

## PROFESSIONAL CURRICULUM VITAE

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE, EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2024-2025	Fulbright Visiting Scholar, Metropolitan State University of Denver
2023-	Full Professor, Ludovika University of Public Service (Department of Private Security and Municipal Law Enforcement), Pázmány Péter Catholic University (PPCU)
2021-	Police Brigadier General
2020-	Vice Rector for Education Ludovika University of Public Service
2017-	Associate Professor Pázmány Péter Catholic University (PPCU), Faculty of Law and Political Sciences (FLPS), Department of Administrative Law, Budapest, Hungary
2017-	Police Colonel
2016-	Police Lieutenant-Colonel
2013-	Head of Department of Private Security and Local Governmental Law Enforcement, LUPS FLE
2012-2013	Associate Professor Department of Private Security and Local Governmental at LUPS FLE
2010-2013	Deputy Head of Department, Police College (predecessor to the University of Public Service), Department of Customs and Finance Guard (from 1/1/2012 Ludovika University of Public Service)
2010-2017	Assistant Professor PPCU FLPS Department of Administrative Law, Budapest, Hungary
2009-2010	Lecturer, Police College (predecessor of Ludovika University of Public Service), Department of Customs and Finance Guard
2002-2013	Professional Member of Customs and Finance Guard (2011-2013: National Tax and Customs Administration), Hungary, highest rank: major

2006-2008	Head of Financial Department, Customs and Finance Guard Patrol Service (CFG PS)
2005-2006	Auditor of the Customs and Finance Guard's Patrol Service
2004-2010	Assistant Lecturer Pázmány Péter Catholic University FLPS
2002-2004	Guest Lecturer Pázmány Péter Catholic University FLPS

Further teaching activities in Hungary:

- Institute of Postgraduate Training, University of Public Service
- College of Public Administration/Corvinus University of Budapest, Faculty of Public Administration
- Károli Gáspár University of the Reformed Church in Hungary, Faculty of Political Sciences and Law
- Széchenyi István University, Deák Ferenc Faculty of Political Sciences and Law
- Technical College of Budapest
- Schola Europa
- European Business Polytechnic

ERASMUS lecturer exchange mobility:

- Slovenia (2016)
- Lithuania (2017)
- Canada, Vancouver (2023)

## EDUCATION

2020	Law enforcement organizer postgraduate specialist training course, University of Public Services, Faculty of Law Enforcement
2008	Public Procurement Rapporteur, Perfekt Ltd., Budapest, Hungary
2007	Bar exam
2005	Financial-counting Specialist, College of Finance and Accountancy, Budapest Business School
2004	Bank Attorney postgraduate specialist training course, Pázmány Péter Catholic University, Faculty of Law and Political Sciences, Deák Ferenc Postgraduate Institute
2003	Ski Instructor, Semmelweis University, Faculty of Physical Education and Sport Sciences, Postgraduate Institute, Budapest, Hungary
2002	Doctor Iuris, Pázmány Péter Catholic University, Faculty of Law and Political Sciences, Budapest, Hungary

## DEGREES

- 2019 Habilitation (summa cum laude), University of Public Service, Faculty of Law Enforcement
- 2011 PhD degree (summa cum laude)  
Dissertation: Alternative Law Enforcement  
Pázmány Péter Catholic University, Faculty of Law and Political Science, Doctorate School

