

Short Academic Biography

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Antonia Xenaki holds a PhD from Université Paris Oueſt Nanterre La Défense in the field of Language Sciences. She also holds a Master’s Degree (Master 2 Recherche) in Language Sciences from Université de Rouen and a Bachelor’s degree in French Language and Literature from the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens. In addition, she has specialized in professional translation through studies at Université Marc Bloch de Strasbourg and the French Institute of Athens.

Since 2017, she has been teaching at the Hellenic Open University as Adjunct Academic Staff (SEP) in the field of Didactics of French as a Foreign and International Language. Since 2009, she has been serving as a permanent secondary education teacher. Her teaching experience spans language instruction, career counseling and guidance, as well as the integration of Information and Communication Technologies (ICT) in education.

Her research interests focus on career counseling, human resource management in education, inclusion and support of vulnerable social groups in school settings, and foreign language didactics. She has developed a strong academic presence through presentations at national and international conferences, participation in scientific committees, and publications in peer-reviewed journals and edited volumes.

Selected Publications

- Zikos N., Xenaki A. (2016). Secondary education subjects and the institution of career counseling.
- Zikos N., Xenaki A. (2015). Career skills development tools and their implementation in the school context.
- Zikos N., Xenaki A. (2017). Counseling and students’ transition to model/experimental schools.
- Xenaki A. (2018). Advocacy and inclusion policies for vulnerable student groups.
- Xenaki A. (2018). The mentor institution in France: roles and responsibilities.