Curriculum Vitae

Alexandros Papazoglou

Assistant Professor of Modern and Contemporary History of the Black Sea Region

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Democritus University of Thrace

I.1. Personal Information

Place of birth: Kavala, Greece
Military Service: Completed (2016)

General Education: Primary and Secondary Education in schools of

Kavala and Komotini

I.2. Contact Details

Work Address: Department of Humanities, Democritus University of

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II.1. Higher Education

B.A. April 2009 Undergraduate studies in History, Department of

History, Archaeology and Social Anthropology, University of Thessaly, Specialization: History.

M.A. November 2010 Postgraduate Program "Studies in the Black Sea

Region", Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of Black Sea Countries, Democritus

University of Thrace.

Ph.D. September 2014 Doctorate in the history of the late Ottoman Period,

Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of Black Sea Countries, Democritus University of

Thrace.

Title of Doctoral Dissertation: "Anthimos Alexoudis: A scholar-clergyman of the Late Ottoman period: life and work (authorial, archaeological, palaeographical etc.). Supervisor: Assistant Professor Martha Pylia

(†), Professor Maria Dimasi.

II.2. Research Interests

- Hellenism of the Diaspora, Black Sea Region
- History of the Ecumenical Patriarchate of Constantinople

- Palaeography, Historical Sources
- Post-Byzantine Philology and History
- Greek Language and Literature

III. Academic/Teaching Experience/Research

June 2022-present

Assistant Professor, Academic field: Modern and Contemporary History of the Black Sea Region, Department of Humanities (formerly the Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries until 31/08/2025), Democritus University of Thrace.

March 2025-present

Member of the project team "WP4-Enhancing Mobility" of Democritus University of Thrace within the European University alliance "EMERGE" (Empowering The Margins Of Europe Through Regional And Global Engagement), Funding: European Commission, Scientific Coordinator: Professor Maria Michalopoulou (member of the Administrative Council, D.U.Th.)

October 2023-present

Academic Collaborator (supervision/co-supervision of Master's theses), Transnational, Inter-university, Interdepartmental Postgraduate Programme "Psychopedagogical, didactic & intercultural approaches to Humanities", Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries (Democritus University of Thrace) and Department of Education Sciences (Suor Orsola Benincasa University, Naples, Italy).

July 2019-June 2021

Research Associate, Research Program: A Platform for the Transcription of Historical Handwritten Documents, Operational Programme "Competitiveness, Entrepreneurship and Innovation" 2014-2020, Funding: European Union and National Resources, Collaborating Partners: Democritus University of Thrace, Institute for Language and Speech Processing "Athena" (Research and Innovation Center in Information, Communication and Knowledge Technologies / General Secretariat for Research and Technology, Ministry of Education), Omega Technology, Prisma Electronics. Coordinating Body: Democritus University of Thrace, Scientific Supervisor: Professor Ioannis Pratikakis (Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, D.U.Th.).

2018 (Spring semester)

Special Scientist (Teaching), Department of History and Archaeology, University of Cyprus, independent teaching (sole instructor) of the undergraduate course: "Hellenism under Ottoman rule."

2014-2016

Teaching Staff Member, Field: Ottoman History (16th–19th centuries), Postgraduate Programme in Southeast European Studies, School of Law – Department of History and Ethnology, Democritus University of Thrace. Within the postgraduate course "Southeastern Europe in the Years of the Ottoman Era", instruction focused primarily on the relations between the Ecumenical Patriarchate and the Hellenism of the Diaspora during the second half of the 19th century.

Dec. 2011-Dec. 2015

Lecturer (Öğretim Görevlisi), Department of Balkan Languages and Literatures (Division of Modern Greek Language and Literature), Trakya University (Edirne, Turkey). Held full responsibility for teaching undergraduate courses in Greek Studies.

2014 (Jul.-Sept.)

Research Associate, THALIS-NKUA research project: "Island biodiversity and cultural evolution: Examples from the Eastern Mediterranean, Madagascar, Mauritius, Philippines over the last 800,000 years". Coordinating Body: National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Managing Authority: Ministry of National Education &

Religious Affairs, Scientific Coordinator: Professor Charikleia Drinia (National and Kapodistrian University of Athens).

