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EDUCATION

Ph.D.- American Literature/Ethnic Literature. Arizona State University, Tempe,
Az 1979-84.
M.A.- University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati Ohio. 1974-76.
B.A.- English, Aristotle University, Thessaloniki, Greece. 1970-74.

DISSERTATION

"Between Two Worlds: Ethnicity and the Greek American Writer" (1984).

PUBLICATIONS

In English

Books (Editor)

Nationalism and Sexuality: Crises of Identity. Thessaloniki: HELAAS
Publications (American Studies in Greece vol. 2), 1996.

Transcultural Localisms: Responding to Ethnicity in a Globalized World. With
Eleftheria Arapoglou and Linda Manney. Heidelberg: Universitätsverlag C.
Winter, 2006.

Journals

The Gender of Reading. Gamma 1. (1993) With Ruth Parkin Gounelas.

Of People and Places: Decentering Ethnicity. Gramma 6. (1998) With Michalis Chrysanthopoulos.

Articles

"Greek-American Literature: An Introduction and an Annotated Bibliography of Personal Narratives Fiction and Poetry." *Ethnic Forum*, 5 no 1,2 (Fall 1985): 106-128.

"Disintegration and Integration: Cultural Change and the Greek-American Ethos in H.M.Petrakis's Fiction" *MELUS*, 13, no 3,4 (Fall 1986): 27-36.

"Greek-American Literature: An Essay and a Bibliographic Supplement." *Ethnic Forum*, 7 no 2 (1987): 102-115.

"*When the Tree Sings*: Magic Realism and the Carnavalesque in a Greek-American Narrative." *The International Fiction Review*, 16, no 1 (1989): 32-38.

"A Child of the Orient as American Storyteller: Demetra Vaka-Brown." *Working Papers of the English Department, Aristotle University*, (1989): 187-193.

"Suspended Souls, Ensnaring Discourses: Theano Papazoglou-Margaris' Immigration Stories." *Journal of Modern Greek Studies, Special Issue: Empowering the Minor*, 8 no 2 (1990): 85-96.

"Historical Representation and the Cultural Legitimation of the Subject in Ethnic Personal Narratives." *College Literature, Special Issue: Teaching Minority Literature*, 18, no 3 (1991): 30-43."

"Narrating an Ethnic Group." *Journal of the Hellenic Diaspora*, 18. 2 (1992): 13-34.

"Narrating an Ethnic Group: Historians and the Construction of Greek America." *English Department Yearbook* vol. 3 (1991-92): 197-214.

"*Eleni*: Hellenizing the Subject, Westernizing the Discourse." *MELUS*, 18.2 (1993): 77-89.

"Ethnographia and Nationalistic Anxieties: The Short Stories of Konstantinos Kazantzis." *Journal of the Hellenic Diaspora*, 22.1 (1995): 85-114.

"'The Other Space' of Greek America." *American Literary History*, 10: 4 (1998): 702-724.

- "Contested, Familiar and Exotic Spaces: The Politics of Demetra Vaka Brown's Identity." Introduction to Demetra Vaka Brown's *Haremlik: Some Pages from the Life of Turkish Women*. New Jersey: Gorgias Press, 2004: 5-25.
- "Translating Ethnicity from Fiction to Film: Albert Isaac Bezzerides." *Journal of Modern Hellenism*, 21-22 (2004-05): 17-41.
- "The Decline of Her Oriental Tale: Demetra Vaka Brown Sketches the End of the Ottoman Empire." Introduction to Demetra Vaka Brown's *The Unveiled Ladies of Stamboul*. New Jersey: Gorgias Press, 2005: 5-30.
- "Are Armenians White? Reading Elia Kazan's *America, America*." Cambridge Scholarly Publications. Forthcoming (2008).

Chapters in Books.

