

# CURRICULUM VITAE

## ***Personal Details***

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## **Current Position**

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Lecturer, Dept. of Philosophy, University of Patras.

## **Area of Specialisation**

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Ancient Philosophy, especially Plato and Aristotle.

## **Areas of Competence**

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Metaphysics, Epistemology, Philosophy of Biology.

## **Education**

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2004-1998 Phd thesis in Philosophy: "Nature and Essence in Aristotle's Logical and Biological Works" Philosophy Department University of Edinburgh.  
2002 (Michaelmas Term) Visiting Student, Department of Philosophy, University of Oxford.  
2001 (Spring Term) Visiting Student, Department of Philosophy, University of Crete.  
1998-1997 Master of Science Degree in Philosophy, Philosophy Department University of Edinburgh (Modules: History of Philosophy, Aesthetics, Metaphysics).  
1995 (Spring Semester) Erasmus Student, Departement de Philosophie, Universite de Creteil (Paris XII).  
1990-1996 *Ptychion* (MA) in Social Sciences & Philosophy, University of Crete (Modules: Social Sciences, Philosophy, Philology).  
1989 Diplome Superieure de la Langue Francaise. Institut Francais d' Athènes.

## **Publications**

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### ***Books***

(Under review) Translation and commentary of Aristotle's *Parts of Animals*, Nissos Publishing house (Athens). The volume is due to appear in 2014.

## **Refereed papers**

(under review) "Aristotle's definition of nature" in M. J Leunissen (ed) *Aristotle's Physics': A Critical Guide* Cambridge University Press. Volume is due to appear in 2014.

(2009) 'Spontaneous Generation in Aristotle's Biology', *Rhizai: A Journal of Ancient Philosophy and Science*, Number V, Issue 2 (December 2009) pp. 303-338.

(2008) 'Ο Ορισμός και το Πεδίο του Αυτόματου στα 2<sup>ο</sup> Βιβλίο των *Φυσικών*' [The definition and the domain of Spontaneity in Aristotle's *Physics* II]. *Δευκαλίων* τόμος 26/τεύχος 1, Ιούνιος 2008: 5-44.

(2005) "Η ενότητα των τελεολογικών εξηγήσεων στα βιολογικά έργα του Αριστοτέλη" ["The unity of teleological explanation in Aristotle's biological works], *Υπόμνημα* 3 (2005): 31-59.

(2004) "Aristotle's Concept of Nature in the *Physics*" in *Philosophiegeschichte und Logische Analyse*, vol.7 (2004): 27-51.

## **Other Academic Publications (non-refereed)**

'Wholes and Parts in Aristotle's *Metaphysics* V: The case of universal wholes as ontological predicates", *Philosophical Inquiry* (2005).vol. XXVII Winter-Spring: 129-155.

Entries on the history of political ideas and on political history in the electronic publication *Elenchos: The Justification of Democracy* – a presentation of philosophical arguments for and against democracy in the history of Western political thought, published by the *Raphael Project*, Directorate X of the European Community.

## **Bookreviews**

(in preparation) Pellegrin Pierre (traduction et presentation) (2013) *Aristote, Les Parties des Animaux*, Flammarion, Paris. In *Aestimatio*

(2009) King, Richard A. H. (ed.), (2006) *Common to Body and Soul: Philosophical Approaches to Explaining Living Behaviour in Greco-Roman Antiquity*, Walter de Gruyter, Berlin and New York in *Rhizai* VI.2 (2009) 117-131.

(2007) Politis, V. (2004), Aristotle's *Metaphysics*, στο περιοδικό *Philosophical Books*, Vol. 48 Issue 1, 71-73.

(2006) Ricardo Salles (ed) (2005), *Metaphysics, Soul and Ethics in Ancient Thought*, *Rhizai*. III.1 (2006): 93-105.

## **Fellowships/ Awards/ Grants**

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2002-2003 One-year Grant for Postgraduate Research in Aesthetics awarded by the

- 2001 Michelis Foundation.  
Bruce of Grangehill Award for academic excellence, Department of Philosophy,  
University of Edinburgh.
- 1997-2000 International Scholarship for Postgraduate Studies by the State Fellowship  
Foundation of Greece.

### **Academic Employment**

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- 2006-2009 Fixed-term lecturer Department of Philosophy (University of Patras)
- 2006-2007 Tutor in Philosophy (Greek Open University)
- 2005-2001 Assistant Director in *Technosopia Project: The Philosophy of the Arts in Plato and Aristotle* (funded by the Michelis Foundation)
- 2005-1998 Research Assistant. Archelogos Projects. Research and development of methods of electronic presentation of arguments. (funded by the European Community, the Greek Ministry of Culture, & the Greek General Secretariat of Youth)
- 2005-2001 Research Assistant at *Elenchos Project: An interactive presentation of arguments for the justification of democracy* (funded by the European Community).

### **Conference organisation**

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06. 2014 Co-organiser of the international conference: The Myth of the Given (Patras: 23-5 June 2014)
05. 2013 Organiser of the international one-day conference: Themes in Ancient Greek Philosophy (Patras: 25<sup>th</sup> April 2013).
06. 2011 Organiser of the international conference: Explaining Nature mechanistic and teleological explanation of nature and living beings in ancient Greek philosophy and science, (Patras: June 18 & 19 2011, funded by the Research Committee of the University of Patras and the Norwegian Institute at Athens).
12. 2010 Organiser of the 4<sup>th</sup> Natural Philosophy day conference: Understanding living beings, Philosophical Approacher (Dept of Philosophy, University of Patras, December 14).
11. 2009 Organiser of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Natural Philosophy two day conference: Theories of Space (Department of Philosophy, University of Patras, October 20-21).
8. 2004 Co-organiser of the international conference: Teleology: Ancient and Modern (University of Edinburgh, August 16-18 2004).

### **Research Reports & Grants Applications**

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- 2003 Application for the funding of the Zeno-Project, An Internet Web-site for the presentation of Stoic Philosophy, at the Cyprus Ministry of Education and the Municipality of Larnaca.
- 2002 First Year Research report on Project *Technosopia* (in collaboration with Dr Andrew Mason, director of Project *Technosopia*)
- 2001 "Concept Maps and Philosophical Arguments" a research report on Concept maps in presenting philosophical debates and philosophical arguments.
- 2001 Research Proposal for a Project on Plato's and Aristotle's Philosophy of the Arts and its influence in the History of Aesthetics.
- 2000 "Archelogos Technical Description: A research report on the methodologies for presenting philosophical arguments electronically, and on the Projects developed by Archelogos" (A book-length detailed spec in collaboration with the Archelogos team).
- 1999 "Educational Evaluation of Project *Loganalysis*" (An Educational CD-Rom

presenting the philosophical arguments and ideas concerning virtue in Plato's *Protagoras*)

### PhD Examinations

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5 - 2013 Roberto Grasso: *Aristotle's Theory of Perception* (Philosophy Department, University of Edinburgh).

### Academic Affiliations

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- Co-editor for of the web-based journal *Critica*, a Greek Online Journal for Philosophical Reviews.
- Member of the European Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy.
- Member of the South European Association for Ancient Philosophy.

### Qualifications

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#### *IT Skills*

Expertise on methodologies of personalised tutoring; on methods of presenting arguments electronically; on conceptual maps methodology.

#### *Software*

Regular user of a range of applications for building concept maps, argument trees, and recording exchange of arguments (*Reasonable, Araucaria, Athena*) and educational tools (*Eclass, Pbworks, Moodle*).

### Languages

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Greek  
English  
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Italian  
Spanish  
German