2012-2013

Instructor at the Preparatory School of Greek Language, Trakya University (Edirne, Turkey). During the 2012–2013 academic year, I taught courses at the Greek Language Preparatory School of Trakya University. Beginning with the 2013–2014 academic year, the programme was integrated into the Department of Balkan Languages and Literatures (Division of Modern Greek Language and Literature).

IV. Teaching Activities

IV.1. Undergraduate and Postgraduate Courses

2022-present

Undergraduate Programme, Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries, Democritus University of Thrace,

Fall Semester 2024-2025

- History and Culture of Romania I (5th Semester),
- History of Russia I (5th Semester),
- Romanian Language and Literature (co-teaching, 5th Semester),

Spring Semester 2024-2025

- Romanian History and Culture II (6th Semester),
- History of Russia II (6th Semester),

Fall Semester 2023-2024

- History and Culture of Romania I (5th Semester),
- History of Russia I (5th Semester),
- Romanian Language and Literature (co-teaching, 5th Semester),
- Religion and Culture with Emphasis on the Black Sea Region (co-teaching, 3rd Semester),

Spring Semester 2023-2024

- Romanian History and Culture II (6th Semester),
- History of Russia II (6th Semester),

Fall Semester 2022-2023

- History of Russia I (5th Semester),
- History of the Cities of Thrace during the Late Ottoman Period (5th Semester),

Spring Semester 2022-2023

- Romanian History and Culture II (6th Semester),
- History of Russia II (6th Semester),
- The world of Islam (co-teaching, 4th Semester).

2018 (Spring Sem.)

Special Scientist (Teaching), Department of History and Archaeology, University of Cyprus, independent teaching (sole instructor) of the course: "Hellenism under Ottoman rule". Within this course, among others, the following units were examined:

- The role of the Church in preserving national consciousness,
- The Ecumenical Patriarchate and the monasteries of Mount Athos as centers of Hellenism,
- The establishment and operation of Greek schools in the centers of the Hellenism of the Diaspora,
- The operation of publishing centers,
- The Hellenism of the Diaspora and its contribution to Greek letters.
- Greek education during the 18th and 19th centuries,
- The Phanariot class and its contribution to preserving national identity,
- Islamizations of Orthodox populations, the phenomenon of crypto-Christians.

2014-2016

Teaching staff member, teaching field: Ottoman History (16th–19th centuries), Postgraduate Programme in Southeast

European Studies, School of Law – Department of History and Ethnology, Democritus University of Thrace. Within the postgraduate course "Southeastern Europe in the years of the Ottoman Era," instruction focused mainly on the relations between the Ecumenical Patriarchate and the Hellenism of the Diaspora during the second half of the 19th century. Among others, the following units were examined:

- Economic development and education of Hellenism under Ottoman rule,
- The diffusion of Hellenism in commercial and intellectual centers (Constantinople, Adrianople, Philippopolis, Belgrade, Semlin, Sibiu, Brașov, Bucharest, Iași, Brăila, Galați, Constanța),
- Major Libraries during Ottoman rule,
- Tanzimat reforms,
- The Greek "Megali Idea",
- The firman of 1870,
- The Bulgarian Exarchate and the Schism.

2011- Dec. 2015

Lecturer (Öğretim Görevlisi), Department of Balkan Languages and Literatures (Division of Modern Greek Language and Literature), Trakya University (Edirne, Turkey). I held full responsibility for teaching undergraduate courses in Greek Studies.

2012-2013

Instructor, Preparatory School of Greek Language, Trakya University (Edirne, Turkey). During the academic year 2012–2013, I taught courses in the Greek Language Preparatory School at Trakya University. Beginning with the 2013–2014 academic year, the program was integrated into the Department of Balkan Languages and Literatures (Division of Modern Greek Language and Literature) at Trakya University.

