

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Nóra TELLER



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Sex Female | Date of birth 11/09/1977 | Nationality Hungarian

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2001 - recent **Senior Research Fellow**
 Metropolitan Research Institute, Budapest

 - Research and consultancy in the fields of housing policy, urban development, housing exclusion of Roma and homelessness in Hungary and in a comparative perspective in Central and East Europe, and the use of EU funds for housing inclusion and social integration

Business or sector Research and consultancy

- 2015 – 2016 **Consultant**
 Council of Europe Development Bank

 - Evaluation of the social housing investment carried out in Sofia in 2001-2008 from a CEB loan

Business or sector Research and consultancy

- 2015 – 2019 **Expert consultant**
 European Commission

 - Developing the Desegregation Guidance Note and facilitating its implementation in the Hungarian context for a more efficient use of ESIF in housing and education investments

Business or sector Research and consultancy

- 2022 – 2023 **Expert consultant**
 EUROMA

 - Advising EUROMA on how to implement desegregated housing measures and feeding the working program of the partnership

- 2011 – 2021 **Short Term Consultant**
 The World Bank

 - Research and consultancy in the fields of Roma housing and housing exclusion in Slovakia and Romania, EU-financed programmes for housing inclusion, poverty mapping, social inclusion and poverty elimination in CEE and Hungary, and labour market policies for vulnerable groups in Hungary, evaluation of TA for the use of ESIF in Romania, elderly care reforms in Vietnam

Business or sector Research and consultancy

- 2010 – 2021 **Lecturer**
 Corvinus University of Budapest, Department of Sociology

 - Teaching of courses on social statistics, social problems (various forms of housing exclusion and homelessness) and research seminar for BA students in the framework of the English language program and the Hungarian language program of the Department

Business or sector Higher education

- 2018 – 2019 **Lecturer**
 Károli Gáspár University of the Reformed Church in Hungary, Faculty of Teacher Training, Institute of Social Work and Deaconry

 - Teaching of courses on research methods for BA students

Business or sector Higher education

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- 2021 **PhD in Sociology**
 Corvinus University of Budapest, Hungary, Doctoral School of Sociology

 - Research topic: Roma housing mobility patterns after the transition in Hungary

- June – July 2021 **Certificate of Participation**
 Summer University, Central European University, Budapest

 - Summer University Course of the Central European University, Budapest with the title *New Frontiers in Romani Studies: Insights from Critical Race Theory*

June – July 2010

Certificate of Participation

Summer University, Central European University, Budapest

- Summer University Course of the Central European University, Budapest with the title *Social Integration and the Romany Minority in Europe Today: Linking Policy and Research to Work against Poverty, Discrimination and Ethnic Conflict*

September 2006 – July 2007

Certificate of Participation

Policy Research Fellow at the Open Society Institute Budapest

- Spatial Concentration of Vulnerable Groups and the Effects of Selected Local Government Service Delivery Policies in three Hungarian Cities: The cases of Tatabánya, Miskolc, and Magdolna District, Budapest

1998 – 2003

MA in Sociology

MA

Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences, Budapest, Department of Sociology

- Sociology, Change Management (title of the thesis: Allocation of social housing in Hungary)

1996 – 2004

MA in German Language and Literature

MA

Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences, Budapest, Department of German Language and Literature

- Philologist and Language teacher in German Language and Literature

September – December 2002

Certificate of participation

MA

The World Bank Institute

- Completion of a Course on Public Policy Analysis

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s)

Hungarian

Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
German	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
French	A1	A1	A1	A1	A1
Russian	A1	A1	A1	A1	A1

Levels: A1/2: Basic user - B1/2: Independent user - C1/2 Proficient user
Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Communication skills

Team Work: I have been responsible for coordinating several research projects within international teams

Intercultural skills: I was involved in organising study tours for colleagues from Armenia, Kosovo, Albania, the UK, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and participated in consultancy projects in Bosnia and Herzegovina, Slovakia, Bulgaria, and Vietnam, which made it possible to interact with colleagues from other organisational and cultural backgrounds

Organisational / managerial skills

I was involved in the organisation of several study tours (both content and logistics, from 2002-2006), and various international conferences and workshops. Since 2012 I have been co-organizing the yearly research conference of the European Observatory on Homelessness (selection of speakers and maintaining contacts with them). Some major recent research projects included the coordination of over ten international partner organisations and researchers.

