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Nationality Greek, Swedish

**Work experience**

Dates 1985-onwards

Occupation or position held Researcher/ research director<sup>1</sup> at the National Centre for Social Research (NCSR)

Main activities and responsibilities Engaged in Research on discrimination, poverty, deprivation, social exclusion, social economy, ageing and social demography issues

Name and address of employer National Centre for Social Research, Av. Kratinou 9 & Athinas, 10552 Athens

Type of business or sector National Research Centre

Dates 2008- 2012

Occupation or position held Acting director, Institute for Social Policy, National Centre for Social Research<sup>2</sup>

Main activities and responsibilities Engaged in research on poverty, social inequalities: social exclusion and social policy issues, discrimination and social demography

Name and address of employer National Centre for Social Research, Av. Kratinou 9 & Athinas, 10552 Athens

Type of business or sector National Research Centre

Dates 2013- 2015

Occupation or position held Vice director, Institute for Social Research, National Centre for Social Research

Main activities and responsibilities Responsible for the development and execution of the Institute's research strategy. Engaged in research on discrimination, poverty, social inequalities: social exclusion and social policy issues

Name and address of employer National Centre for Social Research, Av. Kratinou 9 & Athinas, 10552 Athens

Type of business or sector National Research Centre

Dates 1996-2002

Occupation or position held Visiting Assistant Professor

<sup>1</sup> Since 2006.

<sup>2</sup> Since March 2012, the three Institutes of the National Centre for Social Research have been merged into one Institute (Institute for Social Research)

Main activities and responsibilities	Lecturing: "Economics", "Population Geography",
Name and address of employer	University of the Aegean, School of Geography, University Hill , Mytilene 81100 Greece
Type of business or sector	Aegean University (University)
Dates	2006- onwards
Occupation or position held	Lecturer
Main activities and responsibilities	Lecturing: "Demographic structure of the Greek society" (postgraduate course) <sup>1</sup> "
Name and address of employer	Panteion university, Department of Sociology, 136, Sygrou Avenue, 176 71 Athens, Greece
Type of business or sector	University
<b>Education and training</b>	
Dates	1983
Title of qualification awarded	Bachelor of Social Science
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Mathematics, Statistics, Economics
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Uppsala University – Sweden (Department of Mathematics, Department of Economics, Department of Statistics) <sup>2</sup>
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 5
Dates	1984
Title of qualification awarded	Advanced Bachelor of Social Science
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Economics, Statistics <sup>3</sup> . Thesis: 'Consumption of durable goods in Sweden: An econometric approach'.
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Uppsala University – Sweden (Department of Economics, Department of Statistics)
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 5
Dates	1986
Title of qualification awarded	Postgraduate research studies in Statistics

<sup>1</sup> In collaboration with professor Nota Kyriazi, since 2010.

<sup>2</sup> According to the Swedish system, a minimum of 120 points is required for a bachelor's degree (my degree was 40 point Mathematics, 40 points Economics and 40 points Social Statistics, 3 years of studies).

<sup>3</sup> 60 points Economics, 60 points Social Statistics and 40 points Mathematics (four year studies).

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Statistical Multivariate Methods, Econometrics				
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Uppsala University (Department of Statistics)				
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 5				
Dates	1988-1989				
Title of qualification awarded	Master degree (two –year course)				
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Regional Development. Thesis title: “Population and development in Greece: Current Trends, Patterns and Interpretation”				
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Department of Regional Development, Panteion University, Athens				
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 5				
Dates	1989-1993				
Title of qualification awarded	PhD				
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Thesis Title: ‘Demographic aspects of income distribution’. The data used were derived from the European research project: ‘Indicators of Poverty and Adequacy of Social Security; Methodological considerations and comparative results for seven countries: Belgium, The Netherlands, Luxembourg, Ireland, Lorraine, Catalonia and Greece’. <sup>1</sup>				
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Department of Economic and Regional Development, Panteion University, Athens				
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 6				
<b>Mother tongue(s)</b>	Greek, Swedish				
Other language(s)					
Self-assessment European level (*)	<b>Understanding</b>		<b>Speaking</b>		<b>Writing</b>
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
<b>English</b>	C1 Proficient user	C1 Proficient user	C1 Proficient user	C1 Proficient user	C1 Independent user

<sup>1</sup> For more details see: ‘Indicators of Poverty and Adequacy of Social Security: Methodological Considerations and Comparative Results for Seven Countries: Belgium, The Netherlands, Luxembourg, Ireland, Lorraine, Catalonia and Greece : Second Specific Community Action to Combat Poverty’. H. Deleeck, K. van den Bosch, L.de Lathouwer (eds), Center for Social Policy, University of Antwerp, 1991.

The research project for Greece was conducted by a research team from the NCSR, with prof. Y. Yfantopoulos as the principal investigator, and Balourdos, Kostaki et al. as members of the research team.

**Computer skills and competences**

(\*) *Common European Framework of Reference for Languages*

Competent with most Microsoft Office programmes and Statistical programmes such as SPSS

**Publications -books**

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- Phellas, C., Balourdos, D. 2015, Researching Society: Contemporary Research Methods in Researching Social Issues. Athens: Papazisis Publishing House. (in Greek)
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- Balourdos D., Chrysakis E., 2012, Combating discrimination in Greece: trends, challenges and perspectives. Athens: Papazisis Publishing House. (in Greek)
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- Teperoglou A., Balourdos D. Tzortzopoulou M., 2000, Characteristics of the young population of the province of Thessaloniki. Athens, NCSR (in Greek).
- Symeonidou H, Douligeris V., Kappi Ch., Magdalinos M., Maratou L., Balourdos D., Pappas P., Samartzi M., 1997,

Socio-economic factors affecting fertility, vol. B', Analysis for the rest of Greece. Athens NCSR (in Greek).

