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Profile

Undergraduate Studies at the Aristotelian University of Thessaloniki, Greece (B.A. Department of Mathematics, Faculty of Sciences, 1973), graduate studies at the University Louis Pasteur of Strasbourg, France (DEA Didactics of Mathematics, 1980, Ph.D. Didactics of Mathematics, 1982). Postdoctoral research at the same University (1982-83). Lecturer and Assistant Professor in Didactics of Mathematics, University of Thessaloniki, Department of Mathematics (1983-1996). Associate Professor (1996-2002) and Professor (2002-today) in Didactics of Mathematics, University of Cyprus. Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences and Education, University of Cyprus (2006-today). Visiting Fellow at European Universities.

Research Interests: representations in the learning of mathematics, pictures in problem solving, representations in the understanding of functions, History of Mathematics Education, epistemological, didactical and ontogenetic obstacles in the learning of mathematics, transition from elementary to secondary education with respect to mathematics learning. Member of the Editorial Board of International Journals in Didactics of Mathematics.

• Education

Louis Pasteur de Strasbourg, France, Thèse de Doctorat en Didactique des Mathématiques, 1982 (French government scholarship)

Louis Pasteur de Strasbourg, France, DEA en Didactique des Mathématiques, 1980 (Aristotle University Scholarship)

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece, Degree in Mathematics, 1973 (Greek government scholarship) (Class: Excellent)

Secondary School Leaving Certificate, 1968 (Grade: Excellent)

o Awards

Distinctions/ Scholarships

- Collaboration with the elementary school teachers Eleni Michaelidou and Niki Michaelidou as a principal investigator of the project "MERA", which has received an award (the third prize), 2005.
- Supervision of the undergraduate research study by Constantinos Constantinou and Georgia Tanou of the Department of Education, University of Cyprus (2005), which has received an award by the Cyprus Research Promotion Foundation.
- Granted the title of Expert on the Didactics of Mathematics by UNESCO. Organization of seminars (8th November-8th December 2003) for 100 primary school teachers in collaboration with the Ministry of Education and Culture and editing of a book on the Didactics of Mathematics (Fund 9000 USD).
- Honorary member of the Italian Pedagogical Society MATHESIS for 10 years.
- Award by the senate of the University of Lujan of Buenos Aires at the conference "V Simposio de Educacion Matematica", 10-17 May, 2003, Argentina. Granted the title of Distinguished Visiting Fellow according to a Senate decree.
- French government scholarship for the PhD studies, 1980-1982
- Aristotle University Scholarship for the Master's studies, 1978-1980
- Greek government scholarship for the undergraduate studies, 1969-1973

• Professional Experience

Academic positions held

- 2002-today Professor of Mathematics Education, Department of Education, University of Cyprus, Cyprus
- 1996-2002 Associate Professor, Department of Education, University of Cyprus, Cyprus
- 1998-2005 Visiting Fellow, Faculty of Education, University of Warwick, Great Britain
- 1999-2001 Associate Fellow, Faculty of Education, Brunel University, Great Britain
- 1992-1996 Visiting Fellow, Faculty of Education, Roehampton Institute, London, Great Britain
- 1993 Visiting Fellow, Faculty of Education, University of Veliko Tirnovo, Bulgaria
- 1983-1996 Lecturer, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, Aristotle University, Thessaloniki, Greece

- 1982-1983 Postdoctoral Researcher, Louis Pasteur de Strasbourg, France (French government scholarship)
- 1975-1983 Research and Teaching Assistant, Department of Mathematics, Aristotle University, Thessaloniki, Greece

• Research

Research programs

- REPRESENTATION: The role of representation in learning functions and geometry in the concept of the shift from the lower secondary education (gymnasium) to the upper second education (lyceum). A research project of the IPE (Institute of Research Cyprus). (Principal Investigator) (2008-2011).
- The functioning of representations in mathematics education with respect to the shift from elementary to secondary education, Medium Size Research Project, University of Cyprus, (Cyprus), Funding: University of Cyprus (Principal Investigator) (2007-2009).
- The development of students' problem solving ability and their ability to self-regulate their cognitive performance (Program of Distinguished Scientists with Erik De Corte), University of Cyprus (Cyprus), Funding: Research Promotion Foundation (Member of the research team) (2006-2008).
- History of Mathematics Education in Cyprus 1878-1960, University of Cyprus (Cyprus), Centre of Scientific Research of the Ministry of Education and Culture (Principal Investigator) (2005-2008).
- Identification, motivation and support of mathematical talents in European schools (MATEU), Intercollege (Cyprus), Funding: European Commission (Comenius 2.1) (Member of the research team) (2004 - 2006).
- Reform of mathematics curriculum and evaluation of mathematics textbooks, University of Cyprus, Ministry of Education and Culture (Cyprus), Funding: UNESCO (Principal Investigator) (2003-2004).
- Investigation of the role of representations in the first three grades of primary school, University of Cyprus (Cyprus), Funding: Cyprus Research Promotion Foundation (Cyprus) (Principal Investigator) (2002-2004).
- The development of a digital portfolio for teachers: Tool for their Self Performance and their evaluation, Intercollege (Cyprus), Funding: Cyprus Research Promotion Foundation, (Cyprus) (Member of the research team) (2001-2003).