Computer skills

Competent with most Microsoft Office programmes, SPSS (statistical analytical program), and some experience with web-page editing

Driving licence

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Publications **Chapters in Books**

- Teller, N., Albert, F., Fehér, B. and Györi, P. (2023): Homelessness in Hungary. In: Bretherton, J., & Pleace, N. (Eds.). (2023). *The Routledge Handbook of Homelessness* (1st ed.). Routledge. <https://doi.org/10.4324/9781351113113>
- Albanese, Flavia & Berger, Tania & Bolt, Gideon & Darling, Jonathan & Czirfusz, Márton & Ferlicca, Francesca & Hillbrandt, Hanna & Jäger, Johannes & Kovács, Vera & Marconi, Giovanna & Münch, Sybille & Picker, Giovanni & Semperebon, Michela & Siede, Anna & Smigiel, Christian & Teller, Nóra & van Ijck, Ilse & Vigvári, András & Virág, Tünde & Zahariev, Boyan. (2022). *Precarious Housing in Europe. A Critical Guide*. DOI: 10.48341/n0qk-fd13. (Methodological issues in homelessness research - Additional contribution to chapter 6, pp. 311-315)
- Hegedüs, J., Somogyi, E. and Teller, N. (2019): Lakáspiác és lakásindikátorok. Társadalmi Riport 2019: 309-327. (in English: Hegedüs, J., Somogyi, E. and Teller, N. 2018. *Housing Market and Housing Indicators*, In: *Social Report*, 258-274.)
- Nóra Teller, Eszter Somogyi, with the contributions of Nóra Tosics (2018): Social context, evictions and prevention measures in Hungary, In: Padraic Kenna, Sergio Nasarre-Aznar, Peter Sparkes, Christoph U. Schmid (eds.): *Loss of Homes and Evictions across Europe: A Comparative Legal and Policy Examination*, Edward Elgar Publishing: Cheltenham/Northampton, 2018, pp. 141-161.
- Lux, M., Sunega, P. and Teller, N. (2018): Poor and Vulnerable Groups in Private Renting. In: Hegedüs, József, Lux, Martin, Horváth, Vera (Eds.) *Private Rental Housing in Transition Countries. An Alternative to Owner Occupation?* Palgrave/MacMillan: London, pp.121-146.
- Hegedüs, J., Lux, M., Sunega, P. and Teller, N. (2014): Social Housing in Post-Socialist Countries, In: Scanlon, K., Whitehead, Ch., and Arrigoitia, M. F.: *Social Housing in Europe*, pp.239-253.
- Hegedüs, J. and Teller, N. (2012): Social Landlords and Social Housing Management, In: Lux, M., Hegedüs, J. and Teller, N. (eds): *Social Housing in Transition Countries*, Routledge: New York, pp. 81-97
- Berescu, C., Petrovic, M. and Teller, N. (2012): Housing Exclusion of the Roma: Living on the Edge, In: Lux, M., Hegedüs, J. and Teller, N. (eds): *Social Housing in Transition Countries*, Routledge: New York, pp. 98-116
- Hegedüs, J., Stjepanovic, G. and Teller, N. (2012): Bosnia and Herzegovina: Limits of the Human Rights Approach to Social Housing, In: Lux, M., Hegedüs, J. and Teller, N. (eds): *Social Housing in Transition Countries*, Routledge: New York, pp. 117-127
- Teller Nóra (2011): Adaptációs csapdák. In: Kurucz Erika (szerk.): *Roma kutatások, 2010: Élethelyzetek a társadalom peremén. Kutatási eredmények a TÁMOP 5.4.1 projekt kutatási pillérében*, Budapest: NCSZSI. <http://www.modernizacio.hu/download.php?id=589>. accessed May 19, 2012
- Teller, N. (2010): Housing and Homelessness, In: Eoin O'Sullivan, Volker Busch-Geertsema, Deborah Quilgars and Nicholas Pleace (eds.): *Homelessness Research in Europe. Festschrift for Bill Edgar and Joe Doherty*, FEANTSA: Brussels, pp. 85-104 (http://www.feantsa.org/files/freshstart/Communications/Feantsa-HomelessnessResearch_04.pdf)
- Teller, N. (2009): Vulnerable Groups and the Effects of Selected Local Government Service Delivery Policies in Three Hungarian Cities. In: Pallai, K. (ed): *Who Decides? Development, Planning, Services, and Vulnerable Groups*. OSI/LGI: Budapest
- De Decker, P. and Teller, N. (2007) Introduction, In: M.G. Elsinga, P. De Decker, N. Teller and J. Toussaint (eds.): *Home Ownership Beyond Asset and Security*, Imprint: Delft University Press, Volume 32 *Housing and Urban Policy Studies*, pp. 1-14.
- Hegedüs, J. and Teller, N. (2007): Hungary: Escape into Home-ownership, In: Elsinga, M., De Decker, P., Teller, N. and Toussaint, J. (eds.): *Home ownership beyond asset security. Perceptions of housing related security and insecurity in eight European countries*. IOS Press: Amsterdam, pp. 133-172.
- Hegedüs, J. and Teller, N. (2007): Managing risks in the new housing regimes of the transition countries – case of Hungary, in Doling J and Elsinga M (eds) (2007) *Home Ownership: Getting In, Getting From, Getting Out, Part II*, IOS Press: Amsterdam, pp. 175-200.
- Hegedüs, J. and Teller, N. (2007): Homeownership and economic transition in Central and East European Countries: Hungary as a case study, In: Horsewood N and Neuteboom P (eds) (2007) *Home Ownership: Limits to Growth*, IOS Press: Amsterdam
- Hegedüs, J. and Teller, N. (2007): The privatization of the housing stock in Eastern Europe – the case of Hungary (with József Hegedüs), In: Horsewood N and Neuteboom P (eds) (2007) *Home Ownership: Limits to Growth*, IOS Press: Amsterdam
- Hegedüs, J. and Teller, N. (2004): The social and economic significance of housing management in: *Housing in South Eastern Europe: solving the puzzle of changes*, Council of Europe Development Bank and World Bank, pp. 21-35.