IV.2. Supervisions/Co-supervisions of Master's Theses

Within the collaboration with the Transnational, Inter-university, Interdepartmental Postgraduate Programme "Psycho-pedagogical, didactic & intercultural approaches to Humanities", the following Master's theses were supervised or are being supervised:

- Dimitriadou Kondylenia, The uprooting of Asia Minor and Pontian Hellenism in the History textbook of the third grade of Secondary School under the perspective of intercultural education. Defended on 6 April 2025.
- Triantafyllidou Rozalia, Application of intercultural didactics methods for the utilization of cultural references in the Modern Greek Language textbook of the third grade of lower secondary school. In progress.
- Galazoula Chrysoula, *The contribution of art to the intercultural didactic approach to the History course of the third grade of lower secondary school.* In progress.
- Kapoula Evmorfia Sotiria, Intercultural approaches to teaching the General Education History course in the third grade of upper secondary school. In progress.
- Korontzi Georgia, Implementing differentiated instruction in the teaching of History in the third grade of lower secondary school in multicultural classrooms. In progress.
- Terzidou Efranthia, Applying intercultural teaching methods in the History textbook of the second grade of lower secondary school. In progress.

In parallel, I served as co-supervisor on three-member supervisory committees of the following Master's theses:

- Symeonidou Ilona, The contribution of local history to intercultural management of diversity in multicultural classrooms: The case of High School in Thessaloniki. Supervisor: Professor Maria Dimasi. Defended on 5 April 2024.
- Mavroudi Alexandra, *Intercultural readiness of secondary education teachers*. *Case study: teachers' views of multicultural high schools in Thessaloniki*. Supervisor: Professor Maria Dimasi. Defended on 12 March 2023.

- Tsioptsia Anna, *The representation of cultural diversity in the Modern Greek Language textbook for the second grade of lower secondary school.* Supervisor: Professor Maria Dimasi. In progress.
- Latif Elif, Teachers' perceptions in contemporary multicultural primary schools in Komotini regarding the challenges of integrating students from minority backgrounds. Supervisor: Professor Maria Dimasi. In progress.

IV.3. Supervision of Postdoctoral Research

By decision no. $\Delta\Pi\Theta/\Gamma\Phi\Pi\Pi X/51285/754/27-03-2025$ of the Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries, I supervise the postdoctoral research of Mrs. Maria Dimasi: *The Contribution of cinema to the formation of the contemporary historical-cultural context: The case of the films of Cağan Irmak* (2025-2026).

V. Administrative Roles

V.1. Participation in Departmental Committees

2024-2025

By decision no. $\Delta\Pi\Theta/\Gamma\Phi\Pi\Pi X/21352/336/14-11-2024$ of the Department Assembly, I participated in the following committees:

- Academic Coordinator, ERASMUS Programme Committee,
- Member, Internal Evaluation Group (OM.E.A.),
- Member, Undergraduate Programme Committee,
- Member, Committee for information on international scientific mobility/research,
- Member, Committee for ceremonies/events/ Department's annual two-day symposium.

2024-present

Member of the Chair Committee of Armenian Language and Culture, Democritus University of Thrace.

2024-2027

By decision no. $\Delta\Pi\Theta/\Gamma\Phi\Pi\PiX/23772/377/21-11-2024$ of the Department Assembly, I serve as regular member of the

Evaluation Committee for the Department's Internship Programme (academic years 2024–2027).

2023-2024

By decision no. $\Delta\Pi\Theta/\Gamma\Phi\Pi\PiX/19025/423/30-11-2023$ of the Department Assembly, I participated in the following committees:

- Academic Coordinator, ERASMUS Programme Committee.
- Member, Undergraduate Programme Committee,
- Member, Postgraduate Programme Committee,
- Member, Department Publications / Promotion Committee,
- Member, Committee for information on international scientific mobility/research,
- Member, Committee for ceremonies/events/ Department's annual two-day symposium.

2024

By decision no. 816/2024 of the Vice-Rector for Finance, Planning and Development of Democritus University of Thrace (A. Π .: $\Delta\Pi\Theta/\Gamma\Phi\Pi\PiX/44975/1081/13-05-2024$), I was appointed regular member of the Committee for destruction and recycling of obsolete instruments, items and materials of the Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries for 2024.

