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RESEARCH INTERESTS

My research interests focus on critical discourse analysis and how metaphors and metonymies contribute to the study of discourses, such as the discourse of financial crisis and the discourse of migration. Sociolinguistics, psycholinguistics and first/second language acquisition are additional areas of interest.

EDUCATION

Master of Arts in Language and Culture in the German-speaking Area, Specialization in Linguistics and Didactics

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece

Faculty of Philosophy, School of German Language and Literature

October 2015-Present

Bachelor of Arts in German Language and Literature, Specialization in Linguistics and Didactics (First Class Honors)

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece

Faculty of Philosophy, School of German Language and Literature

September 2011-July 2015

BACHELOR THESIS

‘Η οικονομική κρίση στον γερμανικό τύπο: Κριτικές αναλύσεις λόγου με έμφαση στη μεταφορά’

July 2015

CONFERENCE PRESENTATION

‘Sprichwörter und andere Phraseologismen’, Despoina Tsakiri,

Conference: ‘Kommunikation und Sprichwörter – Παροιμίες – Atasözleri’,

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Goethe-Institut Thessaloniki,

Thessaloniki

20th January 2012

SCHOLARSHIP	Exchange Scholarship (AUTh) Subtitling and film montage of German lessons Video recording of the conference ‘Ψυχολογία και σχολείο: Ο ρόλος των διαγνώσεων’ <i>February 2014-November 2014</i>
VOLUNTEERING	2nd Didactics Conference, School of German Language and Literature, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki Receptionist <i>14th June 2014</i>
MEMBERSHIP	Cognitive Linguistics Reading Group, School of English Language and Literature, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki
WORKING EXPERIENCE	1st Model Experimental Primary School of Thessaloniki Internship: Observation of teaching process and teaching <i>April 2015-May 2015</i> 54th Primary School of Thessaloniki Internship: Observation of teaching process and teaching <i>March 2015-April 2015</i> Anatolia College Internship: Observation of teaching process and teaching <i>March 2015</i> Private German tutor Elementary and Proficiency levels September 2012-Present
LANGUAGES	Greek: Mother tongue German: C2 level English: C2 level Dutch: Elementary knowledge
COMPUTER SKILLS	Good use of: MS Windows XP/Vista/7/8/8.1/10 Microsoft Office Adobe Acrobat Pro, Nero 2015 Platinum Subtitling programs: Subtitle Edit, Subtitle Workshop