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Litigation and Arbitration

Clients from all over the world highly appreciate the extensive experience of our lawyers in proceedings crowned by success before domestic and foreign state courts and arbitration tribunals. This firm professional standing is reinforced by the strong academic background of each team member including [Istvan Varga](#), internationally renowned professor of civil procedural law and head of PROVARIS' dispute resolution practice group, who are constantly transforming that background into added value for the Clients represented in the courtroom or in arbitration.

References

- Legal representation of a major pharmaceutical corporation before Hungarian courts in the Hungarian part of the biggest ever worldwide pharmaceutical product liability litigation;
- Legal representation of the Client in an arbitration before the Vienna International Arbitral Center (VIAC) in the matter of the validity of long-term investment contracts;
- Acting as party-appointed arbitrator, as expert witness and as counsel in a series of commercial and investment arbitrations at the International Chamber of Commerce Court of Arbitration (ICC Paris);
- Acting as expert witness in two investment arbitrations before the International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID Washington DC);
- Legal representation in arbitration proceedings before the Court of Arbitration attached to the Hungarian Chamber of Commerce and Industry primarily in matters involving corporate, commercial and damages claims;
- Acting as party appointed arbitrator, as well as presiding arbitrator in a series of arbitration proceedings in Hungary and abroad involving civil and investment matters (proceedings before the ICC, ICSID, VIAC, DIS, MKIK);
- Legal representation of a Client before the Hungarian Competition Authority as well as in the subsequent administrative litigation for the setting aside of the decision of the Competition Authority;
- Legal representation of innovative pharmaceutical Clients in administrative litigations for the setting aside of the decisions of the National Institute of Pharmacy and Nutrition;
- Legal representation of foreign investors in their complex corporate, contractual and damage claim matters, including trademark and inheritance disputes before Hungarian courts;
- Legal representation of a foreign banking group before the Financial Dispute Resolution Board of the Hungarian National Bank;
- Legal representation in matters involving the violation of personality rights in social media and in traditional media;
- Legal representation of Clients in several highly significant preliminary ruling procedures before the Court of Justice of the European Union.



Pharmaceutical- and Food Law

We provide legal assistance in the area of pharmaceutical regulatory law, starting with matters relating to clinical trials, authorization of products, as well as the carrying out of commercial practices, and matters relating to the cooperation with healthcare professionals and healthcare organizations. We support our clients in fully meeting applicable legal requirements as well as the requirements of the authority, and also provide assistance in the course of investigations by the authority. Additionally, we provide legal advice in matters concerning the reimbursement of pharmaceutical products, the admission of pharmaceutical products into the social reimbursement system, the conclusion of price volume agreements, and the related payment obligations, as well as in food law matters, including the notification of food supplements and other categories of food.

Our practice group headed by [Annamaria Klara](#) also provides legal advice in the areas of public procurement law, competition law as well as contract law in relation to the pharmaceutical industry, where our experts bring indispensable pharmaceutical law knowledge and experience to these related areas. We therefore also provide legal advice in the course of procurements of pharmaceutical products as well as the conclusion of distribution agreements, including compliance of such agreements with competition law requirements, and also represent our clients in litigations and authority investigations.

References

- We advised the Hungarian subsidiary of an international pharmaceutical company in the course of the investigation conducted by the national competent pharmaceutical authority;
- Advised the Hungarian subsidiaries of several international groups of companies in connection with their merger and transfer of business units;
- Provided legal advice in legal remedy procedures in public procurement procedures of pharmaceutical products;
- We assisted our clients in the course of the introduction of the safety features appearing on the packaging of medicinal products;
- We regularly advise pharma clients in public procurement procedures for the procurement of their products; we provided legal representation in a series of high profile medicinal product liability litigations;
- We represented several innovative pharmaceutical manufacturers in administrative litigations relating to the regulatory data protection of their products.



Information Technology and Privacy

Our experts and attorneys specialized in the fields of digitalization and technology regulation provide full scope legal advisory services relating to privacy, information security, cybersecurity, electronic communications and e-commerce.

The regional experience of the members of the IT-Privacy practice group of PROVARIIS headed by [Tamas Bereczki](#) and [Ádám Liber](#) enables us to efficiently coordinate crossborder projects.

References

- Website and mobile application data protection audits and marketing data protection advisory services;
- Cloud services, mobile and web application data protection compliance support; design and implementation of data protection and data security controls;
- Compliance investigations, legal support for employee checks and monitoring;
- Outsourced data protection management and compliance management advisory services;
- NIS (Network and Information System Security Directive) data protection and information security compliance advisory services for Digital Service Providers;
- Legal advisory services relative to the implementation and feasibility of cybersecurity services in Hungary;
- Providing regular data protection advisory services for companies operating in various regulated industries (mainly banks, insurance companies, debt collectors, pharmaceutical companies) and implementation of several GDPR implementation projects;
- Legal representation of clients before data protection authorities and in judicial procedures relative to the review of data protection authority's administrative decisions;
- Managing M&A transactions, M&A projects and due diligences relative to data protection, IT and technology; data protection, IT, copyright and technology advisory services;
- DataPrivacy.hu, our permanent privacy blog is now 11 years old and features over 160 articles in Hungarian and English, referenced in both foreign and domestic scientific literature.



