



### Activity summary of CIAS fellow in Budapest

**Name (with title):**

George Friedman, PhD, invited distinguished research fellow

**Home institute (name, position, country):**

Founder and chairmen of Geopolitical Futures, Austin, USA

**Partner(s) in Hungary:**

CIAS, Social Futuring Center in partnership with Institute of Geography, Geoeconomy and Sustainable Development

**Academic Year / Semester:** 2018 Fall

**Duration:** 2 months

**Sponsor(s):** Social Futuring Center and Hungarian National Bank

**Project (title and description):**

Geopolitical Research

**Achieved result(s):**

He contributed to develop the geopolitical pillar of the Social Futuring Index.

**Connected publications:**

In progress

**Additional activities (presentations, professional meetings, public lecture etc.):**

He held a geopolitical seminar for the students of the International Relations Multidisciplinary Doctoral School.

He presented geopolitical public lectures at the Corvinus University of Budapest and at the Mathias Corvinus Collegium.

He met with the American and Hungarian members of the Fulbright Alumni.

He had a keynote speech at the Opening Ceremony of the Academic Year 2018/2019 of the University.

**Future plans, planned return (if any):**

Participation in future workshop related to Social Futuring Index

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## Certificate of Completion

The Corvinus Institute for Advanced Studies of the Corvinus University of Budapest  
Award this Certificate to

**Dr. George Friedman**

Invited Distinguished Research Fellow

in Recognition of Successful Completion of the  
Research Project at CIAS (in the Academic Year 2018/19, Fall Semester).

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Budapest, Hungary

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