



## dr. Forman Balázs

Egyetemi docens / Associate Professor  
Actual classification: Associate professor

## Qualifications, scientific degrees

### Higher education qualifications

- 1989 - 1995  
Budapest University of Economic Sciences, Business Administration (B)
- 2017 - 2019  
Corvinus University of Budapest, Trainer for Business (H)

### Scientific degrees and awards

- 2007, PhD  
Eötvös Lóránd University of Sciences

## Career

### Workplaces

- 1994 - 1995  
MOL Hungarian Oil Company, Tax accountant (VAT, local taxes)
- 1995 - 1999  
Corvinus University of Budapest, Department of Economic Geography, assistant professor
- 1999 - 2008  
Corvinus University of Budapest, Institute of Environmental Sciences Department of Economic Geography, lecturer
- 2008 - 2016  
Corvinus University of Budapest, Institute of Environmental Sciences Department of Economic Geography, Associate Professor
- 2008 - 2010  
Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development, NARDI, expert of rural development
- 2000 - 2010  
Eötvös Lóránd University of Sciences Faculty of Natural Sciences Department of Regional Geography, visiting professor
- 2009 - 2010

# Colleague CV: dr. Forman Balázs

Széchenyi István University, Doctoral Programme in Regional and Economic Sciences , visiting professor

- 2000 - 2013

Budapest College of Business Management, visiting professor

- 2000 - 2003

University of West Hungary, Faculty of Economic Sciences, visiting professor

- 2000 - 2003

University of Debrecen, Center of Sciences of Agriculture, visiting professor

- 2006 - 2019

Babes-Bolyai University of Sciences, Faculty of Public Administration, Extension in Satu Mare, visiting professor

- 2006 - 2014

Babes-Bolyai University of Sciences, visiting professor

- 2005 - 2007

Hungarian University of Sciences in Transylvania, Faculty of Sapientia, Miercurea Ciuc, visiting professor

- 2001 - 2007

University of Jan Selyeho, visiting professor

- 2010 - 2015

Eötvös Lóránd University of Sciences Faculty of Natural Sciences Department of Regional Geography, visiting professor

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- 2016 -

Corvinus University of Budapest Faculty of Social Sciences and International Relations Institute of Geography, Geoeconomy and Sustainable Development, Associate Professor

## Public activities in the university (memberships in university bodies)

- 2018 -
- 2018 -
- 2018 -

## Important study tours, delegacies

- 1992, 2 week  
Universitat Heidelberg AEGEE Summer University
  - 1993, 4 months  
Rijkuniversiteit Groningen TEMPUS
  - 1993, 1 week  
Universitat Stuttgart 2nd European Traffic Workshop
  - 1994, 1 week  
Oxford University Jesus College Europe 2020 Conference
  - 1995, 1 week  
Oxford University Jesus College Europe 2020 Conference
  - 1997, 4 months  
London School of Economics and Political Science Tempus
  - 1998, 3 days  
London University
  - 1998, 1 week  
Athen Pantheion University Tempus
  - 2003, 3 days  
Praha, EUROPEUM
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- 2005, 1 week  
Brussel, European Parliament
  - 2005, 1 week  
Brussel Comission of European Community
  - 2006, 3 dyas  
Sheffield Winter Conference of Regional Studies Association
  - 2007, 7 days  
Lisboa Annual Conference of Regional Studies Association
  - 2009, 7 days  
Leuven Annual Conference of Regional Studies Association
  - 2010, 3 days  
Pamplona Erasmus opening conference
  - 2010, 3 days  
Cluj Napoca Babes-Bolyai University of Sciences
  - 2011, 7 days  
Seoul 3rd GCEG Conference
  - 2010, 11  
Abuja 6th IJSO
  - 2011, 4 days  
11th ICBMF Conference
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- 2011, 14 days  
Santiago de Chile, Regional conference of IGU
  - 2012, 10 days  
Annual Meeting of Association of American Geographers
  - 2012, 7 days  
Cologne, Regional conference of IGU
  - 2012, 3 days  
Delft Annual Conference of Regional Studies Association
  - 2012, 3 days  
Hamburg Research Network Conference of Regional Studies Association
  - 2013, 14 days  
Los Angeles, Annual Meeting of Association of American Geographers
  - 2013, 5 bdyas  
Tampere Annual Conference of Regional Studies Association
  - 2013, 3 days  
London Winter Conference of Regional Studies Association
  - 2014, 3 days  
London Winter Conference of Regional Studies Association
  - 2015, 7 days  
Chicago, Annual Meeting of Association of American Geographers
  - 2015,
  
  - 2015, 7 days  
Piacenza Annual Conference of Regional Studies Association
  - 2016, 3 dyas  
Graz Annual Conference of Regional Studies Association
  - 2016, 7 days  
San Francisco Annual Meeting of Association of American Geographers
  - 2017, 1 week  
Dublin RSA Annual Conference
  - 2017,  
Boston AAG Annual Meeting
  - 2018, 1 week  
New Orleans, USA AAG Annual Meeting

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- 2019, 1 week  
University of Lublin (Maria Skłodowska Curie) RSA CEE
- 2018, 1 week  
University of Lugano, RSA Annual Conference
- 2019, 1 week  
University of Florence School of Political Science 2nd International Week

## Language skills

Language	Speaking	Writing	Reading	Media appearance
English	Intermediate	Intermediate	Intermediate	
German	Intermediate	Intermediate	Intermediate	

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## Research, professional activity

