



The Ister-Granum EGTC

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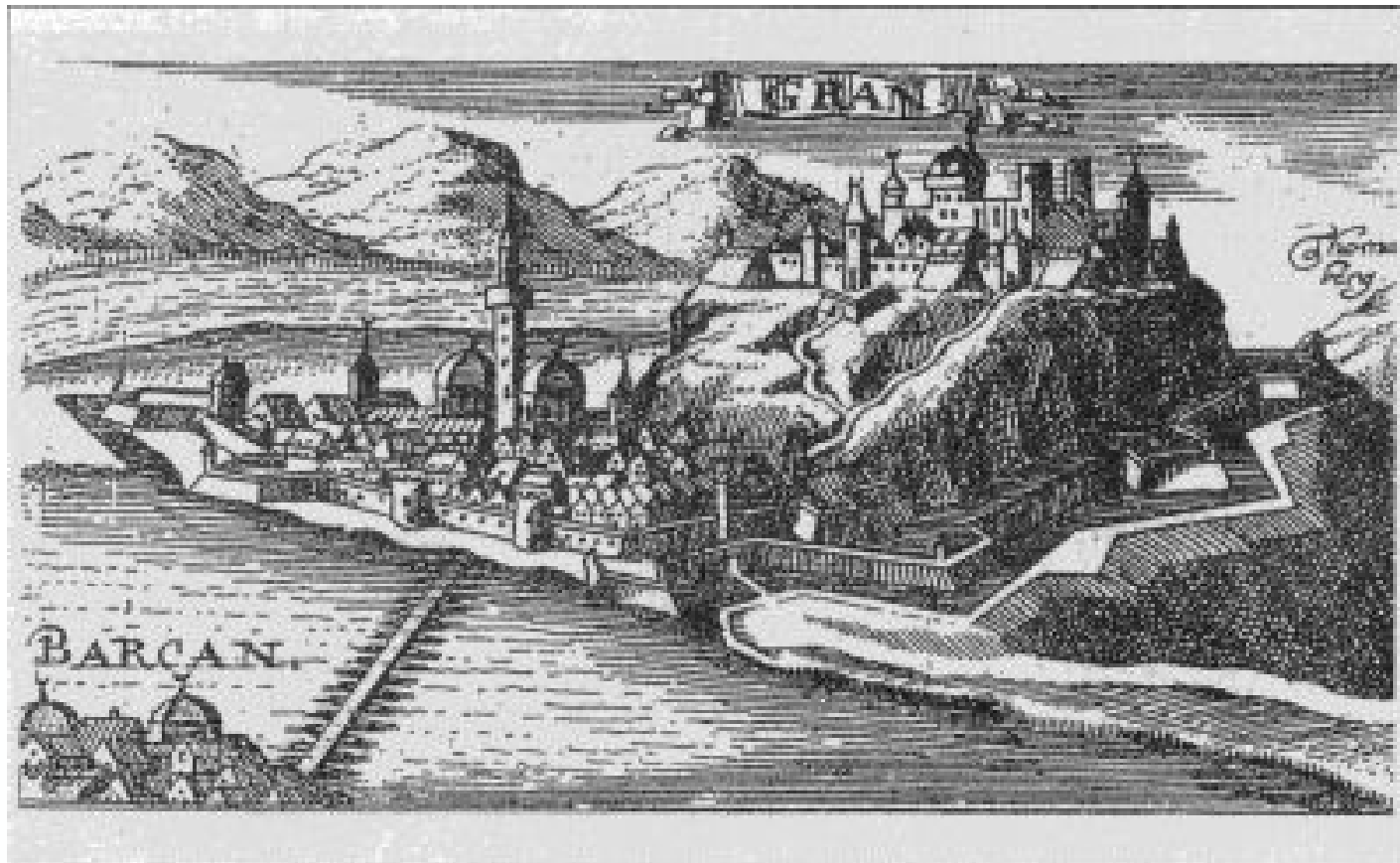
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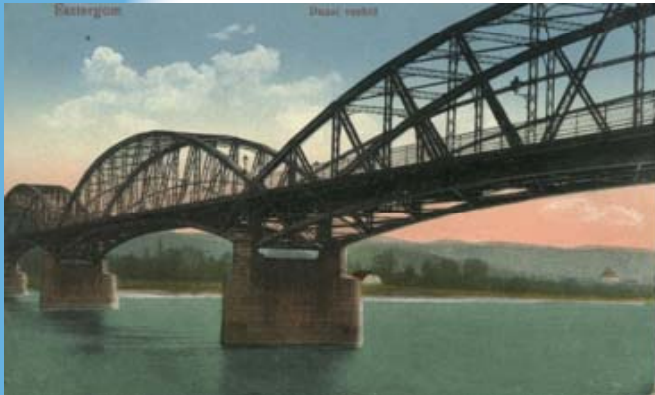


