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The UP for the first time at the Festival of Board Games!

The board games of the University of Pécs, winner of the 2022 Innovation Award, were presented at the largest board game exhibition in Hungary between 11-12th November at the Lurdy House conference centre in Budapest. The board games developed by the university's staff, which can also be used as playful educational tools, were a great success at the event.

At the Faculty of Cultural Sciences, Education and Regional Development of the UP, a project was launched last year to continue the work of Zoltán Dienes, who reformed the teaching of mathematics. The results of this project are two board games, The Game of Forests and Who Goes to the Castle.

Many of the thousands of visitors to the two-day Festival of Board Games stopped by the stand of the Faculty of Cultural Sciences, Education and Regional Development of the UP to ask what a university was doing at an event of this kind. Almost without exception, all visitors thought it was a very good idea to develop board games that could be used in education and teacher training, but also provide fun for families.

The visitors included families with young children, young and old, teachers and university students.