







# DR. FORMAN BALÁZS GYÖRGY



Dr. Forman Balázs György The organization of the RSAI 14th World Congress 2024 in Kecskemét. My books. My first three books deal with the European Union's regional policy and its institutions. I wrote these books during the period of preparation for Hungary's accession to the European Union.

My series of books entitled **Globalization and Modernization**. In the first version, the books focused on the periods of crises for 2008 and then 2020., the value system of the society, regional differences, and the functioning of the public administration and political system. It is more than regional geography, more focused than comparative economics or than international economics. of America, Germany, Japan and China were presented.

## **Studies**

- 1989 1995: at the Budapest University of Economics in Faculty of Business Administration in Finance and Environmental Management specializations. The thesis title: The Hungarian exchange rate policy between 1990 and 1994.
- 2006: to finish the doctoral studies at the Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences A Title of dissertation: A regional programming in the European Union.

## Career

- 2021 present : Associate Professor at John von Neumann University, Corvinus University of Budapest
- 1995 1999: Assistant Lecturer at Department of Economic Geography
- 1999 2008: Lecturer,
- 2008 2021: Associate Professor

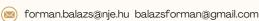
# Visiting lectures

- 2000 2003: University of West Hungary, Sopron, Budapest
- 2000 2013: Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences,
- 2018 2020: Budapest Business College University of Applied Sciences











# Visiting lectures

- 2019, 1 week in Florence 2nd International Week at University of Cesare Alfieri
- 2001 2007: Jan Selyeho University in Komarno (Slovakia)
- 2005 2007: Sapientia Transylvanian Hungarian University of Science Miercurea Ciuc
- 2006 2019: Babes-Bolyai University of Sciences, in Satu Mare
- 2009 2010 Visiting Professor at Babes-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca

# International studies

 Tempus Grant: 1993 (4 month) Rijkuniversiteit Groningen, 1997 (4 month) London Schoool of Economics and Political Science

# Conferences

- ERSA Annual Conference: Alicante (2023)
- RSAI World Congress: Kecskemét (2024) Co-Chair of Local Organizing Committee
- Regional Studies Association. RSA Annual Conference: Lisbon (2007), Leuven (2009), Delft (2012), Tampere (2013), Piacenza (2015), Graz (2016), Dublin (2017), Lugano (2018), Ljubljana (2023), Firenze (2024). 2010, 3 nap Pamplona Erasmus projekt indító konferenciaRSA Workshop: Hamburg (2012). RSA Workshop: Hamburg (2012). RSA President's Evening in London (2012, 2013, 2014). RSA Central Eastern European Conference: Lublin (2019)
- Association of American Geographers. Annual Meeting of Association of American Geographers: New York (2012), Los Angeles (2013), Chicago (2015), San Francisco (2016), Boston (2017), New Orleans (2018), Honolulu (2024). Annual Meeting of Association of American Geographers (on-line): 2021, 2022, 2023. At 7 in-person and 3 online conferences, I organized and led 42 sessions with 140 participants from 37 countries.
- Global Conferences on Economic Geography: 2011: Seoul 3rd GCEG, 2015: Oxford 4th GCEG. 2022: Dublin 5th GCEG
- International Geography Union. Regional Conference of IGU: Santiago de Chile (2011). World Conference of IGU: Köln (2012)
- 2023, 1 week in New York, John von Neumann 120 Memorial Conference





## Education

I led the courses at Corvinus University of Budapest (as course coordinator and lecturer): Transport Economics, Transport Policy (elective BA, elective MA), Energy economy, energy policy (elective BA), Regional and Urban Development (Specialization Course V. year), Regional Programming (Regional and Environmental Economics MA course), Tourist Resources (BA degree in Tourism), The European Union's regional policy (elective specialization, 4-5th in international relations, international studies majors), The European Union's environmental policy (elective 4-5th), Regional Economics (Regional and Environmental Economics MA course), Regional Geography of Europe (elective Course), The European Union's common policies, I-II. (Compulsory course BIGIS). In partly Natural **Resource Economics** (elective course).

Courses of the master's program in Regional and Environmental Economics at John von Neumann University

Microeconomics and Economics of Natural Resources. Macroeconomics and Growth Theories. Regional Economics. Regional Policy.

#### Research

- 1993 1994 The effects of climate change in Hungary (Részvétel formája: kutatócsoport tagjaSupervisor: Tóth, Ferenc.
- 1995 2004 The Economics of Natural Resources
- 2000 2001 The spatial processes in Hungary (1990 and 1998)
- 2001 2002 A comparative study of regional administrations (MTA RKK NYUTI MARD.
- 2003 2007 National Regional Policies in the European Union. (West Hungary University -PHARE).
- 2004 2006 The pre-accession funds, financial monitoring. (MEP Istvan Pálfi)
- The first National Development Plan Territorial Effects. (National Development 2004 - 2006 Agency of Hungary)
- 2007 2010 Rural Development in the European Union (Ministry of Rural Development and Agriculture)