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Member of the Academic Committee of the House of European History, Brussels (<https://historia-europa.ep.eu/en/organisation>)

Research interests & expertise

- Communication and learning in museums and science centres
- Transposition of academic/scientific information to exhibition element
- Object-based learning
- Educational activities for museum visitors
- Evaluation of museum learning experience
- Museums histories, collecting histories
- Material culture theories, cultural biographies of museum objects

Academic teaching

- 2022-to date: Assistant Professor, School of Humanities, Hellenic Open University (HOU). Course Coordinator: Museums, Science and Technology, Postgraduate Programme in Science Communication.
- 2011- to date: Postgraduate Programme Management of Cultural Organisations, School of Social Sciences, HOU. Course taught: The Dimensions of the Cultural Phenomena. Dissertation supervision.
- 2020-to date: Postgraduate Programme Education and Culture, Harokopeio University. Course leader: Museum Education. Dissertation supervision.
- 2009-2022: Faculty Member, Department of Education Sciences in Early Childhood, Democritus University of Thrace. Courses taught: Introduction to Museum Pedagogy, Applications of Museum Pedagogy, Museology, Educational activities in Science Museums and Childrens' Museums. Supervision of students' placements in museums. Dissertation supervision.
- 2021-2022: Postgraduate Programme Diversity, Society and Education, Department of Primary Education, Democritus University of Thrace. Course leader: Applications of Museum Pedagogy. Dissertation supervision.
- 2015-2017: Postgraduate Programme Environmental Education & Sustainability, Department of Education Sciences in Early Childhood, Democritus University of Thrace. Courses/seminars taught: Planning of educational activities about the Environment and Sustainability. Dissertation supervision.
- 2014-2015: Postgraduate Programme Education Sciences: Innovative Pedagogical Approaches in Multicultural Educational Environments, Formal, non-formal and informal forms of education Department of Education Sciences in Early Childhood, Democritus University of Thrace. Course leader: Museum Education. Dissertation supervision.
- 2011-2013: Postgraduate Programme Museum Studies, Centre for Museum Research, University of Athens. Course leader: Museum, Communication and Education. Dissertation supervision.
- 2007-2011: Undergraduate Course European Civilisation Studies, School of Humanities, HOU. Course taught: Natural and Human Sciences in Europe.

Education

- BA History & Philosophy of Science, Department of History & Philosophy of Science, University of Athens. Dissertation title: Leonardo da Vinci and his contribution to Renaissance Technology.
- MA Museum Studies, School of Museum Studies, University of Leicester. Dissertation title: Front-end Evaluation in Museum Exhibitions: Studying Visitors at the New Walk Museum Leicester.
- Phd Museum Studies, School of Museum Studies, University of Leicester. Thesis title: Objects of Culture: Collections of Science and Technology, 1800-1880. Examination Committee: Simon Knell, Susan Pearce, Ken Arnold.

Work/research experience

- 2005-2009: Museologist, Museums' Department, Piraeus Bank Group Cultural Foundation. Main responsible for the creation of the Environment Museum of Stymphalia.
- 2004-2005: Postdoctoral researcher, Austrian Academy of Sciences, Vienna. Fields of research: Museology and Science Communication.

Member of the Editorial Board in peer review academic journals

- Museum History (Taylor & Francis) (<https://www.tandfonline.com/action/journalInformation?show=editorialBoard&journalCode=yhj20>)
- Culture-Society-Economy-Politics, National University of Political Studies and Public Administration, Bucharest (<https://sciendo.com/journal/CSEP>)
- MuseumEdu. Education and Research in Cultural Environments. Journal of the Department of Early Childhood Education, University of Thessaly (<http://museumedulab.ece.uth.gr/main/el/node/141>)
- MUSEUM & EDUCATION. Museum-School-Education. Journal of the Museum of School Life (<https://museum-education.weebly.com/>)

Occasional reviewers in academic journals

Science & Education (SpringerLink), Education Sciences (MDPI open access journals), Preschool & School Education (University of Crete, Department of Primary Education), Children, Youth and Environments (University of Cincinnati), Science Communication. Linking Theory and Practice (SAGE).

Member in Scientific Societies

- International Committee of Museums (ICOM) & ICOM-CECA (Committee for Education and Cultural Action).
- Society of Greek Museologists.

List of publications: <https://eap.academia.edu/AnastasiaFILIPPOUPOLITI>