

# Curriculum Vitae

## Dr. Péter Csontos

### Personal information

Date of birth: May 19, 1959. Nationality: Hungarian Gender: Male  
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### Education

2010: Habilitation in agricultural botany, University of West Hungary, Mosonmagyaróvár  
2007: D.Sc. in biology, Hungarian Academy of Sciences  
1995: Ph.D. in biology, Hungarian Academy of Sciences  
1983: M.Sc. in biology, Loránd Eötvös University, Budapest

### Work experience

2008-present: scientific advisor, Institute for Soil Science, Centre for Agricultural Research  
1992-2008: senior research fellow, MTA-ELTE Research Group for Ecology & Theoretical Biology  
1984-1992: senior museologist, Department of Botany, Hungarian Natural History Museum

### Teaching activity

Since 1988, I have been regularly teaching at Loránd Eötvös University  
As an occasional lecturer, I participated in the doctoral schools of the Univ. of Pécs, the Univ. of Szent István and the Univ. of Szeged, and I also taught students of the biology B.Sc. of Savaria Centre (NyME, Szombathely) and biology teachers of Apáczai Csere János Faculty (NyME, Győr).  
Under my supervision, 5 students participated in TDK conferences, 13 students prepared their diploma theses and 7 doctoral students obtained Ph.D. degrees.

### Notable professional public positions

2007-2013: elected doctoral representative in the General Assembly of the Hung. Acad. Sci., for two terms.  
2008-2011: deputy chairman of the Botanical Committee of the Biol. Dept. of the Hung. Acad. Sci.  
2014-2020: co-chairman of the Biodiversity Committee of the Biol. Dept. of the Hung. Acad. Sci.  
2014.07.01-2022.06.30: president of the Botany Division of the Hungarian Biological Society.  
2018.05.-2022.05. deputy president of the Hungarian Biological Society.  
2012- present: core member of the Wittmann Antal Multidisciplinary Doctoral School of Plant, Animal and Food Sciences at Széchenyi István University.  
2014- present: member of the editorial board of the journal „Botanikai Közlemények”.

### Study trips, travel grants

Between 1986 and 2019, I went on 26 study trips, during which I mainly visited European scientific centres (Freiburg, Göttingen, Naples, Padua, Sheffield, Uppsala, Valencia, Warsaw and others).

### Honours and awards

MTA Academic Youth Award (1994), János Bolyai Research Scholarship (1998-2000); István Széchenyi Research Scholarship (2002-2005), Sándor Jávorka Award (2020). Honorary university professor at Faculty of Sciences of Loránd Eötvös University

### Languages

Hungarian: Mother tongue  
English: State secondary level language exam (062623/1986), and Educational Testing Service, TOEFL score 523 (7154238 /1993).  
Russian: State basic level language exam (014853/1987).

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