• Teaching

Teaching at the University of Cyprus

1996-2007 EDU 171 Basic Concepts in Mathematics I (Undergraduate)

EDU 272 Topics from Modern Mathematics (Undergraduate)

EDU 331 Mathematics Education (Undergraduate)

- EDU 471 Special issues in Mathematics Education (Undergraduate)
- EDU 170 Pre-maths concepts (Undergraduate)

EDU 332 Mathematical concepts in the Kindergarten school (Undergraduate)

EDU 671 Cognitive Analysis of Mathematics learning (Postgraduate)
EDU 675 Contemporary trends in research in Mathematics education (Postgraduate)
EDU 677 Theories of Representation and Educational Teaching (Postgraduate)
EDU 678 Affect and Mathematics Learning (Postgraduate)
EDU 684 Space, Visualization and Reasoning in Geometry (Postgraduate)

Teaching at other institutions and universities

- 2006-2007 "Representations and Learning in Mathematics", Department of Mathematics, University of Athens
- 2000-today "Educational Assessment" to prospective teachers in the framework of the Cyprus Pedagogical Institute preservice training programme
- 2004-2005 "Representations and Learning in Mathematics", Department of Mathematics, University of Athens
- 1992-1996 Research on Mathematics Education, Faculty of Education, Roehampton Institute, London, Great Britain
- 1993 Research on Mathematics Education, Faculty of Education, University of Veliko Tirnovo, Bulgaria
- 1983-1996 Mathematics Education and History of Mathematics Teaching Department of Mathematics, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece.

Medical Statistics and Educational Statistics, Departments of Medicine and Kindergarten Education, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece.

Mathematics for the Pre-school age, Department of Kindergarten Education, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece.

Mathematics Education, Centre for in-service education of teachers (Thessaloniki, Larissa, Katerini, Kozani in Greece).

- 1975-1979 Mathematics, Department of Mathematics, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki
- 1974-1975 Secondary School Mathematics

o Publications

Journals

In Greek journals

- 1. Gagatsis, A., Elia, I., & Andreou, S. (2003). Representations and mathematics learning: Functions and number line. *Euclides* γ , 59, 5-34 (in Greek).
- 2. Gagatsis, A., & Lemonides, C. (1994). Oral arithmetic: a basic and useful skill ignored by teaching. *Diastassi* 4, 30-40 (in Greek).
- 3. Gagatsis A., Papadopoulou, P., Sarika, M., Tsaoulidis, A. (1994). On three exercises in Classical Geometry of the French Secondary Curriculum. *Diastassi* 3-4, 4-18 (in Greek).
- 4. Gagatsis, A. (1993). The theory of additive structures of Gérard Vergnaud and their application in Greek Mathematics Textbooks. *Diastassi* 1-2, 85-117 (in Greek).
- 5. Gagatsis, A. (1992). The utility and interest of Didactics of Mathematics to the Mathematics teacher. *Diastassi* 3-4, 76-91 (in Greek).

- 6. Gagatsis, A., & Kaldrimidou, M. (1991). Résumé des Actes du Symposium en Didactique des Mathématiques. *Cahiers de Didactique des Mathématiques*, 9, 11-33 et 101-124 (in Greek).
- 7. Gagatsis, A. (1990). Résumé des Actes de la Première Rencontre Européenne en Didactique des Mathématiques. *Cahiers de Didactique des Mathématiques*, *5*, 1-47 (in Greek).
- 8. Gagatsis, A. (1990). The Teaching of Logic in the First Lyceum grade. *Educational Review* 12, 83-117, (in Greek).
- 9. Gagatsis, A., & Patronis, T. (1990). Utilisation des modèles géométriques dans l'enseignement des Mathématiques. *Cahiers de Didactique des Mathématiques*, 6, 55-71 et 131-149 (in Greek).
- 10. Gagatsis, A., & Thomaidis, I. (1991). Errors of candidate teachers in school exercises on absolute value. *Educational Review* 14-15, 87-106 (in Greek).
- 11. Gagatsis, A., & Galli, E. (1989). Conceptions of Greek students concerning axial symmetry. *Educational Review* 11, 173-207 (in Greek).
- 12. Gagatsis, A. (1988). Enseignement des Mathématiques avec des problèmes ouverts. *Cahiers de Didactique des Mathématiques*, *1*, 26-28 et 64-67 (in Greek).
- 13. Gagatsis, A. (1988). New ways of writing of Mathematics textbooks. *Diastassi* 6-35 (in Greek).
- 14. Gagatsis, A., Katsoulou, M., & Marketos, A. (1988). Taxonomy of objectives and exercises in Mathematics. *Euclides* γ 1, 6-38 (in Greek).
- 15. Gagatsis, A. (1987). Alternative evaluation methods of the readability of Mathematical texts. *Diastassi*, 33-55 (in Greek).
- 16. Gagatsis, A. (1987). Experimental Didactics of Mathematics. Part I: Historical origins of the Experimental Didactics. *Contemporary Education* 35, 43-48 (in Greek).
- Gagatsis, A. (1987). Experimental Didactics of Mathematics. Part II: Concepts and Methods of Didactics of Mathematics- Comments on a paper of Laborde. *Contemporary Education* 36, 70-77 (in Greek).
- Gagatsis, A. (1987). Experimental Didactics of Mathematics. Part III: A research in Didactics of Mathematics - The comprehension of probabilistic situations by students of secondary schools (12 - 14 years). *Contemporary Education* 37, 44-52 (in Greek).
- 19. Gagatsis, A. (1985). Readability of Mathematics Textbooks. *Contemporary Education* 20, 40-48 (in Greek).
- 20. Gagatsis, A. (1985). Oral formulation of Mathematical Formulae. *Educational Review* 3, 21-46 (in Greek).
- 21. Gagatsis, A. (1985). Readability Formulae. Educational Review 2, 95-121 (in Greek).

