

Personal Details

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Education and Training

- **November 2021:** PhD in International and European Studies – Doctoral Thesis: *The Importance of Foreign Direct Investment for the Exit of Crisis-Hit Countries from International Adjustment Programmes*. Department of International and European Studies, School of Economics, Business and International Studies, University of Piraeus.
- **July 2016:** Postgraduate Programme in Business Administration – Total Quality Management, Department of Business Administration, University of Piraeus – MBA TQM – Master in Business Administration in Total Quality Management. Department of Business Administration, School of Economics, Business and International Studies, University of Piraeus.
- **July 2013:** Bachelor's Degree in Economics, Department of Economics, School of Economics, Business and International Studies, University of Piraeus.

Professional Experience

- **April 2021 – August 2026:** Service contract. Under the project RESEARCH COMMITTEE (A.001) – Operation of the Special Account for Research Funds 2025 (52025) – SUPPORT FOR THE OPERATION & DEVELOPMENT OF THE FINANCIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT UNIT (MODY) AND OPERATION OF THE RESEARCH COMMITTEE 2026 (52026).

My duties included:

- Support for Research Programmes (CO-FUNDED, EUROPEAN AND OTHER FUNDING BODIES).
- **April 2024 – July 2026:** Service contract. Under the project ENFLATE (*ENABLING FLEXIBILITY PROVISION BY ALL ACTORS AND SECTORS THROUGH MARKETS AND DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES*) (C.922) funded by the EUROPEAN COMMISSION.

My duties included:

- Participation in the project's work packages.
- Participation in data analysis for Task 4.3-Demonstration in Skiathos, Greece and Task 4.4-Evaluation of results.
- **March 2024 – July 2026:** Service contract. Under the project TwinEU (*DIGITAL TWIN FOR EUROPE*) (C.995) funded by the EUROPEAN COMMISSION.

My duties included:

- Participation in the project's work packages.
- Participation in work packages WP2 - Digital Twins EU-level cross-stakeholder use cases capitalization and Preparation, WP7 - Demonstrations of digital twinning for forecasting and optimal grid and market actions and WP10 - Communication, BRIDGE and Dissemination activities.
- **December 2025:** Service contract. Under the project RESEARCH COMMITTEE – Operation of the Special Account for Research Funds 2025 (52025).

My duties included:

- Collection and processing of data for the smooth closing of the 2025 financial year.
- **June 2025 – July 2025:** Service contract. Under the project RESEARCH COMMITTEE – Operation of the Special Account for Research Funds 2025 (52025).

My duties included:

- Planning, coordination and support of promotion and publicity activities related to the actions of the University of Piraeus Research Center (UPRC).
- **November 2024 – December 2024:** Service contract. Under the project UPRC – RESEARCH PROGRAMMES PROMOTION (D.090).

My duties included:

- Collection and processing of data for the promotion of UPRC research programmes.

- **June 2024 – August 2024:** Service contract. Under the project *REVOLUTIONISED ENHANCED SUPPLY CHAIN AUTOMATION WITH LIMITED THREATS EXPOSURE - RESCALE* (D.008) funded by the EUROPEAN COMMISSION.

My duties included:

- Monitoring, evaluation, analysis and review of the project's research results.

- **January 2024 – February 2024:** Service contract. Under the project *RESEARCH COMMITTEE* (A.001).

My duties included:

- Contribution to the drafting of guidelines and collection of information on project deliverables for the development of content for the new website.

- **April 2021 – June 2021:** Service contract. Under the project *ENTERING THE EDTECH ENTREPRENEURSHIP WORLD* (C.648) funded by the EUROPEAN COMMISSION.

My duties included:

- Contribution as scientific staff to WP9: PROJECT MANAGEMENT, including participation in organising the project's management structure.

- **October 2020 – December 2020:** Service contract. Under the project *REWIP:REFUGEE EMPOWERMENT AND WORK INTE* (C.415) funded by the YOUTH AND LIFELONG LEARNING FOUNDATION (INEDIVIM).

My duties included:

- PROJECT MANAGEMENT.

- **July 2020 – September 2020:** Service contract. Under the project *UPGRADE – PROJECT MANAGEM&IMPLEM.COSTS* (C.087.004) funded by the STATE SCHOLARSHIPS FOUNDATION (IKY).

My duties included:

- Preparation of Training Activity C1, and monitoring and control of the completion of the programme's platform.

- **July 2020 – Present:** Self-employed – Provision of Consultancy Services

- **February 2020 – May 2020:** Service contract. Under the project *RESEARCH COMMITTEE* (A.001).

My duties included:

- Processing and entry of budget data for UPRC research projects, and systematisation of record-keeping.