#### OTHER ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- 2024 Szent György Award, Hungarian Society for Law Enforcement
- 2023 Completion of the Law Enforcement Leadership Development Program, International Law Enforcement Academy, Budapest (course No. 113)
- 2023 Professional leader, Hungarian Society for Law Enforcement, Settlement Security Division
- 2022 Kopácsi Sándor Award, Hungarian Civil Volunteer Organization
- 2021- Member of the Editorial Board of the journal 'Közigazgatás Tudomány' (Administrative Science)
- 2021- Member of Editorial Board of the international Journal 'Institutiones Administrationis'
- 2020-2021 Professional manager, National Laboratory of Security Technologies
- 2019- Honoree of the 'Ferenc Ungi Award' founded by the Hungarian Security Forum
- 2018- Editor in Chief of the Journal 'Magyar Rendészet' (Hungarian Law Enforcement)
- 2018-2019 Leader of the Research Group 'The Role of Private Security and Local Governmental Law Enforcement in the 21st Century' at the University of Public Service, Faculty of Law Enforcement
- 2017-2018 Participant in the 'Miklós Zrínyi Program of Excellence for Habilitation' at the Ludovika University of Public Service, Faculty of Law Enforcement
- 2017 'Dr. Imre Kertész Award', Hungarian Society for Law Enforcement
- 2017- Member of 'István Ereky Public Law Research Center' at Pázmány Péter Catholic University, Faculty of Law and Political Sciences
- 2016- Member of the Public Body of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences
- 2016 Honoree of the 'Public Order, Public Security Award' founded by the municipality of Százhalombatta
- 2015-2019 Member of the Chief Board of the Hungarian Civil Volunteer Security Organization

2014-	Director of the Hungarian Civil Volunteer Security Academy
2013-2019	Founder and leader of the Law Enforcement Research Group at the University of Public Service, Budapest, Hungary
2013-	Member of the Hungarian Society for Law Enforcement

### **Selected List of Publications**

(for the full list with citations please see: [MTMT](#) )

#### Scopus indexed English language publications:

- Haller, J., Rompos, É., Szabó, Í., Humli, V., & Christián, L. (2023). Drug regulations and trafficking: synthetic cannabinoids and cathinones in Hungary. *FORENSIC SCIENCE INTERNATIONAL*, 349. <http://doi.org/10.1016/j.forsciint.2023.111778>, [WoS](#), [Scopus](#)
- Christian, L., & Molnar, I. J. (2022). Crime Prevention and Complementary Law Enforcement in Hungary. In *Understanding and Preventing Community Violence* (pp. 219–233). [http://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-05075-6\\_13](http://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-05075-6_13), [Scopus](#)
- Christián, L., Erdős, Á., & Háló, G. (2022). The Background and repercussions of the George Floyd case. *COGENT SOCIAL SCIENCES*, 8(1), 1–17. <http://doi.org/10.1080/23311886.2022.2082094>, [WoS](#), [Scopus](#)
- Christián, L., Háló, G., & Demeter, M. (2022). Twenty Years of Law Journal Publishing. *PUBLISHING RESEARCH QUARTERLY*, 38(1), 1–19. <http://doi.org/10.1007/s12109-021-09854-1>, [WoS](#), [Scopus](#)
- Láncoş, P. L., & Christián, L. (2021). Domestic Soft Law Regulation During the COVID-lockdown in Hungary: A Novel Regulatory Approach to a Unique Global Challenge. *EUROPEAN JOURNAL OF RISK REGULATION*, 12(1), 77–92. <http://doi.org/10.1017/err.2020.115>, [WoS](#), [Scopus](#)

#### Other English language publications:

- Dominek, D. L., Barnucz, N., Uricska, E., & Christián, L. (2023). Experiences of digital education from the perspective of students. Digital language learning and flow-based methods in teaching English for law enforcement. *INFORMÁCIÓS TÁRSADALOM: TÁRSADALOMTUDOMÁNYI FOLYÓIRAT*.
- Lobnikar, B., Christián, L., Balla, J., Kalmár, Á., Mraović, I. C., Borovec, K., & Sotlar, A. (2023). Police and Other Plural Policing Institutions in Central and Eastern Europe Facing COVID-19 Pandemic. In *Plural Policing, Security and the COVID Crisis* (pp. 107–138). [http://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-19177-0\\_4](http://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-19177-0_4)
- Ákos, C., & László, C. (2022). Safety and Security of Sports Events. A Hungarian Case Study. *PRAVO A BEZPECNOST*, 2022(2), 87–97.
- László, C., & József, B. (2021). Field Guards in Hungary: Historical Background, Present Overview and Future Perspectives. *VARSTVOSLOVJE*, 23(3), 229–249.
- Christián, L., & Bartóki-Gönczy, B. (2018). Actual questions of the Hungarian Private Security Market. *INTERNAL SECURITY*, 10(2), 177–186.
- Christián, L., & Bacsárdi, J. (2018). A Stepchild of the Hungarian Law Enforcement System? Function and Public Image of the Hungarian Local Governmental Law