In international journals (English, French, Italian, Boulgarian and German)

- 22. Modestou, M., & Gagatsis, A. (in press, 2010). Cognitive and metacognitive aspects of proportional reasoning. *Mathematical Thinking and Learning*.
- 23. Panaoura, A., Gagatsis, A., Deliyianni E., & Elia, I. (2009). The structure of students' beliefs about the use of representations and their performance on the learning of fractions. *Educational Pcychology*, 29(6), 713-728.
- 24. Elia, I., Gagatsis, A., Panaoura, A., Zachariades, T., & Zoulinaki, F. (2009). Geometric and algebraic approaches in the concept of limit and the impact of the "didactic contract". *International Journal of Science and Mathematics Education*, 7(4), 765-790.

- 25. Deliyianni, E. & Gagatsis, A. (2009). La comprensione dell'addizione di frazioni nella scuola primaria: Il ruolo delle rappresentazioni multiple. *La Matemematica e la sua Didattica, 23*(3), 299-318.
- 26. Gagatsis, A., Modestou, M., Elia, I., & Spanoudes, G. (2009). Structural modelling of developmental shifts in grasping proportional relations underlying problem solving in area and volume. *Acta Didactica Universitatis Comenianae Mathematics*, *9*, 9-23.
- 27. Modestou, M., & Gagatsis, A. (2009). Proportional reasoning: The strategies behind the percentages. *Acta Didactica Universitatis Comenianae Mathematics*, *9*, 25-40.
- 28. Panaoura, A., Gagatsis, A., & Demetriou, A. (2009). An intervention to the metacognitive performance: Self-regulation in mathematics and mathematical modeling. *Acta Didactica Universitatis Comenianae Mathematics*, 9, 63-79.
- 29. Pantziara, M., Gagatsis, A., & Elia, I. (2009). Using diagrams as tools for the solution of non-routine mathematical problems. *Educational Studies in Mathematics*, 72, 39-60.
- 30. Elia, I., Panaoura, A., Gagatsis, A., Gravvani, K., & Spyrou, P. (2008). Exploring different aspects of the understanding of function: Toward a four-facet model. *Canadian Journal of Science, Mathematics and Technology Education, 8*(1), 49-69.
- 31. Modestou, M., Elia, I., Gagatsis, A., & Spanoudis, G. (2008). Behind the scenes of pseudoproportionality. *International Journal of Mathematical Education in Science and Technology*, 39(3), 313-324.
- 32. Elia, I., Gagatsis, A., & Demetriou, A. (2007). The effects of different modes of representation on the solution of one-step additive problems. *Learning and Instruction*, *17*, 658-672.
- 33. Elia, I., Panaoura, A., Eracleous, A., & Gagatsis, A. (2007). Relations between secondary pupils' conceptions about functions and problem solving in different representations. *International Journal of Science and Mathematics Education*, *5*, 533-556.
- 34. Modestou, M., & Gagatsis, A. (2007). Students' improper proportional reasoning: A result of the epistemological obstacle of "linearity". *Educational Psychology*, 27(1), 75-92.
- 35. Modestou, M., & Gagatsis, A. (2007). Le difficoltà degli studenti nel ragionamento proporzionale costituiscono un ostacolo didattico, di sviluppo o epistemologico? *La matematica e la sua didattica*, 21(2), 143-162.
- 36. Gagatsis, A., Elia, I., & Mousoulides, N. (2006). Are registers of representations and problem solving processes on functions compartmentalized in students' thinking? *Revista Latinoamericana de Educacion Matematica, Special Volume,* 105-132.
- 37. Gagatsis, A., Sriraman, B., Elia, I., & Modestou, M. (2006). Exploring young children's geometrical strategies. *Nordic Studies in Mathematics Education*, 11(2), 23-50.
- 38. Elia, I., Gagatsis, A., & Gras, R. (2006). La « magie » et le pouvoir de l'image pour les petits enfants : application dans la résolution des problèmes du type additif. *Scientia Paedagogica Experimentalis, 43*, 89-114.
- 39. Panaoura, A., Elia, I., Gagatsis, A., & Giatilis, G.P. (2006). Geometric and algebraic approaches in the concept of complex numbers. *International Journal of Mathematical Education in Science and Technology*, *37*(6), 681-706.
- 40. Panaoura, G., & Gagatsis, A. (2006). Confronto di resultati nel problem solving geometrico nel caso di studenti di scuola primaria e di scuola secondaria. *La matematica e la sua didattica, 20*(3), 425-441.
- 41. Xistouri, X., Pitta-Pantazi, D., & Gagatsis, A. (2006). A dyslexic child's mental representations and strategies in elementary arithmetic. *Curriculum and Teaching*, 21(1), 71-94.