Balourdos D., 1997, Demographic aspects of income distribution. Athens, NCSR. (in Greek)

### Chapters in Collective volumes

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Balourdos D., 2014, Effects of the Economic Crisis on Poverty in Greece. In Petropoulos N., Tsobanoglou G., 'The Debt Crisis in the Eurozone: Social Impacts', Cambridge Scholars Publishing.

Tsiganou, J., Balourdos, D., 2013, Questioning differential drug treatment among nationally diverse populations. In 'Snapshots of social drug research in Europe', by Fountain, Jane; Wouters, Marije; Korf, Dirk J. (Eds.), PABST SCIENCE PUBLISHERS, Germany.

Balourdos D., 2012, "Income inequality and political behavior". In Pabliakou V., Stathopoulou T., Stratoudaki H. (eds): *INSTITUTIONS- VALUES- PRACTICES: Interpretation of the ESS key findings (2008-2009)*.<sup>1</sup> Athens, NCSR. (in Greek).

Balourdos D., 2012, "Poverty and economic deprivation: An approach beyond the conventional poverty thresholds", in Thanopoulou M., Maratou-Alipranti L., Teperoglou A. Fronimou E. (eds), *Aspects of Sociology in Greece today*, Honorary volume – Dedicated to the memory of Professor Labiri –Dimaki. Athens, Sakkoulas (in Greek).

Balourdos D., Naoumi M., 2010, "Poverty in Greece. Comparative figures with other EU countries", in Naoumi M., Papapetrou G., Spyropoulou N., Fronimou E., Chrysakis E. (eds), *The Social Portrait of Greece 2010*, Institute of Social Policy- National Centre for Social Research, Athens (in Greek).

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- Balourdos D., Yfantopoulos Y., 2007, 'Economic inequality and poverty in Greece: some results from EU-SILC survey'. *Greek Review of Social Research* No 122, A. (in Greek).
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- Petropoulos N., Balourdos D., 2002, 'Fertility among Greek Migrant Returnees'. *SPOUDAI journal*, Vol 52 (3). Part of the study has been presented at the 14th World Congress of Sociology, Montréal, Québec.
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- Balourdos D., Yfantopoulos Y., 1999, 'Family, poverty and social exclusion'. *Greek Review of Social Research* vol. 98-99: *Contemporary family: interdisciplinary approaches*, special issue (in Greek).
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- Balourdos D., 1997, 'Demographic transition and the demographic problem of Greece'. *Greek Review of Social Research*, vol 99, pp. 3-44 (in Greek).
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## **Conferences, oral presentations, scientific workshops**

2016: International Sociological Association (ISA) Research Committee Sociotechnics and Sociological Practice (ISA-RC26). Sociology of Work Laboratory, Sociology Department, University of the Aegean are organizing an International Conference on: Active Communities, Social-Economy Challenges and Local Knowledge. VENUE House of Literature (Pantheon Hotel) Lefkes, Paros, Greece, 18-21 July 2016

Thursday 19 /7/2016, Morning session:

Oral presentation: “Urban Poverty and Multilevel Governance in Greece: current situation, trends and prospects”.

Dionyssi Balourdos *National Center for Social Research, Greece*

2016: Third International Sociological Association (ISA) Forum of Sociology, Vienna, Austria, 10-14 July 2016 on the theme “The Futures We Want: Global Sociology and the Struggles for a Better World.”

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Tuesday, 12 July 2016: 10:45-12:15

Location: Hörsaal 6D P (Neues Institutsgebäude (NIG))

RC26 Sociotechnics, Sociological Practice (host committee)

Oral Presentation:

Multidimensional Poverty, Multilevel Governance and Poverty Reduction Strategies in Times of Austerity

Dionyssi BALOURDOS, *National Center for Social Research, Greece*

2015:

International Conference: “*The development of local social innovation Strategies in recessionary times*”. Organised by the NCSR, TEI of Athens, Institute for Commerce and Services, National Confederation of Hellenic Commerce, The

Small Enterprises' Institute of the Hellenic Confederation of Professionals, Craftsmen and Merchants (IME GSEVEE), Nostos" Organization for Social Integration and KEK IEKEP Under the auspices of the municipality of Athens

Chair at the first panel

2015:

12th ESA conference. *'Differences, Inequalities and Sociological Imagination'*. Prague 25-28 August.

A. Social Inequalities, Demographic Diversity and the Well-being of Families in Europe in the Context of the Economic Crisis: Patterns and Common Challenges – A, RN08

Chairs: Tsiganou, Joanna EKKE, Athens, Greece, Balourdos, Dionyssidis  
National Centre for Social Research, EKKE, Athens, Greece

B. Social Inequalities, Demographic Diversity and the Well-being of Families in Europe in the Context of the Economic Crisis: Patterns and Common Challenges – A, RN08

Chairs: Balourdos, Dionyssidis  
National Centre for Social Research, EKKE, Athens, Greece

Tsiganou, Joanna EKKE, Athens, Greece

2015:

12th ESA conference. *'Differences, Inequalities and Sociological Imagination'*. Prague 25-28 August.

A) Demography and poverty: How Europe's changing population will impact on poverty

Oral presentation,

Dionyssidis Balourdos,  
National Centre for Social Research, Greece

B) Young People Between Generation Location and Generation Unit. RN30

11:00 - 12:30 room FA 651

Uncertainty, Precarity, Economic Recession, RN30S20

Chair: Mary, Aurelie Aline *University of Tampere*

Presentation: The Transitional Phases of Greek Youth In The Time of Economic Crisis

Chtouris, Sotirios (1); Mpalourdos, Dionyssidis (2); Miller, DeMond S. (3)

1: *University of the Aegean, Greece*; 2: *National Center for Social Research, Greece*; 3: *Rowan University, United States of America*

2015:

International Sociological Association Research Committee on Sociotechnics - Sociological Practice. RC26  
International Conference : Globalization and new socio-political trends, Rome 19th-20th of June 2015

Oral presentation (D. Balourdos):

*Causes and consequences of the new urban poverty in Greece: debating the governance of social policies.*

2015:

2<sup>nd</sup> Regular Conference of PEDIS (Faculty of political science and international relations of the University of Peloponnese): "Changing the Greece and the world: Ideas and Politics", Loutraki, 11 -13 December 2015

Saturday 16:00-17:20, Session European integration and Governance. 15.2: the deconstruction of the welfare State in an era of economic crisis: political, social and economic dimensions at national and European level. Chair: Dionyssi Balourdos, Director of Research National Centre for Social Research

2015:

2<sup>nd</sup> Regular Conference of PEDIS (Faculty of political science and international relations of the University of Peloponnese): "Changing the Greece and the world: Ideas and Politics", Loutraki, 11 -13 December 2015

Session 15.2: the deconstruction of the welfare State in an era of economic crisis: political, social and economic dimensions at national and European level.

