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Academic positions

- 2007–2024 Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece, School of Journalism and Mass Media Studies, Professor in Social Psychology and Mass Media, Director of Social Media Lab, Director of Graduate Program in Communication.
- 2013–2014 Claremont Graduate University, USA, School of Social Science, Policy and Evaluation, Department of Psychology, Visiting Scholar.
 - 2011 University of Kent, UK, School of Psychology, Visiting Scholar.
- 2005–2024 **Greek Open University**, Greece, School of Humanities, Graduate Program in Education: Research Methods. Academic tutor.
- 2001–2007 Various academic institutions: Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, University of Macedonia, Democritus University of Thrace, University of Athens, Aegean University, University of Thessaly. Adjunct Professor.

Education

- 1996–1999 Cardiff University, United Kingdom, School of Psychology, Doctor of Philosophy, Thesis title: «Majority and minority influence in a media context: Message processing and social consensus». (Supervisors: R. Martin and M. Hewstone). [Sponsored by the Greek State Scholarships Foundation]
- 1996–1997 **Cardiff University**, United Kingdom, Postgraduate Diploma in Social Science Research Methods. [Sponsored by the Greek State Scholarships Foundation].
- 1995–1996 University of London London School of Economics and Political Sciences (LSE), United Kingdom, Department of Social Psychology, Master of Science in Mass Media and Communications, [Sponsored by the Greek State Scholarships Foundation].
- 1990-1994 University of Crete, Greece, Department of Psychology, BSc in Psychology [with distinction].

Publications

Journal papers

- 1. Giles, H., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (in press). Communication Accommodation Theory: A theory in an evolving digital world. *Psychology*.
- 2. Giles, H., Hansen, K., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2025). Prologuing and communicating intergroup matters. *Atlantic Journal of Communication*. https://doi.org/10.1080/15456870.2025.2525798
- 3. Giles, H., Belavadi, S., Hansen, K., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2025). Towards establishing applied intergroup communication as a key component of the study of intergroup relations: Three case studies. *Atlantic Journal of Communication*. https://doi.org/10.1080/15456870.2025.2525793
- 4. Piliousis, A., Malinaki, E., Tetou, L., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2025). Conspiracy beliefs and the existential threat of cancer: A cross-sectional study in a sample of cancer patients. *Journal of Community and Applied Social Psychology*, 35(4), e70136. https://doi.org/10.1002/casp.70136
- 5. Takas, M., & Gardikiotis, A. (2024). Who is (the) responsible (citizen) during the Covid-19 pandemic? *Journal of Greek Media and Culture, 11*(1), 107-126. https://doi.org/10.1386/jgmc_00108_1
- 6. **Gardikiotis**, A., & Piliousis, A., (2024). Psychology of misinformation: Acceptance and resistance. *Science* & *Society: Review of Political and Ethical Theory*, 43, 101-133. Retrieved from https://eiournals.epublishing.ekt.gr/index.php/sas/article/view/33155
- 7. **Gardikiotis**, A., Prodromitis, G., Takas, M., Piliousis, A., & Tsitseli, A. (2024). Misinformation as social influence. *Scientific Annals-Psychology Department*, *AUTH*. 15, 305-338 retrieved from https://ejournals.lib.auth.gr/psyannals/article/view/10483/9674
- 8. Papastamou, S., Prodromitis, G., **Gardikiotis**, A. (2024). Towards an integration of different approaches to social influence: From thought-listing to source-message evaluation. *Psychology. 29*(2), 144-157.

