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**Position** Junior Researcher

**Scientific Degree** PhD Candidate

**Research Field** Current developments in East Africa as a regional security complex

- Somalia's failed statehood and the rise and functioning of al-Shabaab
- The presence of the Islamic State in East Africa and its impact on the region
- The jihadist insurgency in Cabo Delgado in northern Mozambique and its current developments
- Violent organisations in the east of the Democratic Republic of Congo
- Theoretical background, evolution and practical problems of ungovernable spaces in East Africa
- The link between jihadism and ungovernable spaces through the regional East African organisations of al-Qaida and the Islamic State

**Publications** <https://m2.mtmt.hu/gui2/?type=authors&mode=browse&sel=authors10076480>  
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**Recognitions** September 2023 - September 2024

- Awarded a scholarship from the New National Researcher's Programme (ÚNKP)

September 2022 - September 2023

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### Studies

2020-2024 PhD student at the University of Szeged Faculty of Law with a state scholarship: research topic: the relationship between ungovernable territories and jihadist movements in East Africa

2016-2019 Faculty of Law at University of Szeged, MA in International Studies, with specialisation in the Mediterranean

2012-2015 BA in International Studies, Faculty of Law, University of Szeged, Hungary

2008-2012 Vocational School of Economics of Kiskunfélegyháza: A-levels, with Economics as an optional subject (A-level)



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## Professional Experience

2014 professional internship position: Hungarian Defence Forces/Ministerium of Defence



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