Journal Articles

Drilling, M., Dittmann, J., Ondrušová, D., Teller N. and Nicole Mondelaers (2020): Measuring Homelessness by City Counts – Experiences from European Cities, In: European Journal of Homelessness, Volume 14, No. 3, pp. 86-112.

Hegedüs, J., Somogyi, E. és Teller N (2018): Lakáspiac és lakásindikátorok, In: Társadalmi Riport 2018, pp. 309-327 (in English: Hegedüs, J., Somogyi, E. and Teller, N. 2018. Housing Market and Housing Indicators, In: Social Report, 258-274.)

Teller, N. (2018): Adaptációs csapdák – cigánytelepek és lakásutak, In: Romológia 2018/14, pp. 93-108.

Fehér, B. and Teller, N. (2016): An Emerging Research Strand: Housing Exclusion in Central and South East Europe, In: European Journal of Homelessness, 10, No. 3, pp. 67-85. https://www.feantsaresearch.org/download/ehj10-3_-_full_pdf3109960603357939942.pdf

Teller, N. (2015): Local Governance, Socio-Spatial Development and Segregation in Post-Transition Hungary. In: Serbian Architectural Journal, Vol 7. Nr 3, pp. 285-298.

Fehér, B., Somogyi E. and Teller, N. (2012): Állami és önkormányzati lakáspolitikák a hajléktalanság megelőzése szempontjából [National and Local Level Housing Policies to Prevent Homelessness], In: Esély, 2012/4, pp. 6-64.

Filipovic-Hrast, M., Somogyi, E. and Teller, N. (2009): The Role of NGOs in the Governance of Homelessness in Hungary and Slovenia, In: European Journal of Homelessness, Volume 3, December, pp. 101-125.

Horváth, D. and Teller, N.: (2008): An Urban Regeneration Model: Local Community Participation in Neighborhood Rehabilitation, Planning, and Implementation in Budapest's Eighth District Magdolna Quarter, In: LGB Summer 2008: Beyond Elections - Public Participation and Local Decision-making in Central and Eastern Europe, pp. 47-52.

Hegedüs, J. and Teller, N. (2005): Development of the housing allowance programmes in Hungary in the context of CEE transitional countries, In: European Journal of Housing Policy, Vol. 5, No. 2, pp 187–209, August

Teller, N. (2004): Municipality Management: Variety of Solutions, with István Temesi, In: How to Improve Development on Local Level? Handbook with Best Practice Examples from South-East Europe, Zagreb: Friedrich Ebert Stiftung

Teller, N. (2004): Public Administration Reforms in Hungary, In: Reforming Local Public Administration: Efforts and Perspectives in South-East European Countries, Zagreb: Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, pp 58-67.

