

ZSÓFIA S. IGNÁCZ

Sociologist, with a specialization in statistical methods, especially structural equation modeling, a strong interest in social inequalities, social justice and related topics

GENERAL INFORMATION

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Citizenship	Hungarian	
Place, Date of Birth	Budapest, 13.06.1985	

EDUCATION

Humboldt University in Berlin, Berlin Graduate School of Social Sciences

2009- 2014 Ph.D. in Sociology (grade: magna cum laude)
EuroPhD in Social-economics and Statistical Studies
Submission of dissertation: December 3rd, 2013
Defense: March 26th, 2014

Eötvös Loránd Science University

2004-2009 Master degree (Joint with Bachelor degree)
Sociology and Survey Statistics

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

Discrete Choice Models with R

2011 44th Essex Summer School

Causal Models and Structural Equations

2010 43rd Essex Summer School

WORK AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Freie Universität Berlin, Berlin, Germany

5/2014-present lecturer and research associate

Jacobs University in Bremen, Bremen, Germany

9/2012-3/2014 research associate

Freelance Social Researcher

1/2006-present (see under Past Research Projects for details)

TÁRKI Social Research Institute, Budapest, Hungary

3/2009 – 8/2009 research assistant

Bürgeramt für Statistik und Wahlen, Frankfurt am Main, Germany

8/2008 – 10/2008 internship

Algernon Research Group, Budapest, Hungary

10/2004 9/2006 research assistant

ASSOCIATED POSITIONS

Higher School of Economics, Laboratory of Comparative Social Research

1/2013 - present Associate Researcher

Jacobs University Bremen, Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences (BIGSSS)

2012/13 Academic Year Visiting PhD Student

University of Tampere

2010/11 Academic Year Exchange PhD student (Research Semester Abroad)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Causal Models and Structural Equations

- 7/2013 BIGSSS Graduate Seminar (with David Schiefer)
7/2012 2nd LCSR Summer School (Teaching Assistant of Peter Schmidt)
8/2011 44th Essex Summer School (Teaching Assistant of Peter Schmidt)

Introduction to Statistical Analysis

- 2014/2015 Winter Sem. Freie Universität Berlin
2/2011 University of Tampere, COSOPO Master's Programme

Theories of Justice Research

- 2014 Summer Sem. Freie Universität Berlin

Transformation and Justice Beliefs in Central East Europe

- 2016 Summer Sem. Freie Universität Berlin
2014 Summer Sem. Freie Universität Berlin

Attitudes toward Social Inequalities

- 2016/2017 Winter Sem. Freie Universität Berlin
2015/2016 Winter Sem. Freie Universität Berlin
2014/2015 Winter Sem. Freie Universität Berlin

Master's Colloquium

- 2015/2016 Winter Sem. Freie Universität Berlin

RESEARCH PROJECTS

Solidarity in Europe: How strong is European Solidarity between the Citizens and Member States of the European Union?

- 2015-2018 Postdoc coordinator

Kohäsionsradar (funded by the Bertelsmann Foundation)

- 2012-2014 research associate at the Jacobs University Bremen

Cultural Diversity and Social Cohesion in Society in Hungary (collaboration with K.U.Leuven)

- 2009 project coordinator

The Artists of the Circus Today (FEDEC)

- 2009 datamining

Child Poverty and Child Well-being in the E.U. (TÁRKI)

- 2009 research assistant

Aggression in Schools (Hungarian National Survey)

- 2009 questionnaire development and preliminary data analysis

Deliberative Poll Kaposvár

- 2008 junior researcher

International Social Justice Project Hungary

- 2008 junior researcher

Survey on Basic Social Care in Hungary

- 2007 data analysis

Magyar Agora Deliberative Poll

- 2006-2007 research assistant

LANGUAGE SKILLS

	<i>Spoken</i>	<i>Written</i>
Hungarian	Mother tongue	Mother tongue
English	Advanced (C2)	Advanced (C2)
German	Upper Intermediate (C1)	Intermediate (B2)
Russian	Lower Intermediate (B1)	Lower Intermediate (B1)
Norwegian/Finnish	Basic (A1)	Basic (A1)

