



Academic Personnel Short Profile / Short CV

University:	Neapolis University Pafos
Surname:	Drakoularakos
Name:	Stavros
Rank/Position:	Associated Academic Staff
Faculty:	Social Sciences, Arts and Humanities
Department:	History, Politics and International Studies
Scientific Domain: *	International Relations, the Middle East and the Eastern Mediterranean

** Field of Specialization*

Academic qualifications (list by highest qualification)				
Qualification	Year	Awarding Institution	Department	Thesis title (Optional Entry)
PhD	2018	Panteion University of Social and Political Sciences	Political Science and History	Turkey and Israel in the Middle East: From the Cold War to the Arab Spring (in Greek)
MSc	2006	Université Paris – I – Panthéon – Sorbonne	Sciences Politiques	Le triangle Grèce – Turquie – Union Européenne: les facteurs européens de l'inflexion de la politique étrangère hellénique durant le Sommet de Helsinki en 1999
BSc	2005	National and Kapodistrian University of Athens	Political Science and Public Administration	



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Employment history in Academic Institutions/Research Centers – List by the three (3) most recent				
Period of employment		Employer	Location	Position
From	To			
2024	Ongoing	University of Nicosia	Nicosia (Cyprus)	Adjunct Lecturer
2024	Ongoing	University of the Peloponnese	Corinth (Greece)	Research Associate
2023	2023	University of Macedonia	Thessaloniki (Greece)	Adjunct Lecturer

Key refereed journal papers, monographs, books, conference publications etc. List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected –(max total 10)

Ref. Number	Year	Title	Other authors	Journal and Publisher / Conference	Vol.	Pages
1	2025	In a constant orbit of seeking security and national integration: the issue of the Copts of Egypt and the Chaldeans and Assyrians of Iraq in the twenty-first century		In S. Roussos (ed.) <i>God Willing: Political Islam, Minorities, and International Politics in the Middle East</i> . Athens: Οι Εκδόσεις των Συναδέλφων		191-220
2	2025	Turkey and Russia in the twenty-first century: 'Ontological anchoring' to former imperial identity		European Journal of History and Culture	2(1)	183-213
3	2024	Turkey in the post-Arab uprisings era: vacillating between regional and domestic priorities		Polish Political Science Yearbook	53(1)	107-123
4	2023	Middle Eastern Christianity in Syria and Iraq: At the Epicentre of the Rise of the Islamic State		In S. Roussos (ed.) <i>From Pluralism to Extinction? Perspectives and Challenges for Christians in the Middle East</i> , London: Transnational Press London	ISBN 9781801352246	75-92

5	2023	Ontological Security Theory: Christian 'Existential Anxiety' in Egypt and Lebanon	Zakia Aqra, Charitini Petrodaskalaki	In S. Roussos (ed.) <i>From Pluralism to Extinction? Perspectives and Challenges for Christians in the Middle East</i> , London: Transnational Press London	ISBN 97818 01352 246	45-73
6	2022	Christians in Syria and Iraq following the Arab uprisings: from co-optation to militarisation strategies	Sotiris Roussos	Studies in World Christianity	28(3)	334-360
7	2021	Turkey and Erdoğan's rising 'Lausanne Syndrome'		Digest of Middle East Studies	30(1)	22-33
8	2021	Turkey, the Middle East and the EU integration process through the prism of ontological security theory		The Jean Monnet Papers on Political Economy: EU-Middle East Series	25	1-17
9	2020	The life of the Egyptian Coptic community after the Arab Spring (in Greek)		in S. Koniordos (ed.) <i>The Political Phenomenon in transition. Challenges for Democracy, the State and Society – selected presentations</i> , Corinth: Department of Political Science & International	ISBN 97861 88220-65	199-203



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				Relations University of the Peloponnese		
10	2019	Turkey and Israel in the Middle East: From the Cold War to the Arab Spring (in Greek)		Thessaloniki: Epikentro	ISBN 97896 04589 265	220 p.