- 9. Wagoner, J. A., Belavadi, S., **Gardikiotis**, A., Barbieria, B., & Antonini, M. (2024). Ideological religious nationalism: Measurement, construct validity, and cross-cultural comparisons. *The Journal of Social Psychology*, 1–33
- 10. Vlazakis, A., & Baka, A., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2024). Examining protest paradigm as a blocking mechanism against minority influence: A socio-psychological perspective. *Hellenic Journal of Psychology, 21*(3), 302-322.
- 11. Saklaki, A., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2024). Students' attitudes towards artificial intelligence and its ethics: Differential roles for media and digital literacy. *Societies*, *14*(2), 248.
- 12. **Gardikiotis**, A., Papastamou, S., Prodromitis, G., & Crano, W. (2023). New advances in social influence: theoretical insights and methodological challenges. *Frontiers in Psychology*, *14*, 1295390.
- 13. Lipourli, E., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2023). Representations of refugees: Linguistic abstractness and social perceptions. *Psychology: The Journal of the Hellenic Psychological Society*, *28*(2), 195-204.
- 14. Kioumi, E., & Gardikiotis, A. (2023). Online intergroup contact and intergroup attitudes: A cross sectional and a longitudinal study of Greeks and Germans interacting on Twitter and Facebook. *Psychology of Language and Communication*, 27(1) 128-151.
- 15. Belavadi, S., **Gardikiotis**, A., & Hogg, M. (2023). Social identity uncertainty during the Greek financial crisis: The role of media narratives. *Psychology of Language and Communication*, *27*(1) 84-106.
- 16. Kalfeli, N., Angeli, C., **Gardikiotis**, A., & Frangonikolopoulos. C. (2023). Between two crises: News framing of migration during the Greek-Turkish border crisis and COVID-19 in Greece. *Journalism Studies*, *24*(2), 226-243.
- 17. Tsiggilis, N., Lianopoulos, Y., **Gardikiotis**, A., & Theodorakis, N.D. (2022). Development and validation of sport team identification scale within social identity theory: An item response theory approach. *Hellenic Journal of Psychology*, 19(3), 231–253.
- 18. Argyroudi, A., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2021). Intention to vaccinate against Covid-19 during lockdown: Sources of information and beliefs about vaccination as predictive factors [in Greek]. *Psychology: The Journal of the Hellenic Psychological Society*, 26(3), 93-110.
- 19. **Gardikiotis**, A., Malinaki, E., Charisiadis-Tsitlakidis, C., Protonotariou, A., Archontis, St., Lampropoulou, A., Maraki, I., Papatheodorou, K., & Zafeiriou, G. (2021). Emotional and cognitive responses to COVID-19 information overload under lockdown predict media attention and risk perceptions of COVID-19. *Journal of Health Communication*, 26, 434-442. doi:10.1080/10810730.2021.1949649.
- 20. Manolika, M., Baltzis, A., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2021). Individual differences in music listener motivations: The neglected values. *Empirical Studies of the Art*, 39(1), 17-35. https://doi.org/10.1177/0276237419868952
- 21. Katsaounidou, A., N., **Gardikiotis**, A., Tsipas, N., & Dimoulas, C. A. (2020). News authentication and tampered images: Evaluating the photo-truth impact through image verification algorithms. *Heliyon*, *6* (12), e05808.
- 22. Kalfeli, N., Frangonikolopoulos, C., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2020). Expanding peace journalism: A new model in analyzing media representations of immigration. *Journalism*. https://doi.org/10.1177/1464884920969089
- 23. Lianopoulos, Y., Theodorakis, N.D., Tsigilis, N., **Gardikiotis**, A. & Koustelios, A. (2020), Elevating self-esteem through sport team identification: a study about local and distant sport fans. *International Journal of Sports Marketing and Sponsorship*, 21(4), 695-718.
- 24. **Gardikiotis**, A. (2019). Predictive factors of the intention to help refugees: The perception of media representation of refugees and socio-psychological processes [in Greek]. *Eleutherna: The Scientific Yearbook of the Department of Psychology, University of Crete.*
- 25. **Gardikiotis**, A., Alexandri, N., & Apostolidis, A. (2019). "There is no alternative": The importance of media framing and socio-psychological processes in predicting collective action during times of crisis [in Greek]. *Psychology: The Journal of the Hellenic Psychological Society*, 24(2), 122-44.
- 26. Keblusek, L. Giles, H., Maass, A., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2018) Intersections of intergroup communication research. *Atlantic Journal of Communication*, *26*(2), 75-85.
- 27. Giles, M., Pines, R., Giles, H., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2018) Toward a communication model of intergroup interdependence. *Atlantic Journal of Communication*, 26(2), 122-130.

