

# Antal KUTHY

## PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Date of birth: 4 August 1969  
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Languages: Hungarian, English  
Location: Budapest, Europe & Hong Kong 2006- 2013 (HK PERMANENT RESIDENCY), Earlier: Budapest-US–Tokyo–London–Hong Kong–Budapest

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## ENTREPRENEUR

1993 – Present **CEO, FOUNDER & CHAIRMAN - E-GROUP ICT SOFTWARE GROUP (HQ BUDAPEST, HUNGARY)**  
Est.1993: “Digital Silk Road Company” European software group specialized in trust & identity, transactions and smart data & analytics. R&D&I background in Europe, focus: Cognitive Computing & AI & Data & Trust, membership of EIT Digital and EIT Health clusters, key industry partnerships (e.g: FIS Global, China UnionPay)

## OTHER CORPORATE POSITIONS AND ACTIVITIES

2018 **FOUNDER OF XANTA & IOX TECH**  
XANTA (E-Group Spinoff, EIT, Hu) Cognitive Banking Front-end, Intelligent Dialogue systems  
IOX (E-Group Spinoff, EIT, Hu) Identity Onboard and digital contracting  
**LEADER OF INNOHEALTH DATALAKE CONSORTIA**  
Next generation health data management ([www.innohealth.eu](http://www.innohealth.eu))

2017 **FOUNDER OF COIOS** Cognitive Open Intelligent Op.Sys – gen 2.0 AI

2013-2015 **HASHCLASH GLOBAL LTD.** (Seed) next gen social marketing

2010 **FOUNDER AND CHAIRMAN OF E-GROUP CHINA UNIONPAY GATEWAY PLC.**

2007-2011 **FOUNDER E-GROUP ICT VIETNAM SOFTWARE PROJECT CO (HANOI, VIETNAM)**

2006-2017 **CO-FOUNDER OF ABAQOOS MICRO-PAYMENT SERVICE COMPANY LTD.**  
Micro payment processor/electronic voucher company ([www.abaqoos.com](http://www.abaqoos.com))

2005 **CO-FOUNDER OF K36 INNOVATIONS ASIA LTD (HK): HI-TECH INVESTMENTS, INNOVATION MANAGEMENT** Hong Kong based, assisting Hungarian and CEE companies in China & SEA business, Chinese enterprises to find investment targets in Hungary/CEE region.

2001 **CO-FOUNDER WITH WWW.SUNRISEID.COM (SEATTLE, USA) AN SPV CO.**  
e-reward and recognition platform for STARBUCKS Inc. \*BUCKS

1997 **FOUNDER OF DATA SECURITY PHD RESEARCH LABORATORY AT TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY BUDAPEST**

## OTHER NON-ENTREPRENEURIAL

2006- 2014 Honorary Regional (Hong Kong, Shenzhen, Pearl River Delta and South China) Representative of Budapest University of Technology and Economics (<http://www.bme.hu>)

2009 Honorary China Representative, Hungarian ICT (Info Communication Technology) Industry Association

2007-2011 Chief Regional Envoy to South China Hi-Tech development programs, Commercial Attaché in Hong Kong Consulate under special Government mandate.

## MEMBERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

2019 Member of European Artificial Intelligence Alliance  
2006-2013 Co-Founder, Co-Chairman: Hungarian–Hong Kong Innovative Business Council ([www.hhibc.hk](http://www.hhibc.hk)) (Hong Kong co-founder Mr. Paul Kan CBE, Comm. OSSI, JP and Budapest  
2004-2006 Board Member, VP of Hungarian Association of Digital Industry; Focus Area: Innovation Program, R&D&I collaboration, new innovation models

## PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

- Innovation management, novelty and originality
- Software and Telecommunication engineering and applied research with extended interest in innovation management/SME driven incubation models
- Starting-up companies/ investment structuring
- International Business Development, US-Asia-Europe-Eastern Europe
- Financial Industry IT solutions, payment technologies
- Smart Data in HealthCare
- Applied Cognitive Computing & AI, complex business models, use of new technologies
- European R&D&I programs (EIT Digital, EIT Health, EIT, EU key institutions, H2020)

## STUDIES, QUALIFICATIONS AND PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMS

1987-1993 B.Sc. and M.Sc.E.E. in Electrical Engineering  
1994-1996 PhD program, Information Science  
1992 Research & Training, NTT (Nippon Telephone & Telegraph Telecommunication Co) Broadband ISDN Research Laboratories  
1995-1996 Postgraduate Diploma Degree, European Telecommunication Integration Institute (Deutsche Telecom, T-Group), EIPOS Program, Germany  
1997-1998 Financial Economics Fulltime MSc Program, UCL / London, UCL (Thesis completed, no degree) Game Theory, Financial Economics and its applications – British Government “Chevening” Scholar 1997-1998 Central European Leadership Scholar  
*Thesis: Game Theory in Treasury bill Auctioning, mathematical design and novel method and system rules for government bonds e-auctioning at Bank of England*

## FAMILY/HOBBIES

- Married, 3 boys, spouse: corporate lawyer & psychologist
- Sports & Hobby: tennis, running, sailing, skiing, ex-modern pentathlon sportsman: 5 sports: swimming-running-horse-riding-fencing and shooting, classical music & art
- family background – musicians, art professors