2024

By decision no. 816/2024 of the Vice-Rector for Finance, Planning and Development of Democritus University of Thrace (A. Π .: $\Delta\Pi\Theta/\Gamma\Phi\Pi\Pi X/44975/1081/13-05-2024$), I was appointed alternate member of the Committee for the receipt of books, journals, and execution of bookbindings for the needs of the Library of the Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries of Democritus University of Thrace for the year 2024.

2023-2024

By decision no. ΔΠΘ/ΓΦΠΠΧ/18238/396/27-11-2023 of the Department Assembly, I participated as a regular member of the Evaluation Committee for the Department's Internship Program (Department of Languages, Literature, and Culture of the Black Sea Countries of Democritus University of Thrace) for the academic year 2023–2024.

2023-2024

By decision no. ΔΠΘ/ΓΦΠΠΧ/355/9/04-09-2023 of the Department Assembly of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries, I participated in the Evaluation Committee for the selection of adjunct lecturers to provide teaching services in the field of "Romanian Language and Literature" for the academic year 2023–2024.

2022-2023

By decision no. $\Delta\Pi\Theta/\Gamma\Phi\Pi\PiX/10947/225/19-10-2022$ of the Department Assembly, I participated in the following committees:

- Academic Coordinator, ERASMUS Programme Committee,
- Member, Undergraduate Programme Committee,
- Member, Postgraduate Programme Committee,
- Member, Department Publications / Promotion Committee,
- Member, Committee for information on international scientific mobility/research.

2022

Participation as a regular member of the Appeals Committee for applications to the call for a position in "Ethnography and culture" of the Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries (A. Π .: EAKE 60790/09-12-2022 (A Δ A: 9P Φ P46 Ψ ZY1-X26).

2022-2023

By decision of the Department Assembly of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries (A.II. $\Delta\Pi\Theta/\Gamma\Phi\Pi\PiX/43684/1032/26-04-2023$), I served as a

member of the Department's Placement Committee for the academic year 2022–2023.

2023 By decision no. $\Delta \Pi \Theta / \Gamma \Phi \Pi \Pi X / 28303 / 598 / 23 - 03 - 2023$ of the

Department Assembly, I was appointed alternate member of the Student Disciplinary Council of Democritus University

of Thrace.

By decision no. 165/2023 of the Vice-Rector for Finance,

Planning and Development of Democritus University of Thrace (A.II.: $\Delta\Pi\Theta/\Gamma\Phi\Pi\Pi X/49147/1173/25-05-2023$), I was appointed regular member of the Committee for the destruction and recycling of obsolete instruments, items and materials of the Department of Languageo, Literature and

Culture of the Black Sea Countries for the year 2023.

V.2. Participation in Postgraduate Programmme Committee

Oct. 2022-present By decision no. $\Delta\Pi\Theta/\Gamma\Phi\Pi\Pi X/10947/225/19-10-2022$ of the

Department Assembly and decision no. 25/77/13-10-2022 of the Senate of Democritus University of Thrace, I have been serving as a member of the Programme Committee of the Transnational, Inter-university, Interdepartmental Postgraduate Programme "Psycho-pedagogical, didactic and intercultural approaches to Humanities", jointly organized by the Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries of Democritus University of Thrace and the Department of Educational Sciences of Suor Orsola

Benincasa University of Naples.

VI. Scientific Publications

VI.1. Monographs/Books

1. Funerary slabs and loose funerary fragments of Constantinople in secondary use (Pontians and Cappadocians of Constantinople, islanders and others), Collection A', Thessaloniki 2025, 180 pp. (K. & M. Ant. Stamoulis/Ioannis Charpantidis Publications).

- Pontic Greeks of the Black Sea Countries (persecutions, migrations, repatriations)

 Documents from the Historical and Diplomatic Archive (1916-1922),
 Thessaloniki 2020, 306 pp. (Thracian Library Series, no. 22, Mygdonia Publications).
- **3.** Anthimos Alexoudis the Philomousos: a scholar-clergyman of the Late Ottoman era: Life and Work (authorial, archaeological, palaeographical etc.), Thessaloniki 2019/2020, 369 pp. [K. & M. Ant. Stamoulis/Ioannis Charpantidis Publications (Doctoral Dissertation)].
- **4.** Manuel Moschiotes the Cretan, "Christian Education" –Unknown text from a 17th-Century Athonite manuscript [cod. Docheiariou no. 118 (2792)], Komotini 2016, 168 pp. (Series: Apo-Phones, Analekta no. 1).