Enforcement Organizations. In *Criminal Justice and Security in Central and Eastern Europe: from Common Sense to Evidence-based Policy-making* (pp. 146–157).  
<http://doi.org/10.18690/978-961-286-174-2.11>

- László, C., & Andrej, S. (2018). Private Security Regulation in Hungary and Slovenia - A Comparative Study Based on Legislation and Societal Foundations. *VARSTVOSLOVJE*, 20(2), 143–162.
- Nalla, M. K., & Christián, L. (2018). Citizens' Views of Private Security Guards in Hungary: A Preliminary Analysis. *MAGYAR RENDÉSZET*, 18(4), 147–156.  
<http://doi.org/10.32577/mr.2018.4.6>
- Christián, L. (2017). Overview of law enforcement in Hungary, with special respect to local level law enforcement. *MAGYAR RENDÉSZET*, 17(4), 143–156.
- Christián, L. (2012). Law Enforcement. In *The basic law of Hungary* (pp. 235–242).
- Christián, L. (2017). The role of complementary law enforcement institutions in Hungary. In *Public security and public order* (pp. 132–139).
- Christián, L. (2016). Handling of the migration by the police and law. In *Migrants and Refugees in Hungary* (pp. 121–128).

#### Hungarian publications:

- Christián, L. (2022e). *Komplementer rendészet [Complementary policing]*. Budapest: Ludovika Egyetemi Kiadó.
- Christián, L., Hautzinger, Z., & Kovács, G. (2021). A magyar rendészeti felsőoktatás jelene és jövője [The present and future of Hungarian law enforcement higher education]. *MAGYAR RENDÉSZET*, 21(Különszám), 49–68. Christián, L., & Erdős, Á. (2021). Egy tragikus kimenetelű rendőri intézkedéstől a rendőrség koncepcionális újragondolásáig [From police action with tragic consequences to a conceptual rethinking of the police]. *IUSTUM AEQUUM SALUTARE*, 17(2), 11–32.
- Christián, L., & Rottler, V. (2021). Magánbiztonsági helyzetértékelés 2019-2020 [Private security situation assessment 2019-2020]. *GLOSSA IURIDICA*, 8(1–2), 159–182.
- Lippai, Z. S., Christián, L., & Budavári, Á. (2021). A helyi rendészet és a településbiztonság új trendjei itthon és külföldön [New trends in local policing and municipal security at home and abroad]. *GLOSSA IURIDICA*, 8(4), 175–191.
- Christián, L., & Erdős, Á. (2020). Vészharang és jubileum? [Alarm bells and jubilee?] *BELÜGYI SZEMLE: A BELÜGYMINISZTERIUM SZAKMAI TUDOMÁNYOS FOLYÓIRATA (2010-)*, 68(12), 11–42. <http://doi.org/10.38146/BSZ.2020.12.1>
- Cserny, Á., & Christián, L. (2020). Gondolatok a (sport)rendezvények biztonságának fokozásához [Reflections on enhancing security at (sports) events.]. *BELÜGYI SZEMLE: A BELÜGYMINISZTERIUM SZAKMAI TUDOMÁNYOS FOLYÓIRATA (2010-)*, 68(11), 71–88. <http://doi.org/10.38146/BSZ.2020.11.5>
- Christián, L., & Kardos, P. (2019). Sokszínű polgárőrség New Yorktól az NKE polgárőrségig [Diverse citizen policing from New York to the National University of Public Service]. *MAGYAR RENDÉSZET*, 19(4), 33–52.  
<http://doi.org/10.32577/mr.2019.4.2>
- Christián, L., & Bacsárdi, J. (2019). Az önkormányzati rendészet társadalmi megítélése a nyomtatott sajtóban [Public perceptions of municipal policing in the printed press]. *BELÜGYI SZEMLE: A BELÜGYMINISZTERIUM SZAKMAI TUDOMÁNYOS FOLYÓIRATA (2010-)*, 67(5), 50–70. <http://doi.org/10.38146/BSZ.2019.5.4>
- Christián, L., & Bacsárdi, J. (2017b). Katalán rendészeti igazgatás, a helyi rendészet Barcelonában [Catalan law enforcement administration, local policing in Barcelona]. *BELÜGYI SZEMLE: A BELÜGYMINISZTERIUM SZAKMAI*

