

Katalin Novák

Minister for Families, Minister without portfolio

Member of Parliament

Vice-president, FIDESZ – Hungarian Civic Alliance



PERSONAL DATA

Name: Katalin Novák

Marital status: married

Her children: Ádám (2004), Tamás (2006), Kata (2008)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2020 -	Minister for Families, Minister without portfolio
2018 -	Member of parliament (FIDESZ-KDNP), Hungarian National Assembly
2014 -2020	Minister of State for Family and Youth Affairs Ministry of Human Capacities
2012-2014	Head of Cabinet to the Minister for Human Capacities
2013-2014	Ministerial Commissioner for Francophone Affairs – Ministry of Foreign Affairs
2010-2012	Advisor to the Minister – Cabinet of the Minister, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
2004-2010	Years spent at home raising children
2001-2003	Desk officer at Ministry of Foreign Affairs

OTHER ACTIVITIES IN PUBLIC LIFE

2020 -	Co-chair of the Strategic and Family Cabinet of the Government
2018 -	Founder and President of Women for Hungary Club, initiator of the Women for the Hungarian Nation Movement
2019 -	President, Political Network for Values
2019 -	Vice-president, International Women's Democrat Union
2017 -	Vice-president, FIDESZ – Hungarian Civic Alliance
2018 -	Secretary, Population and Family Affairs Cabinet, FIDESZ-KDNP Alliance
2018 -	President, Franco-Hungarian Friendship Group, Hungarian Assembly

2016 - Member of the Advisory Board of the Francophonic Centre at University of Szeged

SCHOOLS AND DEGREES

2002-2003 EU affairs joint training of Ecole Nationale d'Administration and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Hungary, Paris-Budapest

2000-2001 Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris (Sciences-Po) – fellow, Faculty of International Relations, Paris

1999-2002 University of Szeged, Faculty of Law and Political Sciences, Université Paris X, Nanterre, legal training on community and French law

1996-2001 Budapest University of Economy and Public Administration (Corvinus University of Budapest), Faculty of International Relations (European studies as primary and environmental management as secondary studies), degree in economics

1995 Pont Neuf Foundation – fellow of the Foundation, Paris

1992 Arcadia Junior High School, Los Angeles

FOREIGN LANGUAGES

French: advanced degree in written and spoken skills (1995)

English: advanced degree in written and spoken skills (2001)

German: advanced degree in written and spoken skills, diplomatic language (2011)

Spanish: intermediary level

AWARDS AND PRIZES

2020 Commander's Cross of Valour of the Republic of Poland

2019 Chevalier de la Légion d'honneur (French Legion of Honour)

2019 Popovics Award (Hungarian National Bank)

2019 Angel of families-award of Három Királyfi, Három Királylány Movement (Angelus Familiarum)

2018 Pro Familiae Hungariae Award (Association Defending Hungarian Families and Women)

2018 NOE Award (National Association of Large Families)

2017 Akócsi Ágnes Award, Association of Hungarian Nurseries

2016 "Luchador por la Familia" Award, Associació Plataforma per la Família Catalunya