- 28. Martin, R., Thomas, G., Hewstone, M., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2018). When leaders are in the numerical majority or minority: Differential effects on problem-solving. *Journal of Social Issues*, *74*(1), 993-111.
- 29. **Gardikiotis**, A., Navrozidou, E., & Euaggelou-Navarro, O. (2018). Social media and political participation: The role of social media political use and presumed influence, and political identification and political self-efficacy [in Greek]. *Psychology: The Journal of Greek Psychological Society, 23*(2), 39-54.
- 30. **Gardikiotis** A., Xanthopoulos, P., Katsaounidou, A., Papasarafianou, S., & Fourkalidou, D. (2017). *What should we do now?* Support of critical national policies depends on social psychological processes and media framing. *Hellenic Journal of Psychology*, 14, 223-241.
- 31. **Gardikiotis**, A. (2017). I think therefore I am (influenced): Perceptions of social influence on self and others. *International Review of Social Psychology.* 30(1), 193-202.
- 32. Antonopoulos, N., Giomelakis, D., Veglis, A., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2016). Web third-person effect hypothesis: Do likes and shares affect users' perceptions? *Journalism and Mass Communication*, 6 (12), 711-730.
- 33. Antonopoulos, N., Veglis, A., **Gardikiotis**, A., Kotsakis R., Kalliris, G. (2015). Web Third-Person Effect in Structural Aspects of the Information on Media Websites. *Computers in Human Behavior*, 44, 48-58.
- 34. **Gardikiotis**, A., Tsiggilis, N., & Theodorakis, N. (2014). Children's sport team identification: social psychological processes and developmental perspectives. *International Journal of Sport Management, 14,* 1-13.
- 35. **Gardikiotis**, A., & Baltzis, A. (2012). "Rock music for myself and justice to the world!": Musical identity, values, and music preferences. *Psychology of Music*, 40, 143-163.
- 36. Sapountzis, A., Figgou, L., Bozatzis, N., **Gardikiotis**, A., & Pantazis, P. (2013). "Categories we share": Mobilising common ingroups in discourse on contemporary immigration in Greece. *Journal of Community & Applied Social Psychology*, 23, 347-361.
- 37. Gardikiotis, A. (2011). Minority influence. Social and Personality Psychology Compass, 5, 679-693.
- 38. Figgou, L., Sapountzis, A., Bozatzis, N., **Gardikiotis**, A., & Pantazis, P. (2011). Constructing the stereotype of immigrants' criminality: Accounts of fear and risk in talk about immigration to Greece. *Journal of Community & Applied Social Psychology*, 21, 164-177.
- 39. **Gardikiotis**, A. (2008). Group distinctiveness, political identification, and the third-person effect: Perceptions of a political campaign in the 2004 Greek national election. *Media Psychology*, 11, 331-353.
- 40. Sapountzis, A., Figgou, L., Pantazis, P., Laskaridis, G., Papastavrou, D., Bozatzis, N., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2006). Immigration and European integration in Greece: Greek national identity and the 'other within'. Westminster Papers in Communication and Culture, 3, 27-47.
- 41. **Gardikiotis**, A., Martin, R., & Hewstone, M. (2005). Group consensus in social influence: Type of consensus information as a moderator of majority and minority influence. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 31, 1163-74.
- 42. **Gardikiotis**, A. (2005a). Social psychology and the effects of mass media: 'Parallel lives'? A review [in Greek]. *Psychology: The Journal of the Hellenic Psychological Society, 12,* 604-623.
- 43. **Gardikiotis**, A. (2005b). Majority and minority sources and the processing of the influence message. *Psychology: The Journal of the Hellenic Psychological Society*, *12*, 455-469.
- 44. **Gardikiotis**, A., Martin, R., & Hewstone, M. (2004). The representation of majorities and minorities in the British Press: A content analytic approach. *European Journal of Social Psychology*. 34, 637-646.
- 45. **Gardikiotis**, A. (2003). Minorities and crime in the Greek Press: Employing content and discourse analytic approaches. *Communications: The European Journal of Communication Research*, 28, 337-348.
- **46.** Martin, R., **Gardikiotis**, A., & Hewstone, M. (2002). Levels of consensus and majority and minority influence. *European Journal of Social Psychology*, *32*, 645-665.

Chapters in edited volumes

47. Stamatiadou, M., Gardikiotis, A., Kostarella, I., & Dimoulas Ch. (2024). The impact of COVID-19 pandemic on the spread of Mobile Journalism within the professional journalists. *Envisioning the Future of Communication*.