Oral presentation: *'New Urban Poverty in Greece: Trends, causes, challenges and policies'*

Dionyssi Balourdos, Director of Research National Centre for Social Research

2015:

Conference on the theme: "Social entrepreneurship in Greece. The Critical Scientific Challenges Attica Region, Athens 24 November 2015.

Session A'

The environment for social entrepreneurship in Greece.

Chair: Dionyssi Balourdos, Director of Research National Centre for Social Research

2015:

Paper presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> National Conference of the Hellenic Sociological Association, Athens, 10-12 December 2015. Oral presentation: "Entrepreneurship of Muslim immigrants" Dionyssi Balourdos, Research Director, National Centre for social research

2015:

Paper presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> National Conference of the Hellenic Sociological Association, Athens, 10-12 December 2015. Oral presentation: "Transition to adulthood, risk of poverty and economic recession in Greece- in 4 Youth." Dionyssi Balourdos, Research Director, National Centre for Social Research

2015:

Paper presented at the Conference on "Preventive management of active ageing: we discuss about a society of solidarity, without age discrimination," Social and Economic Committee of Greece, Monday, 26 October at 15:00 in hotel "TITANIA" (52 Panepistimiou, Athens). Oral presentation: "Demographic and sociopolitical trends of active ageing".

Dionyssi Balourdos, Research Director, National Centre for Social Research

2015:

SOS Children's villages - Greece, Conference : «Children and families of vulnerable social groups. Approaches, Institutions, Actions», Under the auspices of the municipality of Kalamata 14/11/2015, Cultural Center of Kalamata.

Oral presentation: «Child poverty in Greece: Trends, challenges and prospects» Oral presentation, Dionyssi Balourdos, Research Director, National Centre for Social Research

2015:

SOS Children's villages-Greece, Conference: "Mental health prevention for Families with children in preschool age". Saturday May 23, 2015, "Technopolis", Auditorium "Athens 984"

Oral presentation: «Child poverty in Greece: Trends, challenges and prospects», Dionyssi Balourdos, Research

Director, National Centre for Social Research

2015:

«The Social Portrait of Athens. Conference 17 February 2015. Organized by the Municipality of Athens and the National Centre for Social Research. 1<sup>st</sup> session 09.30 - 11.00: «Social policy at local level» *Chair*

2014: Active Inclusion Learning Network, Marginalised in Communities Transnational Event, *Hellenic Management Association HMA Vocational Training and Conference Centre, Athens 11 – 12 June 2014*

Urban Poverty and Marginalisation in Times of Austerity  
*Dr Dionyssi Balourdos, The National Centre of Social Research*

[http://www.google.gr/url?sa=t&rct=j&q=&esrc=s&source=web&cd=1&ved=0CCIQFjAA&url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.epa.nodos.org.gr%2Fdocuments%2F10199%2F21847%2FBALOURDOS\\_URBAN-POVERTY.pptx%2F6a42d472-d7ef-4752-9368-fde3066e1bdf&ei=2-iLVYLDurG7AaP-5ulAw&usq=AFQjCNGvDkzqfYK6yOIPFZS5b4k0JbaJnw](http://www.google.gr/url?sa=t&rct=j&q=&esrc=s&source=web&cd=1&ved=0CCIQFjAA&url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.epa.nodos.org.gr%2Fdocuments%2F10199%2F21847%2FBALOURDOS_URBAN-POVERTY.pptx%2F6a42d472-d7ef-4752-9368-fde3066e1bdf&ei=2-iLVYLDurG7AaP-5ulAw&usq=AFQjCNGvDkzqfYK6yOIPFZS5b4k0JbaJnw)

2014: 10th International Congress of the Hellenic Geographical Society. October 22nd – 24th, Thessaloniki 2014.

S 1: *Migration processes, transnationalism and mobilities in Europe in times of crisis*  
CHAIRS: HADJIPROKOPIOU P., BALOURDOS D.

2014, The Mixed Embeddedness of Immigrant Entrepreneurs in Athens: results from the 2014 sample survey' (oral presentation, D. Balourdos). 10<sup>th</sup> International Congress of the Hellenic Geographical Society. October 22nd – 24th, Thessaloniki 2014

2014:

Aspects of Poverty in a Period of Recession in the Mediterranean Countries: A Gender Perspective (Oral Presentation, D. Balourdos). XVIII ISA World Congress of Sociology (July 13-19, 2014), Yokohama. SESSION- Women and the Economic Crisis: New Challenges and New Forms of Gender Inequalities/ Women in Society

2014:

The Impact of the Crisis on Child Well-Being and Poverty: A Challenge for Social Economy? Oral presentation, XVIII ISA World Congress of Sociology (July 13-19, 2014), Yokohama. SESSION - Measuring Social Impact of Innovative Entrepreneurship and Public Policies. Standardizing the Valuation of Socioeconomic Return on Investment, Wednesday, July 16, 2014.

2014:

The Challenge of Illegal Immigration in Greece: A brief introduction. Oral presentation at the Conference: "A comprehensive and common migration policy in Europe: What are the challenges for cooperation with third countries?", International Conference in the framework of the Greek Presidency of the Council of the European Union Monday, June 30, 2014, The Acropolis Museum, Athens.

