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**CURRENT POSITION(S)**

<b>2023- ...</b>	<b>Associate Professor - Lexicology and Teaching of Greek language</b> Department of Primary Education, Faculty of Education Sciences, University of Crete, Greece
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**PREVIOUS POSITION(S)**

<b>2015-2023</b>	<b>Assistant Professor - Lexicology and Teaching of Greek language</b> Department of Primary Education, Faculty of Education Sciences, University of Crete, Greece
<b>2018-2020</b>	Coordinator and teaching staff Postgraduate program "Linguistics for teachers" Hellenic Open University, Greece
<b>2012-2015</b>	<b>Lecturer - Lexicology and Teaching of Greek language</b> Department of Primary Education, Faculty of Education Sciences, University of Crete, Greece
<b>2007-2010</b>	<b>Adjunct Lecturer - Greek Language</b> University of Aegean, Greece
<b>1995-1999</b> <b>2001-2004</b>	<b>Adjunct Lecturer - Teaching Greek to foreigners</b> University of Crete, Greece

**EDUCATION**

<b>2001-2006</b>	Department of Philology, University of Crete, Greece, PhD in Linguistics. Dissertation Title: Collocations in Modern Greek as a foreign language
<b>1999-2000</b>	Department of Linguistic Science, University of Reading, United Kingdom, Master of Arts in Applied Linguistics. Dissertation Title: Vocabulary acquisition and learning in Modern Greek as a foreign language
<b>1995-1998</b>	Department of Philology, University of Crete, Greece. Master of Arts in Theoretical Linguistics. Title: Correlations between verb, noun and adjective valency. Valency reproduction and transformation in Modern Greek
<b>1990-1994</b>	Department of Philology, University of Crete B.A. in Greek Philology

## RESEARCH PROJECTS

Project Title	Funding source	Period	Role
Compilation of a thesaurus of phrasal patterns of Greek	University of Crete, Special Account of Research	2020-2023	Coordinator
Global Teacher Education	Erasmus+ programme, European Union	2022-2024	member of the research team of the University of Crete as a partner
Teach for Integration capacity building programme	Unicef	2022-2023	-Coordinator of module Greek as a second language: Learning and teaching vocabulary and grammar -Trainer
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A corpus-based multi-word units dictionary: designing the lemma of the Greek Constructicon	University of Crete, Special Account of Research	2020-2021	Coordinator
Teachers training for refugees	Unicef	2018-2019	Coordinator of module 'Greek as a second language' -Trainer
Phraseology realization in a Modern Greek language corpus	University of Crete, Special Account of Research	2015-2017	Coordinator
Μεταφορά και μετωνυμία στη γλωσσική πραγμάτωση (Metaphor and metonymy in language production)	University of Crete, Special Account of Research	2014	Principal researcher
Φρασεολογία και ένα λεξικό περιφράσεων της Νέας Ελληνικής (Phraseology and a dictionary of multi-word units of Greek)	University of Crete, Special Account of Research	2013	Principal researcher
Θεωρία μεταφοράς και εκπαιδευτικές εφαρμογές (Theory of metaphor and educational applications)	University of Crete, Special Account of Research	2012	Principal researcher
Ελληνόγλωσση Πρωτοβάθμια και Δευτεροβάθμια Εκπαίδευση στη Διασπορά	Education and Lifelong Learning ΕΣΠΑ: national and	2013-2014, 2011-2012	-Developer of online teaching material -developer of an online

(Greek Language Education abroad)	European funds		dictionary
Παιδεία Ομογενών (Greek Language Education abroad)	Education and Lifelong Learning ΕΣΠΑ: national and European funds	1998-1999, 2002-2004, 2006	Developer of teaching books

## CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS

### ORGANISER

- Coordinator with G. Xydopoulos of the thematic session: 'Linguistic theories and Lexicography', International Conference of Greek Linguistics, Thessaloniki 14-17 December 2023
- Coordinator with Vassilaki, E., Magoula, E., Oikonomakou, M. of the working group "Theoretical Linguistics in Pedagogical Departments. International Conference of Greek Linguistics, Thessaloniki 14-17 December 2023
- Chair of the Organizing committee: Teaching Greek: The new Curriculum for the Primary School, 24 May 2023, Rethymno, University of Crete
- Member of the organizing committee of the workshop "Languages as tools for developing global citizenship", Centre of Intercultural and Migrant Studies, University of Crete, 13-16 October 2022
- Member of the organizing committee: 5<sup>th</sup> international conference Crossroads of Languages and Cultures, 1-3 June 2018, Rethymno, University of Crete
- Member of the organizing committee: workshop for the European day of languages (26 September 2017) and Universal day of mother tongue (21 February 2018), Centre of intercultural and Migrant Studies
- Organizer of the summer school, Teaching Greek to foreigners, 1-30 July 2007, Laboratory of Linguistics, Department of Philology, University of Crete
- Member of the organizing committee: 6<sup>th</sup> International conference of Greek Linguistics, 18-21 September 2003, Laboratory of Linguistics, Department of Philology, University of Crete

