Dr Péter Darák - President of the Curia (the Supreme Court) of Hungary.

Education

1982-1987 Janus Pannonius University, Pécs, Faculty of Law 2004-2007 Doctoral program of the Faculty of Law of Janus Pannonius University

Career

1987 Clerk at the Prosecutor's Office in Zalaegerszeg (a county town in Western Hungary)  
1990 Prosecutor at the Prosecutor's Office in Zalaegerszeg  
1991 Judge at the Local Court of Zalaegerszeg (hearing administrative and civil cases)  
1997 Group leader at the Local Court of Zalaegerszeg (hearing administrative cases)  
1999 Judge assigned temporarily to the Administrative Division of the Supreme Court of Hungary  
2000 Judge at the Administrative Division of the Supreme Court of Hungary  
2002 Judge assigned temporarily to the Civil Law Department of the Ministry of Justice  
2003 Judge at the Administrative Division of the Supreme Court of Hungary  
2012 President of the Curia of Hungary

Professional commissions

2001 to date Member of the codification committee of the Civil Code  
2002 to date Chair of the National Association of Administrative Judges  
2003 to date Representative of the Supreme Court of Hungary at the EU Forum of Judges for the Environment, then a member of its board  
2003 to date Chair of the Public and Administrative Law Department of the Association of Hungarian Lawyers  
2004 to date Secretary at the Deák Ferenc Prize Board  
2009 to date Member of the final exam committee at the Faculty of Law of Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest and at Széchenyi István University

2009 to date Member of the editorial board of New Hungarian Public Administration and Law-State-Policy  
2010 to date Member of the International Association of Tax Judges

Teaching and academic positions

1999 Training of judges organised by the Office of the National Council of Justice  
2000-2004 Postgraduate e-learning teaching at the College of Finance and Accounting  
2001 Program director of the legal training of traders in real estates at the Faculty of Law of Pázmány Péter University  
2001 Assistant lecturer, then senior lecturer at the Financial Law Department of Eötvös Loránd University, Faculty of Law  
2010 Training at Széchenyi István College for Advanced Studies

Languages

Fluent German, intermediate English.

Awards

2009 Memorial certificate acknowledging high-quality training awarded on the occasion of the anniversary of Pázmány Péter University