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PERSONAL PROFILE

Enthusiastic, multilingual and career-minded PhD student, teacher and researcher with in-depth knowledge in the field of Philosophy. Teaching experience spans 9 years and includes classroom instruction and private tutoring to undergraduate & postgraduate students of Philosophy (ancient-medieval-modern)

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Metaphysics of Love (existentialism & idealism), Russian Philosophy (19th century), Ancient Greek Philosophy (Neoplatonism), German Idealism (Schelling), Philosophy of Religion (mysticism).

EDUCATION

PhD Student of Philosophy: Faculty of Philosophy, Theology and Religious Studies (Radboud University – Nijmegen) (Oct 2015)-Present; Title: "On Soloviev's View of the Relation between Sophia and Love (and its background in Neoplatonism)" Completion on 2021.

Training courses (completed):

Academic Writing: Technical University of Munich (TUM) (April – June 2019) [verified certification].

Contemporary Approaches to University Teaching (HE): Swinburne University (January – March 2019) [verified certification].

Training and Academic Research on Philosophy: Higher School of Economics (HSE) Moscow (Jan 2018 – Feb 2018).

Academic Research/visit: Professor Jonathan Sutton at University of Leeds (UK) (May 2017).

Attendance certificate: Workshop *Democratic Culture(s)* as well as Debate "*The common good in modern philosophy and contemporary politics*", University of Groningen, The Netherlands (9-10 December 2016).

Diploma (Bachelor) in Classics: National and Kapodistrian University of Athens (U.O.A.), Greece (Sept 2001 – June 2006).

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

STUDY HELP SCHOOL OF HIGHER EDUCATION – PSYCHIKO, ATHENS

SEPT 2006 – JUN 2015

TEACHER OF UNDERGRATUATE & POST GRADUATE STUDENTS:

Taught academic courses and directed learning to achieve student engagement in Philosophy

- Served as pastor/advisor to students in a mentorship capacity, including challenging and motivating students to succeed.
- Created a participatory classroom environment that encouraged students to achieve their potential for higher learning, based on student-centered pedagogy.
- Assisted research projects and supervised 100+ diploma theses.

 Languages: Greek (native); Ancient Greek & Latin (excellent command); English (C1); French (B2, reading C1); Russian (B2, reading C1), Dutch (A2)

- Microsoft Office
- Individualized tutoring
- Excellent organizational skills
- Fosters passion for learning

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

- Proclean Love: Towards a human perfection, 18th International Conference of ISNS (International Society for Neoplatonic Studies), American College of Athens, 11-14th June 2020 (postponed for June 2021 due to COVID-19), Athens.
- Comments on Alcibiades I. Love as elaborated in Proclus. IV International Conference in Greek Philosophy, 27th -30th April, Sociedad Ibérica de Filosofía Griega, 27th-30th April 2020 (postponed for 2021 due to COVID-19), Madrid.
- Sophia's (Wisdom) Aspects in Vladimir Soloviev's Smysl' Ljubvi (The Meaning of Love), Sophia in Changing Times, Expozicia IKONY in cooperation with Teologická fakulta Trnavskej university, 11th-12th October, 2019, Žilina.
- Respondent to Women and Power in Hellenistic Poetry, University of Groningen, 14th Groningen Workshop on Hellenistic Poetry, 21st-23rd August 2019.
- Neoplatonic findings in VI. Soloviev's *The Meaning of Love*, International Conference: Vladimir Soloviev: The Metaphysics of Love, Faculty of Philosophy of the Pontifical University of John Paul II (Krakow), Institute of Philosophy "Edith Stein" (Granada), International Center for the Study of the Christian Orient (Granada), 2nd- 5th June 2019.
- Neoplatonic Conceptions in Theophilos Kairis' Philosophy, 12th Pan-Hellenic Conference of Philosophy, Greek Philosophy from 15th century till now, University of Ioannina 11th-13th May 2018,11th -13th May 2018.
- Guest Lecturer for Seminar "Randen van Europa Identiteit, Burgerschap, Religie" (Griekenland), Radboud University, 12th April 2017.
- The October Revolution in Nikos Kazantzakis' "Traveling: Russia" (Ταξιδεύοντας Ρουσία), in the Conference "The Russian Revolution and the History of Ideas", Archiwum Warszawskiej Szkoly Historii Ideii, Warsaw, Poland 8th-10th November 2017.
- Guest Lecturer in Radboud University (Nijmegen). Title: Political thoughts in Neoplatonism The case of Olympiodorus: Commentary with the grace of God on Plato's Gorgias (Σχόλια συν θεῶ εἰς τον Γοργίαν), 08th July 2016.
- First Philo-Sophia Colloquium Comparing Sophia in Solovyov-Bulgakov-Florenskij. Radboud University, 10th June 2016.

PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS

- Text Linguistics with Emphasis in Discoursal Text, March 2006, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens (80/100)
- The Comedian Discourse of Aristophanes' "Acharnians" (Ἀχαρνῆς) under the supervision of the Associate Professor, Mrs. Xristopoulou-Mikrogiannaki, Th. National and Kapodistrian University of Athens (90/100)

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- Coordinator (together with Dr. Natalia Danilkina) of study group "Philosophy in Central & Eastern Europe" (OZSW Dutch Research School of Philosophy).
- Associated member of OIKOS.
- Member of ISNS (International Society for Neoplatonic Studies).
- Member of Center of Hellenic Studies (Nafplio-U.S.A.)

• Member of NKV (Nederlands Klassiek Verbond).

REFERENCES

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