- 42. Gagatsis, A., & Elia, I. (2005). Il concetto di funzione e le sue rappresentazioni nell'educazione secondaria. *Bollettino dei Docenti di Matematica*, 50, 41-54.
- 43. Anastasiadou, S., Gagatsis, A., & Elia, I. (2005). The relation between the perceived math ability and the feelings about mathematics and statistics. *Scientia Paedagogica Experimentalis*, *42*, 351-364.
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- 45. Shiakalli, M., & Gagatsis, A. (2005). The geometrical model of the number line in the teaching of whole number addition and subtraction. *Scientia Paedagogica Experimentalis*, *42*, 167-184.
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- 47. Gagatsis, A., Kyriakides, L., & Panaoura, A. (2004). Assessing the cross-cultural applicability of number line in conducting arithmetic operations using structural equation modeling: A comparative study between Cypriot, Italian and Greek primary pupils. *World Studies in Education*, 5(1), 85-101.
- 48. Gagatsis, A., & Shiakalli, M. (2004). Translation ability from one representation of the concept of function to another and mathematical problem solving. Educational Psychology, An *International Journal of Experimental Educational Psychology*, 24(5), 645-657.
- 49. Theodoulou, R., Gagatsis, A., & Theodoulou A. (2004). Un'immagine vale più di mille parole...Ma che tipo di immagine risulta più efficace nelle attività di problem solving matematico degli studenti? *La matematica e la sua didattica, 2*, 4-32.
- 50. Gagatsis, A., Shiakalli, M., & Panaoura, A. (2003). La droite arithmétique comme modèle géométrique de l'addition et de la soustraction des nombres entiers. *Annales de didactique et de sciences cognitives*, *8*, 95-112.
- Elia, I., & Gagatsis, A. (2003). Young Children's Understanding of Geometric Shapes: The Role of Geometric Models. *European Early Childhood Education Research Journal*, 11(2), 43-65.
- 52. Koutselini, M., & Gagatsis, A. (2003). Curriculum Development for Differentiation in Mathematics. *World Studies in Education*, 4(1), 45-65.
- 53. Kyriakides, L., & Gagatsis, A. (2003). Assessing Student Problem-Solving Skills. *Structural Equation Modeling: A Multidisciplinary Journal, 10*(4), 609-621.
- 54. Markou, A., & Gagatsis, A. (2003). Rappresentazioni e apprendimento matematico:applicazioni nel campo delle frazioni. *La matematica e la sua didattica, 2,* 124-138.
- 55. Gagatsis, A., & Christou, C. (2002). The structure of translations among representations in functions. *Scientia Paedagogica Experimentalis*, 39(1), 39-58.
- 56. Gagatsis, A., Elia, I., & Mougi, A. (2002). The nature of multiple representations in developing mathematical relations. *Scientia Paedagogica Experimentalis, 39*(1) 9-24.
- 57. Gagatsis, A., & Michaelidou, E. (2002). Le relazioni tra le diverse rappresentazioni del concetto di funzione e la comprensione del concetto stesso.Une ricerca riferita a gli studenti della scuola secondaria superiore. *La matematica e la sua didattica, 4,* 411-429.
- 58. Christou, C., Gagatsis, A., & Zachariadis, T. (2002). The Difficulty Level of Representations in Mathematical Relationships. *Scientia Paedagogica Experimentalis, 39*(1), 25-38.