- 48. **Gardikotis**, A., Tsiggilis, N., & Barbopoulou, V. (2022). Interpersonal and intergroup communication on the internet: A theoretical review [in Greek]. In A. Sidiropoulou (Ed.), *Point of Contact: Companionship and Intimate Relationships in the Digital Age* (pp. 49-80). Papazisis.
- 49. **Gardikiotis**, A. (2017). Narrative persuasion: Theoretical and methodological issues. *Euforia, Media in Action Conference Proceedings.* http://euforia.tiff.gr/media-in-action-conference/
- 50. **Gardikiotis**, A., Papastamou, S. & Prodromitis, G. (2017). Introduction. In S. Papastamou, A., Gardikiotis, and G. Prodromitis, G. (Eds.) *Majority and minority influence: Societal meaning and cognitive elaboration* (pp. 1-9). London: Routledge.
- 51. Papastamou, S., **Gardikiotis**, A., & Prodromitis, G. (2017). Conversion to active minorities: The chronicle of a successful theory and the uncertain result of a minority influence attempt. In S. Papastamou, A., Gardikiotis, and G. Prodromitis, G. (Eds.) *Majority and minority influence: Societal meaning and cognitive elaboration* (pp. 9-46). London: Routledge.
- 52. Prodromitis, G., Papastamou, S., & **Gardikiotis**, A., (2017). Conclusions. In S. Papastamou, A., Gardikiotis, and G. Prodromitis, G. (Eds.) *Majority and minority influence: Societal meaning and cognitive elaboration* (pp. 198-211). London: Routledge.
- 53. **Gardikiotis**, A., & Crano, W. D. (2015). Persuasion theories. In J. D. Wright (Editor-in-chief) *International Encyclopedia of Social and Behavioral Sciences* (2nd ed. Vol. 17, pp. 941-947). Oxford, UK: Elsevier.
- 54. Crano, W. D., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2015). Attitudes and attitude change. In J. D. Wright (Editor-in-chief) *International Encyclopedia of Social and Behavioral Sciences* (2nd ed.). Oxford, UK: Elsevier.
- 55. **Gardikiotis**, A. (2010). Third-person perception and social influence: The reception of majority and minority influence [in Greek]. In S. Papastamou, M. Prodromitis, & V. Pavlopoulos (Eds.), *Social thought, cognition, and behavior: 29 Greek social psychologists interrogate their science* (pp. 185-212). Athens: Pedio.
- 56. **Gardikiotis** A., Martin R., & Hewstone M. (2010). The impact of source consensus on majority and minority influence. In R. Martin & M. Hewstone (Eds.) *Minority influence processes: Antecedents, processes, and consequences* (pp. 153-174). Hove, E. Sussex: Psychology Press.
- 57. Baltzis, A., & Gardikiotis, A. (2008). Influence of social values and music preferences on the use of music distribution channels: An exploratory study. Arts, Culture and Public Sphere. Expressive and Instrumental Values in Economic and Sociological Perspectives (electronic proceedings).
- 58. Martin R., & Hewstone M., Martin, P., & **Gardikiotis** A. (2008). Persuasion from majority and minority groups. In W. Crano & R. Prislin (Eds.) *Attitudes and persuasion* (pp. 361-384). Hove, E. Sussex: Psychology Press.

Textbook

Gardikiotis, A. (2008). *Social influence: Overview and evaluation of research and theories* [in Greek, 300p]. Athens: Gutenberg.

Edited volume

Papastamou, S., **Gardikiotis**, A., & Prodromitis, G. (Eds.) (2017). *Majority and minority influence: Societal meanings and cognitive elaboration*. London: Routledge.

Special issues

- 1. Giles H., Hansen, K., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2025). Special issue: Intergroup communication matters. *Atlantic Journal of Communication*.
- 2. **Gardikiotis**, A., Papastamou, S., Prodromitis, G., & Crano, W. (2023). Special issue: New advances in social influence: Theoretical insights and methodological challenges. *Frontiers in Psychology*.
- 3. **Gardikiotis**, A., Giles, H., & Tsigilis, N. (eds) (2023). Special issue: Social psychological processes and intergroup communication. *Psychology of Language & Communication*, 27 (1), 46-207.
- 4. Giles H., & **Gardikiotis**, A. (2018). Special issue: Intergroup communication. *Atlantic Journal of Communication*, 26(2).

