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## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

[2002 - Current] Professor, School of Mechanical Engineering

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece

[2015 - Current] Director, Laboratory of Statistics and Quantitative Analysis Methods

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece

[2022 - Current] Managing Director

Digital Value Chains PC, spin-off of Aristotle University

[2017 - Current] Coordinator, Group for Sustainable Agrifood Supply Chains

Centre of Intradisciplinary Research, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece

[2017 - Current] **Senior Consultant** 

Self-employed

[ 2014-17, 2022 - ] Head, Industrial Management Department

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece

[ 1992 – 2002] Freelancer Industrial Engineer

Self-employed, partner in Technoplan Consulting Company Ltd.

[ 1996 – 2002] Researcher, Industrial Management Department

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece

# EDUCATION AND TRAINING

[ 1983 – 1988 ] Integrated master (5-year diploma) in Electrical Engineering w distinction

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

[ 1989 – 1992 ] Integrated master (5-year diploma) in Mechanical Engineering w distinction

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

[ 1993 ] Degree in Pedagogical Training

School of Pedagogical and Technological Education

[ 1996 – 1999 ] PhD in Mechanical Engineering with distinction

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

[ 2000 ] Postdoctoral Researcher

**Erasmus University Rotterdam** 

# **Undergraduate level**

- Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (Department Of Mechanical Engineering): Project Management, Reliability & Maintenance, Simulation, Production Operation Management, Lab in Forecasting Techniques, Inventory Management, Operational Research I, Statistics, Supply Chain Management. Supervision of more than 150 Theses.
- University Of Western Macedonia (Department of Mechanical Engineering): Statistics

#### Postgraduate level

- Aristotle University of Thessaloniki: Optimization and Simulation, Statistics and Stochastic Processes, Production and Maintenance Planning, Project Management, Introduction in Organization and Management, Optimization of Freight Transport Networks,
- o University Of Macedonia: Project Management, Operations Management.
- o Hellenic International University: Project management
- Technological Educational Institute of Central Macedonia: Optimization in Decision Making, Introduction in Logistics Operations Management, Technologies for Supply Chain Management and Precision Farming.

#### PhD level

Principal Supervisor in 11 PhD theses.

Member of the Supervising Committee in 14 PhD theses.

Examiner in other 17 PhD theses.

# **RESEARCH PROJECTS**

# **As Principal Investigator**

- Design and Feasibility Study for a new Private Open University in Cyprus, funded by AKMI S.A., 2008.
- Production and Inventory Modelling for Vitruvit Tiles Industry S.A., funded by Vitruvit S.A., 2010.
- Optimization Models for Green Supply Chains, funded by Greek Ministry of Education, Heraclitus Program, 2010-2013.
- Crisis Management on the District of Tempi Master Plan, funded by Municipalities of the Region, 2010 – 2011.
- Strategic Master Plan for Port Network Development of Municipality of Volvi, funded by Municipality of Volvi, May 2012 – September 2012.
- Innovation Capacity Building by Strengthening Expertise and Research in the Design, Planning and Operations of Green Agrifood Supply Chains, Funded by the FP7-REGPOT program of the European Commission, 2012 –2016, Budget: 1,584,318 Euros.
- Feasibility study for the establishment of the dual vocational education and training system in schools and enterprises in Greece in the transport and logistics sectors in cooperation with the EffizienzCluster Management GmbH, Germany, Funded by the Federal Institute for Vocational Education and Training (BIBB), 2013 –2014.
- Development of Forecasting Methods for Estimating the Yield of Clingstone Peaches per Area and Variety, Funded by Greek Canning Peach Association, 2014.
- Strategic Supply Chain Design and Best Inventory Management Practices, Funded by ZANAE (zanae.gr/en), 2015.
- o Improvement of Forecasting Methods for Estimating the Yield of Clingstone Peaches per Area and Variety, Funded by Greek Canning Peach Association, 2015.
- Support of Research Activities of Laboratory of Statistics and Quantitative Analysis Methods, Funded by ETAA, 2013- 2016.
- o Improvement of Research Infrastructure of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Funded by Aristotle University's Research Committee, 2014- 2016.
- o Corporate Social Responsibility at Port of Thessaloniki, 2015-2016.
- Dynamic Quality Control on Production lines using intelligent autonomous vehicles (Q-CONPASS), Entrepreneurship and Innovation" (NSRF 2014-2020) and co-financed by Greece and the European Union (European Regional Development Fund), 2019-2022.
- Skills, characteristics, and training needs of ICT human capital in Greece, funded by a private company, 2020.
- o Data collection and analysis for the Greek SMEs' ecosystem, funded by Euroconsultants SA,

2020.

