

CURRICULUM VITAE

1. PERSONAL DETAILS:

Name: **George M. Agiomirgianakis**

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Current Position **Professor**
Hellenic Open University
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Research Fields: *Economic Analysis and Policy, Human Capital and the Role of Education, Economics of Tourism, Tourism Planning & Policy-Making, Labour Economics, European Economics and European Business, International Economics, Small Medium Enterprises, Macroeconomic Policy Games, Economic Growth and Foreign Direct Investment, International Migration.*

2. DEGREES:

(a) **PhD (Econ.)**, University of Hull, UK, July 1995. “Macroeconomic Adjustment in Open Economies and Labour Mobility”, published as monography in August 1999 by Ashgate Publishing Limited, Hampshire, UK, entitled: “The Macroeconomics of Open Economies under Labour Mobility”.

(b) **MA (Econ.)**, Athens University of Economics, Greece, Sept.1985

(c) **BSc (Econ.)**, Piraeus University of Economics, Greece, May 1979.

3. SCHOLARSHIPS:

Sept.1983 - Sept.1985: at the Athens University of Economics I was awarded a fellowship that covered maintenance for my Master's Degree.

13th July - 13th Sept.1982: I was granted a fellowship, which covered maintenance for participation in seminars on "Cost-Accountancy", ELKEPA.

4. WORK EXPERIENCE

(a) Academic Posts:

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| August 2006 - today | Professor, Hellenic Open University |
| Sept. 2008 - August 2012 | Dean, School of Social Sciences, Hellenic Open University Patras, Greece |
| May 2001 - August 2006 | Associate Professor, Hellenic Open University, Patras, Greece |
| Febr. 2000 – Dec. 2001 | Senior Lecturer in Economics and Finance, City University, London, UK |
| Jan. 1999 – Feb. 2000 | Lecturer-B in Economics and Finance, Brunel University, London, UK |
| and | Visiting Lecturer in Economics and Finance, City University, London, UK |
| Sept. 1997 – Jan. 1999 | Lecturer-A in Economics and Finance, City University, London, UK |
| Jan.1996 - August 1997 | Lecturer in Economics, Southampton Business School, Southampton Solent University, Southampton, UK |
| 1993 – Jan. 1996 | Lecturer in Economics, Department of Economics, University of Hull, UK |
| 1989 - 1993 | Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, University of Hull, UK |
| 1987 - 1989 | Associate Professor in Economics, Technical Educational Institution (TEI), Heraklion, Crete, Greece. |

1985 – 1986 Associate Professor in Economics, Technical Educational Institution (TEI), Heraklion, Crete, Greece.

1982 - 1983 Lecturer in Economics, Technical Educational Institution (TEI), Heraklion, Crete, Greece.

(b) Other Scientific Posts:

May 2006 - May 2010 President EEFS (European Economics and Finance Society) see <http://www.eefs-eu.org/>

May 2000 - May 2006 Secretary General EEFS

1995-to 2001 Research Associate, The National Research Council of Italy (CNR)

Oct.1988-July 1989 Research Fellow, Research Centre of Crete, Institute of Applied Mathematics, Crete, Greece.

Dec. 1988 & Apr.- June 1989 Visiting Fellow, ELKEPA, (Greek Centre for Productivity), Crete, Greece.

5. RESEARCH ACTIVITIES:

5A. WORK COMPLETED: Journal papers, editorials, chapters in books, books and other publications.

5A.1) Journal papers, editorials:

1. "Valuation Economics for Tourism" with Aggeliki Menegaki and Panagiota Dionysopoulou, *European Journal of Tourism Research*, Forthcoming 2020.
2. "Sustainable technologies in tourist accommodation; a qualitative review" with Aggeliki Menegaki, *Progress in Industrial Ecology an International Journal*, 13(4):373-4000.6 August 2019.
3. "Returns to Investment in Distance Learning: the case of Greece" with Nikos Tsounis and Theodore Lianos, *International Business Research* Vol.12 issue 3 pp: 1-9, 2019.
4. "Returns to Investment in Higher Education: is there a difference between Distance Learning and Traditional Universities in the fields of Physics, Mathematics, Social Studies, Computer Science and Economics?" with Nikos Tsounis and Theodore Lianos, *Creative Education*, Vol.9 No.16, Dec 2018

5. "Risk dimensions of vertical Chinese expansion in the Greek tourism sector: The Chinese side" with Aggeliki Menegaki, International Journal of Decision Sciences, Risk and Management, Forthcoming 2018.
6. "Sustainable Technologies in Greek Tourist Accommodation: A Quantitative Review" with Aggeliki Menegaki, European Research Studies Journal, Volume XXI, Issue 4, pp. 222-238 2018.
7. "Asymmetric responses in the tourism demand function" with George Bertsatos and Nikos Tsounis, The Journal of Economic Asymmetries, Volume 18, November 2018.
8. "Gender Wage Gaps and Economic Crisis in Greece" with George Bertsatos and Nikos Tsounis, International Review of Applied Economics, Volume 18, e00103, November 2018.
9. "Overeducation of University graduates: A voluntary and rational choice of individuals - The case of three Greek Universities" with Anastasia Pseiridis and Theodore Lianos, Theoretical Economics Letter, Vol. 8 No 11 October 2018.
10. "Is Education an Investment or a consumption Good?" with Anastasia Pseiridis and Theodore Lianos, International Journal of Education Economics and Development, Vol. 9, No. 3, 2018
11. "Studying from Home? Do Private and Public benefits go side by side?" with George Bertsatos, Athanasios Mihiotis, Nikos Tsounis and Fay Makantasi, Modern Economy, Vol. 9 No. 8 September 2018.
12. "Determinants of wages revisited: how are Distance-learning Institutions faring compared to traditional Universities?" (with George Sfakianakis and Nikos Tsounis) The Empirical Economics Letters 16(9): (September 2017) ISSN 1681 8997.
13. "The Determinants of Student Satisfaction Acquired by University Education: The Case of the Hellenic Open University" (with Anastasia Pseiridis and Theodore Lianos) Theoretical Economics Letters, Vol. 7, pp. 1318-1334, 2017.
14. "Effective Timing of Tourism Policy: the case of Singapore", (with Dimitris Serenis and Nicholas Tsounis) Economic Modelling, Vol. 60, pp. 29–38, 2017.
15. Short-and Long-Run Determinants of Tourist Flows the Case of South Korea» Advances in Applied Economic Research, pp. 861-872, 2017.
16. "Determinants of Economic Growth Revisited: is Competitiveness and Investment the Solution for Greece?" (with George Sfakianakis and Fotini Voulgaris) International Economics and Economic Policy (IEEP) Springer, June 2016.