COMPUTER SKILLS

Advance	Microsoft Office, SPSS, Mplus
Upper Intermediate	R
Lower Intermediate	STATA, Amos

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

Monographs

Dragolov, Georgi; Ignácz, Zsófia S.; Lorenz, Jan; Delhey, Jan; Boehnke, Klaus; Unzicker, Kai (2016): *Social Cohesion in the Western World. What Holds Societies Together: Insights from the Social Cohesion Radar*. Cham: Springer International Publishing (SpringerBriefs in Well-Being and Quality of Life Research).

Research Reports

Dragolov, Georgi, Zsófia Ignácz, Jan Lorenz, Jan Delhey, and Klaus Boehnke. 2014. *Radar Gesellschaftlicher Zusammenhalt. Messen Was Verbindet. Gesellschaftlicher Zusammenhalt im innerdeutschen Vergleich [Social Cohesion Radar. Measuring Common Ground. An Intra-German Comparison of Social Cohesion.]*, Gütersloh: Bertelsmann Stiftung.

Dragolov, Georgi, Zsófia Ignácz, Jan Lorenz, Jan Delhey, and Klaus Boehnke. 2014. *Social Cohesion Radar. Measuring Common Ground. An International Comparison of Social Cohesion. Methods Report*, Gütersloh: Bertelsmann Stiftung.

Dragolov, Georgi, Zsófia Ignácz, Jan Lorenz, Jan Delhey, and Klaus Boehnke. 2013. *Social Cohesion Radar. Measuring Common Ground. An International Comparison of Social Cohesion*, Gütersloh: Bertelsmann Stiftung.

Book Chapters

Ignácz, Zsófia and Zita Herman. 2011. "A jövedelmi egyenlőtlenségek mértékének és az elosztási szabályok megítélésnek generációs eltérései" [The extent of inequality and the evaluation of distributive rules in generational perspective]. Pp. 111–129 in *Az igazságosság labirintusaiban. Társadalmi méltányosság és generációs igazságosság a 21. század Magyarorszáján*. [In the Labyrinths of Justice], edited by A. Örkény and M. Székelyi. Budapest: Sík K.

Herman, Zita and Zsófia Ignácz. 2009. "Knowledge Gain and Attitude Change during a Deliberative Poll. The DP on Unemployment in the Kaposvár Region" Pp. 29–53, in *Deliberative Methods in Local Society Research. The Kaposvár Experiences*, edited by G. Lengyel. Budapest: Corvinus Univ. of Budapest Centre for Empirical Social Research; Új Mandátum.

Ignácz, Zsófia and Péter Antók. 2007. "Csanytelek – egy dél-alföldi falu lakói a Magyar Agorán. [Csanytelek - Residents of a South Hungarian Village at the Magyar Agora.]" Pp. 231–258, in *Deliberatív közvélemény-kutatás a magyarországi romák és nem romák viszonyáról*, edited by A. Örkény and M. Székelyi. Budapest: ELTE Társadalomtudományi Kar (TáTK).

Reviews

Ignácz, Zsófia S. 2016. "Review of *Gerechtigkeit ist gut, wenn sie mir nützt. Was den Deutschen wichtig ist*" *Soziologische Revue* 39(3).

Working Papers

Ignácz, Zsófia. Justice Attitudes towards the Wage Distribution. Justice Profiles in Post-Socialist Countries. Dissertation.

Ignácz, Zsófia. Distributive Justice Profiles: A New Measurement Tool for Justice Research. (Working Paper)

Ignácz, Zsófia. Cognition or Congruency? The Meaning of Justice Profiles. (Working Paper)

Ignácz, Zsófia. A Search for the Socialist Legacy. The Influence of Socialist Experience on Attitudes toward Income Inequalities. (Working Paper)

Conference Presentations

Ignácz, Zsófia; Boehnke, Klaus. 2014. "The Convergence of Post-Socialist Attitudes. The Interaction of Welfare State Regimes and Socialist Legacy on Attitudes Toward Income Inequalities." Accepted to the ISJR 15th Biennial Conference. June 19-22. New York.

