



# Budapest University of Technology and Economics, BME, 1782



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## Short history, presentation of BME

## **International relations (education, research)**

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### 1782 Institutum Geometricum – Hydrotechnicum

## 1949-2000 Technical University of Budapest

2000- Budapest University of Technology and Economics

- 8 Faculties,
- 77 Departments

Faculties:		
•	Civil Engineering	(1782)
•	Mechanical Engineering	(1871)
•	Architecture	(1873)
•	Chemical and Biotechnology	(1873)
•	Electrical Engineering and Informatics	(1949)
•	Transportation Engineering	(1951)
•	Natural Sciences	(1998)
•	Economic and Social Sciences	(1998)

• 24 000 Students

• Academic Staff: 1300, with scientific qualification: 700





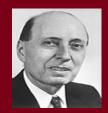
## Nobel laureates: Dénes GÁBOR (1900 – 1979) Holography, in 1971

Jenő WIGNER (1902 – 1995) Theoretical physics, in 1963

György OLÁH (b:1927) Organic chemistry, in 1994

A famous former graduate: Ernő RUBIK (1944 –) inventor of Rubik's cube (40 years ago)











#### **SHORT HISTORY of BME – More recent results**



### Gábor Domokos

Dept. of Mechanics, Materials and Structures

### Péter Várkonyi





A GÖMBÖC is a convex 3-dimensional homogeneous body, which when resting on a flat surface has just one stable and unstable point of equilibrium. Its existence was conjectured by Russian mathematician Vladimir Arnold in 1995 and proved in 2006.



#### SHORT HISTORY of BME – 1956





#### Presentation of BME - Education 1 - BSc

Faculty of Civil Engineering (EMK)
Faculty of Mechanical Engineering (GPK)
Faculty of Architecture (EPK)
Faculty of Chemical Engineering and Bioengineering (VBK)
Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Informatics (VIK)
Faculty of Transportation Eng. (KSK)

Faculty of Natural Sciences (TTK)

Faculty of Economic and Social Sciences (GTK) Civil Engineering (8 semesters)

Mechanical Engineering, Energy Engineering, Industrial Design Engineering, Mechatronics (7)

Architecture (8)

Chemical Engineering, Bioengineering, Environmental Engineering (7)

Electrical Engineering, Computer Science and Engineering (7)

Transportation, Vehicle Engineering (7)

Mathematics (6) Physics (6)

Management in Engineering (7) Business and Management BA (6+1) International Business BA (6+1) Applied Economics BA (6) Communication and Media Sciences BA (6)



SOME MASTER PROGRAMMES

Structure civil engineer (1,5 year) Infrastructure civil engineer (1,5) Geodesy & geoinformatics (1,5) Mechanical, Mechatronics engineer, Mechanical modeling (2) Architecture (5 years) Chemical engineer, Bioengineer, **Environmental engineer (2)** Electrical engineer, Computer engineer, Biomedical engineer (2) Transport, Logistics, Vehicle engineer (2) Mathematics, Physics (2) Economics, Marketing, Accounting, **Cognitive Science (2)** 

### **DOCTORATE SCHOOLS**

**Civil Engineering and Earth Sciences Mechanical Engineering Sciences** Architectural Art (DLA) **Building Sciences** Chemistry and Chemical Engineering **Electrical Engineering** Information Technology **Transport Science** Vehicle, Mobile Machines Engineering Mathematics and Computer Science **Physics** Economy, Management and **Organizations Psychological Sciences** History of Technology and Science



# International relations PRIORITY - Student (Professor) exchange

Background: Education in 4 (5) languages

English – since mid 1980-ties. Rregular, exchange foreign (Erasmus, Brazilian, etc.) students, about 1500.
French – since early 1990-s (about 30-100 mainly Hungarian students)
German – since mid 1990-s (about 100-200 mainly Hungarian students)
Hungarian

Russian (until mid 2000-s)