Editorship, reviewing

- Editorial Board European Journal of Social Psychology [2012-2021].
- Associate Editor, Psychology: The Journal of the Hellenic Psychological Society [2022-].
- Consulting editor International Review of Social Psychology [2016-2021].
- Advisory Editorial Board, Hogg, M. & Vaughan, G. (2014). Social Psychology (7th Ed) and (2022, 9th Ed).
 Pearson.
- Ad hoc reviewing: Journal of Language and Social Psychology, Journal of Applied Social Psychology,
 Journal of Experimental Social Psychology, Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin, European Journal of
 Social Psychology, International Review of Social Psychology, British Journal of Social Psychology, Political
 Psychology, Social Psychology, Theory and Psychology, European Journal of Developmental Psychology,
 Psychology of Popular Media Culture, Psychology of Language & Communication, Psychology of Music,
 International Journal of Communication, Media and Communication, Online Information Review, PLOS
 One, Telematics and Informatics, Communication Reports, Health Communication, Humanities and Social
 Science Communications, Hellenic Journal of Psychology.
- https://publons.com/researcher/1208374/antonis-gardikiotis/

Conference presentations [selection post-Covid]

- 1. Gardikiotis, A., & Piliousis, A. (2025, September). *Misinformation as a minority influence process*. Paper presented at the British Psychological Society, Social Psychology Section Annual Conference, Oxford, United Kingdom.
- 2. Zaptsi, A., Charisiadis Tsitlakidis, C., Tejera, S., & Gardikiotis, A. (2025, August). Beyond dehumanization: A psychosocial analysis of media representations of refugees. Paper presented at the XIII Research Conference, School of Communication Sciences, Universidad de Ciencias Empresariales y Sociales, Argentina.
- 3. Piliousis, A., & Gardikiotis, A. (2025, July). Conspiracy theories as an authoritarian weapon: The proselytizing process of loyal authoritarian "soldiers" and the 2024 U.S. presidential election. Paper presented at the 48th Annual Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, Prague, Czech Republic.
- 4. Lois, G., Gardikiotis, A., Karaspyrou, Z., Tsakanikos, E., & Sedikides, C. (2025, July). Rethinking the link between cognitive reflection and susceptibility to misinformation: On the distinction between hard and soft news. Paper presented at the 48th Annual Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, Prague, Czech Republic.
- 5. Giles, H., Hansen, K., Belavadi, S., & Gardikiotis, A. (2025, June). *Towards establishing applied intergroup communication as a key component in the study of intergroup relations: Three case studies.* Paper presented at the 3rd International Symposium on Intergroup Communication, Warsaw, Poland.
- 6. Gardikiotis, A., Theologidis, D., Georgisoudi, V., & Lipourli, E. (2025, June). The role of ideological beliefs and intergroup processes in predicting communication accommodation toward members of minority groups. Paper presented at the 3rd International Symposium on Intergroup Communication, Warsaw, Poland.
- 7. Gardikiotis, A., & Piliousis, A. (2025, May). *Misinformation as minority influence: An experimental exploration.* Paper presented at the 19th Panhellenic Conference of Psychological Research, Ioannina, Greece.
- 8. Prodromitis, G., Tsitseli, A., Takas, E., Piliousis, A., Gardikiotis, A., & Papastamou, S. (2025, May). Fake news as persuasive messages: Theoretical frameworks and methodological approaches. Paper presented at the 19th Panhellenic Conference of Psychological Research, Ioannina, Greece.
- 9. Takas, E., Papastamou, S., Prodromitis, G., Gardikiotis, A., Piliousis, A., & Tsitseli, A. (2025, May). Obvious lies and hidden truths: Fake news in the Greek media and internet during 2020–2022. Paper presented at the 19th Panhellenic Conference of Psychological Research, Ioannina, Greece.