17. "The Determinants of Exports Revisited: lessons from the recent crisis» (with Theodore Papadogonas and George Sfakianakis) *Applied Economics Quarterly*, Vol. 62, No. 2, pp. 107-115, 2016.
18. "Explaining Tourism Inflows in Greece: a Macroeconometric Approach" (with George Sfakianakis) *International Journal of Economics and Finance*, Vol. 8, No. 4, April 2016.
19. Fluctuations in Exchange Rate and Aggregate Exports in Ukraine, (with Dimitris Serenis and Nicholas Tsounis) *Ekonometria -Econometrics* Wroclaw University of Economics, Poland, Vol 50. Issue 4, pp. 11-23, 2015.
20. "Job Creation and Job Destruction in Economic Crisis at Firm Level: The Case of Greek Manufacturing sectors" (with Tina Voulgaris and Theo. Papadogonas), *International Economics and Economic Policy* (IEEP) Springer, vol. 12(1) March 2015.
21. "A Distance Learning University and its Economic Impact in a country's peripheries: the case of Hellenic Open University" (with Dimitris Serenis and Nicholas Tsounis) *Operational Research*, pp. 1-22, December 2015.
22. "The Effects of Exchange Rate Volatility on Tourist Flows: Evidence from the UK and Sweden" (with Dimitris Serenis and Nicholas Tsounis) *International Journal of Tourism Policy*, Vol.6, issue 1, 2015.
23. "Effects of Exchange Rate Volatility on Tourist Flows into Iceland" (with Dimitris Serenis and Nicholas Tsounis) *Procedia Economics and Finance* Vol. 24 pp. 25 – 34, 2015.
24. "The Effects of Exchange Rate Volatility on Tourist Flows into Turkey" (with Dimitris Serenis and Nicholas Tsounis,) *Journal of Economic Integration* Vol. 29. (4) pp. 700-725, Dec 2014.
25. "Determinants of Tourism Demand in Greece: A panel data approach" (with George Sfakianakis), *Ekonometria Econometrics*, Wroclaw University of Economics, Poland, Vol. 43 Issue 1, October 2014.
26. "Short-term Microeconomic Reactions to International Crisis: the Role of Marketing Expenditure in the Profitability of Greek Tourism Enterprises" (with Anastasios Magoutas and George Sfakianakis) *The Empirical Economics Letters*, vol. 13 no 8, pp.887-894, August 2014.
27. "Market Escape through Exchange: Home Swap as a Form of Free Hospitality" (with K. Andriotis), *Current Issues in Tourism*, Vol. 17(7), pp. 575-591 2014.
28. "Determinants of Profitability in the Greek Tourism Sector Revisited: the Impact of the Economic Crisis" (with George Sfakianakis and A. Magoutas). *Journal of Tourism and Hospitality Management*, Vol.1, No. 1, Dec. 2013.

29. "Mobility of Higher Education Students in Europe: the South-North Differences" (with F. Kotsi), *International Journal of Education Economics and Development*, Vol. 4, No. 3, pp.233-254, 2013.
30. "Internationalization in Tertiary Education: Intra-European Students Mobility" (with Nikos Rachaniotis and Filareti Kotsi), *Journal of Economic Integration* Vol.28 No.3, pp.457~481, September 2013.
31. "Determinants of Profitability and the Decision-Making Process of Firms in the Tourism Sector: the case of Greece" (with G. Sfakianakis and A. Magoutas) *International Journal of Decision Sciences, Risk and Management*, Vol. 4, Nos. 3/4, 2012.
32. "The Quest for a New Multidisciplinary Tourism Model", (with Alexia Mary Tzortzaki and A. Mihiotis), *Annals of Tourism Research*, Vol. 38 No. 1 pp. 325-330, 2011.
33. "Education and Firm Performance. Empirical Evidence from Greece" (with A. Magoutas and T. Papadogonas). *International Journal of Economic Research*, Vol. 8, No. 2, pp. 141-152, 2011.
34. «Cruise Visitors' Experience in a Mediterranean Port of Call» (with K. Andriotis), *International Journal of Tourism Research*, Volume 12, Issue 4, pages 390–404, July/August 2010.
35. European and Global Integration: Underlying Causes, Issues Arising and Formulating Economic Policies", (editorial) with Michael G. Arghyrou *Journal of Policy Modeling*, Volume 31, pp.131–132, 2009.
36. "The Economics of the 5th Enlargement: Trade, Migration and Economic Synchronicity", (editorial) with Vassilis Monastiriotis *The Journal of International Trade & Economic Development*, Vol. 18, Issue 1 March, pp. 3 – 9, 2009.
37. "Measuring Tourist Satisfaction: A Factor-Cluster Segmentation Approach" with K. Andriotis and A. Mihiotis, *Journal of Vacation Marketing*, Vol. 14 No 3, pp. 221-235, 2008.
38. "Determinants of Export Behavior in the Greek Manufacturing Sector", (with Voulgaris F. and Th. Papadogonas), *Operational Research*, Vol. 7, Number 1 / January 2007.
39. «Tourist Vacation Preferences: The Case of Mass Tourists to Crete» (with K. Andriotis and A. Mihiotis), *Tourism Analysis*, Volume 12, Number 4, pp. 51-63. 2007.
40. "Current Development of the Financial Services in S.E. Europe" *Int. J. Financial Services Management*, (editorial) Vol. 2, No. 1/2, pp. 1-3, 2007.

