



MINISTRY OF
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István Joó

Deputy State Secretary for Export Development



Personal information

Place and date of birth: Nagykároly, 30 January 1983

Work experience

- 2018-2019 Chief Organiser of the Budapest Water Summit 2016, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade of Hungary
- 2018 - Deputy State Secretary for Export Development, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade of Hungary
- 2016-2018 Ministerial Commissioner for Water Diplomacy, Export, and the Danube Region Strategy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade of Hungary
- 2016-2017 Chief Organiser of the Budapest Water Summit 2016, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade of Hungary
- 2014-2016 Ministerial Commissioner responsible for the Implementation of the Danube Region Strategy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade of Hungary
- 2011-2014 Chief Advisor to the Energy Priority Area of the Danube Region Strategy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Hungary
- 2008-2011 Advisor, European Parliament
- 2007-2008 Project Proposal Writer, Opus Team Ltd.

Miscellaneous governmental positions

- 2019 Chair, Budapest Water Summit 2019 Inter-ministerial Committee
- 2019 - Co-Chair:
Hungarian-Cambodian Joint Commission on Economic Cooperation,
Hungarian-Indonesian Joint Commission on Economic Cooperation,
Hungarian-Mongolian Joint Commission on Economic Cooperation,
Hungarian-Pakistani Joint Commission on Economic Cooperation,

Hungarian-Philippine Joint Commission on Economic Cooperation,
Hungarian-Sri Lankan Joint Commission on Economic Cooperation,
Hungarian-Vietnamese Joint Commission on Economic Cooperation

2016 Chair, Budapest Water Summit 2016 Inter-ministerial Committee

Education

2017-2020 Executive Master of Business Administration (EMBA), Corvinus University of Budapest, Faculty of Economics

2012-2013 Energy Specialist, Corvinus University of Budapest, Faculty of Economics - postgraduate certificate

2001-2007 University of Debrecen, Faculty of Agricultural Economics and Rural Development, Economic Agricultural Engineer

Languages

English – fluent

French – conversational level

Distinctions

2019 *Pro Meritis Interfacultatis* awarded by the Faculty of Economics and Business of the University of Debrecen

2017 Commendation awarded by the Minister of Foreign Affairs and Trade of Hungary

2007 Certificate of Merit awarded by the Rector of the University of Debrecen