

CURRICULUM VITAE

Dr. Kleanthis I. Sirakoulis

CURRENT POSITION

Assistant Professor, Department of Project Management, School of Business and Economics, Technological Education Institute of Larissa, Greece

ACADEMIC TRAINING

Ph. D. in Planning and Regional Development,

University of Thessaly, Faculty of Engineering, Department of Planning and Regional Development, February 2009.

PhD Thesis "Leisure as parameter in Greek urban development projects: Impacts on planning and economy"

M. Sc. in Planning and Regional Development,

University of Thessaly, Faculty of Engineering, Department of Planning and Regional Development, 2001.

B. Sc. in Mathematics,

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Faculty of Science, Department of Mathematics, 1997

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE –Teaching

2013 to present

Department of Project Management – TEI of Larissa

Assistant Professor of Quantitative Methods in Developmental Projects

2010 to present

Department of Project Management – TEI of Larissa

Member of Advisory Board in MSc Course

Responsibilities include teaching Principles of Project Management and Research Methodology. Moderator for MSc Dissertations.

2004 to present:

Master in Management Science and MBA (TEI of Larissa - Staffordshire University)

Lecturer of Quantitative Methods

Responsibilities include teaching Business Research Methodology and Statistical Analysis and supervising student dissertations.

2003-2013

Department of Project Management – TEI of Larissa

Lecturer of Quantitative Methods

Responsibilities include teaching, research and service. Teaching involved courses related to Time Management, Statistics and Operations Research. Research involved the use of software in Time Management, Non-Governmental Organization management, Development of Leisure Market projects.

1994- 2002

Department of Business Administration – TEI of Larissa

Adjunct Lecturer of Quantitative Methods

Responsibilities include teaching. Teaching involved courses related to Mathematics, Statistics, Econometrics, Operations Research and Regional Development.

1989-1992

Department of Mathematics – Aristotle University of Thessalonica

Teaching and Research Assistant

Responsibilities include teaching and research. Teaching involved courses related to Statistics and Operations Research. Research involved topics on queuing theory and statistics.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2001 to present

Technological Education Institute

Project Development and Implementation

As Leader or Member of the corresponding research group I participated in several projects like:

Development of the pilot marketing plan for the Tobacco Museum in Kavala, Greece.

Development of master plan for sustainable tourism in mountainous area of Pieria prefecture.

Studies for NGOs' management capability in order to participate in EU founded projects (Regions of Thessaly and East Macedonia and Thrace).

INTERACT project 'Financial Management of Interreg Projects'

Studies on employment flexibility in the Region of Thessaly

Study on the Economic Dimensions of Immigration in Greece (founded by the Greek Institute for Migration Policy)

Studies on project management applications in the Regional Operation Programme (Regions of Thessaly and East Macedonia-Thrace)

2000-2001

National and Kapodistrian University of Athens

Regional coordinator

Responsibilities include the regional management (for the Central Greece) of THRANIO (DESK) project. The project concerned of the development high quality software for educational purposes in primary education schools.

1991-1995

EXPERT CONSULTING LTD, Larissa

Researcher/Analyst

Responsibilities include the development of indices for the monitoring of European projects and programs in behalf of the Ministry of National Economy.

PUBLICATIONS

Journals (peer-review)

[1] 'Museums, Marketing And Tourism Development: The Case Of The Tobacco Museum of Kavala', with A. Deffner, T. Metaxas and T. Papatheochari, TOURISMOS: An International Multidisciplinary Journal of Tourism, Vol. 4(4), pp. 57-76 (2010) (*cited 3 times*)

[2] 'The effectiveness of resource levelling tools for resource constraint project scheduling problem', with A. Kastor, International Journal of Project Management, Vol. 27(5), pp. 493-500 (2009) (*cited 20 times*)

[3] 'Applicability of Project Management Techniques in Smes: Evidence from Greece' with Sdrolias L., Poullos T. and P. Trivellas, Studia Negotia Vol. 1, pp. 41-49 (2005) (*cited 2 times*)

[4] 'Arms racing and the cost of arms imports: A Stochastic model' with C. Kollias, Defence and Peace Economics, Vol. 13 (2), pp.137-143 (2002) (*cited 4 times*)

[5] 'Product-form distributions for an M/G/k Group-Arrival Group-Departure loss system', with D. Fakinos, Advances in Applied Probabilities Vol. 21, pp. 721- 724 (1989) (*cited 8 times*)

Co-editor in volumes (in Greek)

[6] *Organization and management for environmental NGOs*, Athens: WWF Ελλάς (2009) with M. Fefes and A. Pouliou

[7] *Project Management: The Greek experience*, Athens: PROPOBOS (2005) with P. Ipsilandis

[8] *Dynamics and limits of Civil Society: Project management issues for NGOs*, Athens: PROPOBOS (2008) with A. Afouxenidis

Chapters in editing volumes

[9] 'Immigrants and the Greek Economy' in *Contemporary approaches of the Greek economy*, Athens: PATAKIS (2004) with Kollias, C. And M. Chletsos.