Presentation at the First Session "Borders policy: Security and "illegal" immigration": *How the Schengen Borders Code implementation is evaluated and how to develop a new EU borders control policy?*

2014:

Muslim immigrants entrepreneurship in contemporary Greece. Survey research findings. Mediterranean Network for the Integration of Migrants, Second Thematic Session: Mapping existing research on immigration. Organised by Harokopeio University, National Centre for Social Research, ASANTE, DIOTIMA, ELIAMEP, INTRAWAY,

2014:

University of Aegean- EKKE conference: Social and labour market integration and processes of youth people during continuous economic and financial crisis

Title of presentation: "Poverty and social exclusion of youth in Greece: Subjective perceptions and objective factors", Dionyssi Balourdos, Director of Research EKKE Natalia Spyropoulou, Researcher of EKKE

2014:

Conference: "Ageing Workforce: How to make the challenge an opportunity", Panel discussant "Managing the Ageing Workforce: Ripple Effects within the Organisations – Part I"  
Panelists: Stakeholders from Poland, UK, Sweden, Spain and Greece (D.Balourdos). Final conference of the Learning through Innovative management Concepts to ensure transfer of Knowledge of Elderly People - L.I.K.E. Project.  
Organised by: Folkuniversitet (Sweden), Stathclyde University (Glasgow), IMEDE (Greece), Documanta (Italy), Spoleczna Academia Nauk, LODZ.

2013:

ESA 11th Conference: Crisis, Critique and Change. Research Network / Research Stream Sessions: 01RN08 / Social Crisis, Poverty and Social Inequality in Times of Austerity Chair(s): Dionyssid Balourdos (National Centre for Social Research, Athens), Joanna Tsiganou (National Centre for Social Research, Athens)

2013:

ESA 11th Conference: Crisis, Critique and Change. 05RN08 / The Social Impact of the Debt Crisis: Recent Trends on Poverty and Inequality across Europe. Causes, Consequences and Future Prospects Chair(s): Ullberg Susann (CRISMART Nicholas Petropoulos)

Dionyssid Balourdos (National Centre for Social Research), The Demographics of Poverty in Mediterranean countries (oral presentation).

2013:

European Conference on Age, organized by University of Strathclyde (UK) in cooperation with GEB Berlin (Germany), Lifelong Learning Research Institute (Greece), Semper Avanti (Poland), Kerigma (Portugal) and Folkuniversitetet (Sweden).

Participation on 'work shops' for the analysis and the situation of older workers in Greece

2013:

University of Peloponnesus Conference: 'Greece and the European Union at the crossroads of critical Developments: Policies, Strategic Choices and Prospects'

(oral presentation, D. Balourdos)

At risk of poverty and financial recession in Greece: trends, challenges and prospects.

2013:

3<sup>rd</sup> WORKSHOP on Immigrant Integration in Spain: Policies, Practices and Actors. Immigration Mediterranean Network (iMnet) Friday, 26 April 2013, 10:00-16:00 Venue: Rafael Ventas Hotel (C/ Alcalá, 269, Ciudad Lineal, Madrid). Harokopio University of Athens, National Centre for Social Research, ELIAMEP.

Theme 3: Health, migration and social integration

Chair person: Dionyssid Balourdos, Research Director, National Centre for Social Research

2013:

4<sup>th</sup> WORKSHOP "Immigrant Integration in Portugal: Policies, Practices and Actors" of the Immigration Mediterranean Network (iMnet) Friday 31st May 2013, 09:30 - 17:00. Venue: Instituto Universitario de Lisboa ISCTE-IUL, Auditorio B203

Av. Forcas Armadas, Lisboa. Harokopio University of Athens, National Centre for Social Research, ELIAMEP.

Theme 2: Education and Health Care Issues for Migrants

Chair person: Dioyniss Balourdos *Research Director, EKKE*

2013:



5<sup>th</sup> WORKSHOP "Immigrant Integration Policy in Southern Europe: Lessons Learnt and Future Challenges".  
Theme 3: Overview of the Greek migrant integration experience  
Chair person: Dionysis Balourdos, Research Director, EKKE  
Athens, 29<sup>th</sup> June 2013, Venue: Harokopio University of Athens, Amphitheatre "George Karabatzos". Harokopio University of Athens, National Centre for Social Research, ELIAMEP.

2012:

Disaster, Conflict and Social Crisis Research Network of the European Sociological Association – University of the Aegean Interim Conference 2012, 13-14 September 2012, Lesvos Chamber of Commerce, Mytilene Lesvos. "The Debt Crisis in the Eurozone: Social Impacts".

Session 4: The EZ Debt Crisis – The Social Integration of Migrants and Impacts on Immigration and Religious Attitudes. Chairs: Dionyssi Balourdos and Joanna Tsiganou, National Center for Social Research.

2012:

Disaster, Conflict and Social Crisis Research Network of the European Sociological Association – University of the Aegean Interim Conference 2012, 13-14 September 2012, Lesvos Chamber of Commerce, Mytilene Lesvos. "The Debt Crisis in the Eurozone: Social Impacts". Session 2: The EZ Debt Crisis – Poverty, Unemployment and Social Welfare. Chairs: Georg Vobruba, University of Leipzig and Colin Cremin, University of Auckland

2011:

Official representatives of Greece, at the 5<sup>th</sup> European Equality Summit. 14-15 November. Poznan International Fair (Głogowska street 14, Poznań, Poland). Organised by the Polish Presidency of the Council of the EU in cooperation with the European Commission.

2011:

Combating discrimination in Greece: Policies for combating discrimination and the role of Civil Society. 2-DAY SEMINAR 24-25 November, 2011 "Antonis Tritsis" Amphitheatre, Cultural Centre of the City of Athens, Akadimias 50, Athens. Member of scientific and organizing committee.

2011:

Member of the Scientific and Organizing Committee for the implementation of innovative workshop: "Athens City in Crisis." Ministry of Interior, Public Administration and Decentralization, National Center for Public Administration (EKDDA: Athens, 21 / 06/2011, Ref 6563).

