Association for Law and Economics
Hungarian Association for Law and Economics (Founding member, Member of the Board)
Felix Somló Society for Practical Philosophy (Founding member, Member of the Board)
Central and Eastern European Forum for Legal, Political and Social Theorists (Founding member, Member of the Board)

Languages

English (fluent), German (fluent), French (advanced), Italian (pre-intermediate), Dutch (beginner), Hungarian (native)

Honours and prizes

- 2005–07 Doctoral fellowship, *Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft* (German Research Foundation)
2005 Thesis Prize for best LLM thesis in the Erasmus Programme in Law and Economics, year 2003–04
2003–04 Scholarship from *ECE Projektmanagement* and the International Centre for Graduate Studies, University of Hamburg
1996–2001 fellow, Invisible College, Budapest

PUBLICATIONS (select)¹

Monograph

Freedom of Contract and Paternalism Prospects and Limits of an Economic Approach (New York: Palgrave Macmillan 2012, in preparation)

Edited Books

Legal and Political Theory in the Post-National Age, ed. Péter Cserne and Miklós Könczöl (Frankfurt, etc.: Peter Lang 2011, forthcoming) xii+196

Theatrum legale mundi Symbola Cs. Varga oblata, ed. Péter Cserne – István H. Szilágyi – Miklós Könczöl – Máté Paksy – Péter Takács – Szilárd Tattay (Budapest: Societas Sancti Stephani 2007), xvi+674

Articles in international journals

‘On the Necessity of Necessity: An Economic Analysis of Contracts Concluded in a Situation of Need’ (co-author: Ákos Szalai) *Silesian Journal of Legal Studies* 2 (2010), 11–25

‘Policy Arguments before Courts: Identifying and Evaluating Consequence-Based Judicial Reasoning’ *Humanitas Journal of European Studies* 3 (2009), 9–30

‘Ernst-Joachim Mestmäcker, A Legal Theory Without Law. Posner v. Hayek on Economic Analysis of Law’ [review article] *European Business Organization Law Review* 9 (2008) 3, 497–506

‘Epistemology, Social Theory, Social Research’ [book review] *Review of Sociology* 7 (2001) 1, 143–150

Book chapters in English

‘Consequence-based arguments in legal reasoning: a jurisprudential preface to law and economics’ in *Efficiency, Sustainability, and Justice to Future Generations*, ed. Klaus Mathis (Berlin, New York, etc.: Springer 2011, forthcoming)

‘Import, Export, and Multilateral Translation: Methodological Lessons from an Economic Analysis of Paternalism in Contract Law’ in *Interdisciplinary Research in Jurisprudence and Constitutionalism* ARSP Beihelf, ed. Anne van Aaken, Michael Anderheiden, Stephan Kirste, Pasquale Policastro (Stuttgart: Franz Steiner Verlag 2011, forthcoming), 145–169

‘Duress’ in *Contract Law and Economics*, ed. Gerrit de Geest (Cheltenham, UK – Northampton, MA: Edward Elgar 2011), 57–79 [Elgar Encyclopaedia of Law and Economics Second Edition Volume 6]

‘Policy considerations in contract interpretation: the *contra proferentem* rule from a comparative law and economics perspective’ in *Contract Theory – Corporate Law*, ed. Radhika Gavvala (Hyderabad: ICFAI University Press 2009), 66–104

‘Paternalism in Policy: Prospects and Limitations of an Economic Analysis’ in *Die Unsicherheit der Väter Zur Herausbildung paternaler Bindungen*, Hg. Malte-Christian Gruber und Sascha Ziemann (Berlin: trafo Wissenschaftsverlag 2009), 285–303

‘How to use philosophy, economics and psychology in jurisprudence: the case of paternalism in contract law’ in *Theatrum legale mundi* Symbola Cs. Varga oblata, ed. Péter Cserne et al. (Budapest: Societas Sancti Stephani 2007), 67–91

‘From Law to Social Science and Back Again - the First Step. Remarks on the Juristic Origin of Some Weberian Concepts’ in *Ius Unum - Lex Multiplex Liber amicorum Studia Z. Péteri dedicata. Studies in Comparative law, Theory of State and Legal Philosophy*, ed. István H. Szilágyi – Máté Paksy (Budapest: Szent István Társulat 2005), 457–473

Working papers

‘Law and Morality in the Regulation of Contracts: Lessons from Ancient Rome’ (co-author: Gergely Deli) *TILEC Discussion Paper No. 2009-037*, available at SSRN: <http://ssrn.com/abstract=1480685>

‘The Normativity of Law in Law and Economics’ *German Working Papers in Law and Economics* Vol. 2004: Article 35

¹For a complete list, see <http://webwijs.uvt.nl/publications/346466.pdf>