



Academic Personnel Short Profile / Short CV

University:	University of Nicosia
Surname:	Kiourti
Name:	Elisavet
Rank/Position:	Adjunct Lecturer
Faculty:	Education
Department:	Education
Scientific Domain: *	Digital Technologies and Video Games in Education

** Field of Specialization*

Academic qualifications (list by highest qualification)				
Qualification	Year	Awarding Institution	Department	Thesis title (Optional Entry)
PhD in Videogames and Education	2018	University of Cyprus	Education	(Dis)connecting Literacies: From Online Video Game Counter Strike Global Offensive, into Classroom
MA in Computational Linguistics	2007	University of Essex	Language and Linguistics	Automatic Machine Translation: Comparing Dependency Treebanks: The cases of Czech, Dutch, Turkish and Greek
BA in Greek Literature (specialization linguistics)	2006	Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	Greek Literature	



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

Period of employment		Employer	Location	Position
From	To			
2021	Present	Open University of Cyprus	Nicosia	Academic Coordinator
2018	Present	European University of Cyprus	Nicosia	Adjunct Lecturer
2010,2017	Present	University of Nicosia	Nicosia	Adjunct Lecturer

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	In press	Videogames, Layering Literacies and Metagaming		Special issue on L1. Educational Studies in Language and Literature on Games and Literacies, Springer		
2	In press	Βιντεοπαιχνίδια σοβαρού σκοπού: Περιβάλλοντα γραμματισμού και εκμάθησης λεξιλογίου για την ελληνική ως δεύτερη / ξένη γλώσσα	Χριστοδουλάκης, Γ	Journal for Open and Distance Education and Educational Technology		
3	2021	Sanna: Μέθοδος εκμάθησης της κυπριακής αραβικής σε παιδιά. Επίπεδο A1	Ζωνιάς, Η. & Δημητρίου, Ε	Παιδαγωγικό Ινστιτούτο Κύπρου		Βιβλίο

4	2021	Greek Online: Σύγχρονες προσεγγίσεις στον σχεδιασμό εξ αποστάσεως προγράμματος για τη διδασκαλία της ελληνικής ως δεύτερης/ξένης γλώσσας	Χριστοδούλου, Μ & Κυριάκου, Ν	Σύγχρονες προσεγγίσεις διδασκαλίας παιδιών με μεταναστευτική βιογραφία		25-56
5	2021	Ενισχύοντας τη γλωσσική επίδοση των παιδιών με μεταναστευτική βιογραφία μέσω καινοτόμων τεχνολογικών παρεμβάσεων	Κοσμάς, Π. & Βρασίδης, Χ	Σύγχρονες προσεγγίσεις διδασκαλίας παιδιών με μεταναστευτική βιογραφία		79-108
6	2021	Πρωθύνοντας την εκμάθηση της ελληνικής ως δεύτερης/ξένης γλώσσας μέσα από ψηφιακά περιβάλλοντα: Η διαδραστική πλατφόρμα PALM	Ιωαννίδου, Ε., Κυριάκου, Ν. & Χριστοδούλου, Β	Σύγχρονες προσεγγίσεις διδασκαλίας παιδιών με μεταναστευτική βιογραφία		109-136
7	2019	Shut the fuck up re! Plant the Bomb fast. Reconstructing language and identity in first person shooter games		Approaches to Video Game Discourse: Lexis, Interaction. New York: Bloomsbury Academic		157-177
8	2018	Video Games and Other Online Activities May Improve Health in Aging	Kyriazis, Μ	Frontiers in Medicine	5	
9	2018	Literacy Education in prison: Developing a social literacy program	Ioannidou, Ε. & Christofidou, C	Research Papers in Education	34	597-620
10	2018	Interactions with technology as a cognitive, healthy ageing hermetic stimulus	Kyriazis, Μ	The science of Hormesis in Health and Longevity. Elsevier: Academic Press		285-292



**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	22 Sep-05 Oct. 2017	“The Project”: An interactive exhibition exploring Art through Science & Technology	Local	Municipal Gallery of Larnaca	Exhibitor
2	04-06 Sep 2015	Prison Literacy in Flying Away Art and Music Festival	Local	Nicosia	Exhibitor of the book “I am alive”, a collection of prisoners’ poems and writings

*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	2021-Present	GenGapsDigi - Reducing Gender Gaps for the Digital Transformation	European Union’s Rights	Researcher
2	2020-Present	INGAME - Gaming for social inclusion and civic participation https://ingame.erasmus.site/	Erasmus+	Researcher
3	2020-Present	Researching Past and Current Linguistic Diversity in Cyprus	Active Citizens, Civil Society Program of the EEA & Norway Grants Financial Mechanism	Researcher



4	2016-Present	Protection and Revitalisation of Cypriot Maronite Arabic	Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports and Youth	Researcher
5	2020-2021	Greek Online - Distance Education for Second/Foreign Language for Medicine and Dentistry	European University of Cyprus	Scientific Coordinator
6	2020-2021	Mathainw Ellinika https://www.mathainwellinika.com/en/	Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund and the Republic of Cyprus	Researcher
7	2017-2019	DCR - Digital, Responsible Citizenship in a Connected World http://digital-citizenship.org/	Erasmus+ and European Union	Researcher
8	2016-2018	COMMIX - Empowering Literacy in Adolescents with Comics http://www.commix-project.eu/en/	Erasmus+ and European Union	Researcher
9	2016-2018	PALM - Promoting Authentic Language Acquisition in multilingual contexts https://www.palm-edu.eu/en/	Erasmus +	Researcher
10	2014-2016	Social Literacy in Cyprus Central Jail	University of Cyprus	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	2020-Present	Women in Games	Cyprus Ambassador	Board Member
	2020-Present	Journal for Open and Distance Education and Educational Technology	Reviewer	Board Member
2	2020-Present	Cyprus Global Game Jam	Co-organizer	Organizing the gaming event
3	2017-Present	University of Nicosia	First Supervisor	Supervision of theses (Bachelor and Master Students)
4	2019-Present	European University of Cyprus	First Supervisor	Supervision of theses (Bachelor and Master Students)
5	2017-2021	CyLing – Cyprus Linguistic Society	Press Officer	Board Member

**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	2020	Project PALM award	Europäisches Sprachensiegel
2	2012-2018	Full Scholarship for PhD Studies	State Scholarship Foundation Cyprus
3	2017-2018	Best PhD Candidate Award	University of Cyprus
4	2002-2006	Full Scholarship for Bachelor Studies	State Scholarship Foundation Cyprus