VI.2. Publications in scientific journals, volumes and books

- 1. "Ten days in Smyrna of 1936": Smyrna through the eyes of a Smyrniot returning to his city fourteen years after the Catastrophe (preliminary communication), Mare Ponticum, 11 (in press).
- 2. "The perpetrators of the misappropriation of the late Kambouroglou's estate": The bequest of Doctor Alexandros Kambouroglou amid the designs of the Papa-Euthymians in Constantinople and at the Ecumenical Patriarchate, in the months immediately following the Asia Minor Catastrophe, Makedonika, 45 (in press).
- 3. The letters of Charis Ionikos from Smyrna in 1931 and the dispatches from the city of Ionia by Christos Angelomatis in December 1931, a tentative identification, Scientific Yearbook of the School of Classics and Humanities (Democritus University of Thrace), Vol. V (in press).
- **4.** A tobacco merchant of Kavala and his unknown funerary monument in a cemetery of the late Ottoman period, in: Proceedings of the Scientific Conference with international participation "Issues of Historiography and the Didactics of History", Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries, Democritus University of Thrace (in press).

- **5.** House-tomb of Grigorios Vegleris (Church of Saint Georgios, Nichori), in: G. K. Papazoglou, Funerary Monuments of Constantinople. III. Those within the precincts of churches and monasteries Phanariotes and Greco-Ottomans, Athens 2025, pp. 286–285 (KAPON Publications, in press).
- **6.** House-tomb of Basileios Zacharoff (Monastery of the Transfiguration of Christ, Prinkipo), in: G. K. Papazoglou, Funerary Monuments of Constantinople, Vol. III: Those within the precincts of churches and monasteries Phanariotes and Greco-Ottomans, Athens 2025, pp. 430–442 (KAPON Publications, in press).
- 7. House-tomb of Antonios Mangos (Monastery of Saint Nikolaos, Prinkipo), in: G. K. Papazoglou, Funerary Monuments of Constantinople, Vol. III: Those within the precincts of churches and monasteries Phanariotes and Greco-Ottomans, Athens 2025, pp. 430–442 (KAPON Publications, in press).
- 8. Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries A presentation on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of the founding of Democritus University of Thrace, Scientific Yearbook of the School of Classics and Humanities of Democritus University of Thrace (Vol. III) Commemorative Volume for the fifty Years (1973/1974–2024) since the founding of Democritus University of Thrace and its first Schools, pp. 409–419.
- 9. Antonios Mangos and Pavlos Stefanovik Skylitsis The reconstruction of the monastery of Saint Nikolaos at Prinkipo in the late Ottoman period through documents from the Archive of the Ecumenical Patriarchate and the press of the time, Mare Ponticum, 9 (2021), pp. 1-14, (http://mareponticum.bscc.duth.gr/index htm files/papazoglou 9.pdf).
- 10. Lazaros T. Tsochatzidis, Symeon Symeonidis, <u>Alexandros Papazoglou</u>, Ioannis Pratikakis, *HTR for Greek Historical Handwritten Documents*, J. Imaging, 7 (2021), no. 12: 260 (https://doi.org/10.3390/jimaging7120260).
- 11. Restoration efforts for the Church of Saint Demetrios at the Greek Embassy in Saint Petersburg, as evidenced by documents from the Hellenic Ministry of Foreign Affairs (1925–1927), Tarih ve Günce (Atatürk ve Türkiye Cumhuriyeti Tarihi Dergisi, Journal of Atatürk and the History of Turkish Republic), 9 (2021), pp. 311-336.

