

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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WORK EXPERIENCE

07/2015–Present

Senior Researcher

Centre of Planning and Economic Research (KEPE), Athens (Greece)

Areas of, impact assessment of structural policies, applied microeconomics, fiscal policy, sectoral studies, competitiveness, welfare economics

03/2020–12/2020

Technical Expert

Appointed by Expertise France and the French Ministry of Finance in the framework of assistance provided by the EU DG-GROW to offer technical assistance to the Greek Ministry of Interior on public employment issues

01/2008–07/2015

Research Fellow

Centre of Planning and Economic Research, Athens (Greece)

08/2012–02/2013

Economic Advisor

Council of Economic Advisors, Macroeconomic Research and Analysis Unit, Greek Ministry of Finance, Athens (Greece)

09/2003–02/2008

Visiting Lecturer

Department of Economics, University of Peloponnese, Tripoli (Greece)

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

08/1998–12/2002

Ph.D.

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Urbana-Champaign (United States)

Thesis title: "Essays on Welfare Effects of the European Union's Common Agricultural Policy Changes"

08/1995–05/1997

M.A. in Economics

Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton (United States)

09/1989–11/1993

B.Sc. in Economics

University of Macedonia, Thessaloniki (Greece)

Honours and awards

- Research Assistantship from University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (Acad. years: 1998- 2002).
- Research Grand from European Union Center, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2001.
- Teaching Assistantship from Florida Atlantic University (Acad. years: 1995-1997).

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) Greek

Foreign language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user - B1 and B2: Independent user - C1 and C2: Proficient user
Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Organisational / managerial skills

Solid management and coordination skills. Responsible for teams of up to 10 people.

- Coordinator of the study of Structural reforms in Greece, 2010-2018, prepared for the EU DG-GROW as part of the first Greek Semester after the consolidation programs.
- Scientific coordinator of the study of Monthly and Quarterly Bulletins for the monitoring, processing and coded listing of developments and trends in the International Academic Economic Literature, prepared for the Ministry of Finance.
- Coordinator of the study of Overview of General Government Budget Spending, 2013-2016, prepared for the Ministry of Finance as a part of the countries Memorandum of Understanding obligations.

Digital skills

SELF-ASSESSMENT				
Information processing	Communication	Content creation	Safety	Problem solving
Proficient user	Proficient user	Proficient user	Proficient user	Proficient user

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Refereed Books, Monographs

- Export diversification, specialization and performance: The case of Greece (2022). (Co-authored with E. Athanasiou and A. Kotsi). [In Greek] KEPE Study No 83. Athens: KEPE Publications.
- Creating a more efficient staffing system for the Public Sector (2020). (Co-authored with M. Anastasatou) for the Greek Ministry of Interior appointed by Expertise France, French Ministry of Finance in the framework of assistance provided by EU DG-REFORM.
- Structural reforms in Greece, 2010-2018 (2019), (Co-authored with E. Athanassiou et.al.). Study, EU Publications.
- Structural Reforms in Greece during the Crisis (2010-2014): Policy Review, Evaluation and Proposals (2018) [In Greek], Chapters "Introduction" and "The Single Payment Reform of the Public Sector", (Co-authored with D. Katsikas et.al.). Bank of Greece and Crisis Observatory
- Assessment of Selected Structural Reforms Regarding Competition and their Economic Impact (2017) [In Greek], Chapters "Executive Summary" (pp. 19-36) and "Distribution of Cement" (pp. 249- 280) (Co-authored with R. Karagiannis et.al.). [In Greek] KEPE Report No 78. Athens: KEPE Publications.
- General Government Spending Review, 2013-2016. (2016). (Co-authored with Y. Monogios et.al.). KEPE Report No 75. Athens: KEPE Publications.
- Market Conditions and Competition in the Greek Economy (2011) [In Greek]. Chapters "Competition in the Dairy Sector" (pp. 185-207) and "Competition in the Beverage Industry" (pp.268- 322). KEPE Report No 67. (co-authored with E. Kaditi). Athens: KEPE Publications.