Public Procurement, Projects & Energy

The Public procurement, Projects & Energy practice group at PROVARIS covers the full scope of legal advisory services relating to public procurement, projects & energy and environmental law. The team excels in the Projects & Energy sector in the Hungarian market providing outstanding legal services in the fields of energy (solar, biomass, biogas, energy efficiency), infrastructure constructions (road and rail bridge constructions) and environmental (water quality, waste, remediation, flood protection) projects. PROVARIS public procurement law colleagues have extensive industry experience in core industries and in a number of specialized sectors (particularly pharmaceutical procurement, environmental projects, infrastructure investment, waste management). In our firm the team leader of the project and energy, public procurement group is [Gábor Paksi](#) partner, and our team is capable of resolving any complex public procurement law issues, also we provide ancillary purchasing services as the full preparation and conduction of public procurement procedures, preparation of design and construction contracts, including particularly giving opinion on and establishing FIDIC contract terms. In addition to the above, our accredited public procurement consultant activities also include legal representation in preliminary disputes and review procedures. Furthermore, we provide legal advice and representation in the process of preparing tenders. We provide legal advice for implementation projects with EU support.

References

- Providing legal advice for pharmaceutical companies and wholesalers regarding public procurement law, including preparing and submitting tenders;
- Conducting a public procurement procedure on the field of drinking water investment for a municipal association under FIDIC contract terms;
- Conducting a public procurement procedure on a wastewater treatment plant for a non-profit business entity under FIDIC contract terms;
- Conducting a public procurement procedure on biomass investment for a power plant under FIDIC contract terms;
- Conducting a public procurement procedure regarding remediation investment for a ministry;
- Conducting a public procurement procedure on waste management investment for a municipal association under FIDIC contract terms;
- Conducting a public procurement procedure on flood protection investment for a central budgetary authority under FIDIC contract terms;
- Conducting a public procurement procedure for a public company in connection with a bridge construction project;
- Conducting a public procurement procedure on renewable energy (solar panel) investment for the municipality;
- Legal advice on public procurement for an agricultural IT company and legal representation in procedures, including the preparation and submission of tenders, legal representation in dispute resolution;
- General legal advice for a state-owned company;
- Legal representation of a market company in irregularity proceedings;
- Legal representation of a U.S.-owned company in dispute resolution in a public procurement process.



Intellectual Property and Competition Law

We provide full scope of legal advisory services relating to intellectual property and competition law and we represent our clients before the Hungarian Intellectual Property Office, the World Intellectual Property Organisation, the European Union Intellectual Property Office, the Hungarian Competition Office, consumer protection authorities and courts.

The IP / Competition practice group at PROVARIIS is headed by [Ádám Liber](#) and we coordinate international filings and assist our clients to effectively prosecute intellectual property infringements and regarding the management of their IP portfolio. We have extensive experience in unfair competition, unfair commercial practices and antitrust issues.

References

We provide IP clearance, registration, opposition filings and IP portfolio management services and assist our clients in intellectual property rights licensing; prosecution of IP and unfair competition law infringements and regarding preliminary injunctions; handling of domain name disputes; and the prosecution and defense against unfair commercial practices allegations and antitrust issues.



Corporate and Commercial Law

We offer our Clients services and expertise needed to set up companies and draft all the official documents connected with commercial activities.

The practice group headed by [Áron Bagdi](#) advises a wide range of multinational and local companies in their business from the choice of the appropriate form of company with a view to the planned development, specialized branches and special conditions. Our legal support offers the best solutions from writing complex articles of association, to draw up regulations on company organisation in balanced functioning between shareholders, management and investors in interest of profitability. We advise our Clients in the development of your company as increasing capital, external investment, mergers and acquisitions and all the relevant transactions.

As part of our work, we support the entire commercial activity in order to ensure a proper contractual environment and compliance with the legal framework. We continuously provide our service to our clients in the interest to comply with relevant consumer protection, competition and other industry regulations, we help develop general terms and conditions and internal regulations, we represent our customers before consumer protection board, before the competition authority and before all other authorities and courts.



Real Estate and Environmental Law

Our real estate praxis extends to all fields of investment, acquisitions and construction, as well as real estate management. We offer services for individuals as legal support for smaller investment, purchase and lease agreements with special focus on private wealth planning and management. For market players in real estate projects we offer our all-round experience from the planning and structuring, through due diligence of the selected real estate, to the legal support of construction projects and real estate management. During our supported projects we participate in negotiations with local governments and authorities right from the planning phase as well at preparation of financial and construction legal issues. Real estate projects are directly linked to our environmental praxis. We offer environmental legal advice and legal representation in green and brownfield investments, we are carrying out environmental projects primarily in the areas of water quality, waste, remediation, flood protection construction and energy projects (solar, biomass, biogas, energy efficiency). We have broad expertise in preparation of public waste management service contracts and in environmental law research, we deliver expert opinions and participate in environmental education activities. The practice group is headed by [Áron Bagdi](#) and [Gábor Paksi](#).

References

- Legal representation and legal advice to a local government association in the course of the public procurement procedure for sewage sanitation investment, and in the course of the performance of the FIDIC contract;
- Legal representation and legal advice to a nonprofit company in the course of the public procurement procedure for a wastewater treatment plant investment, legal advice in the course of the performance of the FIDIC contract;
- Legal representation and legal advice for a power plant in the course of the public procurement of a biomass investment, and in the course of the performance of the FIDIC contract;
- Legal representation and legal advice to a waste recovery company in connection with a biogas investment project;
- Legal representation and legal advice in the public procurement procedure for a remediation investment, legal support in connection with the performance of the contract concluded;
- Legal representation and legal advice to a local government association in the course of the public procurement procedure for a waste management investment project, and in the course of the performance of the FIDIC contract;
- Prepare a waste management legal concept for a municipal waste management association.

