

National Institute of Criminology, 2015 work schedule

RESEARCH ASSIGNMENTS

A.) *Key Research Topics*

Topic 1: Society and Crime

1. **A review of the legal regulatory framework of bullying between adults and children – Hungarian regulations and international outlook**

Researcher: Katalin Parti

2. **Differences in the criminal activities, values, religiousness and ethnicities of the 14–18 age group living in children’s homes and beyond the control of child protection**

Researcher: Eszter Sárík

3. **ISR3D-3 international latency research**

Researcher: Eszter Sárík

4. **Unpunishable crimes. Risk management of transnational production networks**

Researcher: Ferenc Irk

5. **The appearance of biological and psychological positivism in criminology**

Researcher: Judit Szabó

Topic 2: Security, Public Security

6. **The correlations between international migration and international and national security**

Researcher: Szilveszter Póczik

7. **A systematic study of international terrorism from the perspectives of theory, history, sociology and security policy.**

Researcher: Szilveszter Póczik

8. **Prostitution map of Budapest**

Researcher: Erzsébet Tamási

9. Internet and prostitution

Researcher: Erzsébet Tamási

10. Ustawka and its judgement in criminal law

Researcher: László Tibor Nagy

11. Police forces in disadvantaged settlements

Researchers: Kerezsi Klára, Finszter Géza

12. Alcohol and (violent) crime

Researcher: Petronella Deres

13. A secondary analysis of the findings of the research entitled “*Analysis of the risks of burglary in Hungarian buildings with the involvement of perpetrators*”

Researchers: Tünde A. Barabás, Szandra Windt

14. Participation in the project awarded in the context of the international tender *MargIn – Tackle Insecurity in Marginalized Areas*

Researchers: Tünde Barabás A., Szandra Windt

Topic 3: Crime Control

15. The usefulness of the ENYÜBS system from a criminologist’s point of view

Researcher: József Kó

16. Changes in the concepts and methodology of the criminology expert field in Hungary in compliance with European quality control criteria (in view of the application criteria in the dispensation of justice)

Researcher: Gabriella Kármán

17. Multi-level community-based police network for cooperation-based crime prevention project (ORFK)

Researcher: Szandra Windt

Topic 4: Outstanding or Dangerous Crimes and Perpetrators

18. ”Offender Supervision in Europe” COST Action (No IS1106)

Researcher: Klára Kerezsi

19. Current Hungarian characteristics of violent sexual crimes

Researchers: György Virág, Katalin Parti, Judit Szabó

20. A longitudinal study of inmates serving life in prison without parole

Researchers: Ágnes Solt, Szilvia Antal

21. The characteristics and trends of the crime of robbery through inebriation or intimidation

Researcher: László Tibor Nagy

22. A study of sentencing circumstances and actual sentences in murder cases, with special focus on using the psychiatrist and psychologist expert opinions in the sentence

Researcher: Orsolya Bolyky

23. The issues of law application and criminological characteristics of homicides

Researcher: Orsolya Bolyky

24. A comparative study of violent crimes against property in Hungary and in certain Anglo-Saxon countries

Researcher: Petronella Deres

Other research topics

25. The fundamentals of criminology in Hungarian criminal law

Researcher: Ádám Mészáros

26. The present and future of penology

Researcher: György Vókó

B.) Research commissioned by the General Prosecutor's Office

B/1. Research projects initiated by the General Prosecutor's Office

27. The latest challenges of the drug market with an emphasis on the spread of new psychoactive substances

Researcher: Ildikó Ritter

28. The activity (further steps) of the prosecutor performing environmental protection tasks based on the decisions made in criminal cases

Researcher: Katalin Tilki

29. Changes in the waiver of the right to trial, and further opportunities in this procedural form

Researcher: Anna Kiss

30. A comparative study of Hungarian and international practice regarding the role of an accomplice in manslaughter (Article 160 (5) of the Criminal Code) and suicide (Article 162 of the Criminal Code).

Researcher: Ádám Mészáros

31. An overview on the regulations on and the application of criminal law on terrorist acts and their financing

Researcher: Szilveszter Póczik

32. The frequency of the crime of usury (Article 381 of the Criminal Code) and the impact of the introduction of unlimited extenuation as specified in Article 381 (4)

Researcher: Petronella Deres

33. The current criminal law issues regarding copyright infringements

Researcher: Gabriella Kármán

34. The concept of human trafficking and exploitation and the means available under criminal law to fight against these phenomena

Researcher: Szandra Windt

B/2. Research projects initiated by the offices of the county prosecutor

35. Crimes committed in the trade of works of art, with special emphasis on fraud by counterfeiting and trading in counterfeit works of art

Researcher: Gabriella Kármán, József Kó

36. An impact study of the provisions in Articles 222 (2) and 225 (4) of the Act on Criminal Proceedings with regards to drug-related crimes

Researcher: Ildikó Ritter

37. Experiences on the criminal proceedings that began since January 2006 due to crimes causing damage to nature in Natura 2000 areas (Article 243 of the Criminal Code)

Researcher: Katalin Tilki

38. Experiences in the mediation procedure and the causes behind failed cases

Researcher: Tünde A. Barabás

39. The reasons for prolonged criminal proceedings and the available preventive procedural options and their effectiveness

Researcher: Anna Kiss

40. The current state and options for further development of the criminal registry

Researchers: József Kó & Correctional, Lawfulness Supervision and Law Protection Department of the General Prosecutor's Office

41. The effectiveness of punishments: a study in the criminological drop in the case of community work and suspended imprisonment based on statistical data

Researcher: Klára Kerezsi

C.) Research commissioned by the Scientific Board

Research commissioned in 2013

42. Conflicts and criminal implications of the coexistence of Roma and non-Roma populations

(Phase 2) (OTKA tender, winners to be announced in the spring of 2015)

Researchers: Klára Kerezsi, József Kó, Attila Polák

Research commissioned in 2015

43. Victimisation in Hungary. A preparation of latency research

Researchers: Tünde A. Barabás, József Kó, Szandra Windt

TASKS TO BE COMPLETED WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF COOPERATION

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