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Professor



### Academic Personnel Short Profile / Short CV

<b>University:</b>	PHILIPS UNIVERSITY
<b>Surname:</b>	THOMAKOS
<b>Name:</b>	DIMITRIOS
<b>Rank/Position:</b>	PROFESSOR (Visiting)
<b>Faculty:</b>	ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT
<b>Department:</b>	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
<b>Scientific Domain: *</b>	ECONOMETRICS, TIME SERIES, FORECASTING, DECISION MAKING

*\* Field of Specialization*

Academic qualifications (list by highest qualification)				
Qualification	Year	Awarding Institution	Department	Thesis title (Optional Entry)
PhD	1998	Columbia University, USA	Economics	
MPhil	1996	Columbia University, USA	Economics	
MA	1994	Columbia University, USA	Economics	
BA	1993	National and Kapodistrian University of Athens	Economics	



### Employment history in Academic Institutions/Research Centers – List by the three (3) most recent

Period of employment		Employer	Location	Position
From	To			
2026	today	Philips University	Nicosia, Cyprus	Professor (Visiting)
2021	today	National and Kapodistrian University of Athens	Athens, Greece	Professor, Head of Department
2005	2021	University of the Peloponnese	Tripolis, Greece	Professor, Head of Department
1998	2005	Florida International University, USA	Miami, Florida	Assistant Professor

**Key refereed journal papers, monographs, books, conference publications etc. List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected –(max total 10)**

Ref. Number	Year	Title	Other authors	Journal and Publisher / Conference	Vol.	Pages
1	2025	The Fiscal Policy Blend and its Impact on Sectoral Growth: the Case of Greece	Andreas Zervas	<i>Economic Modelling</i> , vol. 11, pp. 107395		
2	2025	Half Drift Forecasting for Random Walks	Foteini Kyriazi	<i>IMA Journal of Management Mathematics</i> , vol. 10, pp. 669-689		
3	2025	Common Method Variance (CMV) Bias: Its Implications, How to Detect it and How to Handle It	Robert Andersen, Geoffrey Wood	<i>Human Resource Development International</i> , vol. 7, pp. 1-13.		
4	2025	Simplicity, Robustness and Speed in Time Series Forecasting: LEAF – learning by exponentially adaptive forecasting, a novel univariate predictive analytics benchmark	Foteini Kyriazi	<i>Journal of the Operational Research Society</i> , vol. 6, pp. 1-12		
5	2025	Explaining and Predicting Momentum Performance Shifts Across Time and Sectors	Prodromos Vlamis, Konstantinos Mamais	<i>Journal of Forecasting</i> , vol. 44, pp. 960-977		
6	2025	Earnings Forecasting and Mean-Variance Efficient Portfolios in the United States	John Guerard, Foteini Kyriazi, Ganlin Xu, Bijan Beheshti	<i>Annals of Operations Research</i> , vol. 2, pp. 1-22		



7	2024	On the integration of multiple criteria decision aiding and forecasting: Does it create value in portfolio selection?	Panos Xidonas, Aristeides Samitas	<i>European Journal of Operational Research</i>
8	2024	The Sectoral Consequences of Private Equity Acquisitions: Spillovers in Wages and Employment	Konstantinos Eleftheriou, Geoffrey Wood, Marilou Ioakimidis, Iliya Komarev	<i>Industrial Relations Journal</i> , vol. 56, pp. 22-45.
9	2024	Random Walks, Random Chains and the Contributions of Holbrook Working	Sophia Tarani, Foteini Kyriazi	<i>Discover Analytics</i> , vol. 2, pp. 20.
10	2024	The development and evolution of mean-variance efficient portfolios in the US and Japan: 30 years after the Markowitz and Ziemba applications	John Guerard, Foteini Kyriazi	<i>Annals of Operations Research</i> , 2024. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1007/s10479-024-06138-7">https://doi.org/10.1007/s10479-024-06138-7</a> .



**Exhibitions (where applicable). List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected.  
(max total 10)**

Ref. Number	Date	Topic	International / Local	Location*	Role in Exhibition
1					

*\*Specify venue, geographic location etc*

**Research Projects. List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected  
(max total 10)**

Ref. Number	Date	Title	Funded by	Project Role*
1	2025	Confidential work for government agency, NDA in effect	NDA in effect	Scientific Director and Project Coordinator

*\*Project Role: i.e. Scientific/Project Coordinator, Research Team Member, Researcher, Assistant Researcher, other*

**Academic Consulting Services and/or Participation in Councils / Boards/ Editorial Committees.  
List the five (5) more recent (Optional Entry)**

Ref. Number	Period	Organization	Title of Position or Service	Key Activities
1	2024-today	Operational Research Society	Associate Editor, Journal of the Operational Research Society	
2	2018-today	International Centre of Economic Analysis	MoB and Co-Editor for the Review of Economic Analysis	



**Awards / International Recognition (where applicable). List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected.  
(max total 10) (Optional Entry)**

Ref. Number	Date	Title	Awarded by:
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**Other Achievements. List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected.  
(max total 10) (Optional Entry)**

Ref. Number	Date	Title	Key Activities:
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