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Education

- Medical Degree, Semmelweis University for Medical Sciences, Budapest, Hungary, 1991
- Postgraduate Internal Medicine Degree, Budapest, Hungary, 1996
- Research fellow, Department of Public Health and Community Medicine, University of Sydney, Australia, June 2001 – June 2002 (research areas: tobacco control in Australia, including infrastructures; health promotion – strategy development and implementation, including a review of infrastructures promoting health)
- Master of Philosophy in Public Health, the University of Sydney, Sydney, Australia, 2002 (in progress, to be concluded in March 2003)
- Research fellow of the International Policy Fellowships program of the Open Society Institute, 2003-2004

Other training

- Training in “Addictions”, Brisbane, Australia, 1998
- Central and Eastern European Tobacco Control Institute, Warsaw, Poland, 2000
- Global Tobacco Control Scholarship Program, Lisle, Illinois, US, 2000
- Tobacco Control Leadership Program, the Advocacy Institute, Washington DC, US, 2000
- ACS University (on cancer prevention and control), American Cancer Society, New York, 2001

Work experience

- Eight years leadership experience (health advisory Ltd), 1994-
- Project manager of the World Bank, 1997-2000 („Tobacco and Alcohol Policy Development Project”)
- Established and led the Health 21 Hungarian Foundation as one of the leading organisations in tobacco control research and advocacy in Hungary, 1999
 - Planned, monitored and evaluated school based educational programmes in disadvantaged regions in Hungary, 2000-2001
- Organised the first Hungarian training program for emerging tobacco control advocates, 2001

- Worked as trainer of the tobacco policy advocacy course at the 11th WCTOH, Chicago, IL, 2000
- Established and edited the first ever tobacco advocacy newsletter for central and eastern Europe, 2001
- Eastern European Tobacco Policy Consultant to the Open Society Institute, 2002
- Conducted needs assessment and analysis of stakeholders involved in the primary preventions of cancers in Hungary, 2002

Employment history

- Program manager of the National Tobacco Control Programme, 2002-01/2003
- Adviser to the Tobacco Component of the Hungarian public health program, 2001-2002
- CEO, Health 21 Hungarian Foundation, 2000-
- Scientific coordinator of „Tobacco and Alcohol Policy Development Project” of the Hungarian Ministry of Welfare, funded by the World Bank, Hungary, 1997-2000
- Director, Rapanui Health Advisory Ltd, 1997-
- Physician, Department for Internal Diseases of St. Ladislav Hospital, Budapest, Hungary, 1991-1997

Language skills

English, Romanian, Hungarian

Relevant publications

Books (In Hungarian)

1. Szilagyi T (author and editor): Hatékony intervenciók és kommunikáció a dohányzás elleni küzdelemben (**Effective Interventions and Communication in Tobacco Control**). Health 21 Hungarian Foundation, Professional Series 1/2001, April, 2001. (In Hungarian)
2. Szilagyi T: Dohányzással kapcsolatos kutatás a XXI. század elején. (**Tobacco Control Research at the Beginning of the 21st Century**). Health 21 Hungarian Foundation, Professional Booklets 1/2001, April, 2001. (In Hungarian)
3. Szilagyi T (author and editor): Eljátszott bizalom (**Betrayed trust – lessons from the secret tobacco industry documents**). Health 21 Hungarian Foundation, Professional Series 2/2001, November 2001. (In Hungarian)
4. Szilagyi T (co-author and editor): A hazai daganatos betegségek elsődleges megelőzésének kulcsszereplői (**Stakeholder analysis of primary prevention of cancers in Hungary**). Health 21 Hungarian Foundation, Professional Series 1/2002, October 2002. (In Hungarian)

Peer reviewed journal papers and letters to the editor

In English:

1. Szilagyi T: The Unwanted Child of Transition and Health Reform: Health Development in Hungary. **Health Promotion Journal of Australia** April 2001/Vol 11/No 1. http://www.vichealth.vic.gov.au/hpja/2001_1/15.html
2. Szilagyi T: Ad watch. Introduction of a total ban of tobacco advertising in Hungary. **Tobacco Control** 2002;11:79-81.
3. Szilagyi T: History Repeats Itself: Tobacco Industry's Behaviour Does Not Change. **Health Promotion Journal of Australia** April 2002/Vol 13/No 1. <http://www.vichealth.vic.gov.au/hpja/>
4. Szilagyi T: Peer education of tobacco issues in Hungarian communities of Roma and socially disadvantaged children. **Central European Journal of Public Health**, 2002/3
5. Szilagyi T, Chapman S: Hungry for Hungary: examples of tobacco industry's expansionism. **Central European Journal of Public Health** 2003/1
6. Szilagyi T, Chapman S: Transnational tobacco industry efforts to erode tobacco advertising controls in Hungary since 1990. **Tobacco Control (submitted paper)**

Non peer reviewed journals and magazines

In English

1. Szilagyi T: Comments on the trends of Hungarian tobacco control interventions. **EMASH European Medical Newsletter on Smoking Cessation**. Vol 9 (32), No 2, July 2001.
2. a number of articles, news and compilations in **Filter**, the tobacco advocacy newsletter for central and Eastern Europe, <http://health21.hungary.globalink.org/filteronline>

Peer reviewed journal papers and letters to the editor

In Hungarian:

1. Szilagyi T: Összefogás a dohányzás ellen: Szövetség a dohányzás visszaszorításáért (Creating an Anti-Smoking Network: Hungarian Alliance for Tobacco Control, in Hungarian). **Egészségnevelés (Health Education)**, Vol. 40., No. 1-2 1999, p. 33-36.
2. Szilagyi T: A hazai dohányzás elleni küzdelem. (Today in Hungarian tobacco control, in Hungarian). **Egészségnevelés (Health Education)**, Vol. 40., No. 3, 1999, p. 88-100

3. Szilagyi T: A hazai dohányzás elleni küzdelem SWOT analízise. (Hungarian Tobacco Control Activities - a SWOT analysis, in Hungarian). **Népegészségügy (Hungarian Journal of Public Health)** Vol. 80., No. 1, 1999, p. 34-39.
4. Szilagyi T, Pakozdi L, Kovacs G, Varga Z: (Review of Hungarian Tobacco Control Programs, In Hungarian). **Népegészségügy (Hungarian Journal of Public Health)** Vol. 80., No. 2, 1999, p. 22-38.
5. Szilagyi T, Gercsák M: „Cigány kortárs oktató képzési program” az Egészségügyi Világszervezettel kötött Középtávú Együttműködési Egyezmény (MTP) keretében (Gypsy peer educator training program as part of the WHO/MTP project). **Egészségnevelés (Health Education)**, Vol. 41., No. 1, 2000, p. 13-21.
6. Szilagyi T: Dohányreklám tilalom Magyarországon reagálások a nyomtatott sajtóban. (Banning tobacco advertising in Hungary – reflections in the printed media, in Hungarian). **Egészségnevelés (Health Education)**, Vol. 42., No. 6, 2001, p. 271-277
7. Szilagyi T: Gazdaság vagy egészség? (Economy or health?, in Hungarian). **Magyar Élet (Hungarian Life, Hungarian weekly in Australia)**, No. 2228, 17 January 2002, p. 10.