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Research Interests

- Constitutional law
- Constitutional theory
- Comparative and EU constitutional law
- Human rights law, global constitutionalism
- Business & human rights

Selected Publications

- Chronowski, Nóra – Bárd, Petra – Fleck, Zoltán: Chapter 33 – Use, misuse and abuse of constitutional identity in Europe, in Mark Tushnet and Dimitry Kochenov (eds.), *Research Handbook on the Politics of Constitutional Law*. Edward Elgar, Cheltenham 2023. (776 p.) pp. 612-634.
- Chronowski, Nóra: Business meets human rights: do we need an international treaty to close the gap? in Csongor István Nagy (ed.), *Global Values and International Trade Law*, Routledge, London 2022, pp. 9-25.
- Chronowski Nóra – Vincze Attila: The Hungarian Constitutional Court and the Central European University Case: Justice Delayed Is Justice Denied: Decision of the Hungarian Constitutional Court of 6 July 2021 and the Judgment of the ECJ of 6 October 2020, Case C-66/18 (co-author: Attila Vincze). *European Constitutional Law Review* (17) 2021/4. 688–706. Cambridge University Press, doi:10.1017/S1574019621000407
- Chronowski, Nóra: *Human Rights in a Multilevel Constitutional Area. Global, European and Hungarian Challenges*. L'Harmattan, Paris 2018. p. 249
- Chronowski, Nóra, Márton Varju, Petra Bárd and Gábor Sulyok: Hungary: Constitutional (R)evolution or Regression? In *National Constitutions in European and Global Governance: Democracy, Rights, the Rule of Law – National Reports* (eds. Anneli Albi and Samo Bardutzky), print ISBN 978-94-6265-272-9, e-book ISBN 978-94-6265-273-6, T.M.C. Asser Press, The Hague 2019. 1439-1488.

- Chronowski, Nóra: Fully Binding EU Bill of Rights for the Member States – A Potential Tool in Constitutional Crisis Management. In *New Developments in Constitutional Law. Essays in Honour of András Sajó* (eds. Iulia Motoc, Paulo Pinto de Albuquerque, Krzysztof Wojtyczek). Eleven International Publishing, The Hague 2018. 41-57.
- Chronowski, Nóra and Fruzsina Gárdos-Orosz: The Hungarian Constitutional Court and the Financial Crisis. (58) *Acta Juridica Hungarica: Hungarian Journal of Legal Studies* 2017/2. 139-154.
- Chronowski, Nóra and Márton Varju: Two Eras of Hungarian Constitutionalism: From the Rule of Law to Rule by Law. 8 *Hague Journal on the Rule Law* 2016 (October) 1-19, doi:10.1007/s40803-016-0037-7
- Chronowski, Nóra: [The new Hungarian Fundamental Law in the light of the European Union's normative values](#). *Revue Est Europa* – 2012 numéro spéciale 1, pp. 111-142;
- Chronowski, Nóra and László Blutman: Hungarian Constitutional Court: Keeping Aloof from European Union Law. *International Constitutional Law* Vol. 5, 2011/3, pp 329-348; also available at http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=1961034

