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Research Interests

Constituency and local representation, legislative behaviour, satisfaction with democracy, vaccine acceptance and hesitancy

Selected Publications

Papp, Zsófia & Godfred Bonnah Nkansah (2023) The political component of COVID-19 vaccine choice. Results from a conjoint experiment. *Public Health*, 217: 33-40, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.puhe.2023.01.014>

Papp, Zsófia (2023) The Evaluation of the District Legislators' Performance Affects Citizens' Satisfaction with Democracy: The Hungarian Example, *Political Studies Review*, 21(4): 743-760
<https://doi.org/10.1177/14789299221118175>

Papp, Zsófia (2022) Environmental attitudes, environmental problems and party choice. A large-N comparative study. *Political Geography*, Vol. 97, 102652,
<https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S096262982200066X>

Van Bavel et al. (2022) National identity predicts public health support during a global pandemic. *Nature Communications*, 13, Article number: 517, <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41467-021-27668-9>

Papp, Zsófia (2022) The Indirect Effect of Electoral Rules on Citizens' Satisfaction with Democracy. A Comparative Study. *Swiss Political Science Review*; 28(1): 1-20, 28(1): 1-20
<https://doi.org/10.1111/spsr.12497>

Papp, Zsófia (2020) Constituency service: incentives and consequences. In: Maurizio Cotta & Federico Russo (eds.) *Research Handbook on Political Representation* (Elgar Handbooks in Political Science), Edward Elgar Publishing, pp. 266-276. <https://www.e-elgar.com/shop/gbp/research-handbook-on-political-representation-9781788977081.html>

Papp, Zsófia (2019) Votes, money can buy. The conditional effect of EU Structural Funds on government

MPs' electoral performance. *European Union Politics*, 20(4): 543-561, First published, July 25, 2019, <https://doi.org/10.1177/1465116519862875>

Papp, Zsófia & Russo, Federico (2018) Parliamentary work, Re-selection and Re-election: In Search of the Accountability Link. *Parliamentary Affairs*, 71(4): 853-867, <https://doi.org/10.1093/pa/gsx047>

Papp, Zsófia & Zorigt, Burtejin (2018) Political Constraints and the Limited Effect of Electoral System Change on Personal Vote-Seeking in Hungary. *East European Politics and Societies and Cultures*, 32(1): 119-141; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0888325417736809>

Research Projects

Current projects:

Electoral rules, representative roles and satisfaction with democracy; NKFIH FK 131569

Legislator responsiveness and satisfaction with democracy. János Bolyai Research Scholarship, Hungarian Academy of Sciences

REDIRECT - The REpresentative DIconnect: diagnosis and strategies for RECTification; Funded by the EU's Horizon-Europe programme (Call: HORIZON-CL2-2022-DEMOCRACY-01 - Democracy in Flux. Grant Number: 101095142)

Former projects:

2019 - 2021 - Linkage as a source of satisfaction. Legislators' responsiveness and citizens' satisfaction with democracy; Incubator - Collaborative Research Projects Fund; HUN-REN Centre for Social Sciences

2016 - 2018 - Legislator work and electoral performance; NKFIH PD 115747

2016 - 2019 - Personal accountability: legislator activities and (s)electoral outcomes; János Bolyai Research Scholarship; Hungarian Academy of Sciences

Academic Career

From 2010 on - Senior Research Fellow; HUN-REN Centre for Social Sciences (2010-2014 Junior Research Fellow, 2014-2018 Research Fellow)

2007-2015 - Researcher; Corvinus University of Budapest

2009-2010 - Research Scholarship; Corvinus University of Budapest

Education

2014 - PhD in Political Sciences; Corvinus University of Budapest

2007 - MA in Economics and Political Sciences; Applied Statistics minor

Membership in Academic and Professional Organisations; Editorial Board Membership

Editorial service:

2018 – 2024 Associate Editor; Political Research Exchange (ECPR, Taylor & Francis)

2024 – 2017 Editor; Intersections. East European Journal of Society and Politics

Other academic service:

2017 – től – Elected member; Hungarian Academy of Sciences Political Science Committee (From 2022 on serving as the Committee's Secretary)

2021 – 2024 – Steering Committee Member; ECPR Standing Group on Parliaments

2018 – 2023 – Steering Committee Member; Comparative Candidates Survey

2016 – 2023 – Member; Doctoral Council; Political Science Doctoral School, Corvinus University of Budapest

Awards and Honours

2020 – Bolyai Plakett; Hungarian Academy of Sciences

2020 – Excellent Teacher Award; István Széchenyi College for Advanced Studies

2019 – Researcher of the Year; HUN-REN Centre for Social Sciences, Institute for Political Science

2019 – Young Researcher Award; Hungarian Academy of Sciences

Scholarships:

2023 – 2024 – Bolyai + Young Higher Education Teachers and Researchers; Corvinus University of Budapest

2022 – 2023 – Bolyai + Young Higher Education Teachers and Researchers; Corvinus University of Budapest

2021 – 2024 – János Bolyai Research Scholarship; Hungarian Academy of Sciences

2018 – 2019 – Bolyai + Young Higher Education Teachers and Researchers; Corvinus University of Budapest

2016 – 2019 – János Bolyai Research Scholarship; Hungarian Academy of Sciences

2009 – 2010 – Research scholarship; Corvinus University of Budapest

Teaching Experience

2009-től – Lecturer; Corvinus University of Budapest

Current courses: Research Design (PhD, English)

Former courses: Research Methods I-II. (MA, Hungarian), Research Methods (BA, Hungarian), Introduction to Political Science (postgraduate, Hungarian), Introduction to Political Sciences (BA, Hungarian)

From 2017 on – PhD supervisor; Corvinus University of Budapest

Defended candidates: Patkós Veronika, Nábelek Fruzsina, Godfred Bonnah Nkansah

2015-2022 – Lecturer; István Széchenyi College for Advanced Studies

Course: Sociology 3 – Quantitative methods (Hungarian)

2021 –István Bibó College for Advanced Studies

Course: The electoral connection (Hungarian)

2012-2014 – Assistant Professor, Corvinus University of Budapest; Institute of Political Science

2010 – Teaching assistant, ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques

Course: Multiple Regression Analysis (English)

Further Affiliations

Institute for Political Science, Corvinus University of Budapest

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Other relevant CV records

Reviewer service:

American Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review, Comparative Political Studies, East European Politics and Societies & Cultures, Electoral Studies, European Journal of Political Research, European Union Politics, International Journal of Communication, International Political Science Review, Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties, Legislative Studies Quarterly, Parliamentary Affairs, Political Research Quarterly, Representation, Scandinavian Political Studies, Swiss Political Science Review, The Journal of Legislative Studies, West European Politics, Public Health, Political Geography

Languages

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