Teller, N. (2004): A helyi önkormányzatok kérdése Közép- és Dél-kelet Európában / (Questions of Local Governments in Central and South-East Europe) (ed.) [... vál. és szerk. Somogyi Eszter és Teller Nóra] ; [ford. Tönkö Andrea]; Friedrich Ebert Alapítvány, Budapest

Somogyi, E. and Teller, N. (2003): Public services in Hungary, In: Reforms of Public Services. Experiences of Municipalities and Regions in South-East Europe, Zagreb: Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, pp 745-52.

Teller, N. (2002): Conflicts between Legislature and Executive at Local Level in Hungary, In: Executive and Legislature at Local Level, Structure and Interrelation in Countries of South-East Europe, Zagreb: Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, pp 89-98.

Teller, N. (2002): Local Self-Government and the Ethnic Minorities in Hungary, In: National Minorities in South-East Europe, Legal and Social Status at Local Level, Zagreb: Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, pp 71-83

Edited Books

Hegedüs, J., Lux, M. and Teller, N. (eds., 2013): Social Housing in Transition Countries, New York: Routledge (Routledge Studies in Health and Social Welfare)

M.G. Elsinga, P. De Decker, N. Teller and J. Toussaint (eds., 2007): Home Ownership Beyond Asset and Security, Imprint: Delft University Press, Volume 32 Housing and Urban Policy Studies

Other selected reports

Nicholas Pleace Isabel Baptista Lars Benjaminsen Volker Busch Geertsema Eoin O'Sullivan Nóra Teller (2021): European Homelessness and COVID 19, available at [https://www.feantsaresearch.org/public/user/Observatory/2021/European_Homelessness_and_COVID-19Web_\(1\).pdf](https://www.feantsaresearch.org/public/user/Observatory/2021/European_Homelessness_and_COVID-19Web_(1).pdf)

Teller, N. (2021). *Trapped in One's Own Housing: The Limitations of Housing Choices in Segregated Roma Neighborhoods*= *Az én házam az én börtönöm: A lakásdöntések korlátai a szegregátumokban* (Doctoral dissertation, Budapesti Corvinus Egyetem).

Albert, Fruzsina, Teller, Nóra, Fehér, Boróka and Kőszeghy, Lea (2019). *ESPN Thematic Report on National strategies to fight homelessness and housing exclusion – Hungary*, European Social Policy Network (ESPN), Brussels: European Commission

Nicholas Pleace, Nóra Teller and Deborah Quilgars (2011): Social Housing Allocation and Homelessness (2011). EOH Comparative Studies on Homelessness. No. 1. Brussels: FEANTSA, December http://eohw.horus.be/files/freshstart/Comparative_Studies/2011/Feantsa_Comp_Studies_01_2011_WEB.pdf. Accessed May 19, 2012.

Hegedüs, J. and Teller, N. (2003): Management of the Housing Stock in South-Eastern Europe, http://www.coe.int/t/e/social_cohesion/strategic_review/publications/housing_network/final_report_5th_javversion%20-%20r%C3%A9un%20-housing%201.asp

Book Reviews:

Teller, N. (2021): Book review Kovács, Vera (2019) Utak az erdőben [Routes in the Forest] Noran Libro: Budapest, 2019, ISBN 978-963-517-046-3, pp.304, Volume 15, No. 1. pp. 255-257.

Teller, N. (2020): Satomi Maruyama (2019) Living on the Streets in Japan. Homeless Women Break their Silence. Translated by Stephen Filler Australia: Trans Pacific Press 2019. In: European Journal of Homelessness, Volume 14, No. 1, pp. 187-189.

Teller, N. (2017): Csodafegyverek helyett. Abhijit V. Banerjee – Esther Dufo (2016) A szegények gazdálkodása. A szegénység elleni küzdelem teljes újragondolása Balassi Kiadó: Budapest, pp. 254 Fordította: Hudecz András DOI: 10.18030/socio.hu.2017.1.57

Teller, N. (2013): Volker Busch-Geertsema and Ekke-Ulf Ruhstrat (2012): Mobile Mieterhilfe Bielefeld. Ein Modellprojekt zur Aufsuchenden Präventionsarbeit eines freien Trägers in enger Kooperation mit der Wohnungswirtschaft. Evaluation im Auftrag von Bethel.regional in den von Bodelschwingschen Stiftungen Bethel. [Mobile Debt Management in Bielefeld – Pilot Preventative Services with Home Visits to Tenants with Rent Arrears. by a Non-profit Provider in Close Cooperation with Housing Companies], In: European Journal of Homelessness, Volume 7, No 2, pp. 463-466.

