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Dr. Péter Mezei graduated as a *lawyer* in 2004 and as a legal translator in 2005 at the University of Szeged. He earned his *PhD degree* in 2010. His PhD thesis analyzed the issues of P2P filesharing and sampling from a comparative perspective. The Szeged Law School honoured him with the *Pro Scientia Price for the Best Published Dissertation of 2010-2012* in June 2012. He is fluent in Hungarian, English and German.

He is a full-time faculty member of the Szeged Law School where he is *teaching courses on comparative law, comparative copyright law, comparative constitutional law, international business law and translating practices.*

He has delivered almost 20 English language lectures at universities in *Finland* (Turun Yliopisto), the *United States* (Case Western Reserve University of Cleveland; University of Baltimore; University of Toledo), *France* (Université Jean Moulin Lyon3) and *Russia* (Rossijskij Gorudarstvennyj Pedagogiceskij Universitet of Saint Petersburg).

He has held over *30 conference presentations* in Hungary, Germany, Canada, United States, Austria and Finland.

He is the *author of 2 books and 46 articles/book chapters.* His main articles in English language are accessible on the Social Science Research Network (see: http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/cf_dev/AbsByAuth.cfm?per_id=1697918). He is the consultant of two PhD students at the Szeged Law School. Three of his students won Hungarian contests with their papers on copyright law.

Besides his academic career he is working as a *legal advisor specialized in the field of copyright law.* His clients include book publishing companies, recording companies and private people. He is an elected member of the *Hungarian Copyright Expert Board* and participates in the conclusion of expert opinions on digital copyright issues.

He is running a *Hungarian language blog* about the challenges of internet and copyright law (see: <http://copyrightinthexxixcentury.blogspot.hu/>). His blog was elected to be the *10th best* in the “expertise blogs” category (and the only that deals with law) on the *Goldenblog contest of 2012.*

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