

CURRICULUM VITAE

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I. PERSONAL DATA

Year of birth:	1959
Place of birth:	Arsakio, Rodopi prefecture
Marital status:	Married with Anastasia Anagnostou, one daughter
Professional address:	1 st : Democritus University Hospital, Director of Endoscopy Unit, Alexandroupolis, 68100 Greece 2 nd : Democritus University Hospital, Head of Sector of Inflammatory Bowel Disease, 1 st University Department of Surgery
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Languages:	Greek, English, Basic knowledge of Japanese

II. EDUCATION

Secondary education:

1970-1976	Secondary School of Sapes, Rodopi prefecture
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Medical school:

1977-1983	Aristotle University of Thessaloniki- Army Medical School
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Clinical Training:

1986- 1988	Resident in Internal Medicine (Department of Internal Medicine, 424 Army General Hospital, Thessaloniki, Greece, under Director Georgios Agiannidis)
1988- 1991	Fellow in Gastroenterology (Department of Gastroenterology, Papanikolaou General Hospital of Thessaloniki, Greece)
1991-1 st half of 1992	Fellow in Gastroenterology (Department of Gastroenterology, Komagome Metropolitan Hospital of Tokyo, Japan)
2 nd half of 1992	Post-graduate training in Interventional Endoscopy of the Biliary tract and Pancreas, Sowa University Hospital of Tokyo, Japan, under Prof. Fugita

III. DEGREES

1983	M.D Aristotle University of Thessaloniki
1992	Certificate of Interventional Endoscopy of the Biliary tract and Pancreas, Sowa Hospital of Tokyo, Japan

1993	Greek Boards in Gastroenterology
1999	Doctorate Thesis, Democritus University of Thrace
2001	Certificate of Endoscopic Ultrasonography, Komagome Metropolitan Hospital of Tokyo, Japan
2004	Certificate of Proficiency in Endoscopic Mucosectomy, Tokyo Metropolitan Komagome Hospital
2011	European Boards of Gastroenterology [honorary]
2011	Certificate of Proficiency in Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection (ESD)

IV. APPOINTMENTS

2010- present	Associate Professor in Diagnostic and Therapeutic Endoscopy, Democritus University (current)
2010- present	Director of Endoscopy Unit, University General Hospital of Alexandroupolis
2005-2010	Assistant Professor in Therapeutic Endoscopy, Democritus University
2004-2005	Director of Gastroenterology Department of 424 General Army Hospital, Thessaloniki, Greece (2 nd appointment)
2003- 2004	Administrator of 412 General Army Hospital, Xanthi, Greece
1995-2003	Director of Gastroenterology Department of 424 General Army Hospital, Thessaloniki, Greece (1 st appointment)
1993- 1995	Director of Gastroenterology Department of 412 General Army Hospital, Xanthi, Greece

V. CLINICAL EXPERTISE

A.	All aspects of pathology and endoscopy of gastrointestinal tract, liver and pancreas. As well as diagnostic and endoscopic interventions of the gastrointestinal system. These include approximately 3000 procedures/ year including, ERCP, stenting, polypectomy, mucosectomy, ESD, APC, etc.
B.	Special interest in inflammatory bowel diseases and ERCP techniques

VI. MEMBER OF SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

A. INTERNATIONAL SOCIETIES

1.	European Society of Gastroenterology
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VI. NATIONAL SOCIETIES

1.	Hellenic Society of Gastroenterology
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2.	Hellenic Society of Inflammatory Bowel Disease
3.	Hellenic Society of Hepatology
4.	Hellenic Society of Endoscopy

VII. INVITATIONS

A.	Invited speaker In Greece.....>70 In international Congresses, courses etc..... 4
B.	Course director >25

VIII. PUBLISHED WORK

1	Full papers in Greek journals	14
2	Full papers in Medline-indexed journals (Pub Med, Scopus)	62
3	Chapters in International books	5
4	Chapters in Greek books	>10
5	Citations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scopus (May 2011) • h index (Pubmed May 2011) • Total impact factor 	186 8 71

IX. RECENT PUBLICATIONS

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1: Karayiannakis AJ, Bolanaki H, Kouklakis G, Dimakis K, Memet I, Simopoulos C. Ischemic colitis of the left colon in a diabetic patient. *Case Rep Gastroenterol*. 2011 Apr 15;5(1):239-45. PubMed PMID: 21552382; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC3088756.