2011, Key speaker in the conference "Combating Discriminations: The role of Civil Society" (June 3, 2011), Thessaloniki, Greece. Conference organised by the Economic and Social Council of Greece, the municipality of Thessaloniki and the NCSR.

2011:

Chairman of the conference: civil society: can it be the answer to the crisis?". Athens Hilton hotel, 17<sup>th</sup> December. Organised by the NGO "Athina".

2011, Conference Referee: Evaluation of immigrant integration policies: specification of relevant indices. Conference organized by the University of Athens.

Participation in the conference to present the results of the European Social Survey's (ESS) fourth round (15 June 2010, organizing EKKE). Presentation entitled: "Income inequality, poverty and political behavior". <sup>1</sup>Proceedings published 2011 (in Greek).

<sup>1</sup> Part of the presentation is included, in Pabliakou V., Stathopoulou T., Stratoudaki H. (eds): *INSTITUTIONS- VALUES- PRACTICES: Interpretation of the ESS key findings (2008-2009)*. Athens NCSR.



2010, Member of the Organizing Committee for the conference in Cyprus on 'Poverty, Exclusion and European welfare model. "Participation with presentation on "The impact of the crisis on population groups at high risk of poverty and social exclusion". University of Nicosia – EKKE.

2010, Participation in the seminar: "The Demographic Challenges in Cyprus and the Politics of the Family." Organization: Ministry Of Labour And Social Insurance, Social Welfare Services, Cyprus. Presentation Title: "Introduction of demographic policy and intervention sectors with emphasis on family policies in Cyprus".

2010, Invitation from the Greek Sociological Society at the Conference "Crisis and Crises in Greek society". Participating with presentation: "The impact of the crisis on population groups that face high risk of poverty and social exclusion".

2010, Coordinator of the presentation of the book "The Social Portrait of Greece 2010." Athens, Institute of Social Policy at the National Centre for Social Research (NCSR) Tuesday, June 22, 2010, Auditorium "Antonis Tritsis" of the Cultural Organization of Athens Municipality.

2009, Lecture: 'Dimensions of Poverty and Social Exclusion. Postgraduate "City And The Environment" Department of Sociology, University of Aegean.

2007, Conference, Workers in Mental Health Units: Innovation and "good practices" in mental health. Athens, 18-19 October 2007, Hotel "TITANIA." Parallel Session - Room B: «H promote employment of people with psychosocial problems: innovative approaches and practices: experiences and conclusions.". Presentation Title: "Developing an Information System as an innovative monitoring tool for the promotion and integration of the mentally ill in local labor market."

2006, 71<sup>st</sup> Thessaloniki International Fair, "Innovation", Global Exchange Innovation, 8-17 September. Presentation Title: "Regional Growth, Poverty and Social Exclusion.

2006, Presentation at Seminar - Workshop in Katerini for Mental Health Professionals: Methods and procedures for promoting the employment of users of mental health services. Presentation Title: "Introduction Methodology Investigation of Labour Market Needs" (D. Balourdos). Organisation: National Institute Of Mental Health University (EPIPSY), University of Ioannina / Psychiatry, EKKE & Group Study Design And Development.

2005, Presentation at the Conference "2000-2004: trends of social and economic identity of Rhodes Municipality." Presentation Title: Characteristics of poverty and social exclusion in the Municipality of Rhodes. Organised by City of Rhodes.

2003, Presentation at the conference: "Social Portrait and identification of the groups that face social exclusion in North-west Thessaloniki, municipalities: Saint Paul, Ambelokipi, Eleftheriou Kordelio, Evosmos, Polichni, Menemeni, Naples, Stavroupoli, Sykeon, Triandria and Community Efkarpias. "Organiser: Developmental Municipalities of Northwest Thessaloniki. Thessaloniki.

2001, Conference: "The role of local government in a social policy-the example of Rhodes'. Presentation on: "Mapping the social identity and identification of groups that face social exclusion in the Dodecanese." Organised by City of Rhodes.

1999, Presentation (with M. Chrysakis) on a Transnational Program "Socrates" conference: «Poverty, social work and social policy in the Southern Union». Presentation Title: «Poverty as a social phenomenon: past and present». Organization: TEI Athens

1999, Meeting: POLICY AND DEVELOPMENT WITHIN THE NATIONAL SYSTEM OF SOCIAL CARE (Law 2646/1998): Presentation and discussion of the special studies which were prepared by NCSR-Institute of Social Policy. M. Chrysakis, D. Ziomas, D. Balourdos

1998, 14<sup>th</sup> World Congress of Sociology, Montréal, Québec, Canada «*Fertility among Greek Migrant Returnees*», N. Petropoulos (Pedagogic Institute), D. Balourdos (National Centre of Social Research)

1997, Symposium: Results of the LEIN, TREAT, INTEGRA Programs. Presentation on "Exploring the Needs of young entrepreneurs on information." D. Balourdos, M. Chrysakis.

1996, Adolescent outcome of children with specific learning disabilities. Oral presentation at the 10<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the International College of Paediatrics and Child Care. October 1996, Athens, Greece. Kakouros, E., Tzima-Tsitsika, E., Melista, G., Tsitsika, A., Papanikolaou, K., & Balourdos, D.

1996, Presentation on «*Characteristics of the disabled persons. Statistical data, research and policy implementation*» (D. Balourdos, M. Chrysakis, S. Soulis). Conference on: SOCIAL RESEARCH AND SOCIAL POLICY IN SOUTHERN EUROPE, Athens 13-14 September 1996. Greek National Centre of Social Research, Regional Network on Southern European Societies (ESA), University of Athens, Department of Economics.

1996, 10<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the International College of Pediatrics and Child Care: Adolescent Medicine. Organized by The International College of Pediatrics and Child Care and The Greek Society of Adolescent Medicine. «*Adolescent outcome of children with specific learning disorders*», E. Kakouros, E. Tzima-Tsitsika, G. Melista, A. Tsitsika, K. Papanikolaou, D. Balourdos.