Exhibitions (where applicable). List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected. (max total 10)					
Ref. Number	Date	Topic	International / Local	Location*	Role in Exhibition
1	24/5/2025	Turkey, the Kurdish Issue and Ocalan's call	Local	The Kurdish Issue and Developments in the Middle East Athens, Greece	Coordinator, Presenter
2	18-21/06/2024	Revisiting the October 7 Attack Through the Lens of Hamas' and Israel's Ontological Insecurity	International	CEEISA-ISA Joint International Conference Rijeka, Croatia	Presenter
3	16-18/05/2024	The factors behind the Turkish-Egyptian rapprochement: political Islam, economic and regional priorities	Local	Mare Mediterraneum II Athens, Greece	Presenter
4	15-17/12/2024	Initiatives in the Middle East: the catalyst for changes in the international system	Local	Fifth Annual Conference Political Science and International Relations (PSIR) Loutraki, Greece	Presenter
5	13-14/11/2023	The Palestinian issue as a driving factor for Turkish-Israeli relations	International	ILABSEM 4th International Conference: A multi-centric	Presenter



				world in the making? Thessaloniki, Greece	
6	21/10/2022	Christian militarization in Iraq	International	International Workshop on Christianity in the Middle East Athens, Greece	Coordinator, Presenter
7	1-4/09/2022	Israel, Egypt and the Gulf: converging domestic interests and foreign policy priorities in the twenty-first century	International	Fifteenth Pan-European Conference on International Relations of the European International Studies Association Athens, Greece	Presenter
8	13-15/11/2021	Ontological Security Theory and the echoes of former empires: mnemonic mining in Turkey and Russia	International	Fourteenth Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of the Middle East and Africa Washington, USA	Presenter



9	16-18/11/2020	Turkey and its periphery after the Arab Spring	International	Thirteenth Annual Online Conference of the Association for the Study of the Middle East and Africa Washington, USA	Presenter
10	13-15/12/2019	The life of the Egyptian Coptic community after the Arab Spring	Local	Fourth Annual Conference Political Science and International Relations (PSIR) Loutraki, Greece	Presenter

**Specify venue, geographic location etc*



Research Projects. List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected (max total 10)				
Ref. Number	Date	Title	Funded by	Project Role*
1	2024-ongoing	Diversity and Inclusivity in Security Studies - SECURITY	2023 Erasmus+ KA220-HED Cooperation partnerships in higher education	Team member (Research Associate)
2	2020-2023	Christian Communities and Religious Pluralism in the Middle East: International Politics and Religion at the turn of the 20th and 21st Centuries	Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation (HFRI)	Team Member (Post-Doctoral Researcher)
3	2020-2021	Turkey and the Sèvres Syndrome: a reliable policy tool	State Scholarships Foundation (SSF)	Post-Doctoral Researcher

**Project Role: i.e. Scientific/Project Coordinator, Research Team Member, Researcher, Assistant Researcher, other*

**Academic Consulting Services and/or Participation in Councils / Boards/ Editorial Committees.
List the five (5) more recent (Optional Entry)**

Ref. Number	Period	Organization	Title of Position or Service	Key Activities
1	2013-ongoing	Centre for Mediterranean, Middle East and Islamic Studies (CEMMIS)	Editor-in-Chief	Editing and contributing to CEMMIS Middle East Bulletins and other publications, recruiting and mentoring junior analysts
2	2025	The Black Sea and Eastern Mediterranean Review (BSEMR)	Reviewer	Reviewing academic articles
3	2022	Polish Political Science Yearbook (PPSY)	Reviewer	Reviewing academic articles
4	2022	Religions	Reviewer	Reviewing academic articles



**Awards / International Recognition (where applicable). List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected.
(max total 10) (Optional Entry)**

Ref. Number	Date	Title	Awarded by:
1	2024	Travel grant for composing and presenting the paper Revisiting the October 7 Attack Through the Lens of Hamas' and Israel's Ontological Insecurity and attending the CEEISA-ISA Joint International Conference in Rijeka, Croatia. (June 18-21, 2024).	International Studies Association (ISA)
2	2021	Travel grant for composing and presenting the paper Ontological Security Theory and the echoes of former empires: mnemonic mining in Turkey and Russia and attending the Fourteenth Annual ASMEA Conference in Washington, D.C. (November 13-15, 2021).	Association for the Study of the Middle East and Africa (ASMEA)
3	2020	Scholarship for Post-Doctoral research on Turkey and the Sèvres Syndrome: a reliable policy tool	State Scholarships Foundation (SSF)



Other Achievements. List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected. (max total 10) (Optional Entry)			
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