

Hungarian Nobel Prize winners born in Hungary and of Hungarian origin

Nobel Prize Year	Category	Name	Country of birth	Place of birth	Year of birth/death	Place of residence	Country of death/grave location	Father's nationality	Mother's nationality	Mother tongue	Hungarian language knowledge	Citizenship (at the time of winning Prize)	Number of years lived in Hungary	Number of years worked in Hungary	View on their Hungarian identity	Egyetemi tanulmányok	MTA membership
1937	P+M	Albert Szent-Györgyi	H	Budapest	1893–1986	USA	h	h	h	+	h+am	55	17	yes	BTE	f, 1935	
1943	Ch	György Hevesy	H	Budapest	1885–1966	G/H	h	h	h	+	h+s	34	7	yes	BTE	h, 1945	
1961	P+M	György Békésy	H	Budapest	1899–1972	USA	h	h	h/g	+	h+am	47	21	yes	U Bern	f, 1939	
1963	Ph	Jenő Wigner	H	Budapest	1902–1995	USA	h	h	h	+	h+am	17	1,5	yes	TH Berlin	h, 1988	
1971	Ph	Dénes Gábor	H	Budapest	1900–1979	GB	h	h	h	+	h+br	24	2	yes	BME, Humboldt	h, 1964	
1994	E/3	János Harsányi	H	Budapest	1920–2000	USA	h	h	h	+	h+am	28	3	yes	BTE	h, 1995	
1994	Ch	György Oláh	H	Budapest	1927–2017	USA/H	h	h	h	+	h+am	29	7	yes	BME	h, 1990	
2002	L	Imre Kertész	H	Budapest	1929–2016	H/H	h	h	h	+	h+g	87	>50	yes	—	SZIMA	
2004	Ch	Aram Hersko (Ferenc Herskó)	H	Karcag	1937–	Israel	h	h	h	+	h+i	13	---	yes	HUJ	h, 2007	
2023	P+M/2	Katalin Karikó	H	Szolnok	1955–	USA/H	h	h	h	+	h+am	30	5	yes	JATE	h, 2022	
2023	Ph/3	Ferenc Krausz	H	Mór	1962–	G/AU/H	h	h	h	+	h+au	26	3	yes	BME	e, 2007	
1905	Ph	Philipp E. & von Lenard	H	Pozsony	1862–1947	G	g	g	g	+	h/g	19	0,3	yes/no	Bp, Vienna	f, 1897; h, 1907	
1911	P/2	Alfred Fried	AU	Vienna	1864–1921	AU	h	h	g	—	au	—	—	no	—	—	
1914	P+M	Robert Bárány	AU	Vienna	1876–1936	Sweden	h	cz	g	—	au/s	—	—	no	U Vienna	—	
1925	Ch	Richard Zsigmondy	AU	Vienna	1865–1929	G	h	h	h/g	?	au/g	—	—	no	U Vienna	—	
1976	E	Milton Friedman	USA	New York	1912–2006	USA	h	h	e	—	am	—	—	no	Columbia U	—	
1976	P+M/2	Daniel C. Gajdusek	USA	Yonkers	1923–2008	Norway	sl	am/h	e	—	am	—	—	somewhat	Harvard U	—	
1982	E	George, J. Stigler	USA	Renton	1911–1991	USA	b	h	e	—	am	—	—	no	Chicago U	—	
1986	P	Elie Wiesel	R	Sighet	1928–2016	USA	h	h	e	+	ro/h/am	—	—	no	Sorbonne U	—	
1986	Ch/3	John C. Polanyi	G	Berlin	1929–	Canada	h	h	e	—	g+c	—	—	no	U Manchester	h, 2001	
2004	Ph/3	David H. Politzer	USA	New York	1949–	USA	h*	r*	e	—	am	—	—	no	Harvard U	—	
2020	L	Louise Glück*	USA	New York	1943–2023	USA	h*	r*	e	—	am	—	—	no	Columbia U	—	

Abbreviations:

Categories: P=Peace, P+M=Physiology/Medicine; Ph=Physics, L=Literature, Ch=Chemistry, E=Economics; /2, /3 = half/third of prize share

Place of Birth / Residence / Place of Death / Sirhely: AU=Austria, G=Germany, GB=Great Britain, H=Hungary, R=Romania

Father's/Mother's Nationality / Mother tongue / Citizenship: am=American, au=Austrian, b=Bavarian, br=British c=Canadian, cz=Czech, e=English, g=German, h=Hungarian, i=Israeli, ro=Romanian, r=Russian, sl=Slovak, s=Swedish; * =paternal grandfather

University studies: BME = Budapest Technical University, BTE = Budapest University of Technology, JATE = Attila József University, HUJ = Hebrew University of Jerusalem, TH = Technische Hochschule, U=University/Universität

MTA membership: e=external, f=full, h=honorary; SZIMA = Széchenyi Academy of Literature and Art