- The Agricultural Sector of Greece. (2010) [In Greek], (Co-authored with E. Kaditi). KEPE Report No 60. Athens: KEPE Publications.
- **Refereed Articles in Journal**
 - Recent Evidence on the Taxpayers' Reporting Decision in Greece: A Quantile Regression Approach. (2013). European Research Studies Journal, 16(2): 3-24(co-authored with E. Kaditi)
 - Vertical and Horizontal Decomposition of Farm Income Inequality in Greece. (2011). Agricultural Economics Review, 12(1): 69-80 (co-authored with E. Kaditi).
 - The Effects of EU Corn, Cotton, and Sugar Beet Policies on Greek Producers: A MultiMarket Analysis. (2005). Agricultural Economics, 33: 423–430. (co-authored with S. Katranidis and D.S. Bullock)
 - Social Acceptability of Aquaculture Development in Coastal Areas: The Case of Two Greek Islands. (2003). Coastal Management, 31: 37–53. (co-authored with S. Katranidis and A. Vakrou)
 - Roundup Ready Soybean Technology and Farm Production Costs: Measuring the Incentive to Adopt Genetically Modified Seeds. (2001). American Behavioral Scientist, 44: 1283–1301. (coauthored with D.S. Bullock)
 - Aussenhandelseffekte der Oekonomischen Integration in der Europaeischen Union: Der Fall Bulgariens und Rumaeniens. (1998). Schriften der Gesellschaft fuer Wirtschafts- und Sozialwissenschaften des Landbaues, Land- und Ernaehrungswirtschaft in einer Erweiterten EU, 34: 145–153. (coauthored with S. katranidis)
- **Contributions in Collective Volumes**
 - The Impact of CAP Reforms on the Distribution of Farm Income. (2011). In Essays in Economics. (co-authored with E. Kaditi). Athens: KEPE Publications.
 - The Effects of Bio-energy and Environmental Policies on International Trade Flows. (2011). In Clean Energy: Resources, Production and Developments. (co-authored with E. Kaditi). NY, USA: Nova Science Publishers.
 - GMO Adoption and Private Cost Savings: GR Soybeans and Bt Corn. (2001). In: Genetically Modified Organisms in Agriculture, Economics and Politics. (co-authored with D.S. Bullock). London, UK: Academic Press.
 - Environmental Impacts of Aquaculture in the Islands of Kefallonia and Ithaki. [In Greek] (2001.) In: Aquaculture in Greece: An Integrated Approach. (co-authored with A Vakrou). Thessaloniki: University of Macedonia Press.
 - Exploring the Sustainability of Aquaculture. (1998). In: Freer Trade, Sustainability, and the Primary Production Sector in Southern EU: Unraveling the Evidence from Greece. (co-authored with G Karagiannis, S. Katranidi, V. Tzouvelekas and A Vakrou). Netherlands: Kluwer Academic Publishers.
- **Coordination of KEPE collaborative projects**
 - Monthly and Quarterly Bulletins for the monitoring, processing and coded listing of developments and trends in the International Academic Economic Literature. (Sept. 2015- Aug. 2019) [In Greek], Scientific Coordinator with Ch. Triantopoulos. Athens: KEPE. Study for the General Accounting Office, Greek Ministry of Finance.
 - Structural reforms in Greece, 2010-2018 (2019), Coordinator with E. Athanassiou and A. Kotsi, in collaboration with the Austrian Institute of Economic Research for the European Commission, Directorate-General for Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs.
 - General Government Spending Review, 2013-2016 [In Greek]. Coordinator with Y. Monogios and the collaboration of the General Accounting Office, the European Commission Task Force and the International Monetary Fund: Study for the Greek Ministry of Finance.
- **Contribution in KEPE collaborations**
 - Impact Assessment of Selected Reforms Regarding Competition, (2016) [In Greek], Author of the Chapter "Distribution of Cement" (pp.53-78), (coordinators R. Karagiannis and A. Kotsi), Athens: KEPE, Study for the Greek Ministry of Economy, Development and Tourism.
 - Proposals to Greek Government on Growth Strategic Plan. (2016) [In Greek], Author of the section "Fiscal Framework", (coordinators E. Athanasiou, P. Vlamis and V. Lychnaras). Athens KEPE, Study for the Greek Ministry of Economy, Development and Tourism.
 - Estimation of the Impact on the State Revenues from the Possible Reduction of the Excise Tax on

Heating Oil (2015) [in Greek], (coordinator: B. Lychnaras), Study for the General Accounting Office, Greek Ministry of Finance.

- The Transatlantic Partnership for Trade and Investment (2015) [In Greek], (co-authored with E. Athanasios, E. Panagiotou and G. Skintzis): Study for the Greek Ministry of Development and Competitiveness.
- The Growth Vision for Greece 2020: Forecasts, Growth Conditions, and Financing Mechanisms, (2013) [In Greek], Author of the sections "Fiscal Policy" (pp. 16-30) and "Public Investment Program" (pp. 346-348), (coordinators E. Athanasiou, A. Tsouma and T. Tsekeris). Athens. Study for the Greek Ministry of Development and Competitiveness.
- List of economic measures in Greece & Italy, (2011) [In Greek], (co-authored with A. Koutroulis Y. Monogios and Y. Panagopoulos): Study for the Greek Ministry of Development, Competitiveness and Shipping.
- The Common Agricultural Policy Towards 2020: Challenges for Greek farmers. (2010) [In Greek], (coauthored with E. Kaditi): Study for the Greek Ministry of Rural Development and Food
- Analysis of Competition in the Greek Economy. (2010), [In Greek] Chapter. 'Competition in the Dairy Sector', and 'Competition in the Beverage Industry'. (co-authored with E. Kaditi), (coordinator K. Kanellopoulos) Athens: Study for the Greek Ministry of Economy, Competitiveness and Shipping.
- The Primary Sector in Greece: Trends and Prospects. (2008). [In Greek] Chapters "EU Policy" and "Production" (pp. 3-134) (co-authored with E. Kaditi), "Employment and Income" (coauthored with E. Kaditi and I. Reziti) (pp. 135-148) and "Conclusions" (co-authored with A. Chymis, E. Kaditi and I. Reziti) (pp. 205-206), (coordinator I. Reziti), Study for the Ministry of Ministry of Economics and Finance.

Policy notes

- Establishment of the Fiscal Council [In Greek], Presentation by the President of the KEPE to the Standing Committee on Economic Affairs of the Parliament, June 2014 [In Greek].

Discussion Papers

- Recent Evidence on Taxpayers' Reporting Decision in Greece: A Quantile Regression Approach. (2011). (co-authored with E. Kaditi). Discussion Paper, No. 116. Athens: KEPE.
- Applying Regression Quantiles to Farm Efficiency Estimation. (2010). (co-authored with E. Kaditi). Discussion Paper, No. 112. Athens: KEPE.
- A Two-stage Productivity Analysis using Bootstrapped Malmquist Index and Quantile Regression. (2009). (co-authored with E. Kaditi). Discussion Paper, No. 106. Athens: KEPE.

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