



## Personal information

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Nationality

Hungarian

## Language

Mother tongue

**Hungarian**

English

B2 degree, 2009

German

B1 degree (writing/reading), 2019

## Education

PhD in Software Engineering  
2014–2019

Budapest University of Technology and Economics  
Department of Measurement and Information Systems.  
Honour: *summa cum laude*, Thesis work: *Formal Validation and Model Generation for Domain-Specific Languages by Logic Solvers*  
Supervisor: Prof. Dániel Varró

MSc in Software Engineering  
2011–2014

Budapest University of Technology and Economics,  
Specialization: Safety-Critical System Engineering.  
Thesis work: *Consistency Analysis of Domain-Specific Languages*

BSc in Software Engineering  
2007–2011

Budapest University of Technology and Economics,  
Specialization: Information Technology.  
Thesis work: *Formal Analysis of Model Transformations* (*hun*)

High school  
2007

Török Ignác High School, math specialization

## Positions

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| 2021 –      | Assistant Professor, Budapest University of Technology and Economics               |
| 2020 – 2021 | Research Fellow, Budapest University of Technology and Economics                   |
| 2019 – 2020 | Research Fellow, MTA-BME Lendület<br>Cyber-Physical Systems Research Group         |
| 2016 – 2019 | Research Assistant, MTA-BME Lendület<br>Cyber-Physical Systems Research Group      |
| 2016 – 2019 | 3 × 2 months <a href="#">Graduate Research Trainee</a> , McGill University, Canada |
| 2014 – 2016 | PhD student, Budapest University of Technology and Economics                       |

## Awards and Scholarships

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| 2022             | Young Researcher Award ( <i>Hungarian Academy of Science, 22 awards annually</i> )  |
| 2022             | John George Kemeny Award ( <i>John von Neumann Computer Society, 2 awards annually</i> )                                    |
| 2021             | Josef Heim Innovation Award ( <i>departmental</i> )   |
| 2018, 2020       | 2 × László Schnell Publication Award ( <i>departmental</i> )  |
| 2017, 2020, 2021 | 3 × New National Excellence Program (ÚNKP) ( <i>national scholarship, published on official channel of the university</i> ) |
| 2016             | Best Presentation Award, CSCS Conference ( <i>national</i> )  |
| 2013             | IEEE/ACM Best Paper Award, MODELS2013 ( <i>international, 1 out of 48 papers</i> )  |
| 2011, 2013, 2014 | Student Research Competition (TDK): university 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , national 1 <sup>st</sup> places          |

## Publication Record

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| Summary                     | 1 book chapter, 7 journal papers (IF), 17 conference papers  |
| Repositories                | <a href="#">Hungarian Scientific Bibliography (10045161)</a> , <a href="#">Google Scholar</a>  |
| Citations                   | 200 independent citations, selected citations:<br><a href="#">IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering</a> , <a href="#">IEEE Access (1,2)</a> , <a href="#">Empirical Software Engineering</a>   |
| International presentations | Eindhoven (The Netherlands), Saint-Malo (France), Marburg (Germany),<br>Gothenburg (Sweden), Thessaloniki (Greece), Montreal (Canada), Luxembourg  |
| Hungarian presentations     | <i>Software Testing 2021, Budapest</i> , <a href="https://www.iir-hungary.hu/">https://www.iir-hungary.hu/</a><br><i>Formal Methods in Information Technology</i> , Eszterházy Károly University, 2021   |
| Selected publications       | [1] <a href="#">Semeráth</a> , Nagy, Varró: <i>A Graph Solver for the Automated Generation of Consistent Domain-Specific Models</i> . International Conference on Software Engineering, 2018. Citations: 20<br>(Previous paper from Hungarian authors was accepted 22 years ago)<br>[2] <a href="#">Semeráth</a> , Barta, Horváth, Szatmári, Varró: <i>Formal Validation of Domain-Specific Languages with Derived Features and Well-Formedness Constraints</i> . Software and System Modeling, 2017. Citations: 20<br>[3] <a href="#">Semeráth</a> , Varró: <i>Iterative Generation of Diverse Models for Testing Specifications of DSL Tools</i> . Fundamental Approaches to Software Engineering, 2018. Citations: 11<br>[4] <a href="#">Semeráth</a> , Varró: <i>Graph Constraint Evaluation over Partial Models by Constraint Rewriting</i> . International Conference on Model Transformation, 2017. Citations: 11<br>[5] Marussy, <a href="#">Semeráth</a> , Varró: <i>Automated Generation of Consistent Graph Models with Multiplicity Reasoning</i> . IEEE Trans. on Software Engineering, 2021. IF: 9.321 (Previous paper from Hungarian authors was accepted 12 years ago) |