Presentation of Ister-Granum EGTC

Esztergom (Gran) and Štúrovo (Barcan)
in the 17th century



The Maria Valeria bridge



1895



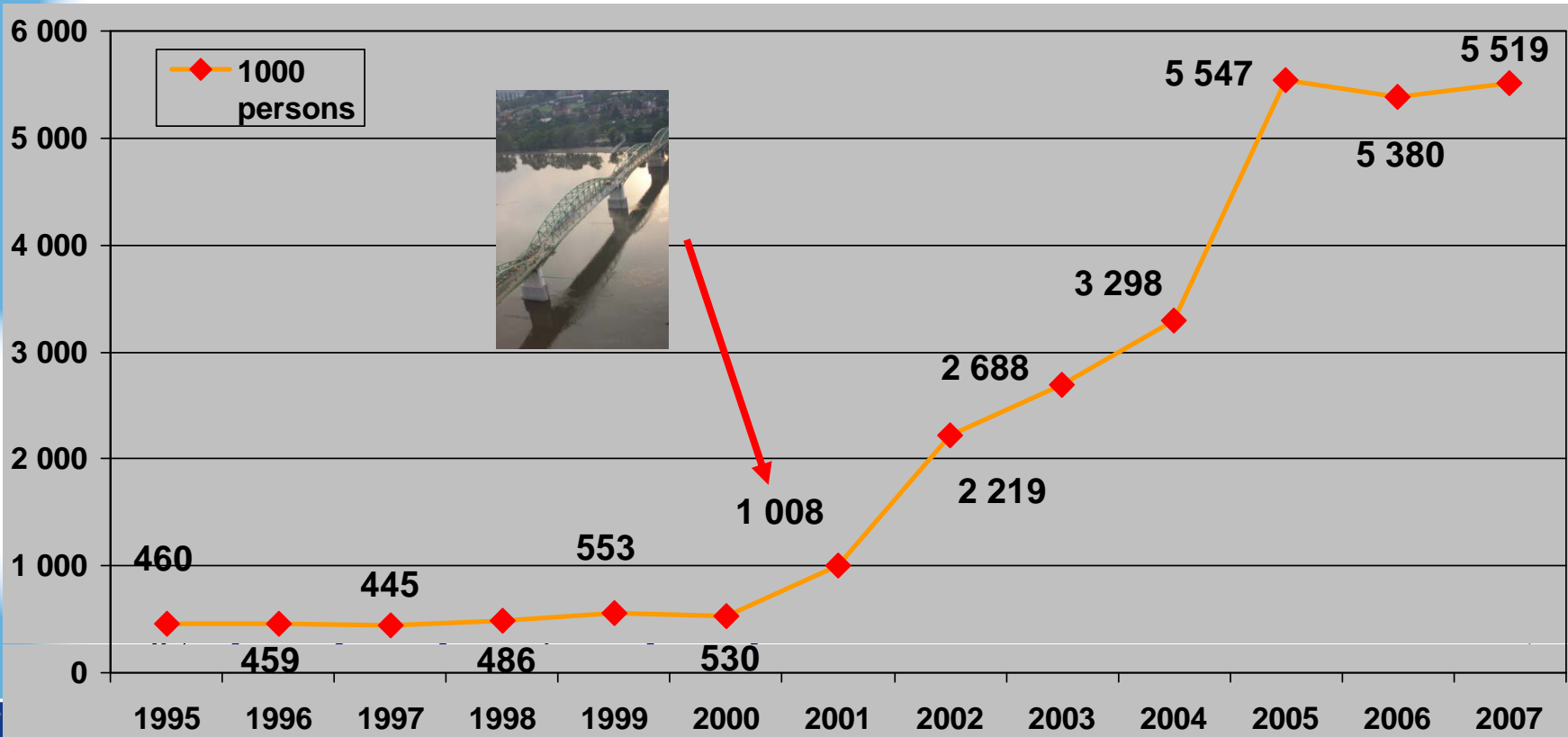
1919

1995



2001

Change in Passanger traffic in the Esztergom-Štúrovo border crossing between 1995-2007





15 May 2000, Letter of Intent

13 October 2000,
Foundation Letter

17 November 2003, signing the
Euroregion's Foundation Document



21 September 2005, presentation of