41. "Financial Factors Affecting Profitability and Employment Growth: the case of Greek Manufacturing", with Voulgaris F. and Th. Papadogonas, *International Journal of Financial Services Management*, Vol. 1, Nos2/3 pp.232-242, April 2006.
42. "Asynchronous Remote Learning and Distance Learning: The Case of Master in Business Administration by H.O.U." with A. Mihiotis και M. Evripiotis, *Open Education Journal*, vol. no 2, 2006.
43. "Economic and Financial Issues in an Enlarged Europe" (editorial), with Usha Nair-Reichert, *Journal of Policy Modelling*, Vol. 28, Issue 8, pp. 909-910, November 2006.
44. "Economic and Financial Issues in an Enlarged Europe" (editorial) with Theodore Lianos and Yong Eun Lee, *Ekonomia* Vol. 9, no. 2, pp.117-118, Winter 2006.
45. "The World Economy and European Integration" (editorial), with Elias Soukiazis, *Applied Economics*, 37, pp.2177–2178, 2005.
46. "Job Creation and Job Destruction in Greek manufacturing", (with F. Voulgaris and Th. Papadogonas), *Review of Development Economics*, Vol. 9, Issue 2, May 2005.
47. "The World Economy and European Integration", (editorial) with Dimitrios Asteriou, *Journal of Policy Modelling*, Vol. 27 (3) pp.344-345, April 2005.
48. "The World Economy and European Integration" (editorial) (with E. Soukiazis), *Applied Economics*, Vol.37, pp.2177–2178, 2005.
49. "Foreign Universities Graduates in the Greek Labour Market" (with Th. Lianos and D. Asteriou). *International Journal of Finance and Economics* Vol 9(2), pp.151-64, April 2004.
50. "Size and Determinants of the Capital Structure in the Greek Manufacturing Sector" (with Voulgaris F. and D. Asteriou). *International Review of Applied Economics*, pp. 247-62, Vol. 18(2), April 2004.
51. "The Determinants of Small Firm Growth in the Greek Manufacturing Sector", (with Voulgaris F. and D. Asteriou). *Journal of Economic Integration*, Vol. 18(4), pp. 817-836, December 2003.
52. "Capital Structure, Asset Utilization, Profitability and Growth in the Greek Manufacturing Sector", (with Voulgaris F. and Asteriou D.), *Applied Economics*, pp. 1379-138, Vol. 34, No11, July 2002.
53. "Growth Effects of Human Capital and Stages of Economic Development: A Panel Data Investigation of Different Country Experiences", (with D. Asteriou and V. Monastiriotis). *ICFAI Journal of Applied Economics*, Vol. 1, November 2002.

54. "Human Capital and Economic Growth Revisited: A Dynamic Panel Data Study" (with D. Asteriou and V. Monastiriotis), *International Advances in Economic Research*, Vol. 8, No 3, August 2002.
 55. "Human Capital; and Economic Growth: Time Series Evidence from Greece", (with D. Asteriou), *Journal of Policy Modelling*, Vol. 23 Issue 5, pp.481-489c October 2001. This article was among the first ten articles (5th) searched by Journal Readers in 2001.
 56. "Economic Growth, International Labour Mobility and Unanticipated Non-Monetary Shocks, (with A. Zervoyianni), *Journal of Policy Modelling*, Vol. 23 (1) pp. 1-16, January 2001.
 57. "Globalisation of Labour Markets and Macroeconomic Equilibrium" (with A. Zervoyianni). *International Review of Economics and Finance*, Vol. 10(2), pp. 109-133, January 2001. This article was among the first ten articles (2nd) searched by Journal Readers in 2001.
 58. "Macroeconomic Equilibrium with Illegal Immigration", (with A. Zervoyianni). *Journal of Economic Modelling*, Vol. 18, Issue 2, pp.181-202, April 2001. This article was among the first ten articles (6th) searched by Journal Readers in 2001.
 59. "Monetary-Policy Games and International Migration of Labour in a Small Open Economy", *Review of International Economics*, Vol. 8, Issue 4, pp.698-711, November 2000.
 60. "Financial Development and Financial Structure of Industrial SMEs: The Case of Greece", (with F. Voulgaris and D. Asteriou). *European Research Studies*, pp. 95-110, Vol. 3, Issue 3-4, 2000.
 61. "Open Economies, Insider Power and International Migration", *Journal of Economic Integration*, 14(1), pp.13-36, March 1999.
 62. "Monetary-Policy Games and International Migration of Labour in Interdependent Economies", *Journal of Macroeconomics*, Vol. 20, Number 2, pp.243-266, Spring 1998.
 63. "Economics and Mathematics: Recent Views on a Controversial Relationship" (with Y. Mavrommatis). *International Journal of Social Economics*, Vol. 25, Issue 10, pp 1565-1571, 1998.
 64. "International Macroeconomic Interdependence and International Migration of Labour". *International Journal of Finance and Economics*, Vol.1, pp.133-147, April 1996.
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5A.ii) Refereed Chapters in Books:

- 1.) "Human Capital and Profitability on Greek Industry", with A. Magoutas, and T. Papadogonas 2010. The University of Piraeus, collective volume (ISBN#978-960-6897-03-0).
- 2.) "Planning, Management and use of Internet for the Support, Coordination and Monitoring of Educational Programmes: The example of Programmes DEO and TRA of the Hellenic Open University (HOU)" with Anastasia Pseiridis and Christos Tzovanis. Proceedings of the Second Conference on Distance Learning, Propobos publishing, pp.326-338 March 2005.
- 3.) "The Determinants of Foreign Direct Investment: A Panel Data Study for the OECD Countries", (with D. Asteriou and R. Papatoma). In *Aspects of Globalisation: Macroeconomic and Capital Market Linkages in the Integrated World Economy*, Chris Tsoukis et al.; Kluwer publishing, USA 2004.
- 4.) "Monetary Policy in Small Open Economies and International Labour Mobility" (with A. Zervoyianni). In D. Kantarelis (Ed.) *Business & Economics for the 21st Century*-Volume I, pp 238-254, ISBN 0-9659831--0-2, 1997.

5A.iii) Books:

- 1.) **Οικονομικά της Αναψυχής, του Ελεύθερου Χρόνου και του Τουρισμού**, (στα ελληνικά) John Tribe, George Agiomirgianakis and Aggeliki Menegaki, July 2019, Gutenberg, ISBN: 978-960-01-2053-0.
- 2.) **Τα Οικονομικά των Τουριστικών Προορισμών**, (στα ελληνικά) Robert Vanhove, George Agiomirgianakis and Aggeliki Menegaki, May 2019, Gutenberg ISBN: 978-960-01-2020-2.
- 3.) **International Economic Relations** (in Greek) with Minas Vlassis and Henry Thompson, Rosili Publishing, Athens, Greece, May 2006.
- 4.) **European Integration**, Textbook with A. Zervoyianni & G. Argiros, Palgrave (Macmillan) Press Limited, Hampshire, UK, March 2006.
- 5.) **Reader in European Business**, A book written for the MBA Programme of the *Hellenic Open University*; January 2005.
- 6.) **Aspects of Globalisation: Macroeconomic and Capital Market Linkages in the Integrated World Economy**, (Collective Volume) with Chris Tsoukis and Tapan Biswas. Kluwer Publishing January 2004.
- 7.) **The Macroeconomics of Open Economies Under Labour Mobility**, Monograph, Ashgate Publishing Limited, Hampshire, UK, August 1999.

5A.iv) Other Publications: Articles in Discussion papers:

- 1.) International Migration in Europe: Legal Framework, Determinants, Possible Effects and Ageing EU Population” (with G. Argyros and D. Asteriou), *City University Discussion Paper No 92*, February 2001.
- 2.) "Trade-Union Behaviour and International Migration of Labour". A monograph, *Dynamis Quaderno*, Vol.1, ISBN 88-7247-064-1, Istituto di ricerca Dinamica dei Sistemi Economici IDSE, 1996.

5A.v) Projects:

- 1) International mobility – opportunity and problem. Proper preparation for studying at a foreign university. Project number-2018-1-PL01-KA203-050756, Strategic Partnership in Higher Education. Implementation period:09.2018–12.2020 Partnership: (a) Wroclaw University of Economics, Poland – Project Coordinator; (b) Hellenic Open University, Greece; (c) Ternopil National Economic University, Ukraine; (d) University of Pannonia, Hungary.
- 2) “Study on the career development of the *Hellenic Open University*’s graduates and the degree of convergence of their skills with the needs of the labor market” a research project co-financed by the European Union (*European Social Fund – ESF*) and Greek national funds through the Operational Program "Education and Lifelong Learning" of the National Strategic Reference Framework (NSRF) period 01-04-2014 till 15-11-2015.
- 3) A study of the incoming tourism and dimensions of development for the Tourism of Special Interests in Crete, December 2005, financed by the region of Crete (Ref. # 3535/3-6-2005 ΥΔ ΠΙΕΠ- Crete, Greece December 2005).
- 4) Since July 1995 till June 1997, I have been participating as Research Associate in a project entitled “Medium-Long Term Dynamics of Industrial Employment in OECD Countries”, Ref # 9701395.ct.10, financed by the National Research Council of Italy, CNR, Milan, Italy.

6. EDITOR AND MEMBER OF EDITORIAL BOARDS:

- 1.) **Editor** of the *International Journal of Tourism Policy*, published by Inderscience, webpage: www.inderscience.com/ijtp.
- 2.) **Guest editor** for the *Review of International Economics* (RIE) (August 2011)
- 3.) **Guest editor** for the *Journal of Policy Modeling* (JPM) (March 2009)

- 4.) **Guest editor** for the *International Journal of Financial Management Services (IJFMS)* (November 2007)
- 5.) **Guest editor** for the *Journal of Economic Integration (JEI)* (May 2006).
- 6.) **Guest editor** for the *Journal of Policy Modeling (JPM)* (March 2006)
- 7.) **Guest editor** for the *Ekonomia* (June 2006)
- 8.) **Guest editor** for the *Applied Economics* (November 2005).
- 9.) **Guest editor** for the *Journal of Policy Modeling (JPM)* (April 2005).
- 10.) **Guest editor** for the *International Journal of Economic Research (IJER)* (October 2004).
- 11.) **Guest editor** for the *International Journal of Financial Management Services (IJFMS)* (November 2007).
- 12.) **Guest editor** for the *International Review of Economics and Finance (IREF)* (January 2004).
- 13.) **Guest editor** for the *International Review of Economics and Finance (IREF)* (January 2004).
- 14.) **Guest editor** for the *International Journal of Finance and Economics (IJFE)* (November 2002).
- 15.) **Guest editor** for the *Journal of Economic Integration (JEI)* (December 2002).
- 16.) **Guest editor** for the *Journal of Policy Modelling (JPM)* (November 2001).
- 17.) **Editor** of **NEP-Macro** (New Economic Papers in Macroeconomics) November 2001-December 2002, see <http://netec.mcc.ac.uk/NEP/>
- 18.) **Member Editorial Board** of the *Journal EKONOMETRIA* (2012-today)
- 19.) **Member Editorial Board** of the *International Journal of Financial Services Management* (2003 - today).
- 20.) **Member Editorial Board** of the *International Journal of Economic Research* (2003 - today).
- 21.) **Member Editorial Board** of the *International Journal of Hospitality Knowledge Management* (2007-today).