## Wide variety of exchange programs

#### EU Erasmus (1-2 semesters)

**CEEPUS.** (Central European Exchange Program for University Studies)

ATHENS (Advanced Technology Higher Education Network / Socrates). 14 leading European universities (Paristech /14 grandes écoles parisiennes/, BME Budapest, TU Delft, University of Istanbul, KU Leuven – UC de Louvain, IST Lisbon, UP Madrid, TU München, Politecnico di Milano, Czech Technical University Prague, TU Thesszaloniki, NTNU Trondheim, TU Warsaw, TU Wien, 2\*1week courses. Mobility of about 4000 students / year

T.I.M.E. Network of about 50 leading universities of technology. Double diplomas, doctorate cooperation, summer schools etc. BME is a member of Advisory Committee.



 EUA (European University Association)
 AUF (Agence Universitaire de la Francophonie)
 iNEER/ICEE (International Network on Engineering Education and Research/International Conference on Engineering Education)
 EAIE (European Association for International Education)

 CESAEER (Conf. of European Schools of Advanced Engineering Education and Research)
 SEFI (European Society for Engineering Education)
 CRP (Conference of Rectors and Presidents of European Universities of Technology)

**4TU League** (Regional cooperation of BME, CTU in Prague, SUT in Bratislava, TU Vienna)

Cooperation Platfom of the Metropolitan Universities of Technology from Central and Eastern Europe (11 universities of the region)



#### Research



## **Research University**

2010 by the Hungarian government (5 in the country)

Rector of BME Gábor PÉCELI with the official document



1. SE – Sustainable Energy

*Environment and Climate Protection, Renewable Energy, Supply Security* 

- 2. VTL Vehicle Technology, Transport and Logistics Intelligent Vehicle Technologies and Transport Systems, Integrated Logistics
- 3. BHE Biotechnology, Health and Environmental Protection Biopharmaceuticals, Support of Way of Life, Environment Friendly Technologies
- 4. NNM Nanophysics, Nanotechnology and Materials Science Nanoelectronics, Nanostructures, Structural and Functional Materials
- 5. IET Intelligent Environment and e-Technologies Future Internet, Embedded Systems, Network and Software Technology



#### Main industrial partners

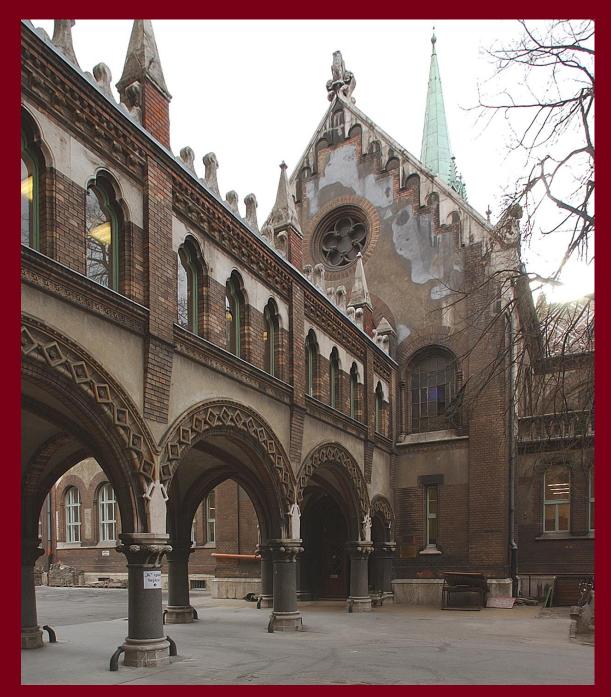
- Alcoa
- Audi
- Bosch
- Budapest Gas Works
- EGIS
- E.ON
- Ericsson
- Flextronics
- General Electric
- Hewlett-Packard
- Hungarian Electric Works
- Hungarian Oil Co. (MOL)
- Hungarian Post

- IBM
- Intel
- Knorr–Bremse
- Microsoft
- Nokia
- Oracle
- Paks Nuclear Power Plant
- Richter Gedeon
- SAP
- Sanofi-Aventis (Chinoin)
- Siemens
- Telenor





















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