

Curriculum Vitae

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Experience

- Sep 2026 - ongoing** **Assistant Professor of Legal Psychology**, School of Social Sciences and Humanities, University of Nicosia Athens, Greece
- Feb 2026 – Sep 2026** **Adjunct lecturer**, Department of Psychology, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Thessaloniki, Greece
- Apr 2025- Feb 2026** **Lecturer in Forensic Psychology**, School of Psychology, College of Health, Psychology and Social Care, University of Derby, Derby, UK
-Programme co-Lead: MSc in Forensic Psychology
- Oct 2023- Apr 2025** **Research Associate**, Amsterdam Laboratory for Legal Psychology, Department of Criminology, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, the Netherlands
- *Beyond WEIRD Witnesses: Eyewitness Memory in Cross-Cultural Contexts funded by the ERC*
- Sep 2022-Oct 2023** **Research Fellow**, Department of Forensic Psychiatry, University of Rostock, Medical Centre, Rostock, Mecklenburg-Vorpommern, Germany
- Feb 2021-Aug 2022** **Lecturer in Forensic Psychology**, School of Psychology, College of Health, Psychology and Social Care, University of Derby, Derby, UK
- *Programme Lead: MSc in Forensic Psychology (with Psychotherapy), (offered by overseas partner, Mediterranean College, Greece)*
- Jun 2020- Jan 2021** **Caseworker**, Médecins Sans Frontières (OCB), Mental Health Clinic, Lesvos Project, North Aegean, Greece
- *Supporting victims of torture and other forms of ill-treatment*
- *Supporting children with serious medical and mental health issues*
- Dec 2019- Jun 2020** **Caseworker**, European Asylum Support Office (EASO), Lesvos Operation, North Aegean, Greece
- *Conducting asylum interviews*
- *Drafting of advisory reports for Greek immigration services*

- Feb 2018- Dec 2019** **Postdoctoral Research Associate**, Cyber Technology Institute, School of Computing and Informatics, De Montfort University, Leicester, UK
- *EMPHASIS, Economical, Psychological and Societal Impact of Ransomware' funded by EPSRC*
 - *Investigative interviewing of cybercrime victims' funded by the Home Office/RISCS*
 - *AIR4ICS: Agile Incident Response for Industrial Control Systems' funded by the NCSC/RITICS*
- Feb 2012- Jun 2013** **Psychology Intern**, KETHEA Strofi, Therapy Centre, Counselling Centre, situated within the Juvenile Court of Athens and the Juvenile Detention Centre of Avlona (EKKNA), Greece
- *One-to-one sessions*
 - *Groups sessions*

Education

- Oct 2012 – Jul 2017** **PhD** in Psychology, "*Investigative interviewing of child witnesses in Greece*", University of Sheffield, UK
- Sep 2010 – Dec 2011** **MSc** in Psychological Studies, University of Glasgow, UK
- Sep 2007 – Jul 2010** **BSc (Honours)** in Psychology and Crime (2.1), University of Bradford, UK

Professional Training

- Sep 2022 – ongoing** Postgraduate Professional Qualification in Systemic Psychotherapy and Counselling, Laboratory for Systemic Psychology and Pedagogy Rodakino, Athens, Greece

Publications

Vredeveltdt, A., & **Ferra, F.** (2026). Adopting a cultural humility approach in international criminal investigations. *Oñati Socio-Legal Series, Advance online publication*. <https://doi.org/10.35295/osls.iisl.2344>

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<https://doi.org/10.1080/13218719.2024.2346730>

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<https://doi.org/10.1002/alz.075267>

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