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Research Interests

Ethnic stereotypes, attitudes towards the poor, the Roma population of Hungary, acculturation, rational choice theory

Selected Publications

Gróf, G., Janky, B., & Bethlendi, A. (2022). Limits of household's energy efficiency improvements and its consequence–A case study for Hungary. *Energy Policy*, *168*, 113078.

Herke, B., & Janky, B. (2021). The Role of the Deservingness Criteria in the case of Single Mothers' Perceived Welfare Deservingness in Hungary. *Journal of Social Policy*, 1-21.

Kisfalusi, D., Janky, B., & Takács, K. (2021). Grading in Hungarian Primary Schools: Mechanisms of Ethnic Discrimination against Roma Students. *European Sociological Review*, *37*(6), 899-917.

Janky, B. (2020). *Erkölcs, racionalitás, közösség.* Gondolat, Budapest.

Janky, B. (2019). *Összjáték. Erkölcs és racionalitás*. Gondolat, Budapest.

Janky, B. (2019). Changing Connotations and the Evolution of the Effect of Wording: Labeling Asylum Seekers in a Political Campaign. *International Journal of Public Opinion Research*, *31*(4), 714-737.

Janky, B., Janky, B., Bako, B., Szilágyi, P., & Bognar, A. (2014). Stigmatising the Poor Without Negative Images: Images of Extreme Poverty and the Formation of Welfare Attitudes. *Sociological Research Online* , *19*(3), 4.

Janky Béla, Varga Dániel (2013). The poverty assistance paradox. ECONOMICS LETTERS 120:(3) pp. 447-449.

Janky Béla, Lengyel György (2013).Contractual Trust: The Long Shadow of the Shadow Economy. In: Katharina Bluhm, Bernd Martens, Vera Trappmann (eds.),Business Leaders and New Varieties of Capitalism in Post-Communist Europe. Oxford: Routledge, pp. 134-147

Janky Béla (szerk.) (2011). Szervezet, konfliktus, mediáció: Tanulmányok a 100 éve született Rézler Gyula emlékére. Budapest: Gondolat Kiadó, 210 p.

Takács Károly, Janky Béla, Flache Andreas (2008). Collective Action and Network Change. SOCIAL NETWORKS 30: pp. 177-189.

Takács Károly, Janky Béla (2007). Smiling Contributions: Social Control in a Public Goods Game with Network Decline. PHYSICA A - STATISTICAL MECHANICS AND ITS APPLICATIONS 378: pp. 76-82.

Kemény István, Janky Béla (2006). Roma Population of Hungary 1971-2003. In: Kemény István (ed.) Roma of Hungary: East European Monographs. New York: Social Science Monographs ; Atlantic Research and Publ. , pp. 70-225.

Kemény István, Janky Béla, Lengyel Gabriella (2004). A magyarországi cigányság 1971-2003. Budapest: Gondolat Kiadó, 2004. 192 p.

Janky Béla (1999). Lakóhely-változtatások a cigányok körében. In: Kemény István
A cigányok Magyarországon. Magyarország az ezredfordulón. Budapest: Magyar Tudományos Akadémia, pp. 175-203.

Janky Béla (1996). Övé a gyár - magadnak építed!" SZOCIOLÓGIAI SZEMLE -:(3-4) pp. 223-248.

Research Projects

2022-2024

Az önkéntesek kapcsolathálóinak rejtett ereje (OTKA). Kutatásvezető: Eranus Eliza

2021-2023

Bullying és populista attitűdök (H2020). Kutatásvezető: Boda Zsolt

2021-2023

Egyenlőség: Morális elvek, kommunikáció és a valós morális ítéletek (OTKA), kutatásvezető

2021-2023

Oksági gépi tanulás (TK-MILAB), kutatásvezető

2020-2023

A kockázat részvétel paradoxon (OTKA). Kutatásvezető: Susánszky Pál

Academic Career

2019 - research fellow, Centre of Social Sciences

2019-2021 CESSDA ERIC european research infrastructure, national professional representative (TARKI Databank president)

2013-2018 research fellow, director, Academy of Sciences, Institute for Sociology

2000- teaching, Dept. of Sociology and Communication, Budapest University of Technology and Economics

2002-: Secretary of the Economic Sociology Workshop of the Hungarian Sociological Association.

2000-2001: Junior Research Fellow, TÁRKI Social Research Centre, Budapest

1997-1998, 2004-2009, 2013-: Associate editor of Review of Sociology/Szociológiai Szemle

1996-1997: Research assistant, Dept. of Political Science, Central European University, Budapest

Major research experience:

2009-: Stereotypes, and welfare preferences (PI: Béla Janky)

1999-2000: The public opinion and the reform of the Hungarian public health sector. (Principal investigators: János Kornai and István György Tóth.)

1998-2002: Panel survey of the Hungarian industrial firms. (Principal investigator: György Lengyel.)

1997-1998, 2003-2005: The Roma population of Hungary. (Principal investigator: István Kemény.)

1995: Privatisation and industrial organisation. (Principal investigator: László Csontos.)

Education

2022: Doctor of the Academy

2020: habilitation (BCE)

2002: Ph.D. in sociology at Budapest University of Economic Sciences (BUES)

2000 (first trimester): Visiting doctorate student at the Royal University of Groningen, The Netherlands.

1996-1999: Ph.D. student in sociology at BUES

1998 (fall semester): Visiting scholar at Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.

1992-1997: Rajk László College for Advanced Studies of BUES

1991-1996: MA in Science of Economics at BUES, specialization: sociology and applied statistics

Membership in Academic and Professional Organisations; Editorial Board Membership

Reviewer for:

Policy Studies Journal (USA)

Review of Sociology (Hungary)

Közgazdasági Szemle [Hungarian Economic Review]

Awards and Honours

2022: Károly Polányi Award, Hungarian Sociological Association

2005: Excellent Teaching Award of Faculty of Economic and Social Sciences, BUTE

2003-2004: Deák Scholarship of the Hungarian Ministry of Education

2001-2004: Bolyai Scholarship of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences

1999-2000: Domestic Doctorate Scholarship of the Soros Foundation.

1997: Pro Scientia Gold Medal for young scholars of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences

1996: Excellent Member of the Rajk László College for Advanced Studies.

1996: 'For Professional Work' Award of Budapest University of Economic Sciences

Teaching Experience

Associate professor, Dept. of Sociology and Communication, Budapest University of Technology and Economics

Further Affiliations

Associate professor, Dept. of Sociology and Communication, Budapest University of Technology and Economics

Languages

- English (Proficient)
- Italian (Proficient)