

**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**CURRENT POSITIONS**

<b>2000 -2024</b>	Professor and Head, Department of Radiation Oncology, Medical School, Democritus University of Thrace, Alexandroupolis, Greece  Vice President of the Medical School, Democritus University of Thrace (since 2017)
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**PREVIOUS POSITIONS**

<b>1998 -2000</b>	<b>Position</b> Assist. Professor and Head, Department of Radiation Oncology, Medical School, University of Thessaly, Larisa, Greece
<b>1994 -1998</b>	<b>Position</b> Consultant Radiation Oncologist, Department of Radiation Oncology, University Hospital of Heraklion, Crete, Greece
<b>1993 -1994</b>	<b>Position</b> Senior Registrar in Medical Oncology – British Council Fellowship, ICRF Clinical Oncology Unit, Churchill Hospital, University of Oxford, UK
<b>1987 -1991</b>	<b>Position</b> Registrar in Radiation Oncology, Saint Savvas Hospital, Hellenic Cancer Institute, Athens

## EDUCATION

<b>1980 -1986</b>	Medical Degree, National Kapodistrian University of Athens
<b>1986-1990</b>	Specialization in Radiation Oncology – Hellenic Cancer Institute / Saint Savvas Hospital Athens
<b>1989 -1991</b>	«Diplome d'Universite »"- Cancerologie Clinique" University of Paris VII, France
<b>1987-1992</b>	PhD in Medicine, University of Crete, Greece .
<b>1993-1994</b>	Post-doctoral studies in clinical trials at the ICRF Medical Oncology Unit, University of Oxford, UK, British Council Fellowship

## CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS

### SELECTED RECENT LECTURES

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9<sup>th</sup> Symposium on Advances in Cancer Immunology and Immunotherapy. Athens, Greece. November 20- December 2, 2023 Educational Lecture : Combining radiotherapy and immunotherapy</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 4<sup>th</sup> International Meeting on Lung Cancer, Athens 13-15 September 2023 Lecture : Clinical and experimental research in lung cancer immuno-RT</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 5ο Ογκολογικό Συνέδριο Κεντρικής Ελλάδας Λάρισα 12-14 Οκτωβρίου 2023 Ομιλία: Συνδυασμός Ακτινοθεραπείας και Ανοσοθεραπείας</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8<sup>th</sup> Symposium on Advances in Cancer Immunology and Immunotherapy. Athens, Greece. December 1-3 December, 2022 Plenary Lecture : Cancer Immuno-Radiotherapy: Balancing between immunosuppression and radio-vaccination</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 2nd Webinar of the Hellenic Oncological Society of Disapora. Therapeutic interventions and the Tumor Immune Microenvironment. 23 November 2022 Lecture : Modulation of the tumor microenvironment using radiotherapy</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 3rd International Meeting on Lung Cancer. Athens, Greece. 21-22 October 2022 Lecture : Combine radiotherapy with immunotherapy</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Masterclass on ImmunoOncology 2022. Athens, Greece. 30 June – 2 July, 2022 Lecture : Systemic Immune activation during Radiotherapy</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 7th Symposium on Advances in Cancer Immunology and Immunotherapy. Athens, Greece. December 2-4 December, 2021 Plenary Lecture Regulation of Radiotherapy and Immunotherapy by the Tumour Microenvironment</li> </ul>

### MEMBERSHIPS & REVIEWING ACTIVITIES

<b>2009 - 2024</b>	Reviewer of more than 150 papers in International Journals, including Science, Nature Communications, Br J Cancer, Cancers, Int J Radiat Oncol Biol Phys, Cancer Res, Eur J Cancer, PLOS Medicine and other
<b>2002-2024</b>	Reviewer in 20 international calls, including The Eli and Edythe L. Broad Foundation, Cancer Research UK, Research Grants Council (RGC) of Hong Kong, Health Research Board Ireland, Fondation Contre le Cancer Belgium, Luxembourg National Research Fund (FNR), The Dutch Cancer Society, Swiss National Science Foundation and other
<b>1987 - 2024</b>	<p><i>Member of the Following Societies:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <i>Ελληνική Εταιρία Ακτινοθεραπευτικής Ογκολογίας (Ιδρυτικό μέλος)</i></li> <li>2. <i>American Association for Cancer Research (A.A.C.R.).</i></li> <li>3. <i>American Society of Clinical Oncology (A.S.C.O.)</i></li> <li>4. <i>American Society for Therapeutic Radiology and Oncology (A.S.T.R.O.)</i></li> <li>5. <i>European Society for Therapeutic Radiology &amp; Oncology (E.S.T.R.O.)</i></li> <li>6. <i>EHNS-European Head and Neck Society Membership N° 2636</i></li> <li>7. <i>Tumour and Angiogenesis Research Group (T.A.R.G) (Ιδρυτικό μέλος)</i></li> <li>8. <i>Ελληνική Εταιρεία Υπερθερμικής ογκολογίας (Ιδρυτικό μέλος)</i></li> <li>9. <i>Hellenic Society of Head and Neck Cancer)</i></li> </ol>

