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- Assistive Technology in Occupational Therapy
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Administrative Positions: Departmental Erasmus coordinator, Health Officer of the Occupational Therapy Department, member of 40+ Departmental committees

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Education: PhD in Health Sciences, PhD dissertation: “eHealth and People with Schizophrenia Spectrum Disorders”, University of Turku, Faculty of Medicine, Department of Nursing Science, Finland.

• Master of Education, Program: “Learning, Learning Environments and Educational Systems”, Specialization: Special Education, University of Turku, Department of Education, Finland.

• Bachelor Degree in Occupational Therapy, Technological Educational Institute of Athens, School of Health and Welfare Professions, Department of Occupational Therapy, Greece.

Research interests: Occupational Therapy, eHealth, social media, technology and health

Academic experience: Assistant Professor in Occupational Therapy • Specialization: Occupational Therapy and Assistive Technology with an emphasis on Electronic Health (eHealth). Department of Occupational Therapy, School of Health Sciences and Welfare, University of West Attica, Athens, Greece.

Academic fellow, Department of Occupational Therapy, University of West Attica, Athens, Greece.

Full-time researcher at “TYKS” University Hospital in Turku, Finland.

Full-time researcher, University of Turku, Finland.

Professional clinical activity: Fellow of the US Department of State with the program: "Young Transatlantic Innovation Leaders Initiative" (YTILI Fellow). Representative of Finland, Boston & Washington DC, America.

Founder of the startup "Knowledge Unicorn", Turku, Finland.

Self-employed Occupational Therapist and Post-secondary Educator, Athens, Greece.

Teaching courses (Undergraduate level): Department of Occupational Therapy, UniWA: Assistive Technology in Occupational Therapy • Clinical Practice I • Clinical Practice II • Teaching Clinical Practice III & IV groups • Groups in Occupational Therapy • Art in Occupational Therapy • Creativity and Occupational Therapy • Evaluation in Occupational Therapy • English - Occupational Therapy Terminology • Occupational Therapy in a Multicultural Environment • Special Therapeutic Techniques in Occupational Therapy • Occupational Therapy for Children and Adolescents with Developmental Disorders.

Teaching courses (Postgraduate level): "Occupational Medicine, Occupational Therapy and Technology" • "Occupational techniques" • "Project management and value principles in the management of social services" • "Occupational hygiene, hygiene and safety in the workplace" • "Children's Health Promotion And Adolescents in the Digital Age".

Teaching at other institutions: Mediterranean College • IEK Xyni.

Other information: IKY Scholar • Founding member of the Association of IKY Scholars (State Scholarship Foundation) and Secretary General for the first 2 years of its establishment. Website: <https://ikyscholars.gr/istoriko>

Selected Publications:

Arntz A, Weber F, Handgraaf M, Lällä K, Korniloff K, Murtonen KP, Chichaeva J, Kidritsch A, Heller M, Sakellari E, **Athanasopoulou C**, Lagiou A, Tzonichaki I, Salinas-Bueno I, Martínez-Bueso P, Velasco-Roldán O, Schulz RJ, Grüneberg C. 2023. **Technologies in home-based digital rehabilitation: A scoping review**. JMIR Preprints. 18/10/2022:43615.

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Athanasopoulou C, Välimäki M, Koutra K, Löttyniemi E, Bertsias A, Basta M, Vgontzas AN, Lionis C. 2017. **Internet use, eHealth literacy and attitudes toward computer/internet among people with schizophrenia spectrum disorders: a cross-sectional study in two distant European regions**. BMC Medical Informatics and Decision Making, 17:136.