- "Greek American Literature: Who Needs It? Some Canonical Issues Concerning the Fate of an Ethnic Literature." *New Directions in Greek American Studies*. Dan Georgakas, Charles Moskos editors. Pella Publishing Company, 1991: 129-141.
- "Ethnic Heterotopias of Crisis and the American "New Thing": Theodore Saloutos and the Construction of Greek American Identity." *Hellenism and the US: Constructions and Deconstructions*. Thessaloniki: HELAAS Publications (American Studies in Greece vol. 1), (1994): 185-192.
- "Producing History and Telling Stories: Maxine Hong Kingston's *China Men*, Zeese Papanikolas' *Buried Unsung*." In *Memory and Cultural Politics: New Approaches to Ethnic American Literatures* Joseph T. Skerrett Jr and Amritjit Singh editors. Northeastern UP, 1996: 227-244.
- "Greek American Immigrant Literature Since World War II." *New Immigrant Literatures in the US: A Sourcebook to Our Multicultural Literary Heritage*. Editor Alpana Knippling Greenwood Press, 1996: 253-263.
- "Preface." In *Nationalism and Sexuality: Crises of Identity*. Edited by Yiorgos Kalogeras, Domna Pastourmatzi. HELAAS Publications, 1996: 5-6.
- "Nationalism Unveiled: A Greek American View of the Harem." *Women Creators of Culture*. Editor K. Georgoudaki and D. Pastourmatzi, 1997: 107-116.

"Hellenic Diaspora, Greek Immigrants, Americans of Hellenic Descent: Understanding Greek Migration to the U.S.A." In Politics and Cultural Memory. Edited by Martha Klironomos, Helen Nickas, Smaro Kamboureli. Forthcoming by Rodopi Press.

In Greek

Book (Editor)

Toni Morrison. Thessaloniki: HELAAS Publications, 1995.

Konstantinos Kazantzis. Istories tis patridos mou. Athens:Typothito, 2001.

Book

Ethnic Geographies:Socio-Cultural Identifications of a Migration. Katarti, 2007.

Articles

"Greek-American Literature: An Introduction." *Grammata ke Technes*, 49 (Jan-Feb 1987): 29-32.

"Magic Realism in American Literature: The Case of Ethnic and Minority Literatures." *Porphyras*, 41-42 (1987): 305-308.

"Narrative and Interpretation in *The Grapes of Wrath*." *Diavazo*, 173 (1987): 29-31.

"Larrouse and Laforet: American or Afro-American Literature?" *Entefktirion*, 6 (1989): 75-78.

"...like amnesiacs in a ward on fire: Ethnic Discourse in American Literature." *Diavazo*, 237 (1990): 20-24.

"*Moby Dick*: Nationalism and Fantasy in a Democratic American Tragedy." *Entefktirion*, 19, (June 1992): 72-75.

"Publications and Interpretations of a Life: *The Autobiography of Elisavet Moutzan-Martinengou*. *Gamma*, Special Issue: *The Gender of Reading*, vol. 1, (1993): 63-85.

"Forbidden and Dangerous Ethnic Landscapes: The Personal Narratives of Demetra Vaka Brown." *Porphyras* 67-68, (1994): 16-22

"Ethnic Geographies: Theodore Saloutos and the Invention of Greek American Identity." *Simion* 2, (1993-94): 131-140.

"An Ottoman Subject as Politician and Scholar of the Hellenic Diaspora" *Gamma*, 6 (1998): 61-85.

"Hellenism and the USA: Scholarly and Literary Exchanges." *Diavazo*, March 1999: 113-117.

"Nationalism Unveiled: A Greek American Journalist in the Ottoman Harems of Istanbul" *Sinxrona Themata*, December 2000: 180-186.

Chapters in Books.

"Excavating for the Future in *Song of Solomon*." In *Toni Morrison*. Ed. Yiorgos Kalogeras and Domna Pastourmatzi. Thessaloniki: HELAAS, 1995: 83-97.

"Larrouse and Laforet: Dilemmas and Propositions of Afro American Literature." In *Toni Morrison*. Ed. Yiorgos Kalogeras and Domna Pastourmatzi. Thessaloniki: HELAAS, 1995:193-206.