Teller, N. (2012): On Alejandro Portes: Economic Sociology. A Systematic Inquiry. Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2010. 320 Pp., In: Corvinus Journal of Sociology and Social Policy, Vol.3 (2012) 2, 113–118.

Teller, N. (2007): The Gypsy Debate. Can discourse control?, Joanna Richardson, Exeter: Imprint Academic, 2006, In: European Journal of Housing Research, October 2007, pp. 469-471.

Involvement in relevant projects

Feasibility Study into Innovative Housing-Led Responses in Central and Eastern Europe (2023)
Leading the consortium of Metropolitan Research Institute and Budapest Institute for Policy Analysis in the project on feasibility study of HL approaches in Hungary, Slovakia, Croatia and Romania

Impact assessment of early childhood interventions in marginalised and segregated neighbourhoods in Hungary (2021-ongoing)
Leading the empirical data collection and analysis of survey data collected to assess the program component focusing on families with small children run by a consortium of multiple NGOs and lead by the Hungarian Maltese Charity Service (FAGY)

Assessment of housing responses for Refugees from Ukraine across five EU member states (2022-2023)
Co-author of the evaluation of short-, mid- and long-term housing and integration responses to the needs of Ukrainian refugees across five EU member states

Assessment of options to use RRF for social housing in the context of the 300 most disadvantaged municipalities
Co-researcher in the project on assessing the options and developing a housing inclusion guide for local teams to assess opportunities of social housing in the 300 most disadvantaged villages within the FETE program

Evaluation of ESIF investments for social urban rehabilitation and complex integration of Roma settlements (2021-2022)
Leading the impact evaluation of the projects funded from ESIF for social urban rehabilitation and complex integration of Roma settlements in Hungary in the period of 2013-2020, covering all housing related investments, including social housing and Housing First projects funded from EU funds

Peer Review on 'Housing exclusion: the role of legislation?' (2021)
Peer reviewer for the Czech Republic to explore effective social/or affordable housing legislation

Consultant in drafting a new Housing Strategy for the capital city of Budapest (2020)
Contribution to developing a housing support scheme for the most vulnerable groups in the Budapest Housing Program

Consultant in drafting a new Housing Strategy for District XV. of Budapest (2020)
Co-authoring the district level housing program

Co-authoring the National ESPN Report on National strategies to fight homelessness and housing exclusion (2019)
Co-authoring the national report on the national approach to tackling homelessness in Hungary commissioned by the ESPN. Co-authors: Fruzsina Albert, Boróka Fehér and Lea Kőszeghy. Report available at <https://ec.europa.eu/social/BlobServlet?docId=21620&langId=en>

Researcher in the Monitoring Project on the 'Presence' Social Work Method applied by the Hungarian Maltese