## Research Projects

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| 2024-2027   | Simulator-based AI testing, ONR Global, Principal Investigator   |
| 2022        | <a href="#">Amazon Research Award</a> , co-Principal Investigator ( <i>international, 74 winners</i> )   |
| 2021 – 2022 | Research Collaboration with a railway supplier ( <i>testing of AI-based systems</i> )  |
| 2020 – 2021 | Research collaboration with <a href="#">Component ltd.</a><br>( <i>AI-based manufacturing and cost estimator for engineering blueprints</i> )                                      |
| 2020 – 2021 | Competitiveness and Excellence Collaboration program, <a href="#">Prolan ltd.</a><br>( <i>systematic generation of railway architectures for the testing of railway switches</i> ) |
| 2018 –      | Higher Education Excellence Program, <a href="#">NRDI Fund</a> ( <i>AI/Future mobility research</i> )  |
| 2014 – 2016 | "Verification of Complex Systems" collaboration, Ericsson Hungary  |
| 2013        | Artemis <a href="#">R3-COP</a> research project<br>( <i>international, testing of laser-guided autonomous forklift robots</i> )  |

## Research Visits

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| 2021 | <a href="#">ZalaZONE</a> ( <i>Zalaegerszeg, Hungary, autonomous vehicle test track</i> )    |
| 2019 | <a href="#">Karr Lab</a> ( <i>New York, USA, molecular simulation for cancer research</i> ) |

## Teaching and Talent Care

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| 2020 –                       | Lead lecturer:<br><i>Model-based Systems Design,</i><br><i>Critical Architectures Laboratory,</i><br><i>Critical Systems Integration Laboratory,</i><br><i>Project Laboratory, BSc and MSc Thesis Projects (administration of 150+ students)</i>                            |
| 2013 – 2019                  | Teaching and Lab Assistant:<br><i>System Modeling, Eclipse-Based Development and Integration, Critical Architectures Laboratory, Critical Systems Integration Laboratory, Formal Methods, Model Driven Software Development, System Integration, Languages and Automata</i> |
| Supervising                  | 15 thesis works, 1 ongoing PhD student  |
| Student Research Competition | 8 thesis works, 6 awards ( <i>Hungary</i> )<br><i>Special award for the supervision of best woman researcher</i>  |
| Research Programs            | 5 co-supervised <a href="#">Summer Undergraduate Research</a> projects, ( <i>McGill, Canada</i> )   |
| Teaching Awards              | Departmental award for the development of automated homework generation and evaluation framework<br>( <i>System Modeling, annually 600+ students, homework in three languages</i> )   |
| Teaching Awards              | Departmental award for the management of IMSC talent care program   |

## Academic Service

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| Organizing | <i>ACM/IEEE I.C. on Model-Driven Engineering Languages '23, proceedings chair</i><br><i>Eur. Conf. on Modelling Foundations and Applications '24, PC member</i><br><i>Language Models for Model-Driven Engineering '24, PC member</i><br><i>IEEE WS. on Validation and Verification of Future Cyber-Physical Systems '23, PC member</i> |
| Reviewing  | 20+ conference reviews (including <i>BIS2020, ECMFA2018, 4×FASE, 2×ICGT, 2×ICMT 2×MODELS, SEFM2019, SLE2015</i> )<br>4 journal review ( <i>J. Syst. Softw., Int. J. Softw. Tools Technol. Transf., Concurr. Comput. Pract. Exp.</i> )   |
| 2019–      | Student research competition reviewing/scoring ( <i>national/university level</i> )   |
| 2016       | Local chair at <a href="#">Minisymposium</a> conference ( <i>departmental</i> )   |
| 2013       | Student volunteer at <a href="#">STAF2013</a> research conference ( <i>international</i> )  |