- 59. Gagatsis, A., & Demetriadou, H. (2001). Classical versus vector geometry in problem solving: An empirical research among Greek secondary students. *International Journal of Mathematical Education in Sciences and Technology*, *32*(1), 105-125.
- 60. Gagatsis, A., & Pitta-Pantazi, D. (2001). Difficoltà di apprendimento in aritmetica: Esame di un caso. *La matematica e la sua didattica, 1,* 57-74.
- 61. Pitta-Pantazi, D., & Gagatsis, A. (2001). Exploring a high achiever's and a low achiever's strategies and images in early number arithmetic. *Early Child Development and Care, 166,* 63-79.
- 62. Gagatsis, A. (2000). Processi di traduzione ed il concetto di funzione. *Quaderni di Ricerca in Didattica, G.R.I.M., 9*, 1-24.
- 63. Gagatsis, A., & Christou, C. (2000). Investigating students' understanding of multiplication and division by analysing their textual Eigne productions. *Scientia Paedagogica Experimentalis*, 37(2), 219-240.
- 64. Gagatsis, A., & Kyriakides, L. (2000). Teachers' attitudes towards their pupils' mathematical errors. *Educational Research and Evaluation*, 6(1), 24-58.
- 65. Gagatsis, A., & Panaoura, G. (2000). Rappresentazioni semiotiche e appendimento in matematica. Un esempio: la linea aritmetica. *Bolletino dei Docenti di Matematica*, 41, 25-58.
- 66. Christou, C., Gagatsis, A., & Panaoura, A. (2000). Analisi di una ricerca sulla moltiplicazionee divizione per mezzo del metodo implicativo di Regis Gras. *La matematica e la sua didattica, 3,* 292 303.
- 67. Kyriakides, L., Campbell, J., & Gagatsis, A. (2000). The significance of the classroom effect in primary schools: An application of Creemer's comprehensive model of educational effectiveness. *School effectiveness and School Improvement*, 11(4), 501-529.
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- 69. Gagatsis, A., Demetriou A., Afantiti, T., Michaelidou, E., Panaoura, R., Shiakalli, M., & Christoforides, M. (1999). L' influenza delle rappresentazioni semiotiche. nella risoluzione de problemi additivi. *La matematica e la sua didattica, 3*, 382-403.
- 70. Gagatsis, A., Ganchev, I., & Lalchev, Z. (1999). The influence of Greek mathematics teaching on mathematical culture of Bulgarians during 18th-19th century. *Pedagogika*, *5*, 103-110 (in Bulgarian).
- 71. Gagatsis, A., Patronis, T., & Spanos, D. (1999). Readability formulae and semantic width of terms and expressions. *Scientia Paedagogica Experimentalis*, *36*(2), 207-223.
- 72. Gagatsis, A. (1998). Solving methods in problems of proportions by Greek students in secondary education, ages 13-16. *Scientia Paedagogica Experimentalis*, *35*(1), 241-262.
- 73. Gagatsis, A. (1997). Problemi di Intrpretazione Conessi Con il Concetto di Funzione. La matematica e la sua didattica, 4, 400-425.
- 74. Gagatsis A., Anastasiadou S., & Bora-Senta E. (1997). Errori commessi da studenti greci di Matematica in questioni di probabilità. *Bolletino dei Docenti di Matematica, 35*, 87-102.
- 75. Gagatsis, A., & Christou, C. (1997). Errors in Mathematics: A multidimensional approach. *Scientia Paedagogica Experimentalis*, *34*, 89-116.
- 76. Dimarakis, I., & Gagatsis, A. (1997). Alcune difficolta nella comprensione del concetto di limite. *La matematica e la sua didattica*, *2*, 132-149.

- 77. Gagatsis, A., Lambis, St., & Ntziachristos, E. (1996). Metodi risolutivi per i problemi di proportzionalit impiegati dagli studenti greci nella scuola secondaria. *La matematica e la sua didattica*, *3*, 270 281.
- 78. Gagatsis, A. (1995). Modi di valutazione della leggibilit[^] dei testi matematici. *La matematica e la sua didattica* 2, 136 146.
- 79. Gagatsis, A., & Thomaidis, I. (1995). Eine Studie zur historischen Enwicklung und didaktischen Transposition des Begriffs "absoluter Betrag". *Journal für Mathematik-Didaktik,* 16, 3 46.
- 80. Demetriadou, H., & Gagatsis, A. (1995). Problemi di insegnamento del concetto di vettore in Grecia. *La matematica e la sua didattica*, 16-32.
- 81. Gagatsis, A. (1994). Mathematics Textbooks: Tendencies and problems. *Matematika et Informatika*, 2, 9-15 (in Bulgarian).
- 82. Gagatsis, A. (1994). The theory of additive structures of Gérard Vergnaud. *L'Education Primaire* 5, 52-61 (in Bulgarian).
- 83. Gagatsis, A. (1994). Histoire dell'enseignement de la géométrie en Grèce: L'influence des géomètres français de 1830 à 1884. *Repères IREM*, 17, 47-69.
- 84. Patronis, T., Spanos, D., & Gagatsis, A. (1994). A notion of semantic distance between terms and expressions and its application in the case of mathematical terms used in the classroom. *International Journal of Mathematical Education in Science and Technology*, 25(1), 31-43.
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Authorship

In Greek

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- 506. Gagatsis, A. (1993). Quelques caractéristiques de l'enseignement de la géométrie en Grèce de 1830 à 1884: l'influence des géomètres français. *Proceedings of the First European Congress on the History and Epistemology of Mathematics in Mathematics Education* (pp. 343-349). Monpellier: IREM de Monpellier.
- 507. Gagatsis, A., & Thomaides, I. (1993). L'étude Historique de la valeur absolute et sa transposition didactique. *Proceedings of the First European Congress on the History and Epistemology of Mathematics in Mathematics Education* (pp. 425-429). Monpellier: IREM de Monpellier.

• Conference Presentations

Selected participations in international, Greek and Cyprus conferences on Mathematics Education

 Presentation of a number of studies at the 6th Mediterannean Conference on Mathematics Education, 22-26 April 2009, Plovdiv, Bulgaria. Chair of the scientific committee and editor of the proceedings in collaboration.