2: Kouklakis G, Efremidou EI, Zezos P, Liratzopoulos N, Souftas VD, Gatopoulou A, Simopoulos K, Manolas KJ. Adalimumab - an effective and promising treatment for patients with fistulizing Crohn's disease: a case series. *J Med Case Reports*. 2011 Mar 19;5:109. PubMed PMID: 21418588; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC3071343.

3: Pitiakoudis M, Zezos P, Oikonomou A, Kirmanidis M, Kouklakis G, Simopoulos C. Spontaneous idiopathic pneumoperitoneum presenting as an acute abdomen: a case report. *J Med Case Reports*. 2011 Feb 27;5:86. PubMed PMID: 21352588; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC3052194.

4: Pitiakoudis M, Zezos P, Courcoutsakis N, Papanas N, Giatromanolaki A, Sivridis E, Kouklakis G, Simopoulos C. Is laparoscopic resection the appropriate management of a jejunal gastrointestinal stromal tumor (GIST)? Report of a case. *Surg Laparosc Endosc Percutan Tech*. 2010 Oct;20(5):e160-3. PubMed PMID: 20975491.

5: Zezos P, Kouklakis G, Oikonomou A, Pitiakoudis M, Simopoulos C. Esophageal Crohn's disease treated "topically" with swallowed aerosolized budesonide. *Case Report Med*. 2010;2010. pii: 418769. Epub 2010 Sep 30. PubMed PMID: 20953371; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC2952909.

6: Koukourakis MI, Giatromanolaki A, Tsoutsou P, Lyratzopoulos N, Pitiakoudis M, Kouklakis G, Chloropoulou PA, Manolas K, Sivridis E. Bevacizumab, Capecitabine, Amifostine, and Preoperative Hypofractionated Accelerated Radiotherapy (HypoArc) for Rectal Cancer: A Phase II Study. *Int J Radiat Oncol Biol Phys*. 2011 Jun 1;80(2):492-8. Epub 2010 Jun 30. PubMed PMID: 20584585.

7: Kouklakis G, Zezos P, Liratzopoulos N, Pitiakoudis M, Efremidou E, Giatromanolaki A, Courcoutsakis N, Simopoulos C. Billroth II gastrectomy complicated by gastrojejuno-colonic fistulas, treated endoscopically with a cardiac septal defect closure device. *Endoscopy*. 2010;42 Suppl 2:E134-5. Epub 2010 Apr 19. PubMed PMID: 20405381.

8: Vounotrypidis P, Kouklakis G. The "soft collagen" hypothesis in the pathogenesis of the inflammatory bowel disease and the seronegative spondylarthritides. *Med Hypotheses*. 2010 Sep;75(3):284-6. Epub 2010 Mar 23. PubMed PMID: 20334983.

9: Vounotrypidis P, Efremidou E, Zezos P, Pitiakoudis M, Maltezos E, Lyratzopoulos N, Kouklakis G. Prevalence of joint hypermobility and patterns of articular manifestations in patients with inflammatory bowel disease. *Gastroenterol Res Pract*. 2009;2009:924138. Epub 2010 Feb 11. PubMed PMID: 20169104; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC2821781.

10: Koukourakis MI, Giatromanolaki A, Pitiakoudis M, Kouklakis G, Tsoutsou P, Abatzoglou I, Panteliadou M, Sismanidou K, Sivridis E, Boulikas T. Concurrent liposomal cisplatin (Lipoplatin), 5-fluorouracil and radiotherapy for the treatment of locally advanced gastric cancer: a phase I/II study. *Int J Radiat Oncol Biol Phys*. 2010 Sep 1;78(1):150-5. PubMed PMID: 20138443.