- i-EAT Smart Food Safety Monitor and Control, Entrepreneurship and Innovation" (NSRF 2014-2020) and co-financed by Greece and the European Union (European Regional Development Fund), 2020-2023.
- Data collection and analysis for industrial and agricultural energy consumers in Western Macedonia, funded by the Hellenic Electricity Distribution Network Operator S.A., 2020-2021.
- Enhancing the Competitiveness and Sustainable Growth in the Agrofood Sector through the promotion of Circular Economy (AGROFFICIENCY), funded by the Interreg Greece-Bulgaria – a European Territorial Cooperation Programme of the European Commission, 2021-2023.
- o Intelligent platform for providing staffing and training in the hotel industry INSTANT, Funding by Research and Innovation Foundation, Cyprus, program RESTART, 2021-2023.
- Traditional Gastronomic "Dishes" of Central Macedonia: sustainable supply chain networks, funding by NSRF 2014-2020, Innovation Investment Plans, and is co-funded by the Greek State, 2021-2023.
- Application of Advanced Manufacturing Techniques to VET: the case of Plastics sector, funded by Erasmus+ program, KA220-VET - Cooperation partnerships in vocational education and training, 2022-2024
- Autonomous Robotic Vehicle for disinfecting workplaces, Horizon Europe, EIT Health RIS 2022 Innovation program, 2022.
- Alliance for Fostering Business and Education Innovation through Digital Supply Chains,
   Horizon Europe, 101056425 BE-Digital ERASMUS-EDU-2021-PI-ALL-INNO, 2022-2025.

# **As Project Team Member**

- Reliability Analysis of Automated Irrigation, Funded by MOP Information Technologies, 1991-92.
- Determination of Characteristics of Employees in Tourism Sector, Funded by Greek National Tourism Organization, 1993.
- Determination of Characteristics of Foreign Tourists in Greece, Funded by Greek National Tourism Organization, 1993-94.
- Organization study and Reengineering at the Hellenic Vehicle Industry ELVO S.A., Funded by National Industrial Development Bank, program MENTOR, 1993-94.
- Development Study for the Magnesia Prefecture, funded by the National Organization for Employment - OAED, 1994.
- o Incentives for the Development of Decentralized Energy Systems, funded by General Secretariat foe Research and Development, Program PENED, 1994-95.
- Legal Framework and Feasibility Study of a Free Trade Zone in Thessaloniki, Funded by Balkan Business Center S.A., 1995.
- Pilot Implementation for the Development of Teleworking the Region of Central Macedonia,
   Funded by the Region of Central Macedonia, IRIS Initiative, 1995.
- Mapping and Problem Diagnosis of SMEs in the Prefecture of Drama, Funded by Ministry of Employment, ADAPT program, 1996.
- Value of Integration in Supply Networks, funded by Hewlett-Packard, U.S.A. (Strategic Planning and Modeling), 1996.
- Integrated Framework for the Valuation of and Privatization of Publicly Owned Companies,
   Funded by the Operational Program of Research and Technology EPET II, 1997-98.
- Design and Planning of the Graduate Program of the Department of Mechanical Engineering,
   Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, funded by the Ministry of Education, program EPEAEK,
   1997-2004.
- Practical Training Program of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Funded by the Ministry of Education, program EPEAEK, 1997-98.
- Reform of the Undergraduate of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Funded by the Ministry of Education, program EPEAEK, 1997.
- Work Study in a Bathroom Furniture Manufacturer, Funded by Computer Logic (North)program RETEX, 1997-98.
- Design and Development of a Material Management System in a Bathroom Furniture Manufacturer, Funded by Computer Logic (North)-program RETEX,, 1997-98.