### PRESENTER IN CONFERENCES WITH REVIEWERS without proceedings

- Thomou, P. & M. Koutoulaki. A corpus study of metaphors and metonymies in Greek: the domain of the human body. 12<sup>th</sup> International Conference of the Spanish Cognitive Linguistics Association. University of La Rioja (June 2022)
- Thomou, P. & M. Papoutsi. Meaning construction in lexical collocation patterns of Modern Greek. International Conference "Cognitive approaches to interaction and language attitudes". University of Duisburg-Essen. (October 2016).
- Thomou, P. Metonymy within metaphor: evidence from the Modern language. 1<sup>st</sup> International Symposium on Figurative Thought and Language. Aristotle University of Thessaloniki. School of English. (April 2014).
- Thomou, P. The Interface of language structure and cognition in metaphor research: evidence from Modern Greek. 2012 Stockholm Metaphor Festival. Stockholm University. (September 2012).
- Thomou, P. Lexical collocations in Modern Greek: defining and classifying them by exploring their semantic and syntactic restrictedness. 14<sup>th</sup> Vocabulary Acquisition Research Group Conference. University of Wales, Swansea, U.K. (July 2004).
- Thomou, P. Lexical collocations in Modern Greek: defining and classifying them by exploring their semantic and syntactic restrictedness». Formulaic Language Research Network Conference. Cardiff University, Cardiff, U.K. (July 2004)

### RECENT PRESENTATIONS IN CONFERENCES

- Christodoulakis, Ch. & Thomou, P. Metaphor comprehension by bilingual students. 16<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Greek Linguistics, Thessaloniki 14-17 December 2023
- Thomou, P. & Kontogianni, D. Language Education of bilingual students in Reception Classes. 6<sup>th</sup>

## MEMBERSHIPS & REVIEWING ACTIVITIES

<b>2000-...</b>	Member of the Greek Society of Applied Linguistics
<b>2010-...</b>	Member of the International Society of Greek Linguistics
	Reviewer of the journals: Cognitive Linguistic Studies journal, GLOSSOLOGIA journal, Sciences of Education journal, Preschool and School Education journal
	Reviewer of the edited volumes: Cognitive Linguistics and Proverbs Cognition and Language Learning Multi-word expressions in Greek and other languages
	Reviewer of the conference papers: Studies of Greek Language 40, Selected papers of the 5 <sup>th</sup> Crossroads of Languages and Culture, Selected papers of the 10 <sup>th</sup> ICGL
	Reviewer of many abstracts submitted for conference presentation: ICGL 10, ICGL 11, ICGL 14, ICGL 15, ICGL 16, CLC 5

## TEACHING ACTIVITIES

<b>2012-2023</b>	Lecturer, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor - Lexicology and Teaching of Greek language Undergraduate modules: Modern Greek Grammar, Development and Vocabulary teaching, The Greek language lesson at the Primary School, Theoretical Linguistics, Lexical issues of the Greek language, School Practicum C, Linguistic research and educational applications Postgraduate modules: Lexicology and applications, Semantics and applications, Linguistics and Teaching of Greek, Issues of structure in Greek as a Second Language University of Crete, Greece
<b>2018-2020</b>	Co-ordinator and teaching staff Module: Multilingualism and Language Education: Teaching Greek as a second language Postgraduate program "Linguistics for teachers", Hellenic Open University, Greece
<b>2007-2010</b>	Adjunct Lecturer – Greek Language Undergraduate module: Structure of the Greek Language, Lexical issues of the Greek Language University of Aegean, Greece
<b>February 2014</b>	Visiting lecturer undergraduate & postgraduate classes University of Cyprus, Department of Education
<b>1995-1999 2001-2004</b>	Adjunct Lecturer - Teaching Greek to foreigners, Modules: Greek language A, B, C, D University of Crete, Greece

## SUPERVISION OF GRADUATE STUDENTS & POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWS

<b>2023-...</b>	Two (2) PhD students, University of Crete, Greece
<b>2016-2022</b>	Ten (10) Master students, University of Crete and Hellenic Open University

## FELLOWSHIPS and AWARDS

<b>2002 - 2006</b>	Scholarship, for PhD studies, Greek State Scholarship Foundation
<b>1995-1996</b>	Scholarship, distinction for the Master studies, Greek State Scholarship Foundation
<b>1994</b>	Erasmus-Lingua scholarship, Learning Spanish language and Culture, University of Basque Country, Greek State Scholarship Foundation