

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Studies/Education

- ⇒ Postdoctoral Research
2024 – Today
School of Education Sciences in Early Childhood, DUTh
Title: «Professional identities of male students of early childhood education»
- ⇒ PhD Sociology of Education
2008- 2016
IPSE, London Metropolitan University
Thesis title: “Gender and educational leadership in Greek primary education”
- ⇒ MBA in Educational Management
2005 – 2008
University of Leicester, School of Education
Dissertation title: “Barriers to promotion for women in education”
- ⇒ MA in Special Needs
2001 – 2002
University of Nottingham, School of Education
Dissertation title: “Teaching through art in Greek Special Schools”
- ⇒ BA Early Childhood Education
1997 – 2001
Democritus University of Thrace, School of Education, Department of Preschool Education and Care.
Dissertation title: «Early childhood education in the EU countries»

Academic Positions

1. October 2024 – today: Representative of the Centre for Children’s Rights in the university
2. September 2021 – today: Laboratory teaching staff at the Department of Education Sciences in Early Childhood. Field of study: Pedagogy and Practicum

3. October 2016 – June 2020: Teaching staff at the Department of Education Sciences in Early Childhood
4. June 2007 – September 2021: Special Needs Teacher at the Center for Educational Consult and Assessment, Rodopi
5. September 2005 – June 2007: Teacher at the 1st Kindergarten of Karpathos
6. October 2003 – Ιούλιος 2005: Special Needs Teachers at the Special School of Komotini

Conferences

- ✱ May 2025: 6th Panhellenic Conference of Sociology of Education. Paper presented: “I am a man, but I will also be a kindergarten teacher”: Views of male students of the Department of Early Childhood Education, DUTH, for the man ECE teacher”. Volos, 23-25 May 2025
- ✱ May 2025: 11th International Scientific Conference, IAKE: Creative Communities. Paper presented: “Views about the practicum in tertiary education in social work and early childhood. Rethymno, 6-11 May 2025 Πέθυμνο, 6-11 Μαΐου 2025(with Fragos S.)
- ✱ April 2025: 1st Child Rights Center Network Meeting. Patra, 4 April 2025
- ✱ April 2025: 6th Panhellenic Conference: Teaching Science through Modern Technology. Paper presented: The meaning of practicum in tertiary education today” Kavala, 4-6 April 2025 (With Fragos, S.)
- ✱ March 2025: 3rd Panhellenic Conference of the Practicum Network: Framing the Future of Education: New Directions in Early and Life-long Education of Teachers. Paper presented: «Batman and his cave in the school: Using a super heroine in the classroom». Alexandroupoli, 14-16 March 2025
- ✱ August 2022: ECER Conference “Education in a Changing World: The impact of global realities on the prospects and experiences of educational research” Paper presented: «Children’s Constructions of Schools Closures During COVID-19 in Greece». Yerevan, 23-25 August 2022
- ✱ October 2020: 4^o Panhellenic Conference of Sociology of Education. Paper presented: “Children’s views about the economic crisis”. Ioannina, 2-4 October 2020

- ✱ June 2019: 18th Annual International Gender and Education Conference με θέμα About face: Identities, In/visibilities, Inequalities, and Intersections in Education. Round Table: “Does gender have a face in educational environments: a comparative approach”. Portsmouth University, UK, 24-27 June 2019
- ✱ May 2019: NORA Conference με θέμα Border regimes, Territorial Discourses and Feminist Politics. Paper presented: “Gender and neo-nazis: The case of Golden Dawn in Greece”. University of Iceland, Reykjavik, 22-24 May 2019
- ✱ June 2017: 11th International Biennial Gender and Education Conference “Generative Feminism(s): working across/within/through borders”. Paper presented: “Introducing a gender and education course to prospective pre-primary education teachers in Greece”. Middlesex University, 21-23 June 2017
- ✱ June 2016. Gender and Education Biennial Interim Conference “Gender Equality Matters: Education, Intersectionality and Nationalism”. Paper presented: «‘Go to your kitchen and leave us alone!’: An exploration of discursive practices of gender and educational leadership in Greek primary schools». Linköping, 15-17 June 2016
- ✱ June 2015. 10th International Biennial Gender and Education Conference “Feminisms, power and pedagogy”. Paper presented: «Discursive practices of gender, sexuality and educational leadership in Greek primary schools: A case study». Roehampton, 24-26 June 2015
- ✱ April 2014. The British Sociological Association Annual Conference, “Changing society”. Paper presented: «Constructing change: Women in educational leadership in Greece». Leeds, 23-25 April 2014
- ✱ November 2013. Research Students Seminar London Metropolitan University. Paper Presented: ‘Feminine’ and ‘masculine’ educational leadership approaches: Fact or fiction? London, 18 Νοεμβρίου 2013
- ✱ Απρίλιος 2011. 8th International Biennial Gender and Education Conference με θέμα ‘Gender and Education: Past, Present and Future’. Παρουσίαση εισήγησης με τίτλο: Women Head Teachers in Greece: Constraints in their Career Progression. Exeter , 27-30 Απριλίου 2011.
- ✱ June 2010. 6th Biennial International Interdisciplinary Conference on Gender, Work and Organization. Paper presented: Gender and School Management in Greece: The Under-representation of Women. Keele University, Staffordshire, UK, 21-23 June 2010,

- * October 2009. Research Students Seminar London Metropolitan University. Paper Presented: Gender and Head Teachers: What is happening in Greece? London 20 Οκτωβρίου 2009
- * July 2009. 4th International Conference on Interdisciplinary Social Sciences. Paper Presented: Gender and School Management in Greece: The under-representation of women. Αθήνα, 8-11 Ιουλίου

Publications

- ◆ Papanastasiou E. (in press) Women in Educational Leadership. In M.-P. Moreau (ed) *Education and Social Justice Encyclopedia: Gender and Sexuality* (Vol. 7). London: Bloomsbury
- ◆ Papanastasiou E. (2024) *Gender and Educational Leadership In Greece*. London: Bloomsbury
- ◆ Papanastasiou, E. (2021) Children's views about the economic crisis. In Th. Thanou and Kyridis A (Eds) *Education and Society on Greece*. Gutenberg [in Greek]
- ◆ Papanastasiou, E. (2020) Discursive practices of gender, sexuality and educational leadership in Greek primary schools: A case study. *International journal of teaching and education*, 8(1), pp. 43-64
- ◆ Papanastasiou, E. (2018) Gender Constructions of Kindergarten Students Through their Play. *Research in Education*, 7(1), σ. 1-13 [in Greek]
- ◆ Papanastasiou E. (2010) Woman and Managing a Multicultural School. In P, Georgogiannis (Ed) *Intercultural Education -Migration-Conflict handling and Democracy Education*. Patra (p. 531-539) [in Greek]