- 22.) **Member Editorial Board** of the *International Journal of Decision Sciences, Risk and Management* (2007-today).
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7. REFEREEING

I have refereed papers for the Journal of Macroeconomics, Review of International Economics, Journal of Policy Modelling, Applied Economics, Journal of Population Economics, International Journal of Economics and Finance, Journal of Economic Integration, Journal of International Trade and Economic Development, International Review of Economics and Finance, International Journal of Financial Management Services, International Journal of Human Resource Development & Management; Business and Economics Society International (BESI), International Economics and Finance (IEFS-UK), CNR and the European Science Foundation.

8. CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:

- 1.) ICOAE 2016 *Applied Economics* conference web site: <http://www.i-coae.com>
Nicosia, Cyprus 2016. Returns to Investment in Higher Education: is there a difference between Distance Learning and Traditional Universities? (with Nicholas Tsounis)
- 2.) ICOT2016 Naples, Italy on 29 June to 2 July 2016. Selecting an effective set of short term economic reactions to international changes: the case of Tourism in Turkey (with Nicholas Tsounis and Dimitris Serenis)
- 3.) ICOT2015, From Tourism Policies into Practice, June 24-27, 2015 Middlesex University, London. Determinants of Tourist Flows in Singapore Using Panel Data Analysis, (with Nicholas Tsounis and Dimitris Serenis).
- 4.) EAIR 36th Annual Forum, 27-30 August 2014, Essen, Germany, The Impact of the Hellenic Open University on Regional Development (with *Nicholas Tsounis and Dimitris Serenis*).
- 5.) EEFS2014, Thessaloniki, Greece, 12-15th June 2014, The Determinants of Student Satisfaction in Tertiary Education – the case of Hellenic Open University Graduates (with Theodore Lianos and Anastasia Pseiridis).
- 6.) EEFS2014, Thessaloniki, Greece, 12-15th June 2014, "The Determinants of Exports Revisited: lessons from the recent crisis» (with Theodore Papadogonas and George Sfakianakis).

- 7.) EEFS2014, Thessaloniki, Greece, 12-15th June 2014, Determinants of Economic Growth Revisited: is competitiveness and investment the solution for Greece? with (George Sfakianakis and F. Voulgari).
- 8.) EEFS2013, Berlin, Germany, 20th-23rd June 2013, University of Duisburg-Essen, Short-term Microeconomic Reactions to International Crisis: the Role of Marketing Expenditure for Greek Tourism Enterprises with (George Sfakianakis and A. Magoutas).
- 9.) EEFS2013, Berlin, Germany, 20th-23rd June 2013, University of Duisburg-Essen, Assessing the determinants on job creation and job destruction at firm level with (Tina Voulgaris and Theo Papadogonas).
- 10.) EEFS2012, Istanbul, Turkey, 14-17 June 2012, Koc University, Determinants of Tourism Demand in Greece: A Panel Data Approach with (George Sfakianakis and A. Magoutas).
- 11.) ICOT2012, Setting the Agenda for Special Interest Tourism, Past, Present and Future, May 23-27 2012 Archanes, Crete, Greece. Explaining Tourism Inflows in Greece: A Macroeconometric Approach, (with G. Sfakianakis).
- 12.) Euro-Mediterranean Forum on Cultural Diplomacy, Rhodes, Greece – May 11-14, 2010 Globalisation, Education, Cultural Dynamics and the Role of Universities in Shaping the Future (with Filareti Kotsi).
- 13.) *Annual Conference of the European and Economics and Finance Society on Global Imbalances, Financial Institutions, and Reforms in the Post-Crisis Era, Athens, Greece, 3-6 June 2010: Openness and Macroeconomic Equilibrium in Unionized Economies* (with Athina Zervoyianni).
- 14.) *8th Annual Conference of the European and Economics and Finance Society on Current Challenges in the Global Economy: Prospects and Policy Reforms, Warsaw, Poland, 4th - 7th June 2009: Human Capital and growth rates in Greek manufacturing* (with A. Magoutas and T. Papadogonas).
- 15.) Forum of Tourism Education and Training, 2nd International conference, Athens 26 – 27 June 2008, Group B3: «Recording International and Greek reality in the Use of Technologies in Tourism Education and Training » (with Dimitris Stergiou and Avgy Persidi-Vallera).
- 16.) Forum of Tourism Education and Training, 2nd International conference, Athens 26 – 27 June 2008, Group C3: «Evaluating Tourism Programmes in Higher Education-Students' Perspectives» (with Dimitris Stergiou).