Conferences (after review)

[10] "Museums, Marketing and Urban Development: The case of Tobacco Museum in Kavala", with A. Deffner and T. Metaxas at the 8th National Conference of ERSA, Athens, October 2008

[11] "Does City Planning Affect Young People Participation in Leisure Activities? Evidence from Larissa and Volos, Greece", with A. Deffner at *First ISA Forum of Sociology, Sociological Research and Public Debate*, Barcelona, Spain, September 2008

[12] "Programme Management through its Projects", with A. Kastor at *PM-04, 4th SCPM & 1st IPMA / MedNet Conference, "Project Management Advances, Training & Certification in the Mediterranean"*, Chios Island, Greece, May 2008

[13] "Multi-Objective Models for Linear Projects' Management " with P. Ipsilandis and I. Mouzakitidis at 18th National Conference of the Hellenic Operations Research Society, Kozani, June 2006

[14] "Administrative and Financial Aspects of Cross-Border EU Cooperation Projects: A Case Study of INTERREG Projects" with C. Kollias and N. Lampropoulos at International Conference "Shaping EU Regional Policy: Economic, Political and Social Pressures" of Regional Studies Association, University of Leuven, Belgium, June 2006

[15] "Comparing the Resource Levelling Tools: A Construction Management Case Study", with A. Kastor and D. Theofilidis at the 1st ICEC & IPMA Global Congress on Project Management, Ljubljana, Slovenia, April 2006

[16] "Two Metaheuristics for a Network Design Problem with Single Source-Multiple Destinations Flows" with K.P. Anagnostopoulos and L. Kotsikas at the 7th Balkan Conference on Operational Research, Constanta, Romania, May 2005

[17] "Third-Sector In Greece: A Managerial Perspective Based On Field Research Results" with N. Lampropoulos and A. Pouliou at the 1st European Conference of ISTR & EMES in Paris, April 2005

[18] "The Importance of Time Use Research in Urban Planning: The Case of Leisure Time in Larissa, Greece" with A. Deffner at the 26th IATUR Conference, ISTAT Rome, October 2004

- [19] "Factors Affecting Pm Applicability in Greece" with V. C. Gerogiannis and P. Ipsilandis at 3rd Scientific Conference on Project Management, "Clustering in Construction Project Management", September, 2004, Thessaloniki, Greece
- [20] "Policies for the Promotion of Agro Tourism in Greece: Evaluation of Their Results in the Area of the Lake Plastiras" with G. Korobilias at International Conference Borderless Frontiers; the Implications for Tourism in the New & Enlarged European Union in Nicosia, December 2004
- [21] "Simulation of Proposal Evaluation Activities in a Regional Operational Programme" with V.C. Gerogiannis and P.G. Ipsilandis at the 8th World Multi-Conference on Systemics, Cybernetics and Informatics in Orlando, Florida, USA, July 2004
- [22] "Business Process Simulation To Support Project Management Of A Regional Operational Programme" with V. C. Gerogiannis, P. G. Ipsilandis and G. A. Emmanouil at IPMA Congress, Budapest 2004
- [23] "A DSS based methodology for Programme Management" with P.G. Ipsilandis, S. Polyzos and V. Gerogiannis at IPMA Congress, Budapest 2004
- [24] "Leisure and Quality of Life: The Case of University Students in Greece" at LEDU 2004, International Conference on Leisure, Tourism & Sports-Education, Innovation, Integration, Cologne, March 2004
- [25] "Resource Constrained Project Scheduling Problems: Current Research and Algorithms" with A. Kastor and V. Gerogiannis at 16th National Conference of the Hellenic Operations Research Society, Larissa, September 2003
- [26] "Employment of Social Vulnerable Groups: Reality and Perspective in the Greek Labour Market" with A. Anagnostopoulos and I. Ypsilandi, at *MODELLING LABOUR MARKET: REALITIES AND PROSPECTS*, Athens, October 2003.
- [27] "Graduate studies in Project Management: The experience from TEI of Larissa", with G. Blanas and P. Ipsilandis at *Education and Professional Training in Project Management – Needs & Prospects (EPTinPM)*", January, 2003, N.T.U.Athens, GREECE
- [28] "Management of Proposal Evaluation in a Regional Operational Programme with Simulation" with V.C. Gerogiannis, P. Ipsilandis and P. Fitsilis at EURO XX (20th European Conference on Operational Research), Rhodes, Greece 4-7 July 2004.
- [29] "Representation and Analysis of Business Processes: Emphasis on Workflows Time Management" with V. Gerogiannis and P. Ipsilandis in *EURO-IFORS Joint International Conference*, Istanbul
- [30] "Urban Recreation In Larissa: Implications For Planning" with A. Deffner in *XVI AESOP CONGRESS*, Volos, Greece, 10-15 July 2002

[31] "The Rate Of Change In The Military Equilibrium Between Arms Racing States" with C. Kollias at *METU International Conference on Economics IV*, Ankara, 13-16 September 2000

[32] "The effects of population growth on the rate of change in military balance" with C. Kollias, at the 2nd Lisbon Conference on Defence Economics, *Universidade Tecnica de Lisboa*, Lisbon 23-24 June 2000

[33] "The rate of change in the military equilibrium between arms racing states: A probabilistic approach" with C. Kollias, at the Arms, Conflict, Security and Development Conference, *Middlesex University*, 16-17 June 2000

[34] "Arms racing and the demand for weapons: a stochastic approximation" with C. Kollias at *METU International Conference on Economics III*, Ankara, 8-11 September 1999

ACTIVITIES

Member of the Editorial Board of the *International Journal of Project Organisation and Management* (IJPOM) since 2010

1st International Conference on Defence, Peace and Economic Development in the Balkans and Eastern Mediterranean (Larissa, 22-24/6/2001)

Member of the organizing committee

2nd International Conference on Defence, Security and Economic Development (Larissa, 18-19/6/2004)

Member of the scientific and organizing committee

1st Conference on NGOs' project management in Greece (Larissa, 30/6-1/7/2006)

Coordinator

Reviewer for

Automation in Construction

Computers and Operations Research

International Journal of Project Management

Journal of Scheduling

Operation Research, An International Journal