Research Projects

- 2024-2026. PI of research project on *The decision-making of the Hungarian Constitutional Court between 1990-2026 – an empirical analysis* financed by the Hungarian National Research, Development and Innovation Fund
- 2023-2024. Participant in the LighT-project: Litigating change: training lawyers on the EU rule of law acquis, 101046313 — LighT — JUST-2021-JTRA with Centre for European Constitutional Law (CECL) – trainer and author of teaching materials
- 2018-2021. K-128796, The Normative Content of the Principle of Democracy – In Practice and Theory from a Constitutional Law and European Union Law Perspective, NKFI (National Research, Development and Innovation) project (HU), role: PI
- 2016-2019, *Bolyai János Research Scholarship of the Hungarian Academy of Science*, research project: Globalization, Europeanisation, Human Rights Protection
- 2014-2019. ‘The Role and Future of National Constitutions in European and Global Governance’, in the framework of the European Research Council Agreement No. 284316, PI: Professor Anneli Albi (Kent Law School, Eliot College, University of Kent, Canterbury, CT2 7NS, United Kingdom), coordinator of the Hungarian research team
- 2014. Changes of Cardinal (Two-Thirds Majority) Laws in Hungary 2010-2014 (HU) <https://jog.tk.mta.hu/sarkalatos-atalakulasok>
- 2013-2017. „Procedural Constitutionalism” K-109319 OTKA, (HU) PI: Petréttei, József, role: senior researcher
- 2012-2015, *Bolyai János Research Scholarship of the Hungarian Academy of Science*, research project: Business and human rights
- 2012-2013 ‘Eastern Europe and Judicial Dialogue on International Law’ (PI: Prof. Anna Wyrozumska, University of Lodz) Project 10-ECRP-028 – International Law through the National Prism: the Impact of Judicial Dialogue, role: researcher
- 2008-2011. Jean Monnet Chair, Teaching European Constitutionality, Chair holder (LLP 2007-2013, Jean Monnet Programme, Project Nr 2008-2766)

Academic Career

- 2023: Doctor of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences (DSc)
- 2019: University professor (upon the appointment of the President of the Republic of Hungary)
- 2011: Habilitation (Dr. habil. title, summa cum laude) at University of Pécs
- 2004: PhD degree in legal sciences (diploma: summa cum laude) at University of Pécs
- 1998: Master of Law, Degree 'doctor iuris' (diploma: summa cum laude) at Janus Pannonius University (Pécs), Faculty of Law

2020- HUN-REN Centre for Social Sciences Institute for Legal Studies senior researcher, research professor (from 2024)

2018-2023 National University of Public Service Faculty of Law Enforcement, Constitutional Law and Law Enforcement Theory Dept., associate professor

2014-2018: Eötvös Loránd University Faculty of Law, Constitutional Law Department, associate professor, 2016-2018: head of department

2013-2016: Institute for Legal Studies, Centre for Social Sciences, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, research fellow ; 2016-2020: visiting researcher; 2020- senior research fellow

1998-2014: University of Pécs Faculty of Law, Constitutional Law Department, associate professor

Education

- 1998-2001 PhD education at University of Pécs Faculty of Law
- 1993-1998 Janus Pannonius University (Pécs) Faculty of Law

Membership in Academic and Professional Organisations; Editorial Board Membership

- Association of the Hungarian Constitutional Lawyers, member
- HAS public body member
- Committee of Legal Sciences, HAS IX Section of Economics and Law, elected member (2014-2017, 2017-2020, 2021-2023, 2023-2026), vice-president of the CLS (2023-2026)
- ICON•S International Society of Public Law, member
- Association for the Study of Nationalities, member
- Public Law Review (HU), editor-in-chief (HU, law journal, 4 issues/year, category 'A' on HAS-list)

Selected conferences and workshops

2023

- Participant of LighT-project: Litigating change: training lawyers on the EU rule of law acquis, 101046313 — LighT — JUST-2021-JTRA with Centre for European Constitutional Law (CECL) – trainer and author of teaching materials
- PI of research project on *The decision-making of the Hungarian Constitutional Court between 1990-2026 – an empirical analysis* financed by the Hungarian National Research, Development and Innovation Found

2022

- [Global Problems and Prospects in Public Law](#), ICON-S Annual Conference, University of Wroczlaw, Panel Session VI/89, Rule of law and democracy in the shadow of the pandemic: Central-European perspectives, presentation: Democracies in the shadow of the pandemic: elections during the public health emergency in the Visegrad countries (with Boldizsár Szentgáli-Tóth)

2021

- The Global Summit, International Forum on the Future of Constitutionalism, University of Texas at Austin (convenor: Prof. Richard Albert) Panel discussion: The impact of artificial intelligence to the democracy; chair, organiser, panelist, title of presentation: AI from right to fair trial perspective: trust and distrust in AI courts
- Annual Conference of International Society of Public Law (MUNDO Conference ICON-S, <https://mundo.icon-society.org/>), Panel 265: The impact of Artificial Intelligence on the rule of law; paper: Trust or distrust in Artificial Intelligence - impacts on fundamental rights capacity and right to fair trial (with Boldizsár Szentgáli-Tóth and Kinga Kálmán)