### TEACHING ACTIVITIES

<b>2000 - 2024</b>	Teaching of the obligatory lesson “Oncology” for the Medical Students of the Medical School, Democritus University of Thrace
<b>2000 - 2024</b>	Teaching of the choice subject “Exposure to Radiation-Medical Care” for the Medical Students of the Medical School, Democritus University of Thrace
<b>2010 - 2024</b>	Teaching in many Master Degree classes (Clinical Pharmacology, Translational Research, Biomedicine, Bioethics etc.), Medical School, Democritus University of Thrace and Other Universities

### SUPERVISION OF GRADUATE STUDENTS & POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWS

<b>2008 - 2024</b>	<p>Democritus University of Thrace, Greece:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Supervised 8 post-doctoral Research Scientists,</li> <li>• Supervisor of 10 PhD students who accomplished their Thesis – currently 5 are ongoing</li> <li>• Member of the 3/7-member supervising committee for 20 PhD Thesis</li> <li>• Supervised 15 MSc students for their Thesis in various MSc Courses</li> <li>• Supervised 30 Graduation Thesis for the School of Molecular Biology and Genetics</li> </ul>

## FELLOWSHIPS and AWARDS

<b>1994</b>	British Council Fellowship
<b>Editorial Board</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•British Journal of Cancer ( <a href="http://www.nature.com/bjc/about/editor.html">http://www.nature.com/bjc/about/editor.html</a>)</li> <li>•Cancers (<a href="https://www.mdpi.com/journal/cancers/editors">https://www.mdpi.com/journal/cancers/editors</a>)</li> <li>•Current Oncology (<a href="https://www.mdpi.com/journal/curroncol/editors">https://www.mdpi.com/journal/curroncol/editors</a> )</li> <li>•World Journal of Gastrointestinal Oncology (<a href="http://www.wjgnet.com/1948-5204/edboard.htm">http://www.wjgnet.com/1948-5204/edboard.htm</a> )</li> <li>•Lasers in Health</li> </ul>
<b>2022 and 2024</b>	Award for the distinction regarding the inclusion in the Stanford list (Democritus University of Thrace)

## RESEARCH GRANTS

Project Title	Funding source	Period	Role of the PI
ARISTEAI I	ESPA 2007-2013	2012-2015	PI
ARISTEIA II	ESPA 2007-2013	2014-2015	Responsible for WPs
Infrastructures and Education	ΕΠΙΧΕΙΡΗΣΙΑΚΟ ΠΡΟΓΡΑΜΜΑ ΜΑΚΕΔΟΝΙΑΣ - ΘΡΑΚΗΣ	2007-2013	PI Installation of the IVIS Kinetics live animal imaging system in the D.U.Th
Potential role of ARN-509, a compound targeting the hormone-refractory prostate cancer in the Radio-sensitization of prostate cancer	JANSSEN PHARMACEUTICA NV, Belgium	2016-2018	PI
Determination of genomic and transcriptomic prognostic bio-signatures in head and neck cancer	RESEARCH-CREATE-INNOVATE European Regional Development Fund	2020-2023	Responsible for WPs

## SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENTS

Included in the University of Stanford Analysis of top 2% scientists  
 Data for "Updated science-wide author databases of standardized citation indicators"  
 Published: 08-10-2020|Version 2|DOI:10.17632/btchxktzyw.2  
 Contributors: Jeroen Baas, Kevin Boyack, John Ioannidis  
 PLoS Biol 18(10): e3000918. <https://data.mendeley.com/datasets/btchxktzyw/2>  
 International:  
 All Sciences : Ranking 13.591 (among the top 150.000 included scientists)  
 Biology/Medicine Ranking 7.777 (among the top 63.573 included scientists)  
 Cancer Ranking 658 (among the top 4.734 included scientists)

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**PUBLICATIONS**

Total number	392	PUBMED
Citations (excluding self)	25.745	SCOPUS
H-index	70	SCOPUS

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**TABLE OF PUBLICATIONS IN SELECTED HIGH IMPACT JOURNALS**

<b>JOURNAL</b>	<b>Impact Factor</b>	<b>No papers</b>
Journal of Clinical Oncology	45.3	4
Autophagy	13.3	6
American Journal of Gastroenterology	12.0	2
Blood	20.3	1
Cancer Research	13.3	7
Clinical Cancer Research	13.8	16
Cancer Treatment Reviews	13.6	1
British Journal of Cancer	9.0	23
International Journal Radiation Oncology Biology Physics	8.0	18
Chest	9.6	1
Journal of Pathology	9.8	8
Cancer Letters	9.7	2
European Journal of Cancer	10.0	2
International Journal of Cancer	6.4	3
Cancer	6.9	4
Critical Reviews in Oncology Hematology	6.2	1
Lung Cancer	6.0	4