

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Fields of Specialisation :
- Professional & Academic English (ESP/EAP) – Terminology,
- University Study Skills,
- English as a Foreign Language, including FCE, CAE, CPE, TOEFL, IELTS

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

1990 – 1992 Bristol University – England
Field : Educational Psychology
Degree : Master of Education

1985 – 1990 Athens University – Greece
Field : English Language and Literature
Degree : Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

1978 – 1984 Pierce College (The American College of Greece) – Greece
Field : General Education
Degree : High School Diploma (Honours)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

9/2001- present UNIVERSITY of the AEGEAN
Dept. of Product & Systems Design Engineering
Subject : English for Special/Academic Purposes
(E.S.P./E.A.P.)
Position : Instructor - Special Teaching & Laboratory Staff member

- 9/2000- 8/2001 State Technical / Vocational High School of Leros
Subject : General English / E.S.P.
Position : Teacher (State School Appointment)
- 1998 – 2000 CARREFOUR HELLAS S.A.
Subject : English for Special Purposes (ESP) - Business -
to executives and employees
- 1984 – 2000 Private Tutoring
Subject : English as a FL
to students aged 10-17 years old
and adults, including children
with learning difficulties
- 1993 – 1998 School of English ANTONIOU – KARAPHILIS O.E.
Subject : English (Children / Adults)
Position : Owner – Director of Studies
- 1994 – 1996 ELLINOGERMANIKI School
Department : English
Position : Teacher
- 1992 – 1993 School of English INTERLINGUA
Subject : English (Children / Adults)
Position : Teacher
- 2/1992–6/1992 PLATON School
Department : English
Position : Teacher

OTHER EXPERIENCE

- 10/2006 – pres. NATIONAL CENTRE for PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION &
LOCAL GOVERNMENT (EKDDA)
Departments :National School for Public Administration,
School for Local Administration
Position : Member of Assessment Committees for
final year. sts.' theses
- April'05-pres. U.O.A. & MINISTRY of EDUCATION
Department : State Language Certificate
Position : Oral Examiner (English Language)
- 2000 – present BRITISH COUNCIL
Department : Cambridge Examinations
Position : Oral Examiner (*FCE, CAE, CPE*)
- 1991 – present SKYLINES STUDY TRAVEL –Educational Programmes for
Foreign Languages at colleges abroad
Department : Studies
Position : Consultant for studies abroad

- 1987 – 1990 ATHENS COLLEGE
Department : English – Forensics Club
Position : Students’ Coach-Tutor
- 1983 – 1985 ATHENS COLLEGE
Department : Summer Camp for Children and Adolescents
Position : Group Leader (Summer ’83 – Summer ’84)
 Group Leaders’ Supervisor (Summer ’85)

MEMBERSHIPS AND SEMINARS

- 7-8 Feb. 2009 UNIV. of CRETE (Heraklion)
 International Conference
Subject: “Language for Specific and Academic Purposes”
- 2005 – present UNIV. of ATHENS & MINISTRY of EDUCATION
Subject : Seminars & Workshops for assessors & oral
 examiners for the State English Exam (levels A 1-2, B 1-2, C 1-2)
 [2-3 seminars/yr.]
- 2000 – present The BRITISH COUNCIL (in collaboration with Cambridge Univ.)
Subject : Seminars & Workshops for assessors & oral
 examiners for the Cambridge English certificates (Lower, Advanced,
 Proficiency) [3-4 seminars/yr.]
- 1985 – present TESOL Greece [Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages]
Subject : Seminars and Lectures on EFL
- 5/2001 International Conference of O.I.E.L.E. (Panhellenic Private
 School Teachers’ Union)
Subject : “*Management & Administration of School
 Units*”
- 1992 – 1993 LABORATORY FOR THE STUDY OF HUMAN RELATIONS
Subject : Counselling Psychotherapy
- 5/1992–6/1992 PLATON School
Subjects : Computers and Educational Psychology
- 1991 – 1992 The ANGLO-HELLENIC SOCIETY – Bristol, U.K.
 Full Member

OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

- French** : Qualified Teacher (Diplome d’ Etudes Superieures III)
Spanish : Elementary level
Computers : Windows, Microsoft Office (Word - XP, Excel, PowerPoint),
 the Internet, Photoshop: competent user

PUBLICATIONS

- a. *«Eysenck's Theory of I-E as Personality Dimensions and its Possible Applications to Teaching»*
TESOL GREECE NEWSLETTER, April-June 2000, issue no. 66, pp 16-17
- b. *«Experiences that Make Children Effective Language Users»*
ELT News, June 2000, issue no. 136, pp 16-17
- c. *«Encouraging Professionalism and ELT Teacher Development»*
ELT News, March 2004, issue no. 181, pp 26-27