Colleagues

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Istvan Varga is the Chair Professor of the Department of Civil Procedure at ELTE Faculty of Law in Budapest, and the managing partner of PROVARI, heading its litigation and arbitration practice group. Milestones of his professional career as a lawyer and a legal scholar include the following: between 2013-2016 member and scientific secretary of the Civil Procedure Main Codification Committee, author and editor of the new Hungarian civil procedure code's Expert Proposal, author of the new (2018) Arbitration Rules of the Permanent Court of Arbitration Attached to the Hungarian Chamber of Commerce and Industry, in 2011-2012 director of studies at The Hague Academy of International Law, author of a comparative civil procedure and arbitration dissertation awarded in 2006 with the First Prize of the German Arbitration Institution, member of the case law analyst group of the Supreme Court of Hungary, between 1998-2003 advisor of the second president of the Constitutional Court of Hungary. Besides his activity as an attorney-at-law and as a professor in Hungary, he is honorary professor at University of Leipzig, member of the ELI-UNIDROIT working group preparing European Rules of Civil Procedure, editor and co-author of leading civil procedure and arbitration related commentaries published in Hungarian, German and English speaking countries, regular speaker at civil procedure conferences abroad, arbitrator at numerous Hungarian and international arbitration courts, Hungary's arbitrator at the Washington DC based International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes. Additionally he holds a degree in German literature and linguistics. At PROVARI he advises and represents Clients mainly in civil litigation and arbitration before domestic and foreign courts. In addition he acted as counsel in a series of high profile cases before the Hungarian Constitutional Court and the Court of Justice of the European Union.

Education and Degrees

- University of Leipzig, honorary professor, 2016–
- ELTE Faculty of Law, full professor, head of department, 2015–
- The Hague Academy of International Law, director of studies, 2011
- ELTE Faculty of Law, habilitation, 2010
- ELTE Faculty of Law, associate professor, head of department, 2008-2015
- Universität des Saarlandes, PhD, 2005
- ELTE Faculty of Arts, diploma of German linguistics and literature, 1997
- ELTE Faculty of Law, JD, 1997
- ELTE Budapest, Universität des Saarlandes, Universität Heidelberg, University of Connecticut Hartford, Faculté de Droit Montpellier, graduate studies 1991-1997

Working Languages

- Hungarian
- German
- English

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes, listed arbitrator
- Supreme Court of Hungary, member of the case law analyst group, 2014, 2019-2020
- European Law Institute – UNIDROIT, European Principles and Rules of Civil Procedure preparatory group member
- Permanent Court of Arbitration attached to the Hungarian Chamber of Commerce and Industry, listed arbitrator
- Budapest Bar, member, 2007–
- Hungarian Academy of Sciences, plenary session member
- International Scientific Association Memberships (International Association of Procedural Law, International Association of Comparative Law)
- German Arbitration Association, holder of the award DIS First Prize for the best arbitration related dissertation, 2006

References

- Legal representation of a major pharmaceutical corporation before Hungarian courts in the Hungarian part of the biggest ever worldwide pharmaceutical product liability litigation;
- Legal representation of the Client in an arbitration before the Vienna International Arbitral Center (VIAC) in the matter of the validity of long-term investment contracts;
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- Legal representation of innovative pharmaceutical Clients in administrative litigations for the setting aside of the decisions of the National Institute of Pharmacy and Nutrition;
- Legal representation of foreign investors in their complex corporate, contractual and damage claim matters, including trademark and inheritance disputes before Hungarian courts;
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- Legal representation in matters involving the violation of personality rights in social media and in traditional media;
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Áron is an attorney focusing on sport, tourism and commercial, as well as on litigation. Áron was admitted to the bar in 2019. Áron graduated from ELTE Faculty of Law with a JD degree (cum laude) in 2014.

Between 2015 and 2016 he participated in the codification of the new Hungarian Code of Civil Procedure and he is co-author of the civil procedural code's Expert Proposal. In 2018 Áron represented a Hungarian sport club before the Court of Arbitration for Sport seated in Lausanne, Switzerland.

Áron gained a two-year long experience at the organization coordinating the whole Hungarian tourism market, where he has been working as the Director of the Portfolio Management Directorate and so thus, he supervised and supported 14 companies.

Education and Degrees

- Law Faculty of Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, 2014 (J.D.)

Working Languages

- Hungarian
- German
- English

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Bar member since 2019



Tamás BERECKZI Dr., CIPP/E, CISM, CRISC

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Tamás is a lawyer specialized in data protection, cyberlaw, information security, IT and technology matters. He obtained his degree in Computer Science and Engineering in 2011 beside his on-going legal professional carrier. He gained his unique data protection, privacy and information security professional experience by working at regional and global banks, as an advisor at Deloitte and as an attorney specialized in data protection, cyberlaw, and telecommunications at Baker McKenzie.

Tamás has extensive experience in information security and privacy management, risk management, data protection impact assessments, information security risk assessments, implementing and auditing ISO 27001 management systems, privacy frameworks, incident and cybersecurity management, third party risk management, cloud service risk management systems mainly in the financial sector. He advised technology and IT aspects of several legal matters and regularly conducts IT audits. Tamás regularly advise global pharma, automotive clients and IT service providers in data protection, privacy management, information security management. He is an associate editor of the data protection weblog DataPrivacy.hu since 2010.

Education and Degrees

- John von Neumann
Faculty of Informatics of Óbuda
University – Computer Science
and Engineering, Bsc., 2011
- Law Faculty of Eötvös Loránd
University, Budapest, 2005 (J.D.)

Working Languages

- Hungarian
- English

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Budapest Bar member since 2018.
- International Association of Privacy Professionals (IAPP) member since 2018
- Isaca member since 2013
- CIPP/E (Certified Information Privacy Professional / Europe) – 2018
- ISO27001 Lead Auditor training – 2016
- CISM (Certified Information Security Manager) – 2016
- CRISC (Certified in Risk and Information System Control) – 2015



Annamária KLÁRA Dr., LL.M (Eur München)

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Annamária is partner at PROVARIS Varga & Partners, who specializes in life sciences and pharmaceutical law.