- 10. Saklaki, A., & Gardikiotis, A. (2025, May). Students' attitudes toward artificial intelligence and its ethics: The role of media and digital literacy. Paper presented at the 19th Panhellenic Conference of Psychological Research, Ioannina, Greece.
- 11. Gardikiotis, A., & Giles, H. (2024, June). Communication accommodation theory: A theory in an evolving IT world. Paper presented at the 18th International Conference on Language and Social Psychology, Tallinn, Estonia.
- 12. Takas, E., & Gardikiotis, A. (2023, November). *Political beliefs, media use, and voting behavior in the 2023 national elections*. Paper presented at the 13th Panhellenic Conference of Social Psychology, Patras, Greece.
- 13. Argyroudi, A., & Gardikiotis, A. (2023, November). Official information campaigns promoting COVID-19 vaccination: A qualitative analysis of persuasive argumentation. Paper presented at the 13th Panhellenic Conference of Social Psychology, Patras, Greece.
- 14. Piliousis, A., & Gardikiotis, A. (2023, November). The link between conspiracy theories and fake news: The role of perceived influence. Paper presented at the 13th Panhellenic Conference of Social Psychology, Patras, Greece.
- 15. Gardikiotis, A. (2023, July). Political and victimized minority influence: The importance of rights vs. values framing of minority message. (19th General Meeting of European Association of Social Psychology, EASP23, Krakow, Poland)
- 16. Malinaki, E., & Gardikiotis, A. (2023, July). Examining the role of subjective- and objective socioeconomic status in socioeconomic health-related disparities in eHealth literacy and online health information-seeking behavior. (2023 Conference of the International Association for Media and Communication Research, IAMCR, Lyon, France)
- 17. Piliousis, A., & Gardikiotis, A. (2023, June). Climate change misinformation: Distinguishing 'green' conspiracy theories from 'green' fake news. (Symposium on the Socio-Cognitive Determinants of Critical Thinking, Brussels, Belgium)
- 18. Malinaki, E., & Gardikiotis, A. (2023, Mar.). Examining the role of emotions in online health information-seeking behavior (OHISB): Their relationship with health disparities, ehealth literacy, and gender. (INTED 2023, Valencia, Spain).
- 19. Gardikiotis, A. (2022, July). Personal, social, and moral framing of vaccination appeals. An experimental examination of messages promoting vaccination against Covid-19. (6th international workshop Communicating Science, Philosophy and Literature, Syros, Greece).
- 20. Argiroudi, A., & Gardikiotis, A. (2022, June). Fear and anxiety about Covid-19, sources of information and preventive behaviors. (8th CERE Conference on Emotion Research, Granada, Spain).
- 21. Gardikiotis, A. (2022, May). A minority influence approach to intergroup communication: A mutually beneficial convergence. (72nd International Communication Association, ICA Annual Conference, Paris, France).
- 22. Gardikiotis, A. (2022, May). Minority influence framing: Value and rights message framing by active and victimized minorities. (Invited Talk, Faculty of Psychology, University of Geneva, Switzerland).
- 23. Kalfeli, N., Gardikiotis, A., Angeli, C., & Frangonikolopoulos, C. (2021, Oct). *Media representations of refugees and immigrants and their effects on people's perceptions and attitudes.* (8th European Communication Conference, ECREA, Braga, Portugal)

Over 150 presentations in national and international conferences in total

Organization of scientific symposia (selection)

- 3rd International Symposium on Intergroup Communication (K. Hansen, H. Giles, & A. Gardikiotis Warsaw Poland, Forthcoming June 2025)
- EASP Meeting on Intergroup Communication (member of organizing and scientific committee, Bologna, Italy, June 2019).

- 1st International Symposium on Intergroup Communication (A. Gardikiotis & Howie Giles, UC Santa Barbara, USA, Thessaloniki, Greece, June 2017)
- Symposium: Social and cognitive processes in minority influence research (Convenors: R. Martin, & A. Gardikiotis, 17th General meeting of the European Association of Social Psychology, Amsterdam, Netherlands, July 2014).
- Small Group Meeting on The Societal Meanings of Minority Influence, European Association of Social Psychology (S. Papastamou, A. Gardikiotis, & G. Prodromitis, Delphi, June 2012).
- Symposium: Applications and contexts of minority influence research: Group composition, group relations and processes. (R. Martin, A. Gardikiotis & M. Hewstone, 14th General meeting of the European Association of Experimental Social Psychology, Wurzburg, Germany July 2005).
- Symposium: Social and cognitive processes in minority influence (C. Smith & A. Gardikiotis, 26th International Congress of Applied Psychology, Athens, July 2006).