1996, Presentation at the conference: "Workplace and Mental Health". Presentation Title: "Relations of the demographic problem with poverty and employment." Organization NCSR and EIPSY

1996, Participation in the 6<sup>th</sup> Congress of the Sakis Karagiorgas Foundation (Thessaloniki). Presentation Title: "Social inequalities in education and income distribution." D. Balourdos, S. Soulis, M. Chrysakis

1995, "International college of pediatrics and childcare" and "World pediatrics and child care": 9<sup>th</sup> World Pediatric and child care Congress, London 2nd-7th July: "*Children in foster families in Greece, current status and prospects*", A. Askouni-Stroumpou, E. Kakouros, D. Balourdos (Oral presentation).

1995, Presentation on: "Surplus, social and economic degradation in Higher Education. One approach to statistical data. "[In collaboration with M. Chrysakis] In Symposium: Transition from secondary to tertiary education. Organization, "Rectors and Presidents of Administrative Committee of the Greek Universities.

1991, 12<sup>th</sup> Panhellenic Congress of Psychiatry. Volos 18-21 April. Presentation (with a group of associates) entitled: "Factors influencing the outcome of the pre-training of psychiatric patients." A. Michael, M. Lazanakis, A. Peristeris, G. Christofi, A. Argyriou, D. Balourdos.

### **Other scientific activities**

2007-2008, Coordinator of the Laboratory - Monitoring Social Cohesion Policies. NCSR-Institute for Social Policy,

2007-2008, Member of Scientific Administrative Board - Institute of Social Policy-NCSR.

2003-2005, Member of Scientific Administrative Board - Institute of Social Policy-NCSR

### **Professional Organisations**

Member of the Hellenic Association of Regional Scientists

Member of the Greek Society of Demographic Studies.

Member of the scientific team: Laboratory of Demographic and Social Analyses (L.D.S.A.) in the Department of Planning and Regional Development (D.P.R.D.) at the University of Thessaly (U.TH.).

### **Other activities**

Member of Board of Directors of the Employment Observatory Research Informatics S.A. of PAEP S.A. (supervised by Ministry of Labor and Social Security). Ministry of Finance, Special Secretariat of Public enterprises and Organization. Athens 16 May 2011, Protocol No. 20938 / EGDEKO 934

Alternate member of the Board of the Greek Statistical System (SY.EL.S.S.), under Article 3 of Law 3832/2010 of the Greek Statistical Authority (EL. STAT.). Piraeus, Protocol No, 2168/A1-1403.

Member of the Scientific and Organizing Committee for the implementation of an innovative workshop "Athens, A City in Crisis". Ministry of Interior, Decentralization and Electronic Governance, National Centre of Public Administration and Local Governance (EKDDA: Athens, 21/6/2011, Protocol No. 6563).

Member of Central Certification Committee (KEP), supporting the "System of Certification and training" of the National Centre of Public Administration and Local Governance (EKDDA). Ministry of Interior, Decentralization and Electronic Governance. Athens 20 April 2011, ΔIEK/TM.B/Φ.2/67/841.

**Annexes 1. Participation in research projects**

Period	Title	Budget (€)	Funding agency
2014-2016 (principal investigator)	'Development and dissemination of corporate social responsibility in Athens Municipality'.	600 000	National Strategic Reference Framework (ESPA)
2014-2015 (principal investigator)	Social Housing: Policies, good practices, business plan and strategy for Greece	120 000	Ministry of employment
2013-2014 (principal investigator)	'Combating Discrimination in the Field of Entrepreneurship: Women and young Roma and Muslim immigrants'. European Commission, Directorate-General Justice Non-discrimination policies and Roma coordination: Call for Proposals under PROGRESS for action grants, JUST/2012/PROG/ AG/D4	150 000	DG Justice, under the PROGRESS Programme.
2013 (initial phase, scientific coordinator)	Central Mechanism supporting the development and promotion of Social Cooperative Enterprise and the broader social economy initiatives in Greece? (Ministry of Labour, Social Insurance and Welfare, 2013-2015)	800000	Ministry of employment
2012-2015	Member of the Scientific Committee of the project "Social and labour market integration processes of young people during a continuous economic and financial crisis". Funded by O.P. "Education lifelong learning» program "EXCELLENCE". Coordinated by the University of the Aegean, Department of sociology,( Professor S. Htouris)	200 000	National Strategic Reference Framework (ESPA)
2013 (responsible for the thematic objective 'active inclusion and combating poverty')	Study on the strategic priorities in the field of employment, social inclusion and education in the new programming period 2014-2020.	49 200	Ministry of Development
2013 (principal investigator)	Expert based review on: Criteria-based selection of action program 'Help at Home' beneficiaries (MIS 429703)	18 204	OP "Human Resources Development"
2012 - 2013 (principal investigator)	'Development of a cooperation network linking representatives of Member States of the Mediterranean, which face similar challenges with Greece regarding the integration of third country nationals'. In collaboration with Harokopio University, ELIAMEP and EKKE.	72 500	European Fund for the Integration of Third Country Nationals
2012 - 2013 (principal investigator)	"Meta-analysis on existing immigration research on fields relevant to integration (healthcare, social security, employment, education).	127 500	European Fund for the

