

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

Certificate of Lyceum: (1966-1972) High School of Alexandroupolis, GREECE
Ptychion Iatrikes: Faculty of Medicine School of Health Sciences
Aristotelian University of Thessaloniki, GREECE
Medical School Diploma (1978)
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TRAINING - SPECIALTIES - POSTS HELD

1982-1985: Specialisation in Internal Medicine,
Department of Internal Medicine,
General District Hospital of Alexandroupolis, GREECE
May 1985: Speciality of Internal Medicine
1985-1989: Residency in Renal Unit and Division of Nephrology
Democritus University of Thrace,
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Consultant Physician in the Department of Internal Medicine,
National Health System, General District Hospital of Alexandroupolis,
GREECE.
May 1989: Speciality of Nephrology
1990-1994: Lecturer, Medical School, Division of Nephrology,
Democritus University of Thrace, Alexandroupolis, GREECE.
1994-1999: Assistance Professor, Medical School, Division of Nephrology,
Democritus University of Thrace, Alexandroupolis, GREECE
1997: Research Fellow in Division of Nephrology,
Toronto Western Hospital, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Scholarship Scholarship from the International Society for

Peritoneal Dialysis to study “Diabetics on CAPD”
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- 1997-2000: Reviewer for Peritoneal Dialysis International (Journal of International Society for Peritoneal Dialysis), MULTIMED INC, Toronto, Canada.
- 2000: Associate Professor, Medical School, Division of Nephrology, Democritus University of Thrace, Alexandroupolis, GREECE
- 2008** Professor, Medical School, Division of Nephrology, Democritus University of Thrace, Alexandroupolis, GREECE

SPECIAL TRAINING

Clinical Nephrology, CAPD (complications and transport kinetics), Hemodialysis (new renal replacement methods), Diabetic patients with end stage renal disease, Nutritional problems in patients with end stage renal disease.

THESIS

THE EFFECTS OF CALCIUM ANTAGONISTS IN PERITONEAL KINETICS IN PATIENTS UNDERGOING CAPD

Evaluation Degree: excellent

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Hellenic Society of Nephrology
International Society of Peritoneal Dialysis

LANGUAGES

Greek (native), English (proficiency level)

PUBLISHED STUDIES (MEDLINE)

1: Kourtzelis I, Markiewski MM, Doumas M, Rafail S, Kambas K, Mitroulis I, Panagoutsos S, Passadakis P, Vargemezis V, Magotti P, Qu H, Mollnes TE, Ritis K, Lambris JD. Complement anaphylatoxin C5a contributes to hemodialysis-associated thrombosis. Blood. 2010 Apr 27. [Epub ahead of print] PubMed PMID: 20424189.

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6: Thodis E, Kriki P, Kakagia D, Passadakis P, Theodoridis M, Mourvati E, Vargemezis V. Rigorous *Vibrio vulnificus* soft tissue infection of the lower leg in a renal transplant patient managed by vacuum therapy and autologous growth factors. *J Cutan Med Surg.* 2009 Jul-Aug;13(4):209-14. PubMed PMID: 19706229.

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10: Kantartzi K, Panagoutsos S, Kokkinou V, Passadakis P, Vargemezis V. Unexpectedly high incidence of brucellosis in one university dialysis unit of North East Greece. *Nephrol Dial Transplant*. 2009 Jun;24(6):2003-4. Epub 2009 Mar 30. PubMed PMID: 19332870.

11: Fatouros IG, Pasadakis P, Sovatzidis A, Chatzinikolaou A, Panagoutsos S, Sivridis D, Michailidis I, Douroudos I, Taxildaris K, Vargemezis V. Acute exercise may exacerbate oxidative stress response in hemodialysis patients. *Nephron Clin Pract*. 2008;109(2):c55-64. Epub 2008 Jun 18. PubMed PMID: 18560239.

12: Antoniadis G, Eleftheriadis T, Liakopoulos V, Kakasi E, Kartsios C, Passadakis P, Vargemezis V. Effect of one-year oral alpha-tocopherol administration on the antioxidant defense system in hemodialysis patients. *Ther Apher Dial*. 2008 Jun;12(3):237-42. PubMed PMID: 18503702.

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