- 17.) *7th Annual Conference of the European and Economics and Finance Society on Globalised Labour & Capital Markets, National Resources and Shifts in Economic Power Prague, Czech Republic, 22nd May – 25th May 2008: “Education and Firm Performance. Empirical Evidence from Greece”* (with A. Magoutas and T. Papadogonas).
- 18.) *7th Annual Conference of the European and Economics and Finance Society on Globalised Labour & Capital Markets, National Resources and Shifts in Economic Power Prague, Czech Republic, 22nd May – 25th May 2008: “Euro and Technology Effects On Job Turnover In Greek Manufacturing”* (with F. Voulgaris and T. Papadogonas).
- 19.) *5th Annual Conference of the European and Economics and Finance Society on European Labour Markets, Trade & Financial Flows and Economic Growth, Heraklion Crete, 18-21 May 2006: “Educational Achievement of Mature Students: An econometric investigation“* (with A. Pseiridou and D. Asteriou)
- 20.) "International Conference of Trends, Impacts and Policies on Tourism Development" Heraklion, Crete, GREECE 15-18 June 2006: «Experienced-based tourism: the new competitive strategy for the long term survival for the tourism industry»(with A, Tzortzaki and T. Voulgari).
- 21.) *3rd Annual Conference of the European and Economics and Finance Society on World Economy and European Integration, Gdansk, Poland, 13-16 May 2004: “Labour Productivity and Productivity Growth in Greek Manufacturing Firms”,* (with F. Voulgari and T. Papadogonas).
- 22.) *2nd Annual Conference of the European and Economics and Finance Society on European Integration Real and Financial Aspects, Bologna, Italy, 14-16 May 2003: “Job Creation and Job Destruction in the Greek Manufacturing”,* (with F. Voulgari and T. Papadogonas).
- 23.) *1st Annual Conference of the European and Economics and Finance Society on European Integration and Globalisation, Heraklion Crete, Greece, 17-20 May 2002: “Foreign Universities Graduates in the Greek Labour Market”,* (with Th. Lianos and D. Asteriou).
- 24.) *Pan-European Conference of the International Economics and Finance Society-UK at the University of Macedonia, Thessaloniki, Greece, 17-20 May 2001: “Human Capital and Economic Growth Revisited: A Dynamic Panel Data Study”* (with D. Asteriou).
- 25.) *Annual Conference of the Atlantic Economic Society, Athens, Greece, March 17-22 2001: “Human Capital and Economic Growth Revisited: A Dynamic Panel Data Study”* (with D. Asteriou).

- 26.) 4th Conference in Macroeconomic Analysis and International Finance, Crete University, Greece, 25-28 May 2000. Human Capital and Economic Growth: Time Series Evidence in the case of Greece, (with D. Asteriou).
- 27.) *Annual Conference of the Atlantic Economic Society, Munich, March 17-22 2000: Education and Economic Growth: Panel data for OECD Countries*, (with D. Asteriou).
- 28.) *Conference of the International Economics and Finance Society-UK, London November 12, 1999: Human Capital and Economic Growth: Time Series Evidence in the case of Greece*, (with D. Asteriou).
- 29.) 3rd Annual Macroeconomic Conference, Crete University, Greece, 26-30 May 1999. Macroeconomic Equilibrium with Illegal Immigration.
- 30.) *Annual Conference of the International Economics and Finance Society-UK, London April 7 &8, 1999: Openness, Wage Bargaining and Macroeconomic Performance*.
- 31.) *Annual Conference of the Atlantic Economic Society, Vienna March 17-22 1999: Openness, Wage Bargaining and Macroeconomic Performance*.
- 32.) 2nd Annual Macroeconomic Conference, Crete University, Greece, 29-30 May 1998. Macroeconomic Policy, Coalitions and International Mobility of Labour in Interdependent Economies with Unionised Wage Setting.
- 33.) *Annual Conference of the European Association of Labour Economists, Aarhus, Denmark, 25-28 Sept. 1997: Trade Union Behaviour and International Migration of Labour*.
- 34.) *Annual Conference of the Western Economic Association, Seattle, USA, 9-13 July 1997: Illegal Migration and Macroeconomic-Policy Games in Small Open Economies*.
- 35.) *Annual Conference of the Business and Economics Society International, Athens 18-22 July 1977: Monetary Policy in Small Open Economies and International Labour Mobility*.
- 36.) *Annual Conference of the European Society of Population Economics, Colchester, Essex University, UK, 19-21 June 1997: Illegal Migration and Macroeconomic-Policy Games in Small Open Economies*.
- 37.) *Annual Conference of the Project "Medium-Long Term Dynamics of Industrial Employment in OECD Countries" National Research Council of Italy*

CNR, Bologna University, Italy, 26-28 May 1997: Trade Union Behaviour and International Migration of Labour.

- 38.) *Annual Conference of the Money, Macroeconomics and Finance Research Group*, London, 4th-6th Sept.1996: Migration, Coalitions and Monetary Policy Games in Interdependent Economies with Unionised Wage Setting.
- 39.) *Annual Conference of the European Society of Population Economics*, Uppsala, Sweden, 13-15 June 1996: Monetary Policy Games and International Migration of labour.
- 40.) *European Research Conference on Migration and Development*, Alsace, France, 29th May - 5th June 1996: Monetary Policy Games and International Migration of labour in Interdependent Economies.
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9. MEMBERSHIP

International Economics and Finance Society (IEFS), European Society of Labour Economists, European Society for Population Economics, European Economic Association, Western Economic Association, Canadian Economics Association and Business & Economics Society International (BESI).