			Integrati n of Third Country Nationals
2012 - 2013 (principal investigator)	'Research concerning the mapping of existing structures on integration as well as of needs in such structures'.	25 000	Europea n Fund for the Integratio n of Third Country Nationals
2012 (scientific co-ordinator of the NCRS research team)	'Social exclusion or integration of Immigrants: Information and sensitization of the host society", sub-project 3: Crete, North Aegean, South Aegean'.  (in collaboration with 'NOSTOS' the Non Governmental Organization against Social Exclusion and Unemployment)	15 000	Europea n Fund for the Integratio n of Third Country Nationals
2012 (scientific co-ordinator of the NCRS research team)	'Social exclusion or integration of Immigrants: Information and sensitization of the host society", sub-project 3: Epirus, Western Macedonia, Central Greece (in collaboration with 'NOSTOS' the Non Governmental Organization against Social Exclusion and Unemployment)	15 000	Europea n Fund for the Integratio n of Third Country Nationals
2012 - 2013 (principal investigator)	External evaluation of the action 'lifelong learning for human resources In small enterprises	17 000	Operatio nal Program me for Educatio n and Life Long Learning (O.P. "Educatio n").
2011-2012 (principal investigator)	'Combating labour market discrimination'. Program funded by the European Commission, Directorate-General Justice, Non-discrimination policies and Roma coordination Call for Proposals under PROGRESS for action grants JUST/2011/PROG/AG/D4. Support to national activities aiming at combating discrimination and promoting equality. NSCR -Coordinating Partner, in collaboration with the <i>Manpower Employment Organization –OAED and the National Confederation of Disabled People-NCDP</i>	103 733	DG Justice, under the PROGR ESS Program me
2011 (principal investigator)	"Investigation of different characteristics in the epidemiology of dependency among immigrants and Greek users of toxic substances". (in collaboration with OKANA, the Greek Organisation Against Drugs)	40 000	Europea n Fund for the Integratio n of Third Country Nationals
2011 (scientific coordinator of the NCRS research team)	"Integration of second generation immigrants in Greek society". (in collaboration with the Hellenic Agency for local Development and Local Government –EETA as coordinating partner)	295 000	Europea n Fund for the Integratio n of Third Country

			Nationals
2010-2011 (principal investigator, responsible for the econometric specifications)	'Establishment of an Observatory on combating discrimination in Greece'. Program funded by the European Commission, DG Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities, Action against Discrimination, Civil Society Call for proposals: Support to national activities aiming at the identification of good practices in combating discrimination and promoting equality, Reference: VP/2010/008. NCSR -Coordinating Partner, in collaboration with the Economic and Social Council of Greece, the Vocational Training Centre of INE/GSEE /the Labour Institute of the Greek General Confederation of Labour and the EFXINI POLI, Local Authorities Network for Social, Cultural, Tourist, Environmental and Agricultural Development	154 050	DG Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities under the PROGRESS Programme
2010 (principal investigator)	The Social Portrait of Greece 2010. NCSR, Institute for Social Policy	8 000	NCSR, Institute for Social Policy
2010 (scientific coordinator of the NCRS research team)	En evaluation of the network of children's villages SOS' refuges for crisis and the therapy of abused children of preschool age in Athens, Thessaloniki and Yiannena- Houses Elisa-SOS Villages (project leader for EKKE's research team)	11 000	Public Investments Programs and EEA Financial Mechanism (EOX)
2009 (member of research team, responsible for the econometric specifications)	Development of Cyprus' demographic policy and identification of intervention sectors with emphasis on family policy. Project commissioned to the Athens Technical University, by the Ministry of Labour and Social Insurance, Cyprus		Ministry of Employment, CY
2008- onwards (member of scientific committee)	Member of the scientific committee of the European Social Survey (ESS).		NCSR
2008-2009	Member of the research team for the: "provision of expertise for a thorough assessment of medium-term effects of the devastating fires of 2007, the way in which they affected the economic and social conditions and the employment sectors of the affected populations, and shaping of a specialized proposal to address them" within the framework of OP ' National Unpredictable Reserve ' 2007 – 2013.		
2007-2008 (member of scientific committee)	Program for the International Assessment of Adult Competencies, A Pilot Survey Version of the Job Requirements Module for PIAAC. Member of research team (NCSR- Institute of Social Policy)		
2006-2007 (principal investigator)	a) Investigation of the tendencies of the socio-economic status of citizens of the Municipality of Rhodes and b) Identification of high demanded professions at local level. NCSR- Institute of Social Policy in collaboration with the Municipality of Rhodes.	13 400	Municipality of Rhodes and Regional Operational Programme of South Aegean

2006-2008	Excellent: development of Infrastructures for the creation of Pole of Social Data in the subjects of Social Inequality and Social Exclusion. Member of research team (NCSR- Institute of Social Policy)		
2004-2005	Member of the research team involved in the project “Study of the policies and the institutional framework regarding the support of the large families within the Greek social protection system”, commissioned by the Ministry of Health & Social Solidarity.	130 000	
2003-2004 (principal investigator, responsible for the econometric specifications)	Groups in high risk of poverty and social exclusion in the municipalities of northwest Thessaloniki. Scientific coordinator (NCSR- Institute of Social Policy).	17 000	
2000-2004 (scientific coordinator of the Greek research team, of the transnational project)	Targeted Socio- Economic Research Programme (TSER): «Scenarios for a sustained society: car systems and the sociology of embedded technologies (SceneSus Tech)- Contract SOE1 CT97-1071. Scientific coordinator (NCSR).		
2000-2004	The establishment and operation of an Observatory on the socio-economic integration of persons with psycho-social problems in Greece. Support, Empowerment and Monitoring Unit of the Implementation Agencies of the PSYCHARGOS Program-phase B”, the large scale de-institutionalisation and community-based mental care programme of Greece. Member of research team of the NCSR- Institute of Social Policy.	387200	University Research Institute of Mental Health UMHRI
2003-2004	Evaluation of the active policy measures of the Manpower Employment Organization OAED, for the creation of new jobs (employment subsidies). Member of research team (NCSR- Institute of Social Policy).		
2000-2006 (member of scientific committee, responsible for the econometric specifications)	Excellence in the research fields: Poverty, Social Exclusion and Social Inequalities. project financed by the 3rd Community Action, 2000-2006 OPERATIONAL PROGRAMME “COMPETITIVENESS”		
2004 – 2006	Social Portrait of Greece 2001. Social Portrait of Greece 2003-2004. Social Portrait of Greece 2006. Member of research team (NCSR- Institute of Social Policy).		
2004-2005	Member of the research team involved in the project “Study of the policies and the institutional framework regarding the support of the large families within the Greek social protection system”, commissioned by the Ministry of Health & Social Solidarity.		
2000 - 2004	Social identity and the localisation of social exclusion groups of the Prefecture Dodekanisa. Member of research team (NCSR- Institute of Social Policy).	101 834	PEP South Aegean
2001-2002	Empowerment and Monitoring Unit of the Implementation Agencies of the PSYCHARGOS Program-phase A. Research Academic Institute of Mental Health EPIPSY, member of team of experts.		
2000	Study for the development of an accreditation system for the non profit institutions, evolved to the provision of social care services in Greece. Member of research team (NCSR- Institute of Social Policy).		
2000	Study for the development of system of imprinting the criteria for an accreditation of non profit private institutions, evolved to the provision of social care services. Member of research team (NCSR- Institute of Social Policy).		
1997 -1999	Study and analysis of the trends and development of the Greek		