- Participation at CERME 6 (The 6th Conference of the European Society for Research in Mathematics Education) and presentation of six studies in collaboration with postgraduate students, 28/1/2009-1/2/2009, Lyon, France.
- Participation and presentation of a number of studies in collaboration with postgraduate students at the 11th Cyprus Conference of Mathematics Education and Symposium of Astronautics and Space, Cyprus Mathematical Society. President of the scientific committee and editor of the proceedings in collaboration, 6-8 February, 2009, Cyprus.
- President of the scientific and organizational committee, editor of the proceedings and presentation of studies in collaboration with postgraduates students at the "1st Conference of Five Cities: Nicosia, Rhodes, Bologna, Palermo, Locarno-Research in Mathematics Education", 13-14 September, 2008, Nicosia.
- Participation and presentation of a number of studies in collaboration with postgraduate students at the 11th International Congress of Mathematics Education. Member of the organizational team of the Topic Study Group 20: Visualization in the teaching and learning of mathematics, 6-13 July, 2008, Monterrey, Mexico.
- Participation and presentation of a number of studies in collaboration with postgraduate students at the 10th Cyprus Conference of Mathematics Education and Symposium of Astronautics and Space, Cyprus Mathematical Society. President of the scientific committee and editor of the proceedings in collaboration, February, 2008, Cyprus.
- Participation and presentation of two studies at the conference for the Statistical Implicative Analysis, 5th International Conference A.S.I. - Implicative Statistical Analysis, 18-21 October 2007, at Castelló, Spain.
- Participation and presentation of two studies at the symposia about "Assessment that feeds the development of potentials for learning", and "The development of children's reasoning on linear and non-linear situations" respectively, at the 12th Biennial Conference for Research on Learning and Instruction (EARLI), Budapest, Hungary, August 28-September 1, 2007.
- Invited speaker at the 5th Mediterrannean Conference on Mathematics Education, Rhodes, April 2007.
- Participation and presentation of four studies at the 5th European Congress in Mathematics Education (CERME, European Society for Research in Mathematics Education), in two working groups, WG1: The role of metaphors and images in the learning and understanding of mathematics and WG7: Geometrical Thinking, Larnaca, Cyprus, 22-26 February 2007.
- Participation and presentation of a study at the PREMA international workshop "Gender-Sensitivity and Pluralism in Mathematics Education" in Barcelona, Spain, 25-26 January 2007.
- Presentation of a number of studies at the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th Cyprus Conferences of Mathematics Education and Symposiums of Astronautics and Space, Cyprus Mathematical Society, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006 and 2007.
- Presentation of a number of studies at the 2nd-5th Mediterannean Conference on Mathematics Education, 2000, 2003, 2005, 2007.
- Invited speaker at the international conference "La Matematica e la Sua Didattica, vent'anni di impegno", Castel S. Pietro Terme, Italy, 23 September 2006.
- Participation and presentation of six studies in collaboration with postgraduate students at the 30th International Conference for "Psychology of Mathematics Education", Prague, Czech Republic, 16-21 July 2006.
- Participation and presentation of a number of studies in collaboration with postgraduate students at MASSE International Congress on Mathematics MICOM 2006, Pafos, Cyprus, 31 May-4 June, 2006.

- Participation and presentation of 11 studies at the 4th Mediterranean Conference on Mathematics Education, 27-30 January 2005, Palermo, Italy.
- Presentation of a number of studies at the 9th Cyprus Conference of the Cyprus Pedagogical Society: Contemporary educational research in Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus, June 2006.
- Participation and presentation of a study at the 4th European Congress in Mathematics Education (CERME, European Society for Research in Mathematics Education) in Sant Feliu de Guixols, Spain, Cyprus, 17-21 February 2005.
- Invited speaker at the Greek Conference of Pantio University "Psychology and Society", May, 2005.
- Presentation of two studies at the Mathematics Education symposium on "Routine versus adaptive use of representations and models in mathematical problem solving", at the 11th Biennial Conference for Research on Learning and Instruction (EARLI), University of Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus, 22-27 August 2005.
- Invited speaker (presentation of two studies) at the International Conference on Mathematics Education, Svishtov, Bulgaria, 3-5 June 2005.
- Participation and presentation of three studies at the Third International Conference A.S.I. -Implicative Statistical Analysis, 6-8 October 2005, Palermo, Italy.
- Presentation of two studies in collaboration with postgraduate students at the 21st Greek Conference of Mathematics Education: The curriculum and the teaching approaches of mathematics in primary and secondary education, Greek Mathematical Society, Trikala, 19-21 November 2004.
- Participation and presentation of six studies in collaboration with postgraduate students at the 28th International Conference for "Psychology of Mathematics Education", Bergen, Norway, 14-19 July 2004.
- Presentation of two studies at the working group on "New Developments and Trends in Secondary Mathematics Education" at the 10th International Congress on Mathematical Education (ICME-10), in collaboration with D. De Bock, M. Isoda, J. A. Garcia Cruz και E. Simmt, Copenhagen, 3-11 July 2004.
- Invited speaker at the conference for the 20 years of the Pedagogical Department of Elementary Education, University of Athens, May 2004.
- Invited speaker at the International and CASTME Europe Conference: Linking Science, Mathematics and Technology Education and their Social Relevance, Nicosia, 15-18 April 2004.
- Presentation of three studies at the 8th Cyprus Conference of the Cyprus Pedagogical Society: Contemporary trends in educational research and practice, Nicosia, Cyprus, May 2004.
- Invited speaker at the 17th Conference of Mathematics Education: "La didattica della matematica in aula", Bologna, Italy, November 2003.
- Participation and presentation of two studies in collaboration with postgraduate students at the 6th Greek Conference of the Didactics of Mathematics and Informatics in Education, University of Thessaly, Volos, October 2003.
- Participation and presentation of two studies at the 27th International Conference for "Psychology of Mathematics Education", Honolulu, Hawai'i, 13-18 July 2003.
- Invited speaker at the 2nd Conference on Mathematics of Secondary Education, University of Athens-Department of Education, Athens, Greece, April 2003.
- Invited speaker at the international conference "V Simposio de Educacion Matematica", Buenos Aires, Argentina, 10-17 May 2003.