2020 –

- Illiberal Democracy: The Rule of Law as Fake, international conference (convenor: Prof. A. Sajo; Central European University, Budapest, Nador 15 building, Room 103 Tiered), presentation: “The post-2010 ‘rule of law’ practice of the Hungarian Constitutional Court”

2019 –

- International Conference: “Constitutional Interpretation in European Populist Regimes” (Organised by the IACL Working Group on Constitutional Interpretation, supported by the EU H2020 project DEMOS, the Hungarian Academy of Sciences, and the Centre for Social Sciences, Institute for Legal Studies) presentation (with Attila Vincze): *“Use and misuse of European frameworks: legal transplants and the 'European constitutional dialogue' in the case law of the Hungarian Constitutional Court”*
- [“Dignity, Democracy, Diversity”](#) - 29th World Congress of the International Association for Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy (IVR) University of Lucerne, 7 -13 July 2019, SW 89: The Normative Content of the Principle of Democracy in Central Europe, Thursday 11 July, HS 11 – organiser and presentation, title: “The crisis of constitutional democracy in Hungary and the role of the Constitutional Court”
- [Guest lecture at Sigmund Freud University on Constitutional backsliding in Hungary](#)

2018

- National sovereignty and regional economic integration: non-trade values and international trade, international conference, Hungarian Academy of Sciences and University of Szeged Federal Markets “Momentum” Research Group, *Venue:* Room 110, Academic Committee of Szeged of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences, title of presentation: *The Future of Business and Human Rights: Do We Need an International Treaty to Close the Gap?*
- “The crisis of the Rule of Law in the European Union” international conference, organizer: Konrad Adenauer Stiftung, National and Kapodistrias University of Athens, *Venue:* Divani Caravel Hotel, Macedonia Hall, 2 Vassileos Alexandrou Avenue, Athens, title of presentation: “The view from Hungary: from the rule of law to the rule by law”
- “The Role of National Constitutions in European and Global Governance”, international conference, organizer: Prof. Anneli Albi, University of Kent, title of presentation: “The abandonment of post-totalitarian constitutionalism in Hungary”

2017 –

- “Human Dignity and the Constitutional Crisis in Europe: Humanity, Democracy, Social Europe” international conference, organisers: European University Institute, University of Portsmouth, University of Exeter, *venue:* European University Institute, Badia Fiesolana, title of presentation: “Dignity and solidarity – lost in transition”

2016

- 8th Network Europe Conference: “Rule of Law in Europe – Current Challenges” (Organisers: Europe Institute at the University of Zurich and Kutafin Moscow State Law University, *Venue:* Kutafin Moscow State Law University, 123995 Россия, Москва, Садовая-Кудринская ул., дом 9) title of presentation: The Hungarian rule of law crisis and its European context

2014

- Association for the Study of Nationalities (ASN) 19th Annual World Convention, paper title: “A Nation Torn Apart by its Constitution? Hungarian Constitution of 2011 and the Question of Ethnicity” Columbia University, New York

Awards and Honours

- 2020: Certificate of Appreciation from the Board of Trustees of the János Bolyai Research Scholarship (Bolyai Memorial)
- 2016: Certificate of Appreciation from the Board of Trustees of the HAS Bolyai János Research Scholarship
- 2012: "Golden Cathedral" Award of the University of Pécs
- 2005: HAS Pécs Scientific Committee - Scientific Award of the Pécs Academic Committee for young researchers of the region

Teaching Experience

- Hungarian Constitutional Law, Comparative and EU Constitutional Law, Business and Human Rights (16 academic years at University of Pécs Faculty of Law, 4 academic years at ELTE Law School, 5 academic years at National University of Public Service)

Other relevant CV records

Languages

- English (Proficient)
- German (Elementary)
- Hungarian (Native)