**Laudation of Prof. Dr. Örs Nagy**

Professor Örs Nagy graduated from the University of Targu-Mures in 1977. He passed his postgraduate exam in orthopaedics-traumatology in 1984 and successfully defended his Ph.D. thesis in 1994. Since that year, he has been the director of the University’s 2nd Department of Orthopaedics and Traumatology. He received his professorship in 1999.

Professor Nagy is well known as a skilful and experienced orthopaedic surgeon. His special interests are in the field of joint replacement of the hip and knee and the treatment of musculoskeletal tumours. His research activity focuses on the relationship between orthopaedics and osteoporosis, and on the biointegration of non-cemented endoprosthesis. Professor Nagy has published more than 300 articles in national and international journals as either author or co-author. He is a member of 9 different scientific associations including SICOT (International Society of Orthopaedic Surgery and Traumatology) and EFORT (European Federation of National Associations of Orthopaedics and Traumatology) and was elected president of the Romanian Orthopaedic and Trauma Association. He has received distinctions from the Romanian president and the National Society of Orthopaedics and Traumatology. He is an honorary member of the Hungarian Orthopaedic Association. Professor Nagy cooperates closely with the Department of Orthopaedics at Semmelweis University.