- Invited speaker at the 3rd Mediterranean Conference on Mathematics Education, Athens, 3-5 January 2003. Co-editor of the conference proceedings in English.
- Participation and presentation of two studies at the 7th Cyprus Conference of the Cyprus Pedagogical Society: Educational research in the period of globalization. Nicosia, Cyprus, 2002.
- Invited speaker at the Congresso Nationale Mathesis: La matematica fra traditione e inovatione –Un confronto Europeo", Bergamo, Italy, 2002.
- Presentation of two studies at the International conference: The Humanistic Renaissance in Mathematics Education "The Mathematics Education into the 21st Century Project", Palermo, Italy, 2002.
- Presentation of a study at Argomentum, 2002, Strasbourg, France.
- Invited speaker at the 3rd Conference of the Greek Pedagogical Society, Athens, Greece, 2002.
- Invited speaker at the First Congress on the Perspectives of the Departments of Education, Aegean University, Rhodes, Greece, 2001.
- Presentation of three Research Papers at the Fifth Panhellenic Conference on Didactics of Mathematics and Informatics in Education, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Thessaloniki, 2001.
- Invited speaker at the 11th Conference "Didattica della Mathematics e realta scolastica, Incontri con la Matematica", Castel San Pietro, 1997.

• Editorial and Review Boards

- Annales de Didactique de Mathématiques (Member of the Editorial Board), France, IREM de Strasbourg
- Cahiers de Didactique de Mathématiques (Editor), Greece, Institut Français de Thessalonique
- Educational Studies in Mathematics (Member of the Editorial Board), Netherlands, Springer Publishers
- Euclides γ (Member of the Scientific Committee), Greece, Greek Mathematical Society
- La matematica e la sua didattica (Member of the Scientific Committee), Italy, Pitagora Editrice Bologna
- Mediterranean Journal for Research in Mathematics Education (Chief Editor), Cyprus, Cyprus Mathematical Society
- Quaderni di Ricerca in Didattica (Member of the Scientific Committee), Italy, G.R.I.M. University of Palermo
- Tecne, Episteme y Didaxis (Member of the Scientific Committee), Colombia, Facultad Ciencia y Tecnologia-Universidad Pedagogica Nacional
- Scientia Paedagogica Experimentalis (Guest Editor), Belgium, University of Cent
- Acta Didactica Universitatis Comenianae (Member of the Editorial Board)
- Journal of Research of Mathematics Teaching (Reviewer)
- Educational Psychology (Reviewer)
- Co-editor of the proceedings at the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th Cyprus Conferences of Mathematics Education and Symposiums of Astronautics and Space, Cyprus Mathematical Society, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006 and 2007.

- Co-editor of the proceedings of the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th Mediterrannean Conference on Mathematics Education, 2000, 2003, 2005 and 2007.
- Co-editor of the proceedings of the 7th, 8th, and 9th Conference of the Cyprus Pedagogical Society, 2002, 2004 and 2006.
- Co-editor of the proceedings of the working group on "New Developments and Trends in Secondary Mathematics Education" at the 10th International Congress on Mathematical Education, in collaboration with D. De Bock, M. Isoda, J. A. Garcia Cruz και E. Simmt, Copenhagen, 3-11 July 2004.
- Co-editor of the proceedings of the CASTME International and CASTME Europe Conference: Linking Science, Mathematics and Technology Education and their social relevance, Nicosia 2004.

• Professional Memberships

Cyprus Mathematical Society, Cyprus (Vice-chairman, 2001-today); Greek Mathematical Society, Greece; Cyprus Pedagogical Society Cyprus (Chairman, 2000-2004); ARDM Association de Recherche en Didactique de Mathématiques, France; MATHESIS, Italy (Honorary Member); International Group for the Psychology of Mathematics Education (PME); European Association for Research on Learning and Instruction (EARLI)

$\circ \quad \text{Supervision of student research}$

• Undergraduate

Supervision of the undergraduate research study by Constantinos Constantinou and Georgia Tanou of the Department of Education, University of Cyprus, which has received an award by the Cyprus Research Promotion Foundation (2005).