She is the Head of the Life Sciences and Pharmaceutical Law Team. Prior to becoming an attorney, she worked at the Constitutional Court of the Republic of Hungary in the professional team of one of the judges. She acts as an attorney since 2009.

She has gained wide experience in providing legal advice in the field of pharmaceutical law and in relation to that in matters concerning reimbursement of medicinal products as well as public procurement matters. In addition to pharmaceutical law, she advises clients in food law, commercial and company law matters, as well as competition law.

Annamária is a lecturer at the Department of Civil Law of the ELTE University Budapest, and teaches seminars in contract and company law.

Education and Degrees

- LL.M. in European and International Business Law, München, 2009
- Introduction to German and European Law, a joint program of the ELTE Faculty of Law, Budapest and the Georg-August-Universität Göttingen, Budapest, 2005-2006
- Law Faculty of Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, 2003 (J.D.)

Working Languages

- Hungarian
- German
- English

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Budapest Bar member since 2007.



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Ádám is partner at PROVARI specialized on data protection, information technology, intellectual property and competition law. He is the co-head of the Information Technology, Intellectual Property and Competition Law teams.

Ádám is a certified intellectual property expert and holds an LL.M. in competition law and various international privacy certifications. With his experience of fifteen years he has been a tech-savvy advisor to several multinational clients on issues relating to Hungarian and EU data privacy laws, complex outsourcing transactions and international data transfers. Ádám represents numerous clients regarding authorizations of and investigations by the Hungarian Data Protection Agency (DPA), as well as in administrative court actions against DPA decisions regarding data processing. Ádám is a frequent speaker at conferences and regularly publishes articles on EU and Hungarian data protection and freedom of information issues. Since 2015 Ádám serves as a General Secretary of the Hungarian Competition Law Association.

Ádám Liber has „widespread market acclaim” and „multiple sources highlight his specialism in data protection”. “He is quite good at providing practical advice and distinguishing the details that really matter in the maze of privacy compliance” – Chambers Europe 2019

Ádám Liber is „an excellent data privacy lawyer and has a business-friendly mindset.” – Legal500 EMEA 2019

Ádám Liber is recognized as “a very committed lawyer who’s enthusiastic about data protection”, “a very knowledgeable practitioner who understands technology and can view questions in a broader context”. – Chambers Europe 2020 / TMT Hungary.

Education and Degrees

- LL.M. in US and Global Business Law, Suffolk University Law School, Boston, MA, 2010
- LL.M. in Competition Law, Law Faculty of Pázmány Péter Catholic University, Budapest, 2009
- Law Faculty of Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, 2006 (J.D.)
- Universität Leipzig, Germany, partial studies, Germany, 2004-2005

Working Languages

- Hungarian
- German
- English

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Budapest Bar member since 2010.
- Fellow of Information Privacy certification by IAPP, 2017-
- Certified Information Privacy Manager certification by IAPP, 2017-
- Certified Information Privacy Professional / Europe certification by IAPP, 2016-
- Intellectual Property Expert Certification – Hungarian Intellectual Property Office, 2013



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Attorney-at-law and accredited public procurement consultant and holds an LL.M. degree in environmental and corporate law.

He has fifteen years experience in full implementation of public procurement procedures primarily in environmental (water quality, waste, remediation, flood protection), energy (solar, biomass, biogas, energy efficiency), infrastructure constructions (road and rail bridge constructions) and building constructions projects. He gained solid experience in FIDIC construction contracts and regularly provides legal advisory services in EU-funded projects.

Gábor is member of the Board of the Green Public Procurement Team in the Hungarian Official Public Procurement Advisors' Association (PPAA).

Gábor is an invited lecturer at the Eötvös Loránd University, Department of Civil Procedures and also teaches public procurement law at Eötvös Loránd University and at Corvinus University.

Participated in the codification of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Education and Degrees

- LL.M. in environmental law, Pázmány Péter Catholic University, 2019.
- LL.M. in corporate law, Eötvös Loránd University, 2008.
- J.D., Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, 2004.
- FIDIC, Budapest University of Technology and Economics, 2009.

Working Languages

- Hungarian
- English

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Attorney-at-Law, member of the Budapest Bar Association since 2010.
- Member of the Board and Head of the Green Public Procurement Team in the Hungarian Official Public Procurement Advisors' Association (PPAA).
- Member of the Professional Board of Accredited Public Procurement Consultant
- Accredited public procurement consultant in the register of the Public Procurement Authority
- Dispute adjudicator of FIDIC and TMSZ
- AmCham EU Green Deal Working Group, member

References

- providing legal advice for pharmaceutical companies and wholesalers regarding public procurement law, including preparing and submitting tenders;
- conducting a public procurement procedure on the field of drinking water investment for a municipal association under FIDIC contract terms;
- conducting a public procurement procedure on a wastewater treatment plant for a non-profit business entity under FIDIC contract terms;
- conducting a public procurement procedure on biomass investment for a power plant under FIDIC contract terms;
- conducting a public procurement procedure regarding remediation investment for a ministry;
- conducting a public procurement procedure on waste management investment for a municipal association under FIDIC contract terms;
- conducting a public procurement procedure on flood protection investment for a central budgetary authority under FIDIC contract terms;
- conducting a public procurement procedure for a public company in connection with a bridge construction project;
- conducting a public procurement procedure on renewable energy (solar panel) investment for the municipality;
- legal advice on public procurement for an agricultural IT company and legal representation in procedures, including the preparation and submission of tenders, legal representation in dispute resolution;
- general legal advice for a state-owned company;
- legal representation of a market company in irregularity proceedings;
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Attila is of counsel at PROVARIS specialized on European law, public law, public procurement and public litigation.

