

Curriculum vitae

FAMILY NAME:	Kovács	
FIRST NAME:	Péter	
MIDDLE NAME:		
GENDER:	Male	
DATE OF BIRTH:	10 February 1959	
NATIONALITY:	Hungarian	
REGIONAL CRITERIA:	Eastern Europe	
SECONDARY NATIONALITY: (IF APPLICABLE)		
MARITAL STATUS:	Married	
LIST A/LIST B	List B	
LANGUAGES	Mother tongue: Hungarian	
- ENGLISH	(written) Advanced	(oral) Advanced
- FRENCH	(written) Advanced	(oral) Advanced
- OTHERS	German : (written) Intermediate	(oral) Intermediate
	Russian : (written) Intermediate	(oral) Intermediate
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EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS: <i>Date, institution, qualification(s) obtained (starting with most recent)</i> - Please copy/paste if more entries are needed		
2011		
- <i>Institution:</i>	Hungarian Academy of Sciences	
- <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i>	DSC	
1997		
- <i>Institution:</i>	Miskolc University Law Faculty	
- <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i>	dr. habil/ PhD.	
1987		
- <i>Institution:</i>	Miskolc University Law Faculty	
- <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i>	Ph.D.	
07/1984 – 08/1984		
- <i>Institution:</i>	Institut International des Droits de l'Homme (Strasbourg, France)	
- <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i>	Diplome de droit international et de droit comparé des droits de l'homme	
09/1983 – 06/1984		
- <i>Institution:</i>	Community law in Centre Européen Universitaire (Nancy, France)	
- <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i>	Diplome d'études supérieures européennes (DESS)	

09/1978 – 02/1983

- *Institution:* Law Faculty of the University Attila József (Szeged, Hungary)
- *Qualification(s) obtained:* Master of Law

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE: Date, employer, post title, other information (starting with most recent)

- Please copy/paste if more entries are needed

- Please indicate the relevance of the experience to the candidacy under list A or list B, as appropriate

09/2005

- *Employer:* Constitutional Court
- *Post title:* Judge, President of the 1st Chamber (2013-)
- *Other information:* elected for 9 years

09/1997

- *Employer:* Péter Pázmány Catholic University
- *Post title:* professor, head of international law department
- *Other information:*

07/1998 – 07/1999

- *Employer:* Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- *Post title:* Head of Department of Human Rights
- *Other information:*

07/1999 – 07/1994

- *Employer:* Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- *Post title:* 1st class secretary at the Hungarian Embassy in Paris
- *Other information:* Embassy of Hungary, Paris

02/1983 – 07/2009

- *Employer:* University of Miskolc
- *Post title:* assistant, assistant master, head of department, professor
- *Other information:*

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

- Please copy/paste if more entries are needed

2001

- Activity: member of the interministerial expert group for the ratification of the Rome Statute

09/1994 - 07/1998

- Activity: international law counsellor of the Secretary of State for the minorities

08/1986 - 02/1987

- Activity: 2nd part of the obligatory military service in the Hungarian Army

08/1977 - 07/1978

- Activity: 1st part of the obligatory military service in the Hungarian Army

MOST RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS

1. Authority and Weakness of the 1977 Geneva Protocol II in the Light of the Conflict in Chechnya; in: International Peacekeeping 6:(4-6) pp. 137-144. (2000),
2. Intervention armée des forces de l'OTAN au Kosovo: (Fondement de l'obligation de respecter le droit international humanitaire), Revue Internationale de la Croix Rouge 82:(837) pp. 103-128. (2000),