- Feasibility study for Flexible Metal Manufacturing, Funded by Christos Gantsis and sons S.A., 1998.
- Feasibility of production of commercial products with the Aristotle University's logo, Funded by E.A.D.P. A.U.Th., 1999.
- Feasibility study and Academic Organization of the University of Western Macedonia, Funded by Prefecture of Kozani, 1999-2000.
- Organizational Reengineering Study of Aristotle University, Funded by Aristotle University, 1999-2000.
- Feasibility study of the business plan of Hellenic Vehicles Industry S.A. for the construction of civil vehicle, Funded by ELVO S.A., KONVER program, 2000-01.
- Aristotle University Strategic Mapping for the Participation of Aristotle University at the Association of European Universities, Funded by E.A.D.P. A.U.Th., 2001.
- Human Resources Planning or the Tertiary Education in Greece, Funded by Ministry of Education –EPEAEK II, 2001-02.
- Strategic and Operational Plan of Aristotle University, Funded by Center of Educational Research, 2002.
- Research Network TMR for Reverse Logistics, Funded by European Commission XII GD, 1997-2002.
- Feasibility Study and Academic Organization of Hellenic International University in Thessaloniki, Funded by the Ministry of Macedonia and Thrace, 2002.
- Planning of the construction of an Underground Parking Station at Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Funded by Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, 2002-03.
- Costing of Electrical and Electronic Products at the End of their Useful Life, Funded Appliances Recycling S.A., 2004.
- Organizational Study for the Pedagogic Institute, Funded by the Ministry of Education,
   Operational Program for Education and Initial Professional Training (EPEAEK), 2005.
- Strategic Gastronomic Tourism Planning for the Region of Central Macedonia", Funded by the Region of Central Macedonia- INTERREG IIIB, March – November 2005.
- Restructuring of the Undergraduate Program for the Department of Mechanical Engineering of Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Funded by the Ministry of Education, Operational Program for Education and Initial Professional Training (EPEAEK), 2003-2008.
- Strategic and Operational Plan of Aristotle University 2006-2015, Funded by Aristotle University, 2005.
- Development of Studies and Processes for Attracting Investors to the International Freight Village of Thesprotia, Municipality of Paramithia, Funded by IMPETUS Engineers S.A., Jule 2007 – Jule 2008.
- Design of a National Network for Stem Cell Banks in Greece, Haematological Society of Greece,
   October 2008 December 2008.
- Feasibility Study for the Short-Shipping Connection between the Cities of Kavala and Alexandria, Egypt», Prefectures of Kavala, Drama and Xanthi, 2009.
- Fraunhofer Project Center Coatings in Manufacturing (PCCM), Funded by Fraunhofer Gesellschaft-Greek Secretariat for Research and Technology, 2010.
- Optimal Allocation of Points of Sales for the "MACEDONIA" Press Agency, Funded by the "MACEDONIA" Press Agency, 2010 2011.
- Development of the Strategic Plan for the Metropolitan Mass Transit Organization of Thessaloniki, Funded by EUROACTION SA, 2011.
- Hellenic International University Operation and Development, Funded by National Development Framework ESPA: Operational Program Education and Life-Long Learning, 2011-2014.
- Feasibility Study for initiating the Shipping Line Igoumenitsa Toulon (France), Funded by Igoumenitsa Port Authority S.A., 2011.
- Local Platform for Employment and Entrepreneurship of young Scientists in Innovation,
   Research and Technological Development, Funded by Thessalon(IQ)i- Smart City, 2012 2014.
- Hellenic Civil Unmanned Aerial Vehicle HCUAV, Funded by SYNERGASIA, General Secretariat of Research and Technology, Program "Synergasia", 2013 –2015.
- Upgrading the Plant Capital Exploitation of Natural Products of the Hellenic plant biodiversity

- (PlantUp), funded by the Operational Programme "Competitiveness, Entrepreneurship and Innovation" (NSRF 2014-2020) and co-financed by Greece and the European Union (European Regional Development Fund), 2018-2020.
- Intelligent Research Infrastructure for Shipping, Supply chain, Transport & Logistics (EN.I.R.I.S.S.T), funded by Operational Programme "Competitiveness, Entrepreneurship and Innovation" (NSRF 2014-2020) and co-financed by Greece and the European Union (European Regional Development Fund), 2018-2020.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

# **Monographs and Books**

- Development of communication protocol for microcontroller networks, Diploma Thesis,
   Department of Electrical Engineering Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Supervisor: Prof. V.
   Petridis, 1988.
- Software development for calculating reliability parameters using Markov processes, Diploma Thesis, Department of Mechanical Engineering Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Supervisor: Prof. D.P. Psoinos, 1992.
- o Integrated methodological framework for the assessment of enterprises, Ph.D. Thesis, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Supervisor: Prof. D.P. Psoinos
- o lakovou E., Bochtis D., Vlachos D., Aidonis D., Supply Chain Management for Sustainable Food Networks, Publisher: Wiley, 2016.

