

# National Institute of Criminology

## 2017 work plan

### I. RESEARCH ASSIGNMENTS

<b>A.) <i>Key research topics</i></b>
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#### **First main direction: Society and crime**

**1. Understanding the road leading to crime among adult reoffenders committing property crimes**

Researchers: Eszter Sárík (projectmaganer), Orsolya Bolyky

**2. Applied criminology**

Researcher: Tünde A. Barabás

#### **Second main direction: Security, Public security**

**3. Particularly serious culture-specific offences among the European Muslim migrant community**

Researcher: Szilveszter Póczik

**4. PoMigra – Political motivated crime in the light of current migration flows (international cooperation)**

Researchers: Szilveszter Póczik (projectmaganer), Eszter Sárík

**5. Current security issues for sporting events, the enforcement of bans on visiting sporting events**

Researchers: László Tibor Nagy (projectmaganer), György Vókó

**6. Participating in the *MargIn – Tackle Insecurity in Marginalized Areas* international project**

Researchers: Tünde A. Barabás (projectmaganer), Ákos Szigeti

#### **Third main direction: Crime control**

**7. Judicial case law on juvenile delinquency**

Researcher: Ágnes Solt

**8. The practical implementation of the Digital Child Protection Strategy in schools, focusing especially on abuse occurring in a virtual environment**

Researcher: Katalin Parti

**Fourth main direction: Outstanding or dangerous crimes and perpetrators**

**9. Suicide among criminals sentenced to actual life imprisonment**

Researcher: Ágnes Solt

**10. Drug smugglers in Hungary II.**

Researcher: Ildikó Ritter

**11. Current domestic characteristics of violent sexual crime (section III.)**

Researchers: György Virág (projectmaganer), Katalin Parti, Judit Szabó

**12. Longitudinal study of criminals sentenced to actual life imprisonment**

Researchers: Ágnes Solt (projectmaganer), Szilvia Antal

**13. Myths of violence among students participating in police officer training  
(in the event of a successful tender)**

Researchers: Katalin Parti (projectmaganer), Rebecca Hayes

**14. The characteristics of and trends in homicides according to criminal statistics**

Researcher: László Tibor Nagy

**15. Law enforcement issues and criminological characteristics of homicides committed by negligence**

Researcher: Orsolya Bolyky

**Research outside the main directions**

**16. Foundations of criminology in Hungarian criminal law III.**

**Grouping of criminal offences according to objective factual elements**

Researcher: Ádám Mészáros

**17. French criminal law institutions I.**

Researcher: Ádám Mészáros

**18. Review of crime**

Researcher: József Kó

**19. Experiences of criminal proceedings against animal cruelty between 2012 and 2016**

Researcher: Katalin Tilki

## **20. Criminal proceedings in theory and practice I.**

Researcher: Anna Kiss

### ***B.) Research projects initiated by the prosecutor's offices***

#### **B/1 Research commissioned by the Chief Prosecutor's Office**

##### **21. Difficulties in the classification of corruption offences in the light of the relevant guidelines of the Prosecutor General's Office, as well as the challenges in latency, detection and proof of these crimes**

Researchers: Klára Kerezsi (projectmaganer), József Kó

##### **22. Theoretical and analytical review of criminal cases launched in relation to illicit use of the human body**

Researchers: Tünde A. Barabás (projectmaganer), Judit Szabó

##### **23. Role of the plaintiff and the victim in criminal proceedings**

Researcher: Anna Kiss

#### **B/2. Research commissioned by the County Prosecutors' Offices**

##### **24. Review of theoretical issues and the practice of restorative work**

Researcher: Eszter Sárík

##### **25. Practical application of a community work sentence**

Researcher: Klára Kerezsi

##### **26. Practical application of situationally justifiable protection**

Researcher: Ádám Mészáros

##### **27. Sentencing for animal cruelty in practice**

Researcher: Katalin Tilki

##### **28. Practical experiences of the asset recovery procedure since the introduction of the institution**

Researcher: Gabriella Kármán

##### **29. Victims with specific defence needs: a tendency for children and the elderly to become victims. Statistics and reality**

Researcher: Tünde A. Barabás

##### **30. Delimitation issues of breaches of the rules of waste management**

Researcher: Renáta Garai

**31. Financial and procedural issues of illegal migration**

Researcher: Anna Kiss

**32. Difficulties in proving sexual crimes committed by juvenile offenders**

Researchers: György Virág (projectmaganer), Katalin Parti, Judit Szabó

**33. Listening to children at certain stages in criminal proceedings**

Researchers: György Virág (projectmaganer), Katalin Parti, Ágnes Solt

**34. Investigation of the perpetrators of offences related to the closing of borders with regard to citizenship, country of origin and age, and related procedural issues**

Researcher: Szilveszter Póczik

**35. Difficulties in proving offences related to the misuse of new psychoactive substances**

Researcher: Ildikó Ritter

**36. The relationship between drugs and crime - the causes of reoffending**

Researcher: Ildikó Ritter

**II.**

**TASKS COMPLETED WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF COOPERATION**

**37. Law enforcement measures for the protection of cultural property**

(Collaborative research with the Doctoral School of Police Science at the National University of Public Service)

Researcher: Gabriella Kármán (projectmaganer), Klára Kerezsi