the regional development plan in the
European Parliament, Brussels



6 May 2008, foundation of the
Ister-Granum EGTC





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**Vývetlivky • Jelmagyarázat
Zeichenerklärung • Legend**

STÚROVO PÁRKÁNY
Mesto, Viano, Soch, Tzan

Lábatlan
Nagyisap

Ócsa, Tokajfalva, Dri, Sellenent

Hivatási perched, Hatalokkáltho, Geratibang, Bóder óvosty

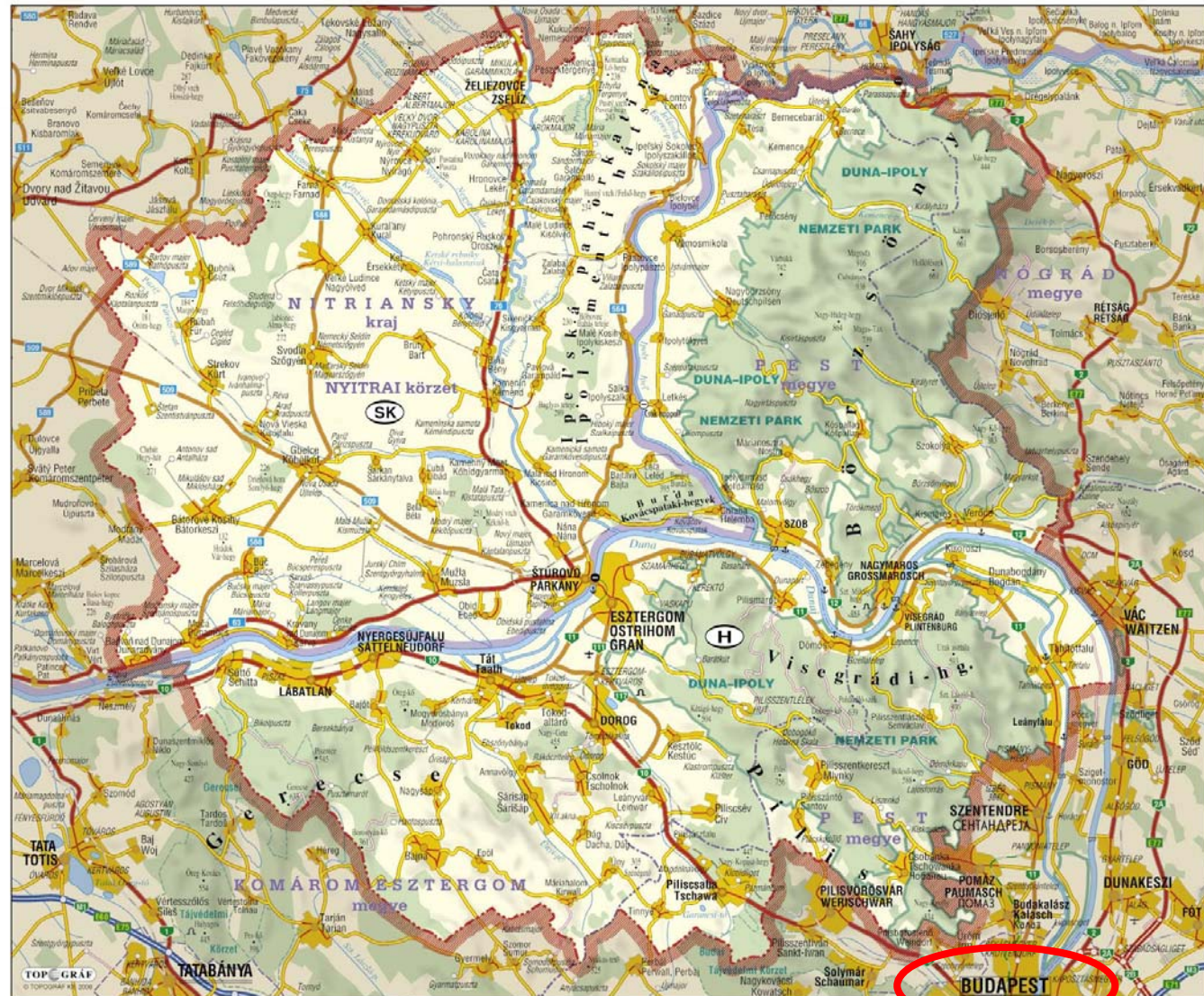
Szava hranica, Aftvialy, Szatmagyara, Szava boundary

