



Academic Personnel Short Profile / Short CV

University:	University of Nicosia
Surname:	Yiapanas
Name:	George
Rank/Position:	Adjunct Faculty
Faculty:	School of Business
Department:	Management
Scientific Domain: *	Strategic Management, Sports Management

** Field of Specialization*

Academic qualifications (list by highest qualification)				
Qualification	Year	Awarding Institution	Department	Thesis title (Optional Entry)
Ph.D. in Business Administration	2022	University of Nicosia, CY	Management	A value-based club-perspective stakeholder analysis of the football industry of Cyprus
MA in Management	2016	University of Wolverhampton, UK	Business	Can the new football violence Act provide the means for efficient safety management in football grounds in Cyprus?
AAT Accounting	1998	BPP University, UK		
Certificate in Security Management	2014	Global College, CY		
Certificate in Football Management	2007	Intercollege, CY		



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

Period of employment		Employer	Location	Position
From	To			
September 2022	Today	University of Nicosia	Nicosia	Adjunct Faculty
September 2022	Today	Gnosis Mediterranean Institute for Management Science	Nicosia	Research Fellow
September 2019	Today	University of Roehampton		Senior Lecturer
September 2017	June 2018	University of Wolverhampton		Lecturer
October 2000	Today	GSP Stadium and Sports Center	Nicosia	Finance Manager

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	2024	The contemporary football industry: a value-based analysis of social, business structural and organisational stakeholders	George Yiapanas Alkis Thrassou Demetris Vrontis	Accounting, Auditing and Accountability Journal	DOI: 10.1108/AAAJ-06-2022-5855	Vol. 37 No. 2 pp. 552-585
2	2022	Football industry strategic contextualisation and developmental choices - the case of Cyprus, EU	George Yiapanas Alkis Thrassou Demetris Vrontis	<i>Journal for International Business and Entrepreneurship Development</i>	DOI:10.1504/JG BA.2022.12905 0	Vol. 15 No. 3 pp. 318-343
3	2022	A holistic strategic perspective of football stakeholders.	George Yiapanas Alkis Thrassou Demetris Vrontis	<i>Journal for International Business and Entrepreneurship Development</i>	DOI:10.1504/JI BED.2022.1005 1858	Vol. 14 No. 3 pp. 349-377
4	2022	Football industry stakeholders' salience and attributes - the case of Cyprus, EU	George Yiapanas Alkis Thrassou	Global Business and Economics Review	DOI:10.1504/G BER.2022.1223 83	Vol. 26 No.3 pp. 231-251
5	2022	A stakeholder framework of the football industry	George Yiapanas Alkis Thrassou Demetris Vrontis	In: D. Vrontis, Y. Weber & E. Tsoukatos (Eds), Sustainable Business Concepts and Practices: 15th Annual Conference of the EuroMed Academy of Business, EuroMed Institute	ISBN: 978- 9963-711-96-3	pp. 1353-1356
6	2022	The readiness of higher education academic staff in Cyprus for shifting the	George Yiapanas Maria Constantinou Elena Marcoulli	In: Pego, A. (Ed), <i>Handbook of Research on Digital Innovation</i>	ISBN: 978- 1668-467-63-3	pp. 301-323



		instructional delivery mode from face-to-face to emergency remote teaching.		<i>and Networking in Post-COVID-19 Organizations</i> , PA: IGI Global		
7	2021	An integrated, multi-agency, consumer-focused, safety management approach in the sports industry	George Yiapanas Alkis Thrassou Demetris Vrontis	<i>Handbook of Research on Contemporary Consumerism</i> . Hersey, PA: IGI Global	ISBN:978-1522-582-70-0	pp. 222-241
8	2021	A value-based club-perspective stakeholder analysis of the football industry of Cyprus	George Yiapanas Alkis Thrassou Demetris Vrontis Nicos Kartakoullis	In: D. Vrontis, Y. Weber & E. Tsoukatos (Eds), <i>Contemporary Business Concepts and Strategies in the new Era</i> . Proceedings: <i>14th Annual Conference of the EuroMed Academy of Business</i> , EuroMed Institute	ISBN: 978-9963-711-90-1	pp. 1030-1034
9	2021	An integrated, multi-agency, consumer-focused, safety management approach in the sports industry	George Yiapanas Alkis Thrassou Demetris Vrontis	In: Management Association, I. (Ed), <i>Research Anthology on Business Strategies, Health Factors, and Ethical Implications in Sports and eSports</i> . Hersey, PA: IGI Global	ISBN: 978-1522-582-70-0	pp. 634-654
10	2019	Remedies for the hooliganism factor in the football industry: The paradigm of Cyprus	George Yiapanas Alkis Thrassou Demetris Vrontis Nicos Kartakoullis	In: D. Vrontis, Y. Weber & E. Tsoukatos (Eds), <i>Business Management Theories and Practices in a Dynamic Competitive Environment</i> : 12th Annual Conference of the EuroMed Academy of Business, EuroMed Institute.	ISBN: 978-9963-711-81-9	pp. 1508-1519



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	2018	Panel discussion: The benefits of applied criminology for society	Local	Nicosia	Organiser
2	2016	Sports Grounds Safety Management - Comparison: Cyprus and Greece	Local	Nicosia	Organiser
3	2015	Stadium Safety Managers and Police Officers in Cyprus: An integrated approach	International	Nicosia	Co-organiser

*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	01.11.22 [Duration 36M]	Creative learning for boosting bio-economy within HEIs curricula [CL4BIO]	EU - ERASMUS+	Researcher

*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	Palgrave Studies in Cross-Disciplinary Business Research, in Association with EuroMed Academy of Business	Editorial Board	
2	2024	Palgrave Intersections of Business and the Sciences, in Association with Gnosis Mediterranean Institute for Management Science	Editorial Board	
3	2019 - 2021	The Parallel Parliament of Cyprus	Member of the Sports Committee	
4	2017 - today	The Cyprus Association for Sport Management	Board Member	
5	2010 to 2015	Cyprus Squash Association	President	



**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:
1	2022	The chapter titled: An integrated, multi-agency, consumer-focused, safety management approach in the sports industry by Yiapanas, G., Thrassou, A. and Vrontis, D. [2021], was republished by IGI Global after being considered “of the highest quality”.	IGI Global
2	2021	Conference Highly Commended Student Presentation Award, 14th Annual Conference of the EuroMed Academy of Business (EMAB)	EuroMed Academy of Business (EMAB)
3	2016	Award of recognition by University of Wolverhampton for the excellent performance at the (MA) Management, during the year 2015 - 2016	University of Wolverhampton
4	2015	Honorary President of Cyprus Squash Association for the outstanding contribution in the development of squash in Cyprus, from 2007 to 2015	Cyprus Squash Association
5	2012	Honoured by COC for the efforts that had as a result, Cyprus to be designated by FICTS as “Country of Sports 2012	Cyprus Olympic Committee (COC)



**Other Achievements. List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected.
(max total 10) (Optional Entry)**

Ref. Number	Date	Title	Key Activities:
1	2020 - 2022	Member of the Parallel Parliament of Cyprus	Sports Committee
2	2017 - Today	Board member of the Cyprus Association for Sport Management	Promoting Sports Management
3	2010 - 2015	President of the Cyprus Squash Association	Regulator for Squash in Cyprus
4	2006 - 2013	Board member of the Nicosia Squash Association	Regulator for Squash in Cyprus