After teaching law at the Eötvös Loránd University in Budapest in various positions, at the University of Hull (UK) as lecturer in law with focus on European and British public law, he has become senior lecturer and later associate professor at the German speaking Andrássy University of Budapest, and happened to be the Vice-Dean between 2013 and 2016. He has around 150 publications in five different languages, is regular speaker at international conferences, and guest lecturer at different German and Austrian Universities.

Beside his academic career he has gathered considerable practical experiences in public and European law.

Education and Degrees

- Habilitation in European and Comparative Law, Vienna University of Economics and Business, Austria
- Doctor iuris (PhD) in Law of the European Union, Ludwig Maximilians University of Munich, 2009
- LL.M. in German Law, Ludwig Maximilians University of Munich, 2005
- Ruprecht-Karl University of Heidelberg, partial studies, 2004
- Law Faculty of Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, 2003 (J.D.)
- Ruprecht-Karl University Heidelberg, Germany, partial studies, 2002-2003

Working Languages

- Hungarian
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- English
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Helmut Rüßmann is professor emeritus of German and international private law and civil procedure law at Saarland University and honorary professor at ELTE. In addition to his professorships, he was a judge at the Hanseatic Higher Regional Court and the Saarland Higher Regional Court for 20 years. He is still active today as an arbitrator in national and international arbitration proceedings. For 18 years, he has supervised the Saarland University team at the Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot.

Education and Degrees

- ELTE, professor et doctor honoris causa, 2013
- Murdoch University (Perth), Adjunct Professor, 2013
- Keio University (Tokyo), doctor honoris causa, 2005
- Saarland Higher Regional Court, Judge, 1988
- Saarland University, Professor of Civil Law and Civil Procedure, 1987
- Hanseatic Higher Regional Court Bremen, Judge, 1978
- University of Bremen, Professor of Procedural Law, 1975
- Johann Wolfgang-Goethe-University Frankfurt, lecturer, 1972
- Johann Wolfgang-Goethe-University Frankfurt, research assistant, 1970
- Frankfurt Higher Regional Court, trainee lawyer, 1967
- Johann Wolfgang-Goethe-University Frankfurt, doctorate, 1967
- Georgetown University, Washington D.C., student, 1966
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Melinda graduated from Eötvös Loránd University Faculty of Law in Budapest, Hungary with a JD Degree (summa cum laude) in 2016. During the Fall semester in 2014, Melinda spent five months at the University of Helsinki, Finland in the framework of Erasmus scholarship.

In 2019 Melinda graduated postgraduate studies organized by the Pazmany Peter Catholic University's Deak Ferenc Institute of Postgradual Legal Studies, specializing in public procurement law.

In 2021 she passed the bar exam with excellent result. She has been member of Budapest Bar Association since 2021.

She has more than five years of experience in full implementation of public procurement procedures primarily in environmental, energy, infrastructure constructions (road and rail bridge constructions) and building constructions projects. She gained experience in FIDIC construction contracts and regularly provides legal advisory services in EU-funded projects.

At our law firm Melinda focuses on matters involving public procurement law, competition law, civil law as well as civil procedure law.

Education and Degrees

- LL.M. in public procurement law, Pázmány Péter Catholic University, 2019.
- J.D., Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, 2016.

Working Languages

- Hungarian
- English

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Attorney-at-Law, member of the Budapest Bar Association since 2010.

References

- conducting a public procurement procedure for hospital
- conducting a public procurement procedure on the field of drinking water investment for a municipal association under FIDIC contract terms;
- conducting a public procurement procedure on a wastewater treatment plant for a non-profit business entity under FIDIC contract terms;
- conducting a public procurement procedure on renewable energy (solar panel) investment for the municipality
- providing legal advice for pharmaceutical companies and wholesalers regarding public procurement law, including preparing and submitting tenders;
- legal advice on public procurement for an agricultural IT company and legal representation in procedures, including the preparation and submission of tenders, legal representation in dispute resolution;
- general legal advice for a state-owned company;
- legal representation of a market company in irregularity proceedings;
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István graduated from ELTE Faculty of Law with a JD degree (summa cum laude) in 2010. During his academic studies, he was a student assistant at the Department of Civil Procedure and after graduation he became a PhD student of the department. Between 2015 and 2016 he participated in the codification of the new Hungarian Code of Civil Procedure in the fields of taking of evidence, parties and collective redress. He was a member of several Codification Working Committees and co-author of the civil procedural code's Expert Proposal.

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Budapest Bar member since 2014.

Education and Degrees

- Law Faculty of Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, 2010 (J.D.)

Working Languages

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- English



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Lajos graduated from Eötvös Loránd University Faculty of Law in 2006. After graduation he was working in Denmark where he garnered valuable experiences. In the course of his nine years professional career Lajos represented and advised numerous multinational companies in diverse corporate matters including cross-border mergers, corporate restructurings and insolvency proceedings.

Lajos gained solid experience also in pharmaceutical law by providing full scale legal services for pharma giants in commercial transactions, clinical trials, diverse compliance and intellectual property matters. In addition to corporate, commercial and pharma matters Lajos regularly represents Hungarian, Austrian, German and US clients in civil court cases.

Education and Degrees

- Law Faculty of Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, 2006
- Universität Trier, Erasmus Scholarship, 2005-2006

Working Languages

- Hungarian
- German
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Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Member of the Budapest Bar, 2015.