"Contact Zones and Transition Narratives: The Literary Circles of Greek Immigration." In *Contemporary Greek Prose: International Orientations and Crossings* Editors Dora Tsimpouki and Angeliki Spyropoulou. Athens: Alexandria Publications, 2002: 69-85.

"Ethnicity and Class Struggles: The Narrativization of an Incompatible Relation" In the Greek translation of *Buried Unsung: Louis Tikas and the Ludlow Massacre*. By Zeese Papanikolas. Athens: Katarti Publications, 2002: 19-31.

"Greek American Literature in the Classroom: A Proposal." In *Literature of the Diaspora and Transculturation*. Editors Michalis Damanakis, Yiannis Mitrofanis .Rethymno, 2004: 24-32.

"Unfixing the Boundaries, Patrolling the Borders: Greek American Political and Literary Responses to the Question of the Greco-Albanian Frontier in Epirus, 1912-1919." In *Issues of Identity in the Hellenic Diaspora: Literature, Language*. Edited by Roula Tsokalidou and Marita Papparousi, Athens: Metaichmio, 2005: 167-183.

Work in Progress

In English.

Articles.

"Entering the Golden Door: Cinematic Representations of a Mythical Moment."

“The Problematic of a "New" Identity: The Greek Presence in the U.S.A. and the Writing of Fiction”

“Helen Papanikolas as Fiction Writer.”

“Source Texts and Hypertexts in Two Greek Films on Immigration.”

Book.

“Immigration in Film: A Comparative Approach to the Greek and Italian Paradigm.”

In Greek

Article.

“Diasporic Literature as Transnational Literature: Some Observations Concerning Greek Australian Literature.”

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

a. Chair

May 22, 2004-Chaired session at the 4th MESEA conference of Thessaloniki, Greece.

Oct. 24, 2003-Chaired session at Symposium on Literature of the Diaspora, Rethymnon, Crete

May 16 and May 17, 2003-Chaired sessions at Joint International Conference of HASE and HELAAS, Thessaloniki, Greece.

June 28, 2002-Chaired session at the 3rd MESEA conference, Padua, Italy.

May 8, 1998-Chaired session at 3rd Intern. Conference of HASE. Thessaloniki, Greece.

Nov. 1, 1997-Chaired session at pedagogy conference. Thessaloniki, Greece.

Nov. 1, 1996-Chaired session at 5th Meeting of Greek Literature. Thessaloniki, Greece.

May 18-21, 1995-Organized 2nd International Conference of the Hellenic Association of American Studies "Nationalism and Sexuality: Crises of Identity"

May 18, 1995-Chaired session at 2nd International Conference of HAAS.

May 22, 1993-Chaired session on Greek American Sociology. Thessaloniki.

April 2, 1993-Chaired session on *Logomachia*. Thessaloniki.

May 14, 1992-Chaired a session on Women/Literature/Theory. Thessaloniki.

May 17, 1988-Chaired Symposium on Black American Studies, Thessaloniki, Greece.

b. Papers presented at conferences, symposia, colloquia.

Conferences

June 28, 2008- Cinematic Transtextuality: Industry, Institutions and National Culture. Leiden, Holland.

June 15, 2007-Are Armenians White? Reading Elia Kazan's *America-America*. Joensuu, Finland.

March 15, 2007-Lecture on Kazan's *America, America*. "Ex-centric Narratives: Identity and Multivocality in Anglo-American Cultures" Thessaloniki, Greece. **Plenary**.

April 8, 2006-Lecture on Elia Kazan. Symposium on "Diaspora: Exchanges and Interculturalism", Thessaloniki, Greece. **Invited**.

Sept. 30, 2005-Lecture on Albert Bezzeries, Symposium on "Nation-State and its Others", Istanbul, Turkey, **Invited**.

June 11, 2005-Lecture on the Ottoman harems at the conference "Gender and Equality." University of Thessaly. Volos.

May 20, 2004-Opening lecture at 4th MESEA conference, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece.