#### **Publications in Peer-reviewed Journals and Collective Volumes**

- 1. Tagaras G., Vlachos D., A Periodic Review Inventory System with Emergency Replenishments, Management Science, 47(3), 415-429, 2001.
- 2. Teunter R., Vlachos D., An Inventory System with Periodic Regular Review and Flexible Emergency Review, IIE Transactions, 33(8), 625-635, 2001.
- 3. Vlachos D., Tagaras G., An Inventory System with Two Supply Modes and Capacity Constraints, International Journal of Production Economics, 72(1), 41-58, 2001.
- 4. Teunter R., Vlachos D., On the Necessity of a Disposal Option for Returned Items that can be Remanufactured, International Journal of Production Economics, 75(3), 257-266, 2002.
- 5. Tagaras G., Vlachos D., Effectiveness of Stock Transshipment under Various Demand Distributions and Non-negligible Transshipment Times, Production Operations Management, 11(2), 183-198, 2002.
- 6. Georgiadis P., Vlachos D., Politou A., Reengineering of a Small Assembly-to-order Manufacturer: A Case Study, International Journal of Operations and Quantitative Management, 8(1), 21-35, 2002.
- 7. Vlachos D., Dekker R., Return Handling Options and Order Quantities for Single Period Products, European Journal of Operational Research, 151(1), 38-52, 2003.
- 8. Vlachos D., Tolias Y., Neuro-Fuzzy Modeling in Bankruptcy Prediction, Yugoslav Journal of Operations Research, 13(2), 165-174, 2003.
- 9. Georgiadis P., Vlachos D., Analysis of the Dynamic Impact of Environmental Policies on Reverse Logistics, Operational Research: an International Journal, 3(2), 123-135, 2003.
- 10. Georgiadis P., Vlachos D., The Effect of Environmental Parameters on Product Recovery, European Journal of Operational Research, 157, 449-464, 2004.
- 11. Teunter R., van der Laan E., Vlachos D., Inventory Strategies for Systems with Fast Remanufacturing, Journal of the Operational Research Society, 55, 475-484, 2004.
- 12. Van der Laan E., Kiesmüller G., Kuik R., Vlachos D., Dekker R., Stochastic Inventory Control for Product Recovery, in Reverse Logistics, by R. Dekker, M. Fleischmann, K. Interfurth and L. Van Wassenhove (eds.), Springer-Verlag, 181-220, 2004.
- 13. Georgiadis P., Vlachos D., Tagaras, G., Long-term Analysis of Closed-loop Supply Chains, in Reverse Logistics, by R. Dekker, M. Fleischmann, K. Interfurth and L. Van Wassenhove (eds.), Springer-Verlag, 313-331, 2004.
- 14. Georgiadis P., Vlachos D., Decision Making in Reverse Logistics Using System Dynamics, Yugoslav Journal of Operations Research, 14(2), 259-272, 2004.
- 15. Georgiadis P., Vlachos D., Iakovou E., A System Dynamics Modeling Framework for the Strategic