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Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Budapest Bar member since 2010.

Education and Degrees

- Law Faculty of Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, 2006
- Panthéon-Assas (Paris II), 2006

Working Languages

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He is regularly holding speeches in public conferences, organizing trainings for clients, and participating in the drafting of local privacy related legislation at the workshop of Ministry of Justice. He is a regular commentator on relevant news in his field for national newspapers and radio stations.

'Zsombor Orbán is a heavyhitter in the privacy and technology space.' Legal 500 2022.

'Zsombor Orbán has a broad experience in TMT, cyber security and data protection. He is one of the most prominent people in the TMT sector in Hungary. Legal 500 2022.

Education and Degrees

- Certified Intellectual Property advisor
- Law Faculty of University of Pécs

Working Languages

- Hungarian
- English

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Budapest Bar member since April 2012
- The Legal 500: "Next Generation Partner", TMT (Tier 2)
- Data Privacy and Data Protection (Tier 1)



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In the academic year 2006/2007, she participated in the ERASMUS Program and spent 10 months in Leipzig (Germany), studying primarily international and European private and civil procedural law. In the final two years of her university studies, she was awarded a merit-based scholarship by the Hungarian Ministry of Education. In 2010/2011, she participated in the Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot competition. In 2013, she completed her LL.M. in European law at Saarland University, Germany. In 2016, she obtained a second LL.M. degree in international business law from Boston University.

She worked for KNP LAW / Dr. Kornélia Nagy-Koppány Law Office from 2008 as a junior associate and from 2013 as an attorney at law. During 2011 she worked as a legal intern with the Litigation & Arbitration Group in the Frankfurt, Germany office of Mayer Brown. In 2017, she started her own practice, and since September 2019, she has been working in cooperation with Provaris.

Between 2013 and 2016, she participated in the codification of the New Hungarian Code of Civil Procedure as a member of several working groups.

Education and Degrees

- Law Faculty of Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest – J.D., summa cum laude, 2008
- Saarland University – LL.M., 2013
- Boston University – Executive LL.M., 2016
- Law Faculty of Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest – Assistant Lecturer (2012-)
- Research Assistant (2010-2011)

Working Languages

- Hungarian
- German
- English

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Budapest Bar (2013-)
- Young Austrian Arbitration Practitioners (YAAP) (2018-)
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She gained significant regulatory and compliance knowledge during her seven years of experience in law firms with international clients and in multinational companies. She joined PROVARI in 2022.

In particular, Zsófi assists the firm in the implementation of data processing systems for multinational and Hungarian clients, prepares privacy policies, privacy notices, data transfer and data processing agreements, and in IP portfolio management matters.

Education and Degrees

- Juris Doctor, University of Pécs Faculty of Law, 2015
- Master of Laws, LL.M, Legal expert of infocommunication law, University of Pécs Faculty of Law, 2019

Working Languages

- Hungarian
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Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Member of the Budapest Bar, 2016



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During his studies, he gained experience as an intern at a small Hungarian and an international law firm in the area of corporate law, contractual law and civil procedure law.

At our law firm, Ferenc focuses on matters of commercial law, corporate law, real property law and civil procedure law.

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Attorney candidate, member of the Budapest Bar since 2022.

Education and Degrees

- Eötvös Loránd University, Faculty of Law, Budapest, 2021 (J.D.)

Working Languages

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Viktor graduated from Eötvös Loránd University Faculty of Law in Budapest with a JD degree (summa cum laude) in 2016. During his studies, Viktor also completed the International and European law module, worked as a student assistant at the Department of Private International Law and European Economic Law and participated in the global Willem C. Vis and Foreign Direct Investment International Arbitration Moots (ranked among the top oralists in the Global Finals of the latter in Frankfurt am Main, 2013). For his outstanding academic performance, he was awarded the Scholarship of the Hungarian Republic (the highest-level merit based Hungarian scholarship) by the Minister of Human Resources in three consecutive academic years. Additionally, he was a two-time recipient of the Ferenc Mádl Scholarship for Outstanding Achievement in the Field of Private International Law and European Economic Law. His article entitled “E Pluribus Unum – Out of Many, One Common European Sales Law?” was awarded First Prize in the worldwide Clive M. Schmitthoff Essay Competition (headed by the commercial law institutes of Pace Law School, USA and Queen Mary University of London), published in the US (Pace International Law Review, 2017) and also included in the UNCITRAL bibliography on the international sale of goods. Viktor continues to be a regular participant of the Vis and FDI Moots as an arbitrator, regularly attends and organizes international arbitration events and speaks on arbitration related topics. Viktor is a member of several international arbitration organizations and is CEE Chair of Young ITA (Institute for Transnational Arbitration). Viktor has prepared the official English and German translations of the 2018 Rules of Proceedings the Arbitration Court attached to the Hungarian Chamber of Commerce and Industry. As external lecturer, he teaches international economic law and private international law in the masters and European and International Business Law LL.M programs of Eötvös Loránd University. His working languages are English, German and Hungarian. Viktor also pursues a PhD in international arbitration.

Education and Degrees

- Doctor Juris, Eötvös Loránd University, Faculty of Law, Budapest, 2016 (summa cum laude)
- „International and European Law“ module

Working Languages

- Hungarian
- German
- English

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Attorney candidate, member of the Budapest Bar since 2016.
- Young ITA CEE Chair (Institute for Transnational Arbitration) since 2021.
- The Clive M. Schmitthoff Essay Competition (headed by Pace Law School's Institute of International Commercial Law together with Queen Mary University of London's Centre for Commercial Law Studies), First Prize (2014)



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At our law firm Márk focuses on matter involving tourism and commercial law.

