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## WORK EXPERIENCE

Department of Research, Neapolis University Paphos	September 2014-present	
Research Associate, Neapolis University Pafos	June 2014-Sept 2014	
Senior Chemist, A.N.C Waterproofing Industries LTD Paphos, Cyprus	2003-present	
Post-Doctoral Associate, Department of Chemistry, University of Wisconsin, Madison,	2002-2003	

### **EDUCATION**

<i>Ph.D., Chemistry Yale University</i> Advisor: Prof. John F. Hartwig	Dec 2002
<i>BS in Chemistry with Highest Honors, University of Virginia</i> Advisor: Prof. Cassandra L. Fraser	May 1997
HONORS AND AWARDS	
Oscar R. Rodig Award for Excellence in Chemistry Dean's List, University of Virginia Distinguished Majors Program Intermediate Honors <b>TEACHING EXPERIENCE</b> <i>Neapolis University Pafos</i> <i>Engineering Physics</i>	May 1997 1993-1997 1995-1997 Oct 1995 Fall 2017
Yale University Inorganic Chemistry Laboratory	Spring 1998, 1999, 2000
General Chemistry Lecture and Laboratory	Fall 1997, 1998, 1999
<b>University of Virginia</b> General Chemistry Laboratory	Fall 1995, 1996
Organic Chemistry Laboratory	Spring 1995

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### PUBLICATIONS

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### **PRESENTATIONS in CYPRUS**

"Transition Metal Catalyzed Borylation of Arenes", Departmental Seminar, The University of Cyprus, November 2002.

"A Scientific and Historical Overview on the Advances of Alternative Methods to Breastfeeding. The Development of Baby Formula and Baby Bottles", Conference on Reproductive Health, Frederick University, March 2010.

### COMMITTEES

Paphos Committee on Energy – member	2014 - present
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