- Supply Chain Management of Food Chains, Journal of Food Engineering, 70(3), 351-364, 2005.
- 16. Georgiadis P., Besiou M., Vlachos D., Iakovou E., A Comprehensive Methodological Framework for Sustainable Supply Chains, IASME Transactions, 2(4), 569-574, 2005.
- 17. Georgiadis P., Iakovou E., Vlachos D., Besiou M., A System Dynamics Approach of Ecological Motivation in Sustainable Supply Chains, Transactions on Systems, 1(5), 48-55, 2006.
- 18. Georgiadis P., Vlachos D., Tagaras G., The Impact of Product Lifecycle on Capacity Planning of Closed-Loop Supply Chains, Production Operations Management, 15(4), 514-527, 2006.
- 19. Chatzipanagioti M., Theodori V., Vlachos D. VMI modeling in global and electronic markets, International Journal of Logistics Systems and Management, 3(3), 271-287, 2007.
- 20. Vlachos D., Georgiadis P., Iakovou, E., A System Dynamics model for Dynamic Capacity Planning of Remanufacturing in Closed-loop Supply Chains, Computers & Operations Research, 34(2), 367-394, 2007.
- 21. lakovou E., Vlachos D., Xanthopoulos A., An analytical methodological framework for the optimal design of resilient supply chains, International Journal of Logistics Economics and Globalisation, 1(1), 1-20, 2007.
- 22. Iakovou E., Georgiadis P., Vlachos D., A comprehensive methodological framework for improving security and efficiency of port container logistics, International Journal of Logistics Economics and Globalisation, 1(2), 176-189, 2008.
- 23. Aidonis D., Xanthopoulos A., Vlachos D., Iakovou, E., An Analytical Methodological Framework for Managing Reverse Supply Chains in the Construction Industry, Transactions on Environment and Development, 4(11), 1036-1046, 2008.
- 24. Tsitsamis D., Vlachos D., lakovou E., Douligeris C., A Hierarchical Taxonomy of Decision-Making Models for Container Terminal Operations, International Journal of Logistics Economics and Globalisation, 1(3/4), 365-382, 2008.
- 25. Iakovou E., Vlachos D., Aidonis, D., A Strategic Methodological Framework for the Development of Gastronomic Tourism: A Greek Region's Experience, International Journal of Innovation and Regional Development, 1(3), 301-318, 2009.
- 26. Papapanagiotou K., Angelis E., Vlachos D., Decision making in Supply Chains using Simulation: A Methodological Approach, MIBES Transactions, 3(1), 85-95, 2009.
- 27. Xanthopoulos A., Aidonis D., Vlachos D., Iakovou, E., Reverse Logistics Processes of Multi-Type End-of-Life Buildings/Construction Sites: An Integrated Optimization Framework, Transactions on Environment and Development, 5(3), 250-259, 2009.
- 28. lakovou E., Vlachos D., Xanthopoulos A., Risk and Security Management for Logistics Service Providers: Trends, Challenges and Opportunities, in: Wagner, S.M., Bode, C., (eds.), Managing Risk and Security: The Safeguard of Long-Term Success for Logistics Service Providers. Haupt Publishers, Berne, Switzerland, 59-81, 2009.
- 29. Iakovou E., Vlachos D., Xanthopoulos A., A Stochastic Inventory Management Model For a Dual-Sourcing Supply Chain with Disruptions, International Journal of Systems Science, 41(3), 315-324, 2010.
- 30. lakovou E., Karagiannidis A., Vlachos D., Toka A. and Malamakis A., 2010, Waste biomass-to-energy supply chain management: a critical synthesis, Waste Management, 30(10), 1860-1870, 2010.
- 31. lakovou E., Vlachos D., Toka A., Waste Biomass Supply Chains for Energy Production: A Hierarchical Decision-Making Framework, in: Haghi, A.K., (ed.), Waste Management: Research Advances to Convert Waste to Wealth, Series: Waste and Waste Management, Nova Science (USA), 2010.
- 32. Mallidis I., Dekker R., Iakovou E., Vlachos D., Tsitsamis D., Yard management for improving the efficiency of a Container Terminal, MIBES Transactions, 4(1), 72-79, 2010.
- 33. Vlachos D., Quantitative Risk Management Models for Newsvendor Supply Chains, in: Minis I., Zeimpekis V., Dounias G., Ampazis N., Supply Chain Optimization, Design, and Management: Advances and Intelligent Methods, IGI Global, 2011.
- 34. Xanthopoulos A., Vlachos D., Iakovou E. Optimal Sourcing Decisions for Unreliable Reverse Supply Chains, Asia-Pacific Journal of Operational Research, 28(1), 125-146, 2011.
- 35. Chatzipanagioti M., Iakovou E., Vlachos D., Hajidimitriou Y.A., Trade Facilitation and Supply Chain Network Design, Operations and Supply Chain Management: An International Journal, (4)2-3, 99-107, 2011.
- 36. Xanthopoulos A., Vlachos D., Iakovou E., Optimal Newsvendor Policies for Dual-Sourcing Supply Chains: A Disruption Risk-Management Framework, Computers & Operations Research, 39(2),

- 37. Vlachos D., lakovou E., Keramydas C., Anagnostopoulos A., On the estimation of the necessary inventory for hellenic public cord blood banks using simulation, Operational Research: An International Journal, 12(1), 57-68, 2012.
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- 39. Xanthopoulos A., Aidonis D., Vlachos D., Iakovou E., A Planning Optimization Framework for Construction and Demolition Waste Management, International Journal of Industrial and Systems Engineering, 10(3), 257-276, 2012.
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# MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- o Technical Chamber of Greece (1988-).
- Hellenic Operational Research Society (1993- ). Member of the Board of the Macedonia and Thrace Branch from (2001-03).
- Greek Association of Supply Chain Management (2003-); Member of the Board (2006-); Vicepresident (2008-2014); President (2015-2023), Honorary President (2024-).
- o Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences-INFORMS (1997-)
- Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals, CSCMP (2008-).

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