10. TEACHING ACTIVITIES

A. From September 2001- to October 2017: I have taught at the Hellenic Open University (HOU) the Courses

1) Economic Analysis and Policy in the undergraduate Programme DEO (Business administration)

- Microeconomics
- Macroeconomics
- Public Economics

2) Banking Environment in the Postgraduate Programme TRA (Banking)

- Monetary Theory and Policy
- The Financial System
- Banking and Monetary law

B. September 1997 – to Dec 2001: I have taught the following courses at City University

- Domestic and International Finance
(Lectures and classes for second-year students)
- Labour Economics.
(Lectures and classes for third-year students)

- European Business.
(Lectures and classes for first-year students)
- Macroeconomic Theory (Sept 1997- Sept. 1999)
(Lectures and classes for second-year students)
- International Monetary Economics (Sept 1997- Sept. 1999)
(Lectures and classes for third-year students)
- Quantitative Methods (Sept.1997- Sept.1998 and 1998-99, 2000-2001)
(Lectures and classes for first-year undergraduate students and also for the postgraduate course MSc in Economic Regulation and Competition 1998-99, 2000-2001)

C. January 1999 - February 2000: I taught the following courses at Brunel University

- Macroeconomic Theory
(Lectures and classes second year)
- Topics in Applied Economics and Finance
(Lectures and classes first year)

D. January 1996 - August 1997: I taught the following courses at Southampton Solent University

Economics of the European Union
(Lectures and Classes for 3rd-year students)

Applied Economics
(Lectures and Classes for 2nd-year students)

Business Economics
(Lectures and Classes for 1st-year students)

European Business
(Classes for 2nd-year students)

E. Other Courses taught in the past at Hull University, UK and at the Technical Education Institute in Greece

1995 - 1996 Econometric Theory
(Lectures and classes).

1995 - 1996 Economics of the European Union

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| and 1993-1994 1989-1995 | (Lectures and classes) Principles of Economics (Micro & Macro for first-year students, 1&2nd semester), Microeconomics, (for first-year students, 1&2nd semester) and Quantitative Methods (first and second-year students, 1&2nd semester), (Classes). |
| 1988-1989 | Statistical Methodology and Sampling (Lectures and Classes) |
| 1987-1989 & 1985 - 1986 | International Trade, Economics of Administration, Financial Mathematics, Statistics, Economic Policy in Greece. (Lectures and Classes). |
| 1982-1983 | Business Economics, Accounting. (Lectures and Classes) |

11. COURSE DEVELOPMENT

- 1) **MBA** (2002) Business School, *Hellenic Open University*, Greece
 - 2) **Tourism Administration Programme, (2008)** *a proposal for the School of Social Sciences of the Hellenic Open University*, Greece.
 - 3) **European Business** (1999-2000) for the first year, City University, London.
 - 4) **MSc in Business Economics** (2000-2001), City University, London.
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12. STUDENTS' SUPERVISION

(a) Supervising Students' Assignments:

(i) Post-Doc- Research:

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| 2005- March 2007 | Supervision of Dr Konstantinos Andriotis Post-doc research financed by the Greek State Scholarship's Foundation. The topic of the research is "Motivation and Satisfaction of Incoming Tourists, the Case of Crete" |
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(ii) PhD- Research:

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| 1996-2000 | PhD Thesis: Dr. Dimitrios Asteriou “Economic Growth and Financial Development” (with Simon Price) June 2000, City University. London, UK |
| 2007-2010 | PhD Thesis: Anastasios Magoutas «The impact of Education on the Economic Performance of Persons, Enterprises and National Competitiveness: A Theoretical and Empirical Analysis for the Greek Economy». |
| 2008-2012 | PhD Thesis: Konstantinos Marinakos «Economic Impacts of the changes in the use of land due to Tourism Development and other Parallel Economic Activities ». |
| 2003-2008 | PhD Thesis: Nikolaos Kontodimopoulos, Measuring Efficiency and Effectiveness in Health Services: an Application in Renal Replacement Therapy in Greece. Member of the Supervisory Committee. |
| 2004-2009 | PhD Thesis: E. Poutos, «The Financial Factors and the Accounting Implications of Dividend Policy: An Empirical Analysis of the Greek Firms Listed in the Athens Exchange». Member of the Supervisory Committee. |
| 2004-2009 | PhD Thesis: S. Papathanasiou, «Testing the Effectiveness of Technical Analysis Trading Systems Based on Stock Indices of the Athens Stock Exchange». Member of the Supervisory Committee. |

(iii) Post-graduate and Undergraduate Research:

I have supervised 52 final-year student projects and 12 MSc dissertations

(b) Students' Progress

1996-today
As a students' tutor I supervise the progress of about 30 students yearly.

13. ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES:

- **Dean (Sept. 2008- August 2012)**, School of Social Sciences, *Hellenic Open University* comprising a total of 380 part-time professors and 6,000 Students (4,000 Undergraduates and 2,000 Postgraduates).
- **Head (Director of Studies) of three programmes** of the *Hellenic Open University* comprising a total of 260 part-time professors and about 5,000 Students.
 - (a) the Tourism Administration undergraduate programme (2018- to date)
 - (b) the *Business Administration* Programme undergraduate programme (2001-05) and (2007-12).
 - (c) the *Banking Programme* Postgraduate Programme (2002-04)
 - (d) the *Tourism Management Postgraduate Programme* (2005-2007 and 2007-09)
- **Coordinator of the Thematic Units** (May 2001 – today)
 - DIT13: Economics of Tourism
 - DEO 10: Law and Administration
 - DEO24: Public Administration and Policy
 - DEO34: Economic Analysis and Policy
 - DEO 42 Total Quality and Environmental Management
 - DTE 61 Marketing in Tourism Bodies, Organizations and Businesses
- **Admissions Tutor** (PG/UG) in *City University* and previously at *Brunel University*.
- **Departmental Meetings Secretary**, *City University*.
- **Co-director MSc** in *Business Economics/International Business Economics*, *City University*.
- **Research Seminar Organiser** at *City University*.
- **Member of the E-learning group** of *City University*.

14. INTERNAL EXAMINER

I have been Internal Examiner on the PhD thesis of Ms Rachael Walker at the Department of Economics City University, London, UK, November 2000. **Thesis topic:** “Aggregate Measures of Output in Transition Economies: Some Practical and Conceptual Difficulties”.

