

## **Press release**

## Cooperation for securing the next generation of experts in Northern Hungary

Miskolc, 23 May 2022 – Rail Cargo Hungaria (RCH) and the Vocational Training Centre Miskolc (SZC Miskolc) have signed a three-year cooperation agreement with the participation of the Baross-Gábor Vocational School of Economics and Transport of SZC Miskolc in order to secure and locally employ up-and-coming young professionals necessary for the economic recovery of the region. The document was signed by Román Kotiers CFO, Member of the Board, and dr. Teodóra Vincze, Human Resources Director, on behalf of SZC Miskolc by General Manager Péter Molnár and Chancellor Gábor Kiss.

According to the agreement, the contracting parties will cooperate in the implementation of a comprehensive practical training, in the modernisation, content renewal and development of the vocational and training program. Together they support the recruitment of new trainees, help school-leavers in their career development and jointly organise events in the areas of training, vocational training and adult education. As part of the partnership, RCH, with the collaboration of its experts, contributes to the teaching activities and the development of teaching materials in the form of lessons and workshops and, where possible, offers on-the-job internships.

On the occasion of the event, Román Kotiers emphasized: "RCH pays particular attention to the training of up-and-coming young professionals at all levels of the school system, and sees the support of young people and the promotion of their education as an investment in the future of rail. We look forward to contribute to the educational work of the Vocational Training Centre Miskolc with our experience and expertise."

Péter Molnár added: "As a defined goal of the Vocational Training 4.0 strategy, mutual cooperation with business organisations is also important for SZC Miskolc and its institutions. Our goal is to train experts who meet the requirements of the economy and who preferably complete their internship as part of a dual education programme."

Gábor Kiss stated: "It is of high priority for SZC Miskolc to react flexibly and quickly to the needs of the economy. This collaboration is a good example of that."



The concluded agreement is in line with RCH's strategy, in the scope of which partnerships with numerous universities and secondary schools have already been established. With this cooperation, Rail Cargo Hungaria has taken another step towards the continuous and smooth provision of railway services, with an important pillar being the adequate know-how and highly qualified professionals.

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