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Attorney candidate, a Budapest Bar Association, member since 2021.

Education and Degrees

- J.D., Pázmány Péter Catholic University, Budapest, 2021

Working Languages

- Hungarian
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During his studies, as a legal intern Ármin gained experience at several small law firms, and a Big Four law firm in the area of corporate law, contractual law, labour law, data protection law and civil procedure law.

In 2018, Ármin participated in the Summer University, which was organized by Eötvös Loránd University Faculty of Law and The Faculty of Law of the University of Zagreb in Budapest, where he presented his work concerning criminal law in English.

At our law firm Ármin primarily focuses on matters of corporate law, contractual, law, labour law, pharmaceutical law and civil procedure law. Ármin wishes to deepen his knowledge also in litigation and arbitration, and commercial law.

Education and Degrees

- Eötvös Loránd University, Faculty of Law, Budapest, 2022 (J.D.)

Working Languages

- Hungarian
- English
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Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Attorney candidate, Budapest Bar Association, member since 2022.



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After graduation she spent 5 years at the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Fejér County, gaining experience in the area of consumer law.

In 2019 Mariann had postgraduate studies at the Institute of Postgradual Legal Studies, Eötvös Loránd University, specializing in data security and data protection.

She has been working as a junior associate since October 2020 focusing on litigation.

Mariann joined PROVARI in September 2021, she deals with public procurement law, data protection law and civil law related cases.

Education and Degrees

- LL.M. in data protection law, Eötvös Loránd University, 2019.
- J.D., University of Pécs, 2016.

Working Languages

- Hungarian
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Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Attorney Candidate, member of the Budapest Bar Association since 2020.



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During his university studies, Olivér participated in the Monroe E. Price Media Law Moot Court Competition, where, as a part of the university team they achieved sixth place in the international finals. In 2020, Olivér spent a semester in Brno with the Erasmus programme, where he took courses in data protection law, information technology law and intellectual property law. Olivér was also a student of Mathias Corvinus Collegium for five years during his university studies.

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Attorney candidate, member of the Budapest Bar Association since 2022.

Education and Degrees

- Eötvös Loránd University, Faculty of Law, Budapest, 2022 (J.D.)

Working Languages

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Rebeka wishes to deepen her knowledge also in pharmaceutical and labour law.

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Attorney candidate, a Budapest Bar Association, member since 2022.

Education and Degrees

- Philologist in History, Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, 2021.
- J.D., Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, 2022.

Working Languages

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At our law firm Ariana focuses on commercial law, corporate law, real property law and matter involving tourism.

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Attorney candidate, a Budapest Bar Association, member since 2022.

Education and Degrees

- Eötvös Loránd University, Faculty of Law, Budapest, 2022 (J.D.)

Working Languages

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Angéla has gained useful experience in litigation as an intern at Pest Central District Court.

At our law firm Angéla focuses on matters of pharmaceutical, corporate and labour law as well as litigation. Angéla wishes to deepen her knowledge primarily in pharmaceutical and labour law.

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Attorney candidate, a Budapest Bar Association, member since 2022.

Education and Degrees

- J.D., Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, 2022.

Working Languages

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During his studies Zsombor participated in the management of ELTE Erasmus Student Network. As an intern Zsombor gained experience at a small law firm in the area of contractual law, labour law and competition law. He also worked as an intern for the legal department of a Dutch company working in film industry where he helped preparing contracts for numerous international film financing and film production companies.

Memberships, Appointments & Prizes

- Attorney candidate, member of the Budapest Bar since 2020.

Education and Degrees

- Eötvös Loránd University, Faculty of Law, Budapest, 2020 (J.D.)

Working Languages

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Selected Recent Events & News

Recent Changes Affecting Day-to-Day Legal Activities

5th January 2023

Article by Áron Bagdi and Zsombor Szakál

PROVARIS Varga & Partners Legal Partnership summarized for CEE Legal Matters the legislative and technological changes which have been recently introduced or will be introduced in the near future in Hungary and fundamentally affect both the most commonly applied legislation, as well as the day-to-day work of lawyers.

The article is available at the following link:

<https://ceelegalmatters.com/briefings/21995-hungary-recent-changes-affecting-day-to-day-legal-activities>

Selected Recent Events & News

EU-US Data Privacy Challenges

30th November 2022

Current questions of the law of data protection, data ownership and data monetization

On 30 November 2022 MCC and IAPP jointly organized a panel session, whose members were Lothar Determann, Professor of Law and Provaris Partners Ádám Liber and Tamás Bereczki. The panel discussed current questions of the law of data protection, data ownership and data monetization and how business may set up and streamline a compliance program in response to these challenges. The panel was hosted by István Varga, Professor of Law, Head of MCC Private Law Center, Managing Partner of Provaris.

The link for the event is available at:

<https://mcc.hu/en/event/eu-us-data-privacy-challenges>

Current challenges in Litigation and Arbitration

17th October 2022

CEELM interview with Prof. Dr. István Varga

Prof. Dr. István Varga, Managing Partner of PROVARIS Varga & Partners, gave an interview to CEE Legal Matters on the current challenges in Hungarian procedural law and the newly amended rules of the Permanent Arbitration Court attached to the Hungarian Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

The interview is available at:

<https://ceelegalmatters.com/hungary/21146-contentious-updates-in-hungary-a-buzz-interview-with-istvan-varga-of-provaris>

Centrál Café's lease and operation

25th November 2021

PROVARIS advises ÖZYER Group on Centrál Café's long term lease and operation

PROVARIS partners Áron Bagdi and István Varga have successfully advised the Turkish investor on Centrál Café's long term lease and operation agreement. The transaction concerning one of Budapest's most famous Cafés, part of Hungary's cultural heritage was concluded on Friday, Nov 19 in the framework of a signing ceremony at Matild Palace. Central Café is opening for the public in December.