3. International law and minority protection: Rights of Minorities or Law of Minorities? Budapest: Akadémiai Kiadó, 2000. 176 p. (Pázmány Books),
4. Ethnic and Linguistic Minorities and International Law; Racial groups; in: Shelton, Dinah L (ed.): Encyclopedia of genocide and crimes against humanity, Detroit: Macmillan Press, 2004. pp. 692-700 and 855-857,
5. Rather Judgement than Opinion? Or can we speak about a third type judicial procedure before the International Court of Justice? (Note under the Advisory Opinion of the International Court of Justice delivered about the “wall” built on Palestinian Territory); in: Bermejo Garcia Romualdo (ed.) Anuario de Derecho Internacional vol. XX (2004), Pamplona: Universidad de Navarra, 2005. pp. 447-465,
6. La protection internationale des minorités nationales aux alentours du millénaire; Paris: Pédone, 2005. 96 p.(Cours et travaux; 5),
7. Le prononcé de la peine, in: Ascensio, Decaux, Pellet (ed.): Droit international pénal, Paris: Pédone, 2000. pp. 841-848. (2e éd.), Paris: Pédone, 2012. pp. 969-976),
8. Developments and Limits in International Jurisprudence, Denver Journal of International Law and Policy 31:(3) pp. 461-489. (2003),
9. Développement et limites de la jurisprudence en droit international; in: Coussirat-Coustère, Vincent (ed.): La juridictionnalisation du droit international.(Conférence de la SFDI, Lille, 2002), Paris, 2003: pp. 269-341.),
10. Article 57; in: Cot J-P, Pellet A, Forteau M (eds) Commentaire de la Charte des Nations Unies, Paris: Economica, 2005. pp. 1515-1541,
11. Article 7 of the Vienna Treaty on the Law of Treaties of 1969 and the Vienna Treaty on the Law of Treaties of 1986; in: Corten Olivier - Klein Pierre: The Vienna Conventions on the Law of Treaties: A Commentary. 2176 p. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2011. pp. 125-144 et pp. 145-154,
12. Raison d'État et droit international; in: Akandji-Kombé Jean-François (ed): L'homme dans la société internationale: Mélanges en hommage au Professeur Paul Tavernier. Bruxelles, Bruylant, 2013. pp. 91-108,
13. Jurisprudential Interactions in the first Judgements of the International Criminal Court in: Iustum, Aequum, Salutare, 2014/I, (to be published soon)

MOST RELEVANT SEMINARS

1. 3-29 March, 2000: visiting professor at the Université de Montpellier I: 16 hours taught and therefrom 2 were delivered on the foundations of the IHL obligations of the NATO in the in campaign for Kosovo.
2. March 2002: visiting professor at the Université Paris XI (Sceaux): 12 hours taught and therefrom 3 were delivered on the foundations of the IHL obligations of the NATO in the in campaign for Kosovo and 3 on the legal nature of statutes, internal rules of procedures of international tribunals, as of international jurisprudential interactions.
3. 1 August - 23 December 2002: Visiting professor in the US with Fulbright scholarship during the fall semester of the Denver University, College of Law. Two classes held: on the international legal protection of national minorities (2x2 hours per week) and on the international humanitarian law (2x2 hours per week).
4. 11-13 September 2002: rapporteur at the 36th conference of the Société Française pour le Droit International (La juridictionnalisation du droit international) on the topic: “Les possibilités et les limites du développement du droit dans la jurisprudence des tribunaux internationaux”.
5. 5-9 December 2003: Toronto, Canada: participation at the round table “Transitional justice and human rights” of the York University.
6. 12 July 2005 (Warsaw): lecture at the 23rd summer university of IHL (Title of the lecture: Refugees in armed conflicts)
7. 5 July 2007 (Warsaw): lecture at the 25th summer university of IHL (Title of the lecture: Refugees in armed conflicts)
8. 22 August 2007 (Moscow): lecture at the summer university of IHL (Title of the lecture: Refugees in armed conflicts)

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND SOCIETIES

- Institut International des Droits de l'Homme (Strasbourg)
- Hungarian Branch of the International Law Association
- Société Française pour le Droit International

AWARDS AND HONOURS
Chevalier de l'Ordre National du Mérite de la République Française (2010) Pro Minoritate Prize (Fundatia Dispora, Timisoara, Romania, 2003)
PERSONAL INTERESTS
History of the 20 th century Sport: cycling
OTHER RELEVANT FACTS