- Charity Service, comparing 4 Roma settlements in Hungary and 4 in Romania (2019-2020)
Member of the research team, design of the research plan, conducting of field visits and data collection about the field activities, and progress made with families
- Consultant in the Central European University Roma Civil Monitoring review assignment (2018-20)
Design of the guidelines for reporting about the housing exclusion of Roma in Europe, review of national reports and delivering a comparative analysis about the progress in housing inclusion of Roma in Europe
- Consultant of the World Bank on restructuring the Hungarian Labour Market Profiling system (2017-2019)
Consultant in the advisory project, conducting field research and analytics relating the profiling activities and labour market service design for vulnerable groups, among them marginalised Roma
- Member of the COST Action on Measuring Homelessness (2017-2020)
Researcher and co-coordinator of WP 1 on assessing the state of the art of measuring homelessness in Europe and co-organiser of the training school on city counts
- Researcher in mapping the added value of EU funds in homeless provision investments in selected EU member states, commissioned by DG Regio (2017-18)
Conducting research and synthesising national level findings on design of OPs, national policies and strategies, and projects funded from ESIF
- External evaluator of the PIE4Shelters Project (2018-2019)
Designing and conducting the evaluation and monitoring of the PIE4Shelters project on reforming institutions and applied methods in homeless services and shelters working with women
- Researcher at the European Observatory on Homelessness on responses to the refugee crisis (2016)
Data collection and analysis about the Hungarian responses to the 2015 refugee crisis
- Consultant in designing housing and education desegregation policies funded from ESIF in Hungary (2016- 2018, 2019-2020)
Consulting the Hungarian Authorities and the EC on investments and project design, monitoring of the local project activities
- Consultant in the design of impact assessment of social integration activities of the Maltese Charity in Tiszabó and Tiszabura (2016-17)
Design of the monitoring indicators for assessing the impact of the local activities
- Consultant in the Evaluation of Roma Settlement Integration Projects commissioned by TKKI/MHC (2016)
Co-author in the evaluation report of Complex Roma Settlement Integration projects running in Hungary between 2012 and 2016
- Consultant in the Evaluation of Housing First Projects commissioned by MHC (2016)
Co-author in the evaluation report of Housing First programs running in Hungary between 2013 and 2016
- Consultant for OSI Bulgaria on indicators and monitoring of territorial targeting of social inclusion investments (2016)
Reviewing the Social Inclusion Strategy and relating monitoring mechanisms of Hungary to feed the Bulgarian monitoring design
- Consultant in producing a Desegregation Guidance Note commissioned by DG Regio (2014-2015, follow up ongoing)
Preparation of the Note for MAs and implementing bodies to support ESIF investments that would result in desegregation of marginalised Roma in education and housing in the 2014-2020 programming period
- Short term consultant in the World Bank RAS on mapping development impact of local equality plans in Hungary (2014-2015)
Conduction field research and data analysis, including co-authoring of a handbook for a better design of local level inclusion projects in line with local equality programs in Hungary
- National level consultant in the Pilot project promoting the right to housing – Homelessness prevention in the context of evictions – VT/2013/056 project run by Human European Consultancy (February 2014-2015)
Data collection on the mechanisms and the profile of eviction leading to homelessness, and analysis of prevention programs
- Consultant for MtM/OSI during the production of a Toolkit for Roma Integration, specific thematic focus on housing integration (September 2013 - April 2014)
Preparation of the thematic chapter of housing integration prepared for EC staff (available on the intranet of the EC) and MA personnel to support the Roma integration process in the 2014-2020 programming period
- Consultant to Eruditio Zrt in the elaboration of the Roma Settlement Integration Strategy commissioned by the Ministry for Human Resources (July – September 2013)
Carrying out the secondary data analysis of segregation and housing processes in Hungary, and designing policy answers to the housing segregation of Roma in Hungary
- Researcher for the Maltese Charity Hungary in the SEE PAIRS project (thematic expert for housing inclusion of Roma) (January 2013 - January 2015)
Leading the Hungarian data collection, the synthesis of the international analytical activities, and heading the

working group on housing integration of Roma.

Consultant to the National Development Agency (financed from MtM/OSI resources) on programming ERDF funding for Roma housing integration projects (September 2012 – August 2013)
Consulting the NDA on producing the call for tenders for settlement reintegration projects financed from ERDF

Co-researcher in the project assessing inclusive development policies in education and housing in Hungary (2012-2013)

Conducting data analysis and field research to assess the impact of equality based education and urban development investments

Consultant in the selection of best practices of Roma inclusion in the CEE and SEE region for the MERI network, commissioned by MtM/OSI (July – October 2012)

Design of the framework of analysis and evaluation, and selection of good-practice cases with regards to employment, community work integration and housing

Lead researcher of the Evaluation of the first year of the National Roma Inclusion Strategy of Hungary, commissioned by the Roma Decade Secretariat, Hungary (September 2012 - April 2013), and lead researcher in the updating process in 2014 and 2015

Based on a template provided by the Roma Decade Secretariat, leading the evaluation activities of a civil coalition

Research on barriers to social housing for the homeless in 13 European countries (in the framework of the European Observatory on Homelessness) (October 2010 – June 2011)

Lead researcher in the analysis of social housing allocation techniques in EU member states relating their impact on access to housing of the homeless

Lead Researcher in the Evaluation of social inclusion projects financed from the HRD OP in Hungary (June 2012 – March 2013), commissioned by the National Development Agency

