



### Academic Personnel Short Profile / Short CV

<b>University:</b>	University of Nicosia
<b>Surname:</b>	Polyviou
<b>Name:</b>	Ariana
<b>Rank:</b>	Assistant Professor
<b>Faculty:</b>	School of Business
<b>Department:</b>	Management
<b>Scientific Domain:</b>	Management and MIS

### Academic qualifications

Qualification	Year	Awarding Institution	Department	Thesis title
Ph.D.	2016	Athens University of Economics and Business	Department of Management Science and Technology	Cloud computing adoption decisions: a mixed-method approach to study the influencing factors and decision-making process
M.Sc.	2010	University College London	Department of Computer Science & Department of Psychology	The impact of interference and frequency of use on the performance of three authentication mechanisms
BEng	2009	University of York	Department of Computer Science	From EB3 to Circus

## Employment history

Period of employment		Employer	Location	Position
From	To			
09/2021	Now	University of Nicosia	Cyprus	Assistant Professor
09/2018	08/2021	University of Nicosia	Cyprus	Lecturer
11/2015	09/2018	University of Cyprus	Cyprus	Adjunct Faculty, Postdoctoral Fellow
03/2016	12/2017	Cyprus University of Technology	Cyprus	Adjunct Faculty, Postdoctoral Researcher

## Key refereed journal papers, monographs, books, conference publications etc.

Ref. Number	Year	Title	Other authors	Journal and Publisher / Conference	Vol.	Pages
1	2023	Are we Nearly There Yet? A Desires Realities Framework for Europe's AI Strategy	Polyviou. A., Zamani, E.	Information Systems Frontiers	25	143-159
2	2023	Cloud computing adoption decision-making process: A sensemaking analysis	Polyviou, A., Pouloudi N., Venters, W.	Information Technology & People Journal		
3	2023	Distant but close: Locational, relational and temporal proximity in cloud computing adoption	Polyviou. A., Venters, W., Pouloudi	Journal of Information Technology		
4	2022	Chasing Metaverses: Reflecting on Existing Literature to Understand the Business Value of Metaverses	Polyviou, A., Pappas, I.O.	Information Systems Frontiers		1-17
5	2022	Metaverse beyond	Dwivedi, Y.K., Hughes, L., Baabdullah, A.M., Polyviou, A.,	International Journal of Information	66	1-55

		the hype: Multidisciplinary perspectives on emerging challenges, opportunities, and agenda for research, practice and policy	Ribeiro-Navarrete, S., Giannakis, M., Al-Debei, M.M., Wamba, S.F.	Management		
6	2022	A Sensemaking Approach to Europe's Data Strategy	Polyviou, A.	Mediterranean Conference on Information Systems (MCIS '22)		
7	2016	Cloud adoption factors in a specific business area: Challenging the findings of organisation – wide cloud computing research	Polyviou A, Pramataris K, Pouloudi N	Mediterranean Conference on Information Systems (MCIS '16) [Best paper award]		
8	2016	Untold stories of mixed-method research in Information systems	Polyviou A, Pramataris K, Pouloudi N	"Advances in Qualitative IS Research Methodologies" workshop of the International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS '16)		
9	2015	Cloud adoption as a sense-making process: features, cycles and patterns	Polyviou A, Pouloudi N, Venters W	IFPI 8.2 OASIS workshop of the 2015 International Conference on Information Systems		
10	2015	Rationality vs Fashion in Cloud Adoption Decisions: The case of payroll cloud enable systems	Polyviou A, Pramataris K, Pouloudi N	Mediterranean Conference on Information Systems (MCIS'15)		

## Research Projects.

Ref. Number	Date	Title	Funded by	Project Role
1	09/2023 –	AGORA - Training Young Researchers on Shaping Metaverse for Business and Social Value	European Commission, Horizon Europe	Principal Investigator
2	02/2018 – 09/2018	DigiFree - Conceptualizing and exploring Digital Emancipation in organizations	University of Cyprus	Principal Investigator
3	2016/2017 2017/2018 2018/2019	GEM Cyprus - Cyprus' National Participation in Global Entrepreneurship Monitor	European Commission, Ministry of Energy, Commerce, Industry and Tourism	Research Associate
4	09/2014 – 09/2017	Intraprise - Infusing Entrepreneurial skills in the corporate ICT environment	European Commission, Erasmus+	Project's Research Coordinator
5	10/2016 – 10/2018	Apps4Carers	European Commission, Erasmus+	Partner
6	04/2017 – 03/2020	CrowdHealth - Collective wisdom driving public health policies	European Commission, H2020	Research Associate
7	02-2015 – 01/2018	DIVERSITY - Cloud Manufacturing and Social Software Based Context Sensitive Product-Service Engineering Environment for Globally Distributed Enterprise	European Commission, H2020	Research Associate
8	01/2015 – 12/2017	PaaSword – A Holistic Data Privacy and Security by Design Platform-as-a-Service Framework Introducing Distributed Encrypted Persistence in Cloud-based Applications	European Commission, H2020	Research Associate
9	11/2012 – 10/2015	Broker@ Cloud - Enabling Continuous Quality Assurance and Optimization in Future Enterprise Cloud Service Brokers	European Commission, FP7	Research Associate
10	10/2012 – 09/2014	SUCRE - Supporting Cloud Research Exploitation	European Commission, FP7	Research Associate

### Consulting Services and/or Participation in Councils / Boards/ Editorial Committees.

Ref. Number	Period	Organization	Title of Position or Service	Key Activities
1	2016-now	Global Entrepreneurship Monitor (GEM)	Member of the National Committee	
2	2018-now	Digital Championship	Member of the National Committee	
3	2016-now	University of Cyprus	Mentor at Center for Entrepreneurship (C4E)	
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### Awards / International Recognition

Ref. Number	Date	Title	Awarded by:
1	2018	Postdoctoral Fellowship	
2	2016	Best Paper Award at MCIS '16	
3	2015	European Commission,2015 Young Researchers ICT 2015 Travel Grant	
4	2015	A.G Leventis Foundation Scholarship	
5	2014	A.G Leventis Foundation Scholarship	
6	2014	Research Fellowship, London School of Economics and Political Science Doctoral Research Fellow	
7	2012	Marie Sklodowska Curie Early-Stage Researcher Fellowship	