

Academic Personnel Short Profile / Short CV

University:	University of Nicosia
Surname:	Karakosta
Name:	Aspasia
Rank/Position:	Adjunct Faculty
Faculty:	Education
Department:	Education
Scientific Domain: *	Special Education

** Field of Specialization*

Academic qualifications (list by highest qualification)				
Qualification	Year	Awarding Institution	Department	Thesis title (Optional Entry)
PhD	2016	National and Kapodistrian University of Athens	Department of Education & Early Childhood Education.	Parental self-efficacy and positive psychology interventions: empirical findings from the application of a group exercise for parents of preschool and primary school children.
MSc in Mental Health Promotion	2012	National and Kapodistrian University of Athens	School of Medicine	Empirical evidence-based interventions of Positive Psychology and their contribution to the promotion of mental health: a literature review"

BSc in Psychology	2002	Panteion University of Social and Political Sciences	Department of Psychology	
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Employment history in Academic Institutions/Research Centers – List by the three (3) most recent				
Period of employment		Employer	Location	Position
From	To			
2020	present	University of Nicosia	Nicosia	Adjunct Faculty
2018	2020	University of Crete	Crete	Researcher (Research Project: “Accepting Schools: The implementation of anti-racist program “Friendship Project” in Greece”. European Union European Regional Development Fund/Partnership.
2014	2015	Division of Illegal Immigration Enforcement, Immigration Department and Border Protection of the Hellenic Police, Ministry of Public Order and Citizen Protection	Athens	Psychologist. Psychological support for immigrants who are in detention and are under a drawback system in their countries of origin.

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	2020	“Longitudinal evaluation of friendship project: A multicultural – antiracist program for elementary school children”	Spyropoulou, E., Sourlantzi, A., Karakosta, A. et al.	Curr Psychol (2020). https://doi.org/10.1007/s12144-020-00842-w		
2	2013	“Assessment of Parental Self-efficacy Scale by TOPSE in parent group programs: A pilot study”	Karakosta-Stefanopoulou, A. & Malikiosi-Loizou	In A.Tsampanli & K. Kounenis (OP.) Community Topics in Clinical Psychology-Community Clinical Psychology, Health Psychology and Public Health (pp. 23-45). Papazisis, Athens.		
3	2007	“Cross cultural robustness of MMPI-2: The Greek standardization”	Karaminas, N., Georgakas, P., Kantas, I., Marini, K., Karakosta, A. & Stathopoulos, N.			

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	2019	“Friendship project A multicultural – antiracist program for elementary school children”	16ο Ευρωπαϊκό Συνέδριο Ψυχολογίας. Μόσχα, 2-5 Ιουλίου 2019.	Μόσχα	Προφορική ανακοίνωση
2	2018	Σχολεία Αποδοχής: η εφαρμογή του “Friendship Project” σε ελληνικό μαθητικό πληθυσμό	7ο Πανελλήνιο Συνέδριο Συμβουλευτικής Ψυχολογίας. Πανεπιστήμιο Θεσσαλίας, Βόλος, 8-11 Νοεμβρίου 2018.	Βόλος	Προφορική ανακοίνωση
3	2014	Παρεμβάσεις Θετικής Ψυχολογίας και Γονική Αυτό-αποτελεσματικότητα: Εμπειρικά ευρήματα από την εφαρμογή ενός ομαδικού προγράμματος.	5ο Πανελλήνιο Συνέδριο Συμβουλευτικής Ψυχολογίας με τίτλο «Συμβουλευτική Ψυχολογία: Σύγχρονες τάσεις, μελλοντικοί προσανατολισμοί». Πάτρα, 6-9 Νοεμβρίου 2014.	Πάτρα	Προφορική ανακοίνωση
4	2010	“Applying Positive Psychology to Parent Group Training Programmes”	5 ^ο πανευρωπαϊκό συνέδριο Θετικής Ψυχολογίας	Κοπεγχάγη, Δανία	Προφορική ανακοίνωση

* Specify venue, geographic location etc