

# DR. TAMÁS IVÁN KOVÁCS

### **EXPERIENCE:**

**AMBASSADOR Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary** – Embassy of Hungary (Kingdom of Belgium, Grand Duchy of Luxembourg)

2018-

European Commission, European Anti-fraud Office (OLAF)

- Deputy Head of Unit (Head of Sector for Fraud Prevention), EU official

Brussels, Belgium 2014-2018

**Ministry of Foreign Affairs** 

- Ambassador, Embassy of Hungary (Kingdom of Belgium, Grand Duchy of Luxembourg)

Brussels, Belgium 2012-2014

**Ministry of National Development** 

- Deputy State Secretary for EU and International Relations (2011 HU EU PRES - TTE, GAC, ENVI)

Budapest, Hungary 2010-2012

**European Commission, European Anti-fraud Office (OLAF)** 

- International Relations Officer, Inter-institutional and External Relations Unit, EU official

Brussels, Belgium 2007-2010

**Ministry of Foreign Affairs** 

- Executive Civil Officer, Diplomat, International Law Department

Budapest, Hungary 2006-2007

Prime Minister's Office/Hungarian Consulate (USA/New England)

- Executive Civil Officer, Head of Consular Office

Boston, MA, USA 2002-2006

**Ministry of Youth and Sports** 

- Head of Cabinet, Head of Department, Executive Civil Officer

Budapest, Hungary 2000-2002

**ELTE Budapest Faculty of Law and Political Sciences, Constitutional Law Department** 

- Associate Professor of Constitutional Law (part-time)

**Budapest, Hungary** 

1998-2002

Washington, D.C., USA

Hogan & Hartson L.L.P. Nagy & Pintér Law Firm

- Attorney-at-law, Member of the New York Bar and the Budapest Bar Association

Budapest, Hungary 1996-2000

#### Other experience:

- Internships: Constitutional Court of Hungary (intern, 1993-1995); New York State Senate (intern, Albany, NY, USA, summer of 1993); National Assembly of Hungary (intern, 1991-1992)

#### **EDUCATION:**

## The Fletcher School of Law & Diplomacy, Tufts University

Medford, MA, USA

- Master of Arts in Law & Diplomacy (M.A.L.D.), JESSUP Moot Court Coach

2002-2004

- Fields of Study: International Security Studies, International Law and Organisations
- Scholarships: Fulbright Scholarship, Academy of Achievement, Sasakawa Young Leader, Bradley/ISSP

ELTE Budapest Faculty of Law and Political Sciences	Budapest, Hungary
- Political Science (M.P.Sc.) – "excellent" qualifications	1992-1999
- Juris Doctor (J.D.) – <i>"summa cum laude"</i> qualifications	1991-1997
<ul> <li>Scholarship of the Republic, Bibó István College, Invisible College</li> </ul>	1993-1996
<ul> <li>President of Student Government, Member of Faculty and University Councils</li> </ul>	1991-1994

Ann Arbor, MI, USA

1995-1996

## **PERSONAL**:

**University of Michigan Law School** 

- Master of Laws (LL.M.) (BEEP/NAFSA scholarship)

**Born:** 29.02.1972 Budapest, Hungary **Family:** married with two children. **Honours**: Order of Merit of the Republic of Hungary, Officer's Cross (civilian, Hungarian EU Presidency), 2011. **Languages:** Hungarian, English and French (Basic German and Russian).