Ignácz, Zsófia; Katrňák, Tomáš; Mikucka, Małgorzata; Voicu, Bogdan. 2014. "Dismantling the Socialist Legacy in Intergenerational Mobility Trends in Post-Socialist Countries. Intergenerational Mobility in Five Central and Eastern Countries across 20 years". Accepted as poster to the 2014 Spring Meeting of RC28. May 8-10. Budapest.

Ignácz, Zsófia. 2014. "Economic Legitimacy in Central and Eastern Europe. Path dependency and generational divides in Hungary, the Czech Republic and the former German Democratic Republic." Presented at the 13th International Postgraduate Conference on Central and Eastern Europe, UCL SSEES. June 19-22. London.

Ignácz, Zsófia. 2013. "A Search for the Socialist Legacy. The Influence of Socialist Experience on Attitudes toward Income Inequalities." Presented at the 3rd International Annual Research Conference 2013 for Laboratory of Comparative Social Research, HSE. November 12-17. Moscow.

Ignácz, Zsófia. 2013. "Socialization and Justice Attitudes." Presented at the 3rd International Workshop for Laboratory of Comparative Social Research, HSE. April 26-30. Saint Petersburg.

Ignácz, Zsófia, David Schiefer, Jolanda van der Noll, Georgi Dragolov, Jan Lorenz, Jan Delhey and Klaus Boehnke. 2012. "Measuring Social Cohesion: Results from a Screening Study. Social Change in Cross-National Perspective." Presented at the 2nd International Annual Research Conference 2012 for Laboratory of Comparative Social Research, HSE. November 6-10. Moscow.

Ignácz, Zsófia. 2012. "The Effects of Generational Ties on Justice Profiles. Social Change in Cross-National Perspective." Presented at the 3rd International Annual Research Conference 2012 for Laboratory of Comparative Social Research, HSE. November 6-10. Moscow.

Ignácz, Zsófia. 2012. "The Effects of Age and Generational Ties on Justice Attitudes. Social Justice in a Complex Reality." Presented at the 14th Biennial Conference of the International Society for Justice Research (ISJR). September 9-12, Tel-Aviv.

Ignácz, Zsófia. 2012. "Distributive Justice Profiles: A New Measurement Tool for Justice Research. Social Justice in a Complex Reality." Presented at the 14th Biennial Conference of the International Society for Justice Research (ISJR). September 9-12, Tel-Aviv.

Ignácz, Zsófia. 2011. "The Cognition of Wage Distribution in the Post-Communist Region: Justice Profiles on the Micro Level." Presented at the Political Psychology Networking Conference for the Post-Communist Region. Budapest.

Ignácz, Zsófia. 2011. "Justice Attitudes Towards Income Distribution: Turbulent Times In Post Socialist Countries (1991-2008)." Presented at the 10th Conference of the European Sociological Association. September 7-10, Geneva.

Ignácz, Zsófia. 2011. "Distributive Justice Profile: A Conceptual Framework for an Empirical Study." Presented at the Conference of Association Charles Gide Justice & Economics. June 16-17, Toulouse.

Ignácz, Zsófia and Zita Herman. 2010. "A jövedelmi egyenlőtlenségek mértékének és az elosztási szabályok megítélésnek generációs eltérései. [The extent of inequality and the evaluation of distributive rules in generational perspective]." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Hungarian Sociological Association. November 5-7, Budapest.

Ignácz, Zsófia. 2009. "Justice for All! The Perception of Social Inequalities on Macro and Personal Level." Presented at the 3rd CEU Graduate Conference "The Politics of Inequality and Difference". June 13-14, Budapest.

Ignácz, Zsófia and Zita Herman. 2008. "Knowledge Gain and Attitude Change During a Deliberative Poll." Presented at the Annual Meeting of Hungarian Sociological Association. November 14-15, Veszprém.