

Short CV

Stavroula Stavrakaki (Scopus ID: 6506413912) is a Professor of Linguistics with specialization in Neurolinguistics at AUTH, School of Philosophy, Dept. of Italian Language and Literature. She studied Psychology (School of Philosophy, Education and Psychology) and Linguistics (School of Philology) at the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (AUTH), received her Master's degree in Language Acquisition from the University of Essex, and earned her Doctorate from the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (PhD Thesis title: SLI in Greek: Aspects of syntactic production and comprehension), while conducting funded postdoctoral research on language disorders at AUTH and the University College London. She has been working as a faculty member at AUTH since 2004. Before being a faculty member at AUTH, Prof. Stavrakaki worked as research or teaching staff member in other universities in Greece and abroad including University College London and University of Crete. Additionally, she has taught in several undergraduate and postgraduate programs abroad (including Amsterdam, Groningen, Ferrara, Ca' Foscari University of Venice, Milano-Bicocca, Essex, Potsdam, and UCL). She has been a Marie-Curie postdoctoral fellow, funded by European Commission, at UCL and participated in several funded research projects including COST actions focusing on child language. She is currently participating in an Erasmus + research project (Key Action 2, School Education, small-scale KA210) entitled: *Detection of Language and/or Literacy Disorders in multilingual children and Good Educational Practices*.

Prof. Stavrakaki has published articles in international journals including *Brain and Language*, *Journal of Child Language*, *British Journal of Developmental Psychology*, *Journal of Speech, Language and Hearing Research* and *Aphasiology*. She acted as a guest editor for a special issue of *First Language* on verbal short term memory and syntax in developmental disorders (<https://journals.sagepub.com/toc/flaa/40/4>) as well as a guest co-editor for a special issue of *Frontiers in Psychology* on *Advances in the Cross-Cultural Assessment and Diagnosis of Developmental Conditions* (<https://www.frontiersin.org/research-topics/24488/advances-in-the-cross-cultural-assessment-and-diagnosis-of-developmental-conditions>). Her research interests focus on the study of language and other cognitive functions in acquired and developmental disorders of neurological or genetic etiology. Her current research focuses on post-operative language recovery in patients with brain tumors as well as on the effects of encephalopathy on linguistic abilities. In addition, she investigates the manifestation of language impairment in Developmental Language Disorder and other developmental conditions

and explores, in collaboration with other researchers, the application of innovative intervention programs including linguistic intervention and naturalistic approaches in museum contexts.

Publication links

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