Teaching Experience

- Academic Fellow - Appointed Lecturer - Independent Teaching of Courses and Conduct of Examinations

Courses

- 1.) Procurement Management in the Tourism Industry
- 2.) International Economics and the International Tourism Market
- 3.) European Tourism Policy
- 4.) Economic Policy and Tourism Competitiveness
- 5.) Tourism and Regional Development

Publications in International Peer-Reviewed Scientific Journals – Chapters in International Scientific Books

- 1) **July 2025:** Article published in the international scientific journal Risk Governance and Control: Financial Markets & Institutions, Article title: THE INFLUENCE OF ECONOMIC INDICATORS ON THE ADAPTATION OF EUROPEAN OUTWARD FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT. <https://doi.org/10.22495/rgcv15i3p3>
- 2) **July 2025:** Article published in the international scientific journal Theoretical Economics Letters, Article title: THE ECONOMIC ADJUSTMENT AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE TOURISM SECTOR THROUGH FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENTS. <https://doi.org/10.4236/tel.2025.154045>
- 3) **June 2025:** Article published in the international scientific journal International Journal of Applied Economics, Finance and Accounting, Article title: ECONOMIC ADJUSTMENT THROUGH FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENTS: A LITERATURE REVIEW. <https://doi.org/10.33094/ijaefa.v22i1.2291>
- 4) **June 2025:** Article published in the international scientific journal Corporate Governance and Sustainability Review, Article title: THE CONTRIBUTION OF FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENTS TO THE DEVELOPMENT AND COMPETITIVENESS OF THE TOURISM INDUSTRY: TOWARD A SUSTAINABLE GROWTH. <https://doi.org/10.22495/cgsrv9i3p2>

- 5) **April 2025:** Article published in the international scientific journal Corporate Governance and Sustainability Review, Article title: THE ROLE OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP'S ECONOMIC ADAPTATION TO THE INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENT TOWARDS TOURISM AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT OF DISADVANTAGED RURAL AREAS. <https://doi.org/10.22495/cgsrv9i2p4>
- 6) **March 2025:** Chapter published in the international scientific book Cases on Integrating Simulation Tools Into Entrepreneurship Education, Publisher: IGI Global. Chapter title: THE FUTURE OF SIMULATION-BASED ENTREPRENEURSHIP EDUCATION AND THE EVOLVING ROLE OF TECHNOLOGY IN THIS FIELD. <https://doi.org/10.4018/979-8-3693-9040-5.ch018>
- 7) **February 2025:** Chapter accepted for publication in the international scientific book Innovation and Sustainability in Digital Era: The Role of Economics and Business Strategies with Education Perspectives, Publisher: Peter Lang. Chapter title: THE RESILIENCE AND TRANSFORMATION OF THE TOURISM INDUSTRY: AN EMPIRICAL REVIEW.
- 8) **January 2025:** Article published in the international scientific journal Corporate & Business Strategy Review, Article title: THE TRENDS OF TOURISM SECTOR AFTER COVID-19 PERIOD: A STUDY OF STRATEGY AND IMPLICATIONS. <https://doi.org/10.22495/cbsrv6i1art12>
- 9) **January 2025:** Article published in the international scientific journal Risk Governance and Control: Financial Markets & Institutions, Article title: MACROECONOMIC DETERMINANTS OF EUROPEAN OUTWARD FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT. <https://doi.org/10.22495/rgcv15i1p1>
- 10) **January 2025:** Article published in the international scientific journal Theoretical Economics Letters, Article title: THE ECONOMY GROWTH AND ADAPTATION OF THE COUNTRIES' ECONOMIC CYCLE: AN EMPIRICAL OUTLOOK. <https://doi.org/10.4236/tel.2025.151003>
- 11) **December 2024:** Article published in the international scientific journal Theoretical Economics Letters, Article title: FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENTS: A SURVEY AND REVIEW OF LITERATURE. <https://doi.org/10.4236/tel.2024.146123>
- 12) **November 2024:** Article published in the international scientific journal Theoretical Economics Letters, Article title: THE ADAPTATION OF TOURISM INDUSTRY AND COVID-19. <https://doi.org/10.4236/tel.2024.146103>
- 13) **October 2024:** Article published in the international scientific journal Theoretical Economics Letters, Article title: THE EFFECT OF INTERNAL AUDITORS' SELF-EFFICACY ON THE ORGANIZATIONAL PERFORMANCE. <https://doi.org/10.4236/tel.2024.145090>
- 14) **August 2024:** Chapter published in the international scientific proceedings volume EBEEC 2023 Springer Proceedings, Chapter title: THE IMPACTS OF COVID-19 PANDEMIC ON FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-58437-4_6
- 15) **July 2024:** Article published in the international scientific journal Corporate & Business Strategy Review, Article title: THE RELATIONSHIP AMONG MACROECONOMIC INDICATORS AND FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENTS IN GREECE, CYPRUS, PORTUGAL AND IRELAND: A STRATEGIC OUTLOOK. <https://doi.org/10.22495/cbsrv5i3art11>

Foreign Languages/Additional Skills

- Excellent Command of English (C2)
- ECDL Core Certificate
- Business Software: SAP ERP (FI,PP).
- Professional Licence: Class A Accountant – Tax Consultant.
- Pedagogical and Teaching Competence: Special Programme of Study of the School of Social Sciences of the Hellenic Open University

Membership of Professional and Scientific Bodies

- 2013: Member of the Economic Chamber of Greece