October 24, 2003-Paper presented at "Literature of the Diaspora", Rethymnon, Crete, **Invited**.

June 28, 2002-Paper presented at "Sites of Ethnicity: Europe and the United States, Padua, Italy.

March 2, 2002-Paper presented at "Ethnicities Matter: Restoring Agency to "White Ethnics." Columbus, Ohio, U.S.A. **Invited.**

October 5, 2001-Paper presented at "Armenian and Greek Diaspora", Athens, Greece. **Invited.**

January 26, 2001-Paper presented at "Greek Literature in an International Context," Athens, Greece. **Invited.**

May 27, 2000-**Plenary** presented at "Culture Agonistes: Text Against Text," Athens, Greece

April 10, 1997-Round table on "Ethnicity and the City" Thessaloniki, Greece.

April 10, 1997-Paper presented at "The City: The American and European Experiences" Thessaloniki Greece.

March 21, 1997-Paper presented at "Women Creators of Culture" Thessaloniki Greece.

Oct. 31, 1996-Paper presented at "Greeks and Others in our Prose". Thessaloniki, Greece. **Invited.**

July 6, 1996-Paper presented at "Hellenic Diaspora: Problems and Prospects" Kos, Greece. **Invited.**

Nov. 5, 1993-Paper presented at "Autobiographical Discourse" Thessaloniki.

May 22, 1993-Paper presented at "Hellenism and the US". Thessaloniki.

Oct. 11, 1992-Paper presented at the 4th Symposium of the Semeotics Society, Thessaloniki.

Nov. 3, 1990-Paper presented at A.S.A, Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Dec. 29, 1989-Paper presented at MELUS/MLA Conference, Washington, D.C.

May 13, 1989-Paper presented at Greek American Studies Conference, U. of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Oct. 29, 1988-Paper presented at A.S.A Conference, Miami Beach, Florida.

Nov. 24, 1987-Paper presented at A.S.A. Conference, New York.

Symposia.

Oct. 7, 2004-Paper presented at Greek Australian Studies Symposium, Thessaloniki, Greece.

April 17, 2000-Paper presented at American Studies Seminar, Thessaloniki, Greece.

Nov. 10, 1999-Paper presented at Department colloqium, Thessaloniki, Greece.

Nov. 21, 1998-Paper presented at symposium on "Greeks and their Topoi" Brown University. **Invited.**

Dec. 1997-Paper presented at symposium on "Greek Diaspora Women." Athens, Greece. **Invited.**

Nov. 1997-Paper presented at symposium on "Greek Literature in Europe and Beyond" Harvard University, U.S.A. **Invited.**

March 18, 1994-Paper presented at "Toni Morrison: A Tribute" Thessaloniki.

Oct. 21, 1992-Paper presented at symposium on the Diaspora at Vafopouleion Cultural Center, Thessaloniki.

Oct. 16, 1992-Paper presented at symposium on the Diaspora Vafopouleion Cultural Center, Thessaloniki.

May 13, 1992-Paper presented at symposium on "Aspects of American Culture." Thessaloniki.

Colloquia.

April 22, 2004- Paper presented at Hellenic Studies Program, University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida. **Invited.**

April 21, 2004- Paper presented at Hellenic Studies Program, University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida. **Invited.**

April 15, 2004- Paper presented at Hellenic Studies Program, University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida. **Invited.**

April 14, 2004-Paper presented at Hellenic Studies Program, University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida. **Invited.**

April 8, 2004-Paper presented at history class Brown University, Providence, RI. **Invited.**

April 7, 2004-Paper presented at Hellenic Studies Program, Brown University, Providence, RI. **Invited.**

April 6, 2004-Paper presented at undergraduate seminar, Brown University, Providence, RI. **Invited.**

April 1, 2004-Paper presented at Graduate Seminar, SUNY Stony Brook, New York. **Invited.**

March 29, 2004-Paper presented at Hellenic Studies Seminar, Columbia University, New York. **Invited.**