Further press releases:

<https://turizmus.com/szallashely-vendeglatas/az-eventrend-group-uzemelteti-a-central-kavehazat-1178254>

New Budapest Arbitration Rules

2th September 2021

Interview in the August issue of Ügyvéd Világ with Prof. Dr. István Varga on the New Rules of the Arbitration Court attached to the Hungarian Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

Selected Recent Events & News

First quarter of Sportjog journal

6th July 2021

First quarter edition of Sportjog has just been released, in which the publication on "Appeals" arbitration procedure of CAS written by PROVARI partner attorney-at-law, Áron Bagdi can be read.

100 years Austrian Constitution

26th February 2021

Attila Vincze is co-editor of the international Festschrift of the Austrian Federal Constitution.

<https://www.jan-sramek-verlag.at/Buchdetails.399.0.html?buchID=397&cHash=691196ec77>

Overmystified rule of law

19th November 2020

Please find the hungarian article here:

https://precedens.mandiner.hu/cikk/20201119_varga_istvan_interju_mcc_elte_ajk_jogallamisag_europai_birosag

Second quarter of Sportjog journal

24th July 2020

Second quarter edition of Sportjog journal has just been released, in which the publication on „General arbitration procedure of CAS” written by PROVARI partner attorney-at-law, Áron Bagdi can be read.

Green award criteria – part II.

17th July 2020

The whole article is written by Gábor Paksi, attorney at law, partner at PROVARI, can be read here:

<https://ertesitoplus.kozbeszerzes.hu/szam/20200814/zold-ertekelesi-szempontok-a-fenntarthato-kozbeszerzesek-megvalositasa-erdekeben-ii-resz-eletcikluskoltseg-szamitas/>

Green award criteria

1st June 2020

The whole article written by Gábor Paksi, attorney at law, partner at PROVARI, can be read here:

<https://ertesitoplus.kozbeszerzes.hu/szam/20200615/zold-ertekelesi-szempontok-a-fenntarthato-kozbeszerzesek-megvalositasa-erdekeben-i-resz/>

Selected Recent Events & News

Regulation for 'outdoor opening'.

14th May 2020

Áron Bagdi and Gábor Paksi have made a memorandum for the actors of catering industry, which helps the interpretation of the Governmental Decrees regulating the 'outdoor opening'.

<https://turizmus.com/szabalyozas-orszagmarketing/frissitett-segedanyag-a-szabadter-nyitashoz-1170021>

Memorandum on data protection

9th May 2020

Géza Tényi, Ádám Liber and Áron Bagdi have made a summarizing memorandum related to data protection changes issued during the state of danger for the help of enterprises operating in the tourism sector.

<https://turizmus.com/szabalyozas-orszagmarketing/adatvedelmi-kisokos-turisztikai-vallalkozasoknak-a-veszelyhelyzetre-1169901>

Labour law regulations during 'danger'

27th April 2020

Áron Bagdi and Gábor Paksi PROVARIS partner attorney-at-laws have made an entire overview of the labour regulations issued during the period of state of danger for the help of enterprises operating in tourism sector.

<https://turizmus.com/szabalyozas-orszagmarketing/mtsza-segitseg-a-munkajogi-szabalyok-ertelmezesehez-turisztikai-vallalkozasoknak-1169744>

COVID-19 and EU-law

23rd April 2020

The whole article written by Attila Vincze, Of Counsel for European and Constitutional Law at PROVARIS, can be read here:

https://azonnali.hu/cikk/20200423_mit-kepes-az-eu-tanulni-a-valsagbol

Selected Recent Events & News

Green Public Procurement

19th March 2020

ELTE Institute for Postgraduate Legal Studies does launch a training titled 'Award criteria, methods and evaluation in public procurement practice and other current issues' for 4 credits for accredited public procurement consultants. Training period: 20/02/2020 – 04/07/2020

In course of the training, Dr. Gábor Paksi, Partner attorney at-law, will have a lecture titled 'Award criteria (and contractual clauses) to implement green public procurements'.

Further information is available in the following links:

<https://jotoki.elte.hu/>

https://jotoki.elte.hu/dstore/document/2645/fakszkepzes_tajekoztato_eltejotoki_2020_webre.pdf

Data processing by law firms

16th December 2019

On 16 December 2019, Adam Liber, IT / IP partner of PROVARI, gives a lecture on data protection for lawyers as part of the continuing legal education training for the members of the Budapest Bar Association. With the introduction of the mandatory continuing bar education this is the first time that credit points for participation in a training event can be acquired.

Green public procurement

21st November 2019

The National Public Procurement Meeting was organized in Eger on November 21-22, 2019.

As part of the event participants had the opportunity to hear several professional presentations from representatives of relevant professional organizations in the field of public procurement.

Gábor Paksi, Partner of PROVARI, gave a presentation on the first day of the event, entitled "Present and Future of Green Public Procurement in Hungary".

See detailed program of the conference [here](#).

The civil liability of arbitrators

7th November 2019

The detailed program of the international conference dealing with the liability of the several legal professions, featuring also the lecture of the managing partner of PROVARI can be downloaded [here](#).

Pharmaceutical Product Liability – Vioxx®

2019. October 07-17. & December 2-3.

The full program of the lecture series organized together by Mary E. Bartkus, Special Counsel at Hughes Hubbard & Reed LLP (New York) and Prof. Dr. István Varga, managing partner of PROVARI, can be downloaded [here](#).

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