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**RESEARCH & SCHOLAR ACTIVITIES:**

Member of ITSTIME, Italian Team for Security, Terroristic Issues & Managing Emergencies ([www.itstime.it](http://www.itstime.it))

Member of COVID-19 and Viral Violence Working Group (National Science Foundation funded Social Science Extreme Events Research-SSEER Network& CONVERGE/Natural Hazards Center at the University of Colorado Boulder, <https://converge.colorado.edu/resources/covid-19/workinggroups/issues-impacts-recovery/covid-19-and-viral-violence> )

World Mediation Organization Fellow- on counter terrorism issues

IVLP International Visitor Leadership Program participation, U.S. Department of State's premier professional exchange program, Terrorism Program 2018

**LANGUAGES:**

English, Italian, German, Turkish, Greek

**SELECTED PUBLICATIONS**

Safety vs Security during the Covid 19 pandemic, Sicurezza-Terrorismo-Societa, issue 2- 12/2020, p.p. 37-46

Nationalism and women in Greece during 1936-1941 and today: indicative historical and sociological notes, in Gender and Far Right Politics in Europe, eds Michaela Koetting and Andrea Peto, Palgrave 2017

New terrorist organizations and violence in Greece: a domestic affair, Justice Report-The Canadian Criminal Justice, issue 31.4, Autumn Fall 2016, pp.10-12

**SELECTED PARTICIPATION-EXPERT MEETINGS, SEMINARS & CONFERENCES:**

RAN online small scale expert meeting, Young women's use of social media and lessons for PCVE, Speaker: Young women and social media in terrorism, ONLINE (24-11-2020)

American Studies Seminar, subject: "The Threats to Democracy from the Spreading of Disinformation: The Impact on International Affairs, Politics, and Public Opinion.", Speaker: Fake news, conspiracy theories and violent extremism, U.S. Embassy,

Fulbright-Greece, Deree College, International Relations Institute, Athens, GREECE  
(14/11/2019)

SEEBRIG Lectures, Speaker-title: The Military as a target for terrorists: definition issues (in scholar research and media reporting), operational parameters of attacks and countering measures, case studies, SEEBRIG Key Leaders Training, Larissa, GREECE  
(16/05/2019)