### Major taught courses or fields of education:

Regional policy of the European Union  
Environmental policy of the European Union  
Common (economic) policies of the European Union  
Regional Geography of the Europe  
Regional Economics  
Regional and Local Development  
Natural Resources  
Local Resources for Tourism  
Regional Programming  
Energy Policy  
Transport Economics and Policy  
Regional Policy  
Destination Management and Regional Development

### Field of science and discipline:

multidisciplinary social sciences

### Current fields of research:

Spatial development, regional economics and policy, regional geography, economic geography, transport geography, energy economics and policy, sustainability, competitiveness, regional and rural development in the European Union, geography of financial markets

### Previous fields of research:

Natural resource economics, climate change, national regional policies, local and regional public administration

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## Major research projects

- 2000 - 2001, Spatial process in Hungary  
Form of participation: member of the research team  
Moneylender: Eötvös Lóránd University of Sciences  
Further info about research:
- 2001 - 2002, Comparative studies of public administration system.  
Form of participation: member of the research team  
Moneylender: Hungarian Science Academy Regional Research Center  
Further info about research: Public administration in OECD Countries
- 2003 - 2007, National regional policies in the European Union  
Form of participation: member of the research team  
Moneylender: West-Hungarian University and PHARE  
Further info about research: Comparative analysis of regional policies and institutions in countries of the EU
- 2004 - 2006, Financial monitoring of pre-accession funds  
Form of participation: member of the research team  
Moneylender: European Parliament, István Pálfi MEP  
Further info about research:

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- 2004 - 2006, Spatial Impacts of First Hungarian National Development Plan  
Form of participation: leader of the research team  
Moneylender: National Development Agency  
Further info about research: Spatial allocation and tendering process in 1st Hungarian NDP
- 2007 - 2009, Rural Development in the European Union  
Form of participation:  
Moneylender: Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development, NARDI  
Further info about research: Case studies, best practices in rural development, LEADER and agro-environmental projects
- 2008 - 2009, Spatial cohesion in Environmental and Infrastructure Operative Programme between 2004 and 2006  
Form of participation: member of the research team  
Moneylender: National Development Agency  
Further info about research:
- 2009 - 2010, Postgraduate Program in Public Administration Management  
Form of participation: member of the research team  
Moneylender: European Social Fund, Ministry of Interior and Public Administration, Romania  
Further info about research:
- 2014 - 2015, Minicars, Maglevs, and Mopeds  
Form of participation: member of the research team  
Moneylender: ABC-CLIO 130 Cremona Drive, Suite C, Santa Barbara CA, 93117 USA  
Further info about research: 1. Moscow metro 2. Berlin S-bahn 3. Hamburg public transport 4. Karlsruhe tram-train 5. København public transport 6. Great-Belt 7. European railways 8. High Speed Trains
- 2014 - 2015, Network of Academies of Local Communities  
Form of participation: member of the research team

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Moneylender:

Further info about research: Developed settlements: Gátér, Bucsa, Mátraverebély, Tiszatarján, Dunaszentpál, Tiszaroff, Cibakháza, Badacsonytomaj, Gávavencsellő, Kétegyháza, Szalapa, Tompa, Taktaszada.

## Membership in scientific or professional bodies/organizations

- 2008 - 2012, ,  
, national
  - 1995 - 2019, member, member  
Hungarian Economic Society, national
  - 1995 - 2017, member, member  
Hungarian Geography Society, national
  - 2007 - 2020, member, member  
Regional Studies Association, international
  - 2011 - 2020, member, member  
Hungarian Association of Regional Science, national
  - 2012 - 2020, member, member  
Association of American Geographers, international
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- 2012 - 2020, member, member  
American Economic Association, international
  - 2018 - 2020, RSA Ambassador to Hungary, leadership position (president, director etc)  
Régiónál Studies Association, international
  - 2019 - 2020, , member  
, national
  - 2018 - 2020, , member  
, national

## Board memberships and positions

- 2016 - 2016, , president or member of the editorial board  
Foreign language

## Expert consultancy activities

- 1999 - 2000  
3k Consens, spatial planning, education
- 2000 - 2004  
Excellnce Rt, spatial planning, consultancy
- 2000 - 2004  
TEMPUS Foundation, European Union
- 2001 - 2007  
entrepreneur, spatial planning, education, consultancy
- 2002 - 2002
- 2003 - 2006  
Comission of Education in Hungarian Parliament, R+D policy of the EU
- 2003 - 2004  
Hitesy-Bartucz-Hollai Euroconsulting, spatial development, Miskolc, Eger
- 2004 - 2006  
István Pálfi, MEP, Financial monitoring of pre-accession funds
- 2004 - 2005  
Aquaprofit kft, cross-border cooperation between Hungary and Romania

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- 2004 - 2004  
Regional Development Council of Pest County, spatial development
- 2006 - 2006  
National Development Agency, Spatial allocation and impact of 1st Hungarian NDP
- 2007 - 2010  
Kőrics Euroconsulting, spatial planning, education
- 2008 - 2008  
ICEG EC, Spatial planning, energy economics, railways,
- 2009 - 2009  
Banktrade ltd, Environmental protection, renewable energy resources
- 2014 - 2015  
National University of Public Services, Local Economic Development in less-developed settlements.
- 2015 - 2015  
National Meteorological Service , Impact of Climate Change on Hungarian Tourism

## Publications

- [Publications can be found at Magyar Tudományos Művek Tára \(MTMT\). \(MTMT is the official repository of the university.\)](#)

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## Contacts

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### Consulting hours:

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