Korlátá hranica, Mijohatár, kórtvialy, Bortkagmra, Coorty boundary

Náródnj park, Nemzeti park, Natúrnapka, National park

Chrástová hranica, Táždélná kórtv, Landabuhatvialy, Natúra rava

0 5 10 km
1 : 250 000



The organs of the EGTC

Director

Senate

Development Agency

General Assembly

Institutions

Committees

Solidarity Fund

Regional Development Council

- 3 largest companies
- 3 chambers of industry and commerce
- 6 members of the regional parliament of NGO's

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6 members

OPERATIVE ORGANS

DECISION MAKERS

ADVISORY BOARD

The fields of co-operation

Field	Main projects
Industry	Ister-Granum Enterprise-logistic Belt
Tourism	Joint tourist destination management and thematic routes
Health Care	Regional health care system
Energy policy	Joint energy agency for using renewable resources
Public transport	Joint public transport management system
Communication	Joint broadcast and regional bilingual television



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European Grouping of Territorial Cooperation (EGTC)



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The ULSG of Ister-Granum

16th July: first meeting

The members: decision making (3 ps)

urban and spatial planning (4 ps)

urban and spatial development (4 ps)

legal system (2 ps)

regional studies (2 ps)

enterprise promotion (2 ps)

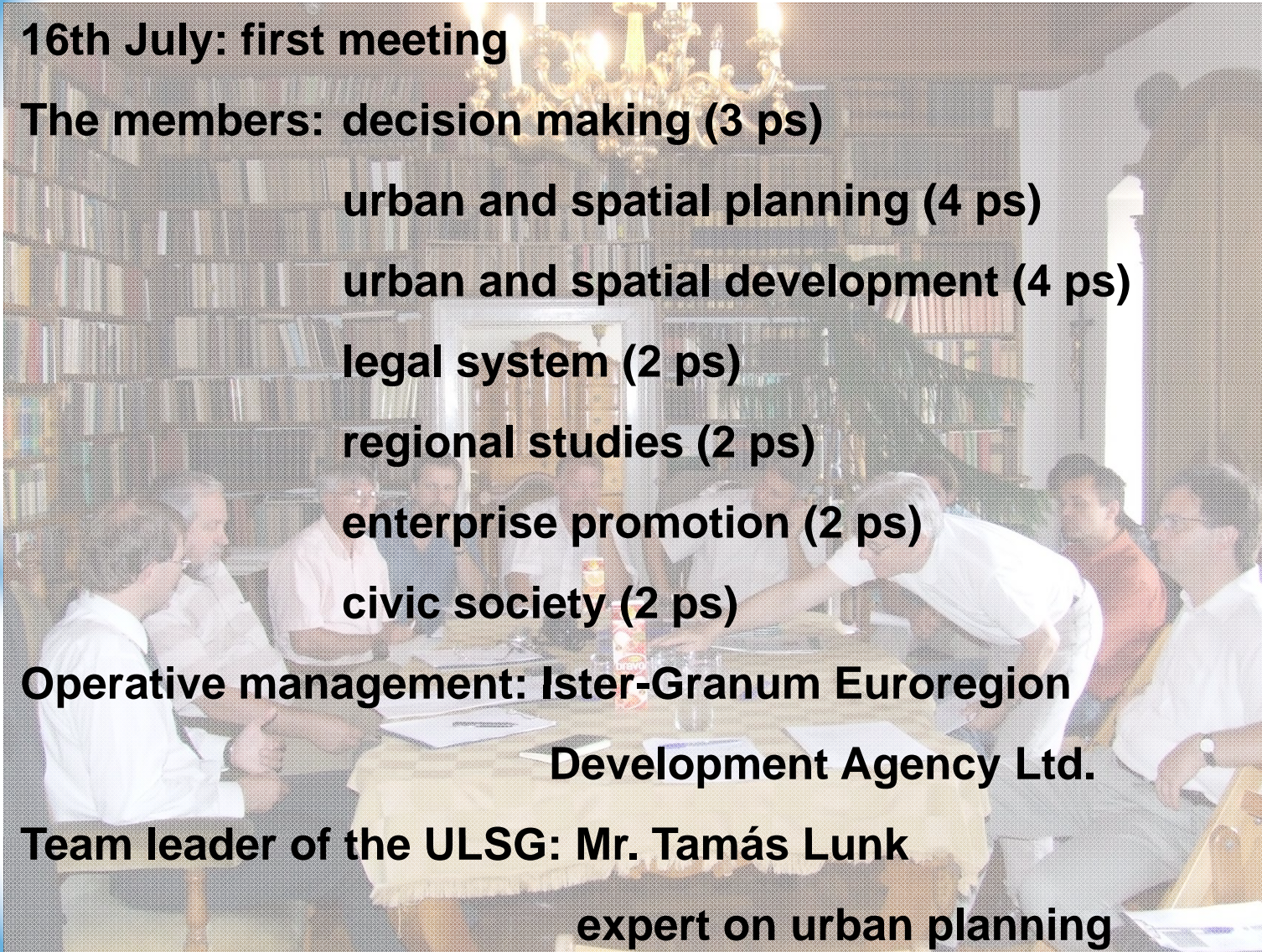
civic society (2 ps)

Operative management: Ister-Granum Euroregion

Development Agency Ltd.

Team leader of the ULSG: Mr. Tamás Lunk

expert on urban planning





The common strategy

- Integrated Development Programme of the EuroRegion (2005)
 - Bottom up
 - Participatory
 - Action-oriented
- Situation analysis
- Development scenarios
- Strategic objectives per sectors
 - (infrastructure, transport, industries, tourism, agriculture, environment, culture and education, civic society)
- Project fiches



Context of the strategy

- General context:
 - Strong historical ties between Esztergom and Sturovo
 - Schengen area – accessibility of borders
 - EGTC enacted in both countries
- Programming context 2007-13:
 - Objective 1 (convergence) OP's on both sides of the border
 - Hungary-Slovakia cross-border OP
- Specific thematic policy context:
 - Integrated Urban Strategies in Hungary





Main themes of cooperation

- Joint development and management of tourist attractions and services
- Create effective transport infrastructure across the border
- Develop and provide efficient public services for the citizens of the region
- Maintain and develop a strong, active and cooperative civic sector



Main challenges

- New methodology for cross-border urban and spatial planning
- Develop joint sector development plans
- Joint planning of business infrastructure
- Improving labour market efficiency
- Develop cross-border governance framework
- Create and operate joint institutions of tourism, health-care, social services, public transport, energy etc.

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