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Education

- October 2021 - ongoing Ph.D Candidate
Bonn International Graduate School- Oriental and Asian Studies (BIGS-OAS), University of Bonn (DE)
"The sanjak of Tirhala; tracing and defining the local ceramic production of Ottoman Thessaly (15th-19th ce.)"
- October 2017 -
January 2021 M.A. in Islamic Archaeology
Institute for Oriental and Asian Studies, University of Bonn (DE)
Master thesis on "The Ottoman tobacco pipes; material evidence of tobacco in Palestine"
- February - June 2020 Erasmus Semester
Graduate School of Ottoman Studies, Istanbul Medeniyet University (TR)
- October 2011 - July 2016 Bachelor in Archaeology and Art History
Department of Philosophy, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (GR)
- April - July 2014 Erasmus Semester
Department of Classical Archaeology & Department of Prehistoric Archeology, University of Cologne (DE)

Seminars

- 4-15 October 2022 Intensive course on "Ottoman Paleography and Sources"
University of Heidelberg, Seminar für Sprachen und Kulturen des Vorderen Orients, Islamwissenschaft
- October -
December 2020 Introduction to Geographic Information Systems (GIS) for Archaeologists
National and Kapodistrian University of Athens (online course)
- March - May 2017 Ottoman Paleography Lessons
Istanbul Medeniyet University (online course)
- January - April 2017 Islamic Art & Architecture
Oxford University (online course)
- November 2015 -
May 2016 Ottoman Paleography lessons
Prof. Kotzageorgis, Prof. Papastamatiou, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

Archaeological Tasks & Work Experience

- 03-23 October 2021 Madaba Plains Project, Tall Hisban, Jordan
University of Bonn
Square supervisor, field work

- April 2018 -
January 2020 Research Assistant
Institute for Oriental and Asian Studies, University of Bonn
Administrative work, pottery registering and conservation
- 3-21 March 2019 Khirbet Beit Mazmil Archaeological and Development Project, Jerusalem
University of Bonn & Israel Antiquities Authority
Pottery registreur, Organising team, Field work
- 24 June - 13 July 2018 Madaba Plains Project, Tall Hisban, Jordan
Adrews University & University of Bonn
Square supervisor, Pottery registreur, Field work
- 17 September -
8 October 2016 The Cambridge Keros Project, Keros Island, Greece
Cambridge University & Ephorate of Antiquities of Cyclades Islands
Field work
- 5-24 October 2015 Southeast Naxos Survey Project, Naxos Island, Greece
Cambridge University & Ephorate of Antiquities of Cyclades Islands
Field work
- September 2013 Study of byzantine pottery in Institute for Aegean Prehistory (INSTAP), Crete, Greece
Prof. Natalia Poulou-Papadimitriou, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki
- August 2013 Excavations in Antikythera Island, Greece
26th Ephorate of Prehistoric and Classical Antiquities
Field work
- September 2012 Excavations in Tzanata, Kefallonia Island, Greece
35th Ephorate of Prehistoric and Classical Antiquities
Field work

Conference participations

- 4-6 November 2022 Online International Conference- "The Ottoman Monuments in Greece Revisited; A Tribute to Machiel Kiel"
Organizing Committee: P. Androudīs – A. Markou – D. Loupis
Participant (Paper title: *Ottoman Trikala until the end of 16th c.: An archaeological approach*)
- 28-29 May 2021 7th International Graduate Conference- "Materiality in the Eastern Mediterranean World"
Center for Eastern Mediterranean Studies, Central European University
Participant (Paper title: *The materiality of smoking; the Ottoman tobacco pipes of Palestine*)
- 8-10 April 2016 4th Panhellenic Conference of Students of Archaeology- "Our Archaeology; Interdisciplinary and social approaches"
Aristotle University of Thessaloniki
Organising committee and participant (Paper title: *The Ottoman hamams of Thessaloniki*)

Scholarships

01 February -
31 July 2023

Marie Skłodowska-Curie-Action Early Stage Researcher Fellowship
Place ITN, STARC, The Cyprus Institute

01 April -
30 November 2022

Research scholarship for Doctoral Students
DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service)

Language Skills

Greek

Native Language

German

TestDaf (TDN 4)
B2 Goethe

Ottoman Turkish

Intermediate Level

English

C2 University of Michigan Proficiency

Turkish

B2 Yunus Emre Enstitüsü İstanbul

Kurdish (Kurmanci)

A1 level