*TUDOMÁNYOS FOLYÓIRATA (2010-), 65(10), 26–41.*

<http://doi.org/10.38146/BSZ.2017.10.3>

- Christián, L. (2017g). “Rendőri helyzetjelentés a frontvonalról” A 2015. évi migrációs helyzet rendőri kezelése [“A police situation report from the front line” Police management of the migration situation in 2015]. In *Magyarország és a 2015-ös európai migrációs válság* (pp. 149–158).
- Bacsárdi, J., & Christián, L. (2016). Local governmental law enforcement in Hungary. In *Criminal justice and security in Central and Eastern Europe: safety, security, and social control in local communities* (pp. 84–98).
- Christián, L. (2015j). Rendészeti politika [The politics of policing]. *MTA LAW WORKING PAPERS*, 2(14), 1–11.
- Christián, L. (2014c). A rendőrségre és a titkosszolgálatokra vonatkozó szabályozás változásai [Changes to the rules governing the police and secret services.]. *MTA LAW WORKING PAPERS*, 1(43), 1–10.
- Christián, L. (2013e). Miért bíznak a finnek a rendőrségben? [Why do the Finns trust the police?] *BELÜGYI SZEMLE: A BELÜGYMINISZTERIUM SZAKMAI TUDOMÁNYOS FOLYÓIRATA (2010-), 2013(7–8)*, 130–142.
- Christián, L. (2011a). *A rendészet alapvonalai, önkormányzati rendőrség* [The basics of policing, municipal police]. Győr: Universitas-Győr Nonprofit Kft.

#### **Selected list of academic presentations:**

- “Trust in Hungarian Police”. Criminal Justice and Security in Central and Eastern Europe: Understanding Professionalism, Trust and Legitimacy, (September 2014)
- “The Hungarian Law Enforcement system”. East China University of Public Law, Shanghai, Second China – Hungary Public Administration Forum, Head of LUPS delegation. (November 2014)
- “Governmental Law Enforcement in Hungary” Safety, Security and Social Control in Local Communities Conference Ljubjana (September 2016)
- “Law Enforcement related surveys in Hungary,” CEPOL 2016 Research and Science Conference, Global trends in Law Enforcement Training and Education, LUPS, (October 2016)
- “Relevant actors in the field of safer rural areas”. The safe and secure rural areas, as the fundament of the functionable state. International conference, Szent István University, Gödöllő (September 2018)
- “Complementary law enforcement. Partnership and innovation.” International Municipal Police Conference" Municipal police officer – meaning who? Officers’ professional identity now and in the future" International Conference, Krakow, (November 2021)
- “Operational and management issues in the field of security”. 2 weeks, 30-hour course for BA and MA and Erasmus Students, Jagellonian University Faculty of Management and Social Communication. Cracow, (May. 2022)
- “Addressing challenges of law enforcement higher education in Hungary”. International Police Symposium, New York - Albany, (August 2022)
- “From Practitioner to Scholar – The Path Taken and Unique Perspectives Brought to Academia” Charles W Russo (American Public University System); Di Jia (MSU Denver); Michael Pittaro (American Public University System) Mark Rubin (Alice Lloyd College); László Christián (Ludovika University of Public Service). Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences 60<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, National Harbor, (March 2023)