• Graduate

- Supervisor of Doctoral Dissertations on Mathematics Education at the Department of Education, University of Cyprus. A number of the dissertations were completed over the last academic years (Eleni Michaelidou and Myria Shiakalli in 2003-2004, Iliada Elia in 2005-2006, Modestina Modestou in 2006-2007, Georgia Panaoura 2006-2007, Eleni Deliyianni 2008-2009) while others are in progress or expected to be completed in the current academic year (Ioannis Salonikides, Annita Monoyiou, Panayiota Kalogirou).
- Supervisor of the Doctoral Dissertation on Mathematics Education of Ioannis Thomaides, Department of Mathematics, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, 1994.
- Coordinator or member of scientific committees of numerous doctoral dissertations and master theses at Universities in Greece (Athens, Thessaloniki, Crete, Patra).
- Member of the scientific committee of the Doctoral Dissertation of Sylvia Sbaragli on Mathematics Education at the Comenius University, Bratislava, Slovakia.
- Member of the scientific committee of the Doctoral Dissertation of Andri Marcou, SouthBank University of London.
- Supervisor of Master Dissertation on Mathematics Education of students from the Department of Mathematics of the University of Athens.

• Committees

• Public

Committee of Reform of the Ministry of Education and Culture, Cyprus. Proposal for educational reform in Cyprus.

• International

Committee of the Ministry of Education of Greece for the establishment of the new curricula of Mathematics in Greece, 1987-1989.

• Scientific

Committee for the establishment of national standards in mathematics education, Cyprus, Vicechairman of the Group of Secondary Mathematics Education for establishing the national standards in mathematics. Pedagogical Institute and University of Cyprus.

Chair of the scientific Committees of Conferences of the Mathematical Society, the Pedagogical Society in Cyprus and of the Mediterrannean Conferences on Mathematics Education.

• University

International relations committee.

o Departmental

Committee for the organization of seminars, Department of Education.

Chair of the committee for the teaching practice program (practicum).

Chair of the committee for Postgraduate Studies, 2000-2002.

• Other Professional Activities

- Temporary president of the Department of Law (2007-today).
- Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences and Education, University of Cyprus (2006-today)
- Member of the organizing committee of CERME 5, 2007 in Cyprus.
- Co-organisation of the Working Group 7: Geometrical thinking at the 5th European Congress in Mathematics Education (CERME5, European Society for Research in Mathematics Education, 2007)
- Organization of the symposium "The role of representations and modelling in the learning of mathematics and problem solving" in the MASSEE International Congress on Mathematics (MICOM 2006)
- Participation in the International Mathematics Competition at Bali, Indonesia, 2006, in Philippines, 2005 (PEMIC: Philippine Elementary Mathematics International Contest 2005) and Hong-Kong, 2001, as a leader of the Cypriot Olympic Team of 12-13 year-old pupils.
- Co-organization of the Mediterranean Conference on Mathematics Education in Palermo, 2005, Athens, 2003 and Cyprus 2001.
- Co-organization of the symposium "Routine versus adaptive use of representations and models in mathematical problem solving" in the International Conference for Research on Learning and Instruction (EARLI), 2005.
- Chairman of the Department of Education, University of Cyprus (2000-2004)

- Co-organization of the Topic Study Group 2: "New Developments and Trends in Secondary Mathematics Education" in the International Congress on Mathematical Education (ICME 10), 2004.
- Organization of seminars on the Didactics of Mathematics at the Mathematics Department of the Kristiansand University, Norway, November 2004.
- Collaboration with the Mathematics Department, University of Athens in the framework of the postgraduate programme of Didactics and Methodology of Mathematics (2003-2005, 2006-2007).
- Vice-chairman of the Department of Education, University of Cyprus, 1996-2000.
- Collaboration with the Mathematics Department, University of Patra in the framework of the postgraduate programme of Didactics of Mathematics.
- Collaboration with the Mathematics Department, University of Palermo, Italy in the framework of the International Group of Language and Mathematics.
- Collaboration with the Mathematics Department, University of Palermo, Italy and participation in the International Committee of the PhD Programme on the Didactics and History of Mathematics an Sciences.
- Coordinator of the educational programmes ERASMUS ICP-91-G-0027/11 GREECE, **ERASMUS** ICP-92-G-2011/11 GREECE, ERASMUS ICP-93-G-2011/11 GREECE, ERASMUS ICP-94-G-2011/11 GREECE. ERASMUS ICP-95-G-2011/11 GREECE, ERASMUS ICP-96-G-2011/11 GREECE. **ERASMUS** ICP-97-G-2011/11 GREECE, ERASMUS IP-98 CYPRUS, ERASMUS IP - 99 CYPRUS, ERASMUS IP - 00 CYPRUS.
- Co-organization of the Working Group 7: "Language and communication in the mathematics classroom" in the International Congress on Mathematical Education (ICME 7, 1992)