November 11, 2003-Paper presented at the Modern Greek Studies Graduate Seminar, Aristotle U. of Thessaloniki. **Invited.**

April 9, 2003-Paper presented at the CUNY Graduate Seminar, New York. **Invited.**

March, 28, 2003-Paper presented at the Program of Hellenic Studies, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey. **Invited.**

Nov 26, 1996-Public lecture presented at the University of Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus. **Invited.**

Nov 25, 1996-Paper presented at the University of Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus. **Invited.**

Feb. 2, 1995-Paper presented at Harvard University, Cambridge Massachusetts. **Invited.**

Jan. 25, 1995-Paper presented at the Onassis Center, New York University, New York. **Invited.**

Jan. 24, 1995-The Kimon Doukas lecture, Columbia University, New York. **Invited.**

Dec. 16, 1992-Paper presented at the Dept of English Seminar on Problematics of Literature, Thessaloniki.

March, 1990-Paper presented at Dept of English Seminar on Problematics of Literature, Thessaloniki.

Feb. 3, 1989-Paper presented at Dept of English Seminar on Problematics of Literature, Thessaloniki.

Feb. 1, 1988-Paper presented at Dept of English Seminar on Problematics of Literature, Thessaloniki.

Jan. 7, 1988-Paper presented at San Diego Seminar on Greek Americans.

c. Distinctions.

2004-Present- MESEA Program Chair.

1998-Present International Advisory Board for *Working Papers Series in Cultural Studies, Ethnicity, and Race Relations*.

1993-Founder of HELAAS publications

1991-1993 and 1993-95-Founder and first chair of the Hellenic Association for American Studies (HELAAS).

1991- Present-Associate editor of the *Journal of the Hellenic Diaspora*.

1990-92-Founder and co-editor of *Gamma: A Journal of Theory and Criticism*.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Assistant Chair of The Department of English Aristotle University, 2006-2008.

Director of Graduate Studies, 2005-Present.

Aristotle University Representative at DOATAP (2005-Present).

Judge at the I.K.Y. Examinations (2005-Present).

Chair of the Department of American Literature and Culture, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece. 1994-1995,1997-1999, 2004-2007.

Professor-English Department, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece. 2000.

Associate Professor-English Department, Aristotle University, Thessaloniki, Greece. 1993-2000.

Assistant Professor-English Department, Aristotle University, Thessaloniki, Greece. 1989-1993.

Lecturer-English Department, Aristotle University, Thessaloniki, Greece. 1986-1989.

Lecturer-English Department, University of San Diego, San Diego, California. 1985-1986.

Graduate Associate-English Department, Arizona State University, Tempe Az 1980-1985.

HONORS

Onassis Foundation Distinguished Senior Scholar for Spring 2004.

Princeton University Fellowship for the Hellenic Studies Program March-April 2003.

E.A.A.S. Grant to attend the Bordeaux conference, 2002.

The Helen Papanikolas' Research Grant, Harvard University 1996.

U.S.I.A Voluntary Visitor Research Grant, Columbia University, Georgetown University, Ohio State University, Harvard University. Jan-Feb 1995.

E.A.A.S. Grant to attend the Luxembourg Conference, 1994.

A.S.A. Grant to attend New Orleans Conference, 1990.

A.S.A Grant to attend New York Conference, 1987.

Dissertation Grant, Arizona State University, 1984.

Graduate Fellowship, Arizona State University, 1979-80.

Graduate Scholarship, University of Cincinnati, 1974-76.

Fick Scholarship, University of Cincinnati, 1974-76.

Fulbright Scholarship, 1974-76.

Exchange Student Grant, University of Sophia, Bulgaria. 1972-73.

Undergraduate Fellowship, Aristotle University, Thessaloniki, Greece, 1970-74.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Studies Association (A.S.A.)

Modern Language Association of America (MLA).

Hellenic Association for American Studies (HELAAS).

Hellenic Association for English Studies (HASE).

European Association of American Studies (EAAS).

Multiethnic Studies Europe and the Americas (MESEA)