

Project development meeting

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„KÖFOP-2.1.2.-VEKOP-15-2016-00001 Public Service Development, Establishing Good Governance”

- EU-funded multi-annual project framework through the government of Hungary
 - National University of Public Service:
 - KÖFOP-2.1.1.: Developing public service institutions, training, education, services
 - **KÖFOP-2.1.2.: International embeddedness and research programs**
 - Within NUPS: application for project funding
 - **Established research centers (on broad topics of overarching research)**
 - Ad hoc research workshops (on specific narrow topics)
 - Individuals (for advancing skills, aiding research and supporting academic qualifications)
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„Strategic Analyses for Supporting Governmental Decision-making in the Field of Foreign and Security Policy”

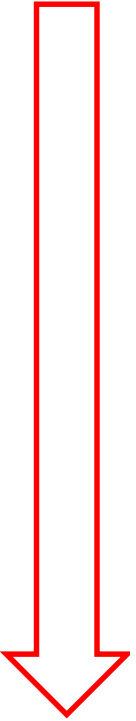
- Timeframe: October 2016 – September 2018 (24 months)
- **Currently: Preparatory phase**
- Project phase 1.: January 2017 – September 2017
- Project phase 2.: October 2017 – September 2018

Strategic analyses for supporting governmental decision-making in the field of foreign and security policy

(Sharing and learning experience and best practices, adopting analytical methodologies)

<i>Methodological pillars</i>	<i>Strategic foresight (Tamás Csiki)</i>		<i>Strategic guidance and planning (Bence Németh)</i>		<i>Analytical methodology: Conflict analysis, Regional analyses (Péter Tálás)</i>
<i>Strategic priorities for Hungarian foreign and security policy</i>	<i>Central European pillar (Péter Tálás – Tamás Csiki)</i>	<i>Balkans pillar (Zoltán Egeresi)</i>	<i>Post-Soviet pillar (András Rácz – László Póti)</i>	<i>Africa pillar (Viktor Marsai)</i>	<i>Far East pillar (Béla Háda – Tamás Matura)</i>
<i>Products</i>	<i>10 comparative study volumes on Central Europe Central European Perspectives workshops</i>				

Expert studies on 10 CEE countries in 10 policy fields



Country \ Policy Field	AU	POL	CZ	SK	HUN	ROU	SRB	CRO	SLO	UKR
Security perception										
Economic integration & interdependence										
Defense policy role in NATO, EU										
Demography & migration										
Foreign & security policy institutions and decision-making										
Regional cooperation										
Relations with the U.S.										
Relations with Russia										
Relations with Germany										
Relations with China										

Desired outcome: 10 comparable policy-field specific studies on 10 countries

What we are going to do

- Important milestones / deadlines of the 1st phase: Country-specific studies
 - **December 2016:** **Refining the concept and structure of the papers**
 - **December 2016 – January 2017:** **Identifying and contacting prospective authors**
 - February 2017: Contracting authors and coordinating writing
 - April 15, 2017: Submission of manuscripts, 1st review begins
 - May 15, 2017: Manuscripts are returned to authors
 - June 15, 2017: Submission of finalized papers
 - July 15, 2017: 2nd review finished
- 2nd phase: Comparative studies
 - In the second half of 2017 comparative studies will be written, complementing the original country studies, i.e. on the experience of the Visegrád countries regarding economic integration. These will be published as part of the study volume.