- 12. K. Markou, L. Tsochatzidis, K. Zagoris, A. Papazoglou, X. Karagiannis, S. Symeonidis, and I. Pratikakis (2021). A Convolutional Recurrent Neural Network for the Hand-written Text Recognition of Historical Greek Manuscripts, in: Alberto del Bimbo, Rita Cucchiara, Stan Sclaroff, Giovanni Maria Farinella, Tao Mei, Marko Bertini, Hugo Jair Escalante, Roberto Vezzani (Volume Editors), International Conference on Pattern Recognition International Workshops and Challenges, pp. 249-262, Springer Publications (DOI:10.1007/978-3-030-68787-8 18).
- **13.** <u>A. Papazoglou</u>, I. Pratikakis, K. Markou, L. Tsochatzidis (2020). *Eparchos Historical Greek handwritten document dataset (version 1.0)* [data set]. (https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo. 4095301).
- **14**. In light of reports in the Greek-language press of Odessa concerning the rescue of Konstantinos Sathas's Library: some observations, Apo-Phones, 7 (2019-2020), pp. 202-211.
- **15**. Unknown correspondence of Patriarch Gregorios VI with Elias Tantalidis in a codex of the Aristarchis Archive The Hellenist General Tertios Filippov in St. Petersburg, Apo-Phones, 7 (2019-2020), pp. 65-94.
- **16.** From Constantinople to Russia, Kiev, St. Petersburg and Odessa: Archimandrite Grigorios Vegleris through unknown documents of the Aristarchis Archive and others, Apo-Phones, 7 (2019-2020), pp. 21-52.
- 17. "New Christian East" Comparative catalogues of hierarchs of the Throne, the case of the Metropolises of Bulgaria and the Danubian Principalities (Contribution to the ecclesiastical and political history of Bulgaria and Romania A preliminary approach), Apo-Phones, 6 (2016-2018), pp. 77-174.
- **18.** Appeal to Greek capitalists of Constantinople for the preservation of the Sathas Library through an unknown document of the Ecumenical Patriarchate, Apo-Phones, 6 (2016-2018), pp. 185-201.
- **19.** From the microhistory of the Greek merchants of Southern Russia: The Ampatzis House of Kerch through a document from the Historical Archive of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Apo-Phones, 6 (2016-2018), pp. 207-217.

- **20.** Zoomorphism on hard writing materials Zoomorphic figures on funerary monuments of Constantinople and Syros (19th–20th centuries), Apo-Phones, 5 (2015), pp. 93-143.
- 21. "How refugees create refugees": The ethnological composition of villages in Eastern Thrace through publications of the daily press at the end of the 19th century, in: M. Dimasi, P. Valsamidis, I. Bakirtzis, A. Papazoglou & A. Nizam (eds.), Representations and Separations Memorial Volume in Memory of Martha Pylia, Komotini 2015, pp. 301-315 (Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries Democritus University of Thrace).
- **22.** Unknown "statistics of the population and educational status" of Greek communities in Northeastern Macedonia during the late Ottoman period (1885/86), Apo-Phones, 4 (2014), pp. 103-216.
- **23.** A. Papadopoulos-Kerameus and the "Maraslis Library" through an unknown document of the Ecumenical Throne, Apo-Phones, 4 (2014), pp. 231-237.
- **24.** "Letters of A. P. Kerameus to S. Aristarchis (1880–1907)" Archive of Stavrakis Aristarchis (cod. Vatic. gr. no. 2471), Apo-Phones, 3 (2010-2013), pp. 145-172.
- **25.** A Phanariote scholar and his contribution to Hellenism during the Ottoman period The Grand Chartophylax Manuel Gedeon, the Ecumenical Patriarchate, and the education of the Nation, Mare Ponticum, 3 (2013), pp. 127-142 (http://mareponticum.bscc.duth.gr/index_htm_files/Papazoglou_3.pdf).
- **26.** *Discovering Elytis' Greece*, in: Proceedings of the Conference "Literature and Multicultural School", Democritus University of Thrace, Komotini 2011, pp. 1–14 (http://mareponticum.bscc.duth.gr/index_htm_files/Papazoglou_pi. pdf).
- **27.** N. Papazoglou, <u>A. Papazoglou</u>. Paths of remembrance in the Byzantine Era The written testimonies, in: Eastern Macedonia, Komotini 2008, pp. 98-123 [Region of Eastern Macedonia Thrace].
- **28.** The "History of the island of Thasos" by Georgios Papaefstratiou and Sotirios Doukas the typographer, Thasiaka, 13 (2006), pp. 227-238.