Developing the framework of evaluation and leading the research on the impact of EU funded measures on social inclusion, including early childhood education, housing, labour market and training

Researcher in the Needs Assessment project commissioned by the Maltese charity that targets the alleviation of child poverty (January – July 2012)

Implementing micro-regional level analysis of social processes in selected backward regions in Hungary to design better targeted complex inclusion programs for the alleviation of child poverty

Lead Researcher in the assessment of selected EU funded programs in Hungary relating to their Roma integration effects, commissioned by the National Development Agency (March – December 2011)

Developing the framework of evaluation and leading the research on the impact of EU funded measures on social inclusion

Research Assistant in the CEU-Romaversitas-Hungarian Academy of Sciences project on education policies of 100 Hungarian cities (2010-11)

Developing data collection tool for spatial segregation and conducting field research in 4 cities on local education policies and social exclusionary mechanisms

Coordinator at Wekerle Fund for assessing inclusive education measures funded from EU funds (2011-12)

Coordination of evaluation tasks and carrying out evaluation on integrated service package in primary education and early childhood development, and supervision of data collection task relating the Life Path Survey run by TÁRKI

Research on the links of assisted housing programs and homeless provision in Hungary (August - September 2011)

Researcher for the report on assisted housing programs, with the focus on housing policy analysis in general and author of the policy evaluation chapter

Research on housing programs for vulnerable groups and Roma in 5 Central European countries, in order to foster the application of ERDF resources, commissioned by OSI (March 2010 – June 2011)

Developing a Vademecum for housing integration projects based on field case studies and secondary literature, and co-organising a workshop for decision makers at the national level for CEE countries on a better programming of EU funds for Roma housing inclusion

Member of the Expert Group on the adaptation of the Harlem Children Zone program for Roma in Hungary (April – September 2010), commissioned by the Ministry of Human Resources

Field visit in the US and developing the main lines of adaptation of the HCZ in Hungary

Evaluation of the Roma Settlement Rehabilitation interventions in 2005-2008, commissioned by the Ministry of Human Resources (April – August 2010)

Consultant of the evaluation report on the first phases of the Roma housing integration projects

Member of the FEANTSA Observatory and the Editorial team of the European Journal of Homelessness (since 2009 ongoing)

Designing the yearly research agenda, co-organising the yearly research conference, and membership in the editorial team of the journal

Member of the Researcher Team on the Review of Social Services of General Interest commissioned by DG

- Employment (Social Housing team) (January 2009 – October 2011)
Leading the data collection in the CEE countries on SSGI of social housing, collaboration in preparing the final report on social housing
- Research about Poverty Housing in Hungary commissioned by the Habitat for Humanity, Hungary (August – October 2009)
Secondary and primary data analysis on the housing conditions and policy developments in Hungary
- Researcher in the framework of the EU 7th Framework Project on Demographic Changes and Housing Wealth (DEMHOW) (September 2008 – December 2011)
Part of the Hungarian research team of the project, carrying out qualitative and quantitative data collection and analysis, and editing of a publication
- Advisor to the State Level Ministry of Human Rights and Refugees in Bosnia and Herzegovina, commissioned by the EC (April – July 2008)
Social housing advisor of the MHRR of Bosnia and Herzegovina within the Service Contract No 2007/137-364 EuropeAid/123505/C/SER/BA
- Elaboration of the new lines of the Hungarian housing policy, commissioned by the Ministry of Regional Development and Local Government (January – October 2007)
Part of the research team developing the main lines of a housing reform in Hungary
- Elaboration of the rent allowance system in a Budapest district (January – February 2007)
Consultant to Budapest District XI on redesigning the social rental subsidy
- Participation in the study Recommendations for a supervision of the Hungarian housing subsidy system, commissioned by the National Housing Office (January – August 2004)
As research assistant Data collection and assistance in the evaluation of the Hungarian housing subsidy system
- Member of the Hungarian Project Team in the ESPON 1.4.2 Framework program, research topic: Housing and Regional Development (October 2005 – October 2006)
Analysis based on the data collection, literature review and data review of regional processes in housing and housing policy in the EU
- Origins of Security and Insecurity of Homeownership (OSIS): European 6th Framework program (September 2004 – December 2006)
Part of the Hungarian project team in the three years program, aiming at an in-depth study of macro-, micro- and qualitative analysis of the housing systems
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Memberships

- Member of European Network of Housing Research
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