	labour market. Project commissioned by the European Commission (DG V). Member of labour market expert team (NCSR- Institute of Social Policy).		
1996	Ascertainment and evaluation of educational needs in protection of environment activities. Study conducted for the Greek Centre of Productivity (ELKEPA). Scientific (co-) coordinator.		
1995-1997	Characteristics of the young population of the province of Thessaloniki. Member of research team (NCSR- Institute of Social Policy).		
1995	Research for the specification of the portrait of businesswomen in the region of Eastern Macedonia - [Drama prefecture]. Research conducted for the Greek Centre of Productivity (ELKEPA). Member of research team.		
1985-1994	Socio-economic determinants of fertility in Greece. Member of research team (NCSR).		
1995-1996	Evaluation of Technical Assistance of projects implemented under the first CSF of Greece. Member of the Research Team (NCSR- Institute of Social Policy).		
1994	Investigation of referral reasons in a Child Mental Health Service. NCSR		
1994-1995	Productivity and wages: the practice in Greece and the international experience. Research conducted for the Greek Centre of Productivity (ELKEPA). Member of research team.		
1993-1994	Living conditions of older women in Greece. National representative. Research coordinated by the Dane Age Association (Denmark).		
1991-1993	Greek Migrant Returnees. Research co-financed by the General Secretariat for Greeks Abroad. Member of research team (NCSR).		
1991	Program of reeducation and vocational training of repatriated political refugees. General Secretariat for Greeks Abroad. Member of the program evaluation team.		
1988 – 1995	Indicators of Poverty and Adequacy of Social Security, Methodological considerations and comparative results for seven countries: Belgium, The Netherlands, Luxembourg, Ireland, Lorraine, Catalonia and Greece. Member of the research team (NCSR).		
1993- 1995	The readiness of residents in selected prefectures of country (Pyrgos and Patras) which have been affected by earthquakes. Research conducted by the Emergencies Research Center (ERC). Member of research team.		

## Annexes 2. Consultancy –expertise

Date	1995
Position	Expert
Project Description	Evaluation of project propositions for the Community Initiative: «EMPLOYMENT» (NOW, HORIZON, YOUTHSTART)
Country	Greece



Date	1995
Position	Expert commissioned by the European Commission (DG V), member of the approval committee.
Project Description	Approval of project propositions for the Operational Programme «COMBATING EXCLUSION FROM THE LABOUR MARKET»
Country	Greece
Date	1996
Position	Expert commissioned by the European Union (DG V)
Project Description	Approval of project propositions for the operational Programme «CONTINUOUS VOCATIONAL TRAINING AND PROMOTION OF EMPLOYMENT»
Country	Greece
Date	1996
Position	Expert commissioned by the European Commission (DG V)
Project Description	Identification and design of the vocational training needs and programs for the geographical region of Thessaloniki
Country	Greece
Date	1991
Position	Evaluator-expert
Description	Evaluation of the programme on re-education and vocational training of the repatriation political refugees.
Country	Greece
Date	1994-1995
Position	Member of Research Team
Description	Evaluation study for the «productivity systems»
Country	Greece
Date	1993
Position	Evaluator - expert
Description	Evaluation of the Community's vocational training program <i>EUROQUALIFICATION</i> . Evaluating, the contribution of Greece, Luxembourg and Netherlands
Country	Brussels, Belgium
Date	1994
Position	Consultant -Expert
Description	Greek Operational Programme for Health and Welfare, under Second Community Support Framework 1994-1999
Country	Greece
Date	1997-1998
Position	Consultant -Expert evaluator
Description	On going evaluation of the operational Programme: «EMPLOYMENT» (NOW, HORIZON, YOUTHSTART
Country	Greece
Date	1997
Position	Expert commissioned by the European Commission (DG V), member of the approval committee.
Description	Approval of project propositions for the operational Programme «COMBATING EXCLUSION FROM THE LABOUR MARKET» (second phase)
Country	Greece
Date	1998
Organisation - Funding	Ministry of Labour and Social Insurance, European Union (DG V)
Position	Expert commissioned by the European Commission (DG V)
Description	Evaluation and development of the Greek Employment Observatory (EPA).
Country	Greece
Date	1998

Position	Expert
Description	Identification and the estimation of the needs in vocational training programmes and occupations actually demanded in the labour market
Country	Greece
Date	1998
Position	Expert commissioned by the European Commission (DG V)
Description	Accreditation of the Vocational Training Centres (KEK)
Date	1999
Position	Member of research team
Description	Development of an accreditation system for the welfare organisations in Greece
Country	Greece
Date	2005
Position	External evaluator: Ministry of Employment and Social Protection
Description	Regional Operational Programme of South Aegean region: evaluation of applications concerning activities on employment promotion and vocational training in the local culture area.
Country	Greece
Date	2004
Position	External evaluator: Ministry of Employment and Social Protection
Description	Operational Programme Employment and Vocational Training, evaluation of applications concerning activities on employment and vocational training
Country	Greece
Date	2003
Position	External evaluator: Ministry of Employment and Social Protection
Description	Regional Operational Programme of South Aegean region: evaluation of applications concerning activities on employment promotion and vocational training.
Country	Greece