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CURRENT POSITION

- Laboratory Teaching Staff A´ Harokopio University of Athens

EDUCATION

- PhD in Human Geography, University Michel de Montaigne, Bordeaux 3 - Department of Human Geography, 2010
- PhD in Economics, University of Thessaly (Volos, Greece) - Department of economics, 2009
- DEA in Development and Civilization, University Paris II, 1991
- BSc in Economics, University of Macedonia, Greece, 1987

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Harokopion university of Athens (2019 -)
- High school teacher (1st Experimental High School of Athens "Gennadeio") (2013-2018)
- Director of the Intercultural Junior High school at Hellinikon (Athens) (2011-2013)
- High school teacher in Greece (public schools) (1999-2019)
- High school teacher (private school, Athens) (1993-1999)
- National Bank of Greece (1984-1993)

NETWORKS AND MEMBERSHIPS

Member of the following scientific associations:

- Hellenic Network of African Studies (<http://hellenicafricanstudies.wordpress.com/>)
- Hellenic Association of Geographers

PUBLICATIONS / ARTICLES

- Papers in Refereed Scientific Journals

AKONO, F. - METAXIDES, N. (2017) « Greek and Cameroonians Trade Relations and the Origins of Cameroon's Economic Elites (1920-1980) », (in) International Journal of African Historical Studies, Vol. 50 (3), 2017, pp. 517-531.

KOMNINOY, I. – METAXIDES, N. (2014) Economy, Islam and Eastern Religions: Example of interdisciplinary teaching for high school, in Scientific Educational Journal "Educational Circle", Volume 2, Issue 3, pp.115-128 (in Greek).

METAXIDES, N. - AKONO, F. (2013) "Greeks in Cameroon, a history of a business presence in sub-Saharan Africa (from the beginning to the end of the 1970s)", in The Social Science Tribune (University of Thessaly), volume 16, issue 62, pp. 115-139 (in Greek).

METAXIDES, N. (2010) «Les Grecs du Cameroun, une diaspora d'entrepreneurs (1950-2007)» in Revue Européenne des Migrations internationales, volume 26 (2), pp.169-189 (βλέπε : <http://remi.revues.org/5152>)

- Publications – Conferences

METAXIDES, N. - AKONO, F. (2021) White city, black city: the spatial dimension behind business strategies of Greek bakers in Yaoundé (Cameroon). Scientific Geography Conference "Geography in a changing world" Mytilini, Lesbos (in Greek).

MÉTAXIDÈS, N. (2014) "U.E. – Afrique: migrations et développement. Politiques pour la gestion d'une diaspora africaine" in The European Union and Africa: The interregional dynamics, Athens 26 – 27 September 2014, Institute of Diplomacy and Global Affairs.

METAXIDES, N. - AKONO, F. (2012) Confrontation et/ou coopération entre pratiques politiques et logiques économiques dans le processus de la création de l'imaginaire entrepreneurial en Afrique subsaharienne, 2nd International Economic and Social History Conference entitled "Markets and Politics" Private interests and

public power (18th-20th century), Hellenic Society of Economic History, University of Thessaly, Volos, pages 249-265.

Tsardanidis, H. - METAXIDES, N., (2011) Africa - Open for Business- Investigation of the Possibilities and prospects of integration of African immigrants into the Greek Reception Society, EP Competitiveness and Entrepreneurship (EPAN II), PEP Macedonia - Thrace, PEP Crete and the Aegean Islands, PEP Thessaly - Central Greece - Epirus, PEP Attica.

METAXIDES, N. (2010) "Greek diaspora in sub-Saharan Africa: A socio-economic analysis of Greek business activities in Cameroon", 9th Panhellenic Geographical Conference, Harokopion University, pp. 401-408 (in Greek).

METAXIDES, N. (2004) The Greek presence in Africa. The case of the Greeks of Cameroon, "History of the Neo-Hellenic Diaspora: Research and Teaching", Damanakis M. - Kardassis V. - Michelaki T. - Chordakis, A. (editor) Intercultural & Migration Studies Laboratory (E.DIA.M.ME.), Rethymnon, volume II, pp. 238-248 (in Greek).

METAXIDES, N. (2003) The phenomenon of the Greek diaspora in the African continent - Its formation and its perspectives, 6th International Conference "Intercultural Education - Greek as a Second or Foreign Language", Center for Intercultural Education (KE.D.EK), Patras, volume II, pp. 327 -341 (in Greek).

- Edited Books, Monographs and Special Issues of Journals

METAXIDES, N. (2006) The Diaspora of the Greeks in Central and West Africa, in The Greeks in the Diaspora 15th-21st centuries, Greek Parliament, Athens, pp. 243-247 (in Greek).

LAZIDOU, E. - METAXIDES, N. (2006) The Diaspora of the Greeks in East Africa, in The Greeks in the Diaspora 15th-21st centuries, Greek Parliament, Athens, pp. 236-241 (in Greek).

METAXIDES, N. (2019) Cultural Geography, Notes for the students of the 5th semester of the Geography department of Harokopio University (unpublished) (in Greek).

METAXIDES, N. (2017) Economic Geography, Notes for the students of the spring 6th semester of the Department of Agricultural Economy and Development of the Agricultural University of Athens (unpublished) (in Greek).

METAXIDES N. (2012) *La diaspora hellénique en Afrique noire: Esprit d'entreprise, culture et développement des Grecs au Cameroun*, Éditions Universitaires Européennes (978-613-1-50380-1).

METAXIDES, N., TERKENLI Th., RAFTOPOULOU P. (2003) *Tourism Geography* (textbook for students of Technical High Schools., Department of Economics and Management, Specialization in Hotel Operations), published by O.E.D.B., Athens (in Greek).

- Lectures, seminars

"Greeks in Africa: From the Era of Colonialism to Our Days", Department of Political Science & International Relations of the University of Peloponnese, 29/10/2013.

Participation with a presentation in the seminars of the Hellenic Society of Economic History on 28/1/2013 at the EIE entitled "History of an immigration, consolidation of an identity: Anthropology of Greek entrepreneurship in Cameroon".

- Other publications

METAXIDES N. Greek entrepreneurs in Africa, (in) *Illustrated History*, issue 625, July 2020, Athens, pages 104-119.

METAXIDES N. The Greek communities of Cameroon: A living presence, (in) *The Light of Diaspora* (Monthly Diaspora Newspaper), year 1, sheet number 1, April 2008, Athens, pages 40-41.

METAXIDIS N. "Business boost levels", *Economic Post*, issue 9, 1/3/1984, pages 51-52.

<https://africultures.blogspot.com/>

LANGUAGES

- French (fluent reading, writing, speaking)
- Modern Greek (fluent reading, writing, speaking)
- English (basic working knowledge).