Fellowships

- NIDA INVEST Drug Abuse Research Fellow, National Institute on Drug Abuse, National Institute of Health, USA (2013-2014).
- European Association of Experimental Social Psychology (2003). Regional Support Grant.
- State Scholarship Foundation (1995-1998). Scholarship for postgraduate-doctoral studies in Great Britain.

Teaching

Graduate Aristotle University of Thessaloniki: Media Effects, Psychology of the Media, Misinformation:

Acceptance and Resistance, Political Psychology and Communication, Research Methods I,

Research Methods II, Mass Communication and Public Health

Claremont Graduate University, USA: Media Processes and Effects

Undergraduate Aristotle University of Thessaloniki: Attitudes and Attitude Change, Media Effects, Social

Psychology, Psychological Processes of the Media, Health Behavior and Communication,

Intergroup Communication, Interpersonal Communication, Children and the Media.

Research Projects

- National Recovery and Resilience Plan Basic Research Funding, Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation (2023–2025). Battling fake news with the weapons of social psychology: The role of resistance. Researcher. Project Code: 71935.
- National Recovery and Resilience Plan Basic Research Funding, Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation (2022–2025). Integrating multidisciplinary media impact assessment instruments to track news streams, extract semantics, and monitor users' reactions. Researcher. Project Code: 74852.
- European Regional Development Fund, Cohesion Fund, and European Social Fund (Operational Programme NSRF 2019–2021). The influence of media representations of the refugee and migration crisis on intergroup attitudes and perceptions among Greeks and immigrants: An experimental approach. Principal Investigator. Project Code: 99093.
- National Institute of Health (NIH), United States (2013–2014). Majority and minority group membership as a determinant of anti-marijuana campaigning. International Visiting Scientists and Technical Exchange Program, Drug Abuse Research Fellowship.
- Research Committee (ELKE), Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (2012). *Intergroup communication and social-psychological processes*. Research Support Project.
- Pythagoras II: Strengthening University Research Teams, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (2005–2006). Migration and Greek national identity: Talking about Greek national identity in a context of social change. Researcher.

Mentoring

Post-doctoral Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Supervisor: 3

Doctoral Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Supervisor: 7 dissertations / Member of committee: 15

dissertations /External examiner: 8 dissertations.

Claremont Graduate University, USA, External examiner: 8 dissertations

Graduate Aristotle University of Thessaloniki: 40 theses, Greek Open University: 50 theses

Undergraduate Aristotle University of Thessaloniki: 150 undergraduate theses

Society memberships

Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP) / Association for Psychological Science (APS) / European Association of Social Psychology (EASP) / International Communication Association (ICA) / Hellenic Psychological Society

Administrative work

- Director, Graduate Program in Communication, Department of Journalism and Mass Media Studies
- Director, Social Media Lab, Department of Journalism and Mass Media Studies.
- Co-coordinator (2018-2022), Division of Media Psychology and Technology, Hellenic Psychological Society.
- Board Member, Aristotle Centre for Social Research and Decision Support, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- Member, Strategic Planning Committee of the Dean's Office of the Faculty of Social and Economic Sciences, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- Member, Social Policy Committee of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- Departmental Committees: Social Policy Committee (Coordinator), Internal Evaluation Committee, Program of Study Planning and Review Committee (Coordinator), Qualifying Examinations Committee (Coordinator)

Evaluator for Research Grant Organisations [last five years]

- Panel member of the European Research Council Starting Grant Call 2024.
- Chairman of the Evaluation Committee "3rd Call for Research Projects of Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation for the support of Postdoctoral Researchers", Scientific Area "Social Sciences" (2021-2022)
- Evaluator for the "1st Call for Research Projects Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation for Faculty Members and Researchers and the procurement of high value research equipment". (2018-22)
- Panel Member "1st Call for Research Projects Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation for the support
 of faculty members and researchers and the supply of high-value research equipment", Scientific Areas
 "Humanities and Arts", "Social Sciences" and "Management and Economics of Innovation" (2018).