



AMERICAN-HUNGARIAN EXECUTIVE CIRCLE

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NEWSLETTER

2012 Fourth Quarter

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NEXT AHEC MEETING:

Thursday, Dec. 6
7-8:30 am EST
Morrison & Foerster
2000 Pennsylvania Ave., NW
Suite 6000
Washington, DC 20006-1888

Agenda:

1. Introductions
2. Remarks by Arpad Toth: "Next Generation Broadband Wireless Enabled Homeland Security Solutions"
3. Other Business

PLEASE RSVP

by Monday, Dec. 3, 2012
via email to mgeroe@gmail.com



IDH TECHNOLOGIES RE-LAUNCHED



Congratulations to **Arpad Toth** on more than 30 years as a Chief Technologist, Solution Architect and Business Development executive in high-technology firms. Arpad recently announced his

retirement from PowerWave Technologies (a leading wireless technology business), and announced the re-launch of his consulting business, IDH Technologies LLC. IDH dispenses consulting and advisory services to investment firms, small and mid-size companies in the USA and internationally. Arpad is a seasoned entrepreneur with global impact; an innovator and result-driven executive who has a history of maximizing team performance, profits and savings. He has successfully worked on expanding businesses internationally, developing breakthrough inventions, and leading diverse teams, in cooperation with investment firms and companies seeking advisory and Board leadership.



2012 GLOBAL FORUM

Laszlo Horvath's ActiveMedia helped sponsor the 2012 Global Forum, an international conference held in Stockholm, Sweden on November 13 and 14. Meetings were at the Grand Hotel Stockholm, and attendees and presenters included industry leaders, policy-makers from national, regional and local governments, European Commission delegates, academics and other thought leaders. The conference's theme was "Shaping A Connected Digital Future" and addressed topics ranging from advances in digital networks, evolving challenges in privacy and information security, eHealth, and cloud computing. For additional information about the event, please visit its website at <http://www.globalforumblog.com>.



INTERNATIONAL ARCHITECTURE AND SUSTAINABLE DESIGN

MODA Design Partners is an international architectural and consulting firm with offices in New York, Texas, Hong Kong, and Dubai, U.A.E.

The group is staffed by architects, engineers and design professionals with expertise in modern environmental growth enhanced with sustainable design. Recent projects involve an urban farming, as well as residential and commercial projects.

For more information, please contact **Arman R. Bostani**, Associate AIA, LEED® AP, at rbostani@gmail.com.



SUMMER AHEC MEETING

AHEC held its summer meeting on July 14. The keynote presenter was **Martin Retai** of PocketGuide, a revolutionary "intelligent" smartphone application for travel. **Dr. Sandor Kurti** gave an update on their H2O Foundation effort to teach Gypsy children English, following a Stanford linguistic method. Members shared ideas and contacts with first time members and their guests at the newly renovated and legendary restaurant, "Szatyor."



ACTIVEMEDIA SPONSORS U.S. OLYMPIC WATER POLO

Laszlo Horvath and ActiveMedia were proud sponsors of the July 7, 2012 US Olympic Water Polo Hall of Fame Induction and Send Off, held at the Intercontinental Hotel in Los Angeles, California. **Michael Geroe** was also in attendance. Laszlo was able to secure as a table guest Robert Lynn, Assistant Coach of the U.S. Olympic Men's Water Polo Team. Hungary was knocked out of the Olympic water polo quarter finals by Italy. The U.S. Women's Olympic Water Polo Team won the Gold Medal! The U.S. Men's Olympic Water Polo Team finished eighth. Go Teams!



HUNGARIAN EXPORTERS AND IMPORTERS WEBSITE

Peter Horvath, a respected diplomat and former Hungarian Trade Commissioner, launched an international trade portal, www.hungarianexporters.hu, on September 18, 2012. The website includes a new database for Hungarian export-import companies and products. It also serves as a link between and among Hungarian companies and their potential trade partners worldwide. There are also business leads offered in various categories. Please visit the portal and register your business so that it can be found at the website, named Hungarian Exporters & Importers.



HUNGARIAN AWARDED ABEL PRIZE IN MATHEMATICS

Congratulations to **Prof. Endre Szemerédi** of Rutgers University in New Jersey and of Hungary's Alfréd Rényi Mathematical Institute, who was awarded the Abel Prize in Mathematics on March 21, 2012 in Oslo.



CAREER CORNER

JOB SEARCHES IN HUNGARY

If you are interested in learning about available jobs in Hungary, subscribe to the Twitter feed, @jobsinhungary.

OTHER JOB LEADS

Please visit AHEC's job leads and other discussion boards available at <http://www.linkedin.com>. If you are aware of job leads, please post them to the job board, either at AHEC's LinkedIn Group or at the job leads discussion board on the Member's Corner of AHEC's web site, at www.americanhungarian.org.

In addition, please visit the Job Openings postings, which are regularly updated, near the bottom of the AHEC homepage at www.americanhungarian.org.



CV/RESUME REVIEW

Upon request, AHEC will help review and counsel entrepreneurs and professionals on the preparation of CVs and resumes for use in introductions to USA-based businesses. The cost for this service is USD 150, and it includes AHEC's annual membership. If you are interested in more information, please contact **Arpad Toth** at (703) 608-8640.



2012 MEMBERSHIP DUES

Member dues are USD \$100 or HUF 19000.

USA-based members, please send payment through one of the following methods:

- Credit Card payments via PayPal. You need not sign up to PayPal to take advantage of this option. Click the following link to pay using your credit card: <http://americanhungarian.us1.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2db8ee9ab906bb89e1a949f30&id=b715f234c8&e=fd19734f11>.

- Check Payment. Send a check, made payable to Active Media, 105 Interpromontory Road, Great Falls, VA 22066.

Hungary-based members, please send payment through one of the following methods:

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<http://americanhungarian.us1.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2db8ee9ab906bb89e1a949f30&id=c14404d64f&e=fd19734f11>

- Cash Payment. Payments of (USD\$ 100 or HUF 19,000 HUF) may be made to Csaki Zoltan. Contact Zoltan by phone: 06 70 380 5380 or by email: csz@center.hu. Pink postal check payment may be sent to Csaki

Zoltan ([CENTER.HU](http://center.hu) Kft), 1133 Budapest, Vág u. 13.

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MISSION STATEMENT

AHEC exists to foster closer business ties among Americans of Hungarian ethnicity, through programs to bring them into contact with each other, and with other Hungarians and business executives everywhere. AHEC seeks to mutually advance and strengthen American-Hungarian business relationships.



MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

AHEC Membership is open to anyone. If you wish to join, please send to the below address notice of your interest, contact information about yourself (including a business card), and enclose an application fee of \$100, made out in the name of ActiveMedia.

NOTE OUR NEW ADDRESS:

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