15. EXTERNAL EXAMINER

- 1.) I have been External Examiner on the PhD thesis of Tina Psimarni-Voulgari at the Technical University of Crete, Chania, Greece March 2000. **Thesis topic:** “Financial and Statistical Analysis of Manufacturing SMEs in Greece”.
 - 2.) I have been External Examiner on the MSc dissertation of Mr Hakob Mnatsakanyan at the Mediterranean Agronomic Institute of Chania (MAICH), Crete, Greece, July 2001. Dissertation Topic: “The Role of Commercial Banks in Development: The Case Study of Armenia”.
 - 3.) External Examiner MBA-Business management Aberystwyth University of University of Wales.
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16. INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS EVALUATOR

- Expert of the European Commission for evaluation of projects (2018-today)
 - Independent expert for the European Research and Innovation (2014-today).
 - Expert of the European Union in the project *CORDIS* for evaluation of Economic Projects.
 - Evaluator of social sciences projects for the *European Science Foundation*.
 - Evaluator of research sciences projects for the Cyprus Research Promotion Foundation (2008-2010)

 - Expert of Evaluation Committee of Private Universities of the Republic of Cyprus (2010-2015).
 - Member of the Transnational Education Group of the EMPOWER EADTU (European Association of Distance Teaching Universities)
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17. NATIONAL PROJECTS EVALUATOR

- Member of the Scientific Committee and evaluator of the Kallipos: Greek Academic Electronic Books.
 - Evaluator of the *Hellenic Scholarships Foundation*.
 - Evaluator of Educational Projects for the *Greek Ministry of Education*.
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18. MEMBER OF ELECTORATE BODIES

I have served as a member of electorate bodies in

- a) *City University* (Economics-for several Lecturer and Senior Lecturer posts)
- b) *National and Kapodestrian University of Greece* (Economics for a Professor post)
- c) *University of Thessaly* (Economics-for an assistant Professor post)
- d) *University of Ioannina* (Economics-for an associate Professor post).
- e) *University of Peloponnesus* (Economics-for a Professor post).
- f) *University of Crete* (Politics Department-for a lecturer post)

- g) *University of Stereas Ellados* (Development Economics-several post from Lecturer to Professors)
- h) *University of Piraeus* (Economics- for an associate Professor post)
- i) *University of Macedonia* (Economics- for an associate Professor post).

19. OTHER ACTIVITIES:

A.) Societies:

- 1) I have initiated and successfully established the UK Chapter of the *International Economics and Finance Society* (IEFS-UK). I have been a member of the executive committee (Treasurer for the period 1998-1999 and Secretary-General for the period 2000-2003).
- 2) I have initiated and successfully established the EEFS (European Economics and Finance Society) in May 2001. I have been a member of the executive committee of the EEFS, Secretary-General for the years 2001- 2006 and President for the years 2006-2010.

B.) Conference organiser and member of conference scientific committees:

- 1.) Conference organiser *on Global Imbalances, Financial Institutions, and Reforms in the Post-Crisis Era*, Athens, Greece, 3-6 June 2010
- 2.) Member of the scientific committee International Conference on *Tourism Development and Management*, Kos Island, Greece 11-14 September 2009.
- 3.) Member of the scientific committee *on Planning for the Future – Learning from the Past: Contemporary Developments in Tourism, Travel & Hospitality*», Rodos Palace Hotel, Rhodes, Greece 3-5 April 2009.
- 4.) Member of the scientific committee of the 9th Special Conference of the Hellenic Operational Research Society (HELORS) on *Quantitative Models in the Managerial and Financial Decision Making*, Agios Nikolaos Crete, Greece (2010).
- 5.) Conference organiser *on Current Challenges in the Global Economy: Prospects and Policy Reforms*, Warsaw, Poland, 4th - 7th June 2009.
- 6.) Conference organiser: *Globalised Labour & Capital Markets, National Resources and Shifts in Economic Power*, 22nd May – 25th May 2008 Prague, Czech Republic.
- 7.) Conference organiser: *European and Global Integration: Underlying Causes, Issues Arising and Formulating Economic Policies*, 31 May - 3 June 2007 Sofia, Bulgaria.

- 8.) Conference organiser: *International Conference of Trends, Impacts and Policies on Tourism Development*, 15-18 June 2006, Heraklion Crete, Greece.
- 9.) Conference organiser: *European Labour Markets, Trade & Financial Flows and Economic Growth* 18 - 21 May 2006, Heraklion Crete, Greece.
- 10.) Conference organiser: *World Economy and European Integration*, 13-16 May 2004, Gdansk, Poland,
- 11.) Conference organiser: *European Integration: Real and Financial Aspects*, 15-17 May 2003, Bologna, Italy.
- 12.) Conference organiser: *European Integration and Globalisation*, 17-20 May 2002, Heraklion Crete, Greece.
- 13.) Conference organiser: *Economies in Transition, Trade and Factor Mobility*, 30th November 2001, EBRD (*European Bank for Reconstruction and Development*), London.
- 14.) Conference organiser: *Financial, Trade and Factor Mobility Issues in the Global Economy*, 17-20 May 2001, Macedonia University, Thessaloniki, Greece.
- 15.) Conference organiser: *International Interdependence: Lessons for European Integration*, November 2000, City University, London.
- 16.) Conference organiser: *Issues on International Economics and Finance*, November 1999, Brunel University, London.
- 17.) Conference organiser: *Labour and Capital Markets in Europe*, 7th and 8th April 1999, City University, London.

C.) Environmental Education:

From 15/06/06 to December 2011, member of the Coordinating body of the National Network for the Environmental Education, of *the Greek Ministry of Education*, covering the Thematic Area “Tourism and Environment”.

D.) Tourism Education and Training:

From January 2007 to June 2008, I served as coordinator of the Thematic Units B-3 and G-3 of the *Forum for Tourism Education and Training of the Greek Ministry of Tourism Development*.

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October 6, 2019