VII. Participation in Conferences/Workshops/Events

- 1. Chair of Armenian Language and Culture (Democritus University of Thrace). Presentation, together with the Scientific Coordinator of the Chair, Professor Maria Dimasi, on the work and activities of the Chair of Armenian Language and Culture of the Democritus University of Thrace at the International Conference: "The Vision of the Development of Armenology: Challenges and Prospects", organized by the Complutense University of Madrid and the Ministry of Education, Science, Culture and Sports of the Republic of Armenia, Madrid, November 21-22, 2024.
- 2. A tobacco merchant of Kavala and his unknown funerary monument in a cemetery of the late Ottoman years. Presentation at the Scientific Conference with International Participation: "Issues of Historiography and the Didactics of History", organized by the Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries, Democritus University of Thrace, Komotini, November 3-5, 2023.
- 3. Literary texts and history: the contribution of superstructure elements to the teaching of History. Joint presentation with Professor Maria Dimasi at the Scientific Conference with International Participation: "Issues of Historiography and the Didactics of History", organized by the Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries, Democritus University of Thrace, Komotini, November 3-5, 2023.
- 4. Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries—A presentation on the occasion of the 50 years since the founding of Democritus University of Thrace, talk delivered at the university event "The academic and research work of the School of Classics and Humanities of Democritus University of Thrace", organized by the School of Classics and Humanities, Komotini, June 21, 2023.
- 5. Fourteen years later: The Catastrophe of Smyrna through the eyes of a press correspondent of the time. Presentation at the 4th International Theological Conference: "Memories of Asia Minor. Church History Culture/Tribute to the 100 years since the Asia Minor Catastrophe", organized by the Panhellenic Association of Theologians, Thessaloniki, November 11–12, 2022.

- 6. Odysseas Elytis' "Axion Esti": The Turkish translation. Presentation at the International Conference: "Literature and intercultural routes", organized by Democritus University of Thrace University of Ioannina Trakya University Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University Sukhumi State University, Komotini, May 30-31, 2014 Edirne (Turkey), June 1, 2014.
- 7. Mythological and folkloric interpretations of animal representations. Presentation at the International Conference: "ISOLARIO Island biodiversity and cultural evolution", organized by the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Athens, November 19-20, 2012.
- 8. The place of Greek literature in the curriculum of the Department of Balkan Languages and Literatures at Trakya University. Presentation at the two-day Conference: "Issues in the teaching of literature", organized by Democritus University of Thrace, Komotini, October 19-20, 2012.
- 9. *Discovering Elytis' Greece*. Presentation at the Conference: "Literature and multicultural school", organized by Democritus University of Thrace, Komotini, June 4, 2012.

VIII. Member of Conference Committees

- 1. Member of the Organizing Committee of the Scientific Conference with International Participation: "Issues of Historiography and the Didactics of History", organized by the Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries (Democritus University of Thrace), Komotini, November 3–5, 2023.
- 2. Member of the Scientific Committee of the Scientific Conference with International Participation: "Issues of Historiography and the Didactics of History", organized by the Department of Languages, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries (Democritus University of Thrace), Komotini, November 3–5, 2023.
- 3. Member of the Organizing Committee of the International Conference: "Literature and intercultural routes", organized by Democritus University of Thrace University of Ioannina Trakya University Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi

State University - Sukhumi State University, Komotini (Greece) May 30-31, 2014 - Edirne (Turkey), June 1, 2014.

Following a proposal, the following online lectures were organized in memory of Martha Pylia:

- 1. Athanasios Karathanasis, Professor Emeritus, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, *The turkologist Vasileios Dimitriadis and his work*, January 11, 2023,
- 2. Andrei Țârlescu, Consul of the Romanian Embassy in Athens, *The development of Greek Education in the Romanian Principalities through the Princely Academies of Bucharest and Iași*, January 24, 2023.