

BEDNÁRIK, JÁNOS

research fellow

PhD, European Ethnologist, Germanist

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

- church in local communities in the 19th century Hungary
- lower clergy, popular religiosity and folk beliefs
- history and ethnography of the German minority in Hungary
- theory and methodology of the historical etnography

PUBLICATIONS

Full list of publications: MTMT

EDUCATION AND RESEARCH

Research Fellow, MTA-ELTE Momentum Historical Folkloristics Research
Group
Junior Research Fellow, Institute of Ethnology, Research Centre for the
Humanities, Hungarian Academy of Science
PhD candidate, European Ethnology Doctoral Programme, Doctoral School
of History, Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, Hungary (PhD degree,
summa cum laude)
study of European Ethnology and Germanistics (MA) at the Eötvös Loránd
University, Budapest, Hungary
school leaving exam at the Piarist Gymnasium of Budapest

PROJECTS

2012— Church and local societies in the second half of the 19th century Hungary —

PhD project and his extension within the framework of the research group

for Historical Folkloristics

participation in the research project "An Examination of Triple Borders-

Areas in the south-western, south-eastern and north-eastern Regions of

Hungary" (HAS RCH Institute of Ethnology)

2014–2015 participation in the research project "Political changes and social

experiences, 1944–1945, regional examinations" (HAS RCH Research Group

for Rural History – Committee of National Remembrance)

2014–2016 Integration and Identity. An Examination on three Generations of German

Families Displaced from Hungary – research project as junior research fellow,

Institute of Ethnology

2010— researches on the culture and history of the settlements around Budapest

SCHOLARSHIPS AND FELLOWSHIPS ABROAD

2011 – 2019 four times research scholarships of Baden-Württemberg, Institut für Volkskunde der

Deutschen des östlichen Europa (IVDE), Freiburg im Breisgau (1–3 months)

fieldwork in Germany, Heidelberg Region, among families affected by the

deportations from Hungary after the 2nd WW (Klebelsberg Kunó scholarship,

3 months)

2007 ERASMUS Exchange Student, Ruprecht Karl University of Heidelberg (5

months)

FURTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2016– participation in the development of the system MuseumDigital for museal

inventory and publication

2014–2015 BA-seminars at Eötvös Loránd University (fieldwork-practice, material

culture)

2014– deputy museologist at the local Museum of Budakeszi

2011– translation (German–Hungarian)

2000 – collection and performance of Hungarian folk music

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND ACADEMIC AWARDS

 Magyar Néprajzi Társaság [Hungarian Ethnographical Sociaety (member from 2004; secretary of the socio-ethnographical section from 2018)

• Jankó János award (of the Hungarian Ethnographical Society, 2019)

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Hungarian native **German** fluent

French intermediate

English basic basic