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1 PERSONAL INFORMATION

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2 EDUCATION

- Secondary education:
- 1983: Baccalaureate with honors from the Zosimaia School of Ioannina
- Higher education:
- 1983-88: Diploma in Electrical Engineering with distinction, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, ranking: 1st in class.
- 1989-92: Diploma in Mechanical Engineering with distinction, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, ranking: 1st in class.
- 1999: Ph.D., Department of Mechanical Engineering of Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, grade "excellent".
- Other studies:

1993: degree in Pedagogy, School of Technology Teachers, PA.TE.S - S.E.L.E.T.E.

3 PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

- 2017 Professor of "Stochastic Methods in Industrial Management and Inventory Management", Department of Mechanical Engineering, Engineering School, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- 2012 2017 Associate Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Engineering School, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- 2014 2017 Director, Industrial Management Division, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Engineering School, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- 2014 2015 Deputy Chairman, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Engineering School, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- 2014- 2015 Deputy Member of the Senate of Aristotle University (participated in eight meetings).
- 2006-2012 Assistant Professor (with tenure since 2010), Industrial Management Division, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Engineering School, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- 2002-2006 Lecturer, Industrial Management Division, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Engineering School, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- 2000 Postdoctoral researcher, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Econometric Institute, The Netherlands, Inventory management and reverse logistics chains (Reverse Logistics).

1992-2002 Researcher in Industrial Management Division, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, research areas: supply chain and inventory management, business valuation, feasibility studies, and project management.

4 TEACHING

4.1 University Programs

(a) Undergraduate level

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (Department Of Mechanical Engineering)

- **Project Management** Mandatory in specialization "Industrial Management" (1999-2018, 19 semesters).
- **Reliability & Maintenance** Mandatory in specialization "Industrial Management" (2000-18, 18 semesters); the course is offered to undergraduate students of *the Department of Chemical Engineering*.
- **Simulation** Elective in specialization "Industrial Management" (2002-18, 16 semesters).
- **Production Operation Management** Mandatory in the direction "Industrial Management" (2004-18, 14 semesters); the course is offered to undergraduate students of the *Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering*.
- Lab in Forecasting Techniques Mandatory (2008-18, 10 semesters).
- Inventory Management Elective (2002-03, 1 semester).
- Operational Research I Mandatory (2016-18, 2 semesters).
- Statistics Mandatory (2009-10 and 2014-15, 2 semesters).

University Of Western Macedonia (Department of Mechanical Engineering)

• Statistics - Mandatory (2000-02, 2 semesters).

(b) Postgraduate level

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

- **Optimization and Simulation,** Master Program in *Management of Production Systems* (2000-02, 2 semesters).
- **Statistics and Stochastic Processes,** Master Program in *Management of Production Systems* (2000-02, 2 semesters).
- **Production and Maintenance Planning,** Master Program in *Management of Production Systems* (2000-01).
- **Project Management,** Master program in *Management of Production Systems* (2000-03, 2 semesters).
- Introduction in Organization and Management, Master Program in Museology and Cultural Management (2006-07, 2008-09, 2010-11, 2014-16, 5 semesters).
- **Optimization of Freight Transport Networks**, Master Program in Planning, Organization and Management of Transport Systems (2011-18, 7 semesters).

University Of Macedonia

• **Project Management,** Master Program in Business Administration-General MBA (2006-13, 2014-16, 9 semesters).

- **Project Management,** Master Program in Business Administration-General Executive MBA (2006-18, 11 semesters).
- **Operations Management,** Master Program in Business Administration-Executive MBA (2017-18, 1 semester).

Hellenic International University (lectures in English)

- **Project management,** Executive MBA Program (2010-13, 3 semesters).
- **Project management,** Master Program in Strategic Product Design (2012-14, 2 semesters).
- Project management, Master Program in Management (2012-14, 2 semesters).

Technological Educational Institute of Central Macedonia

- **Optimization in Decision Making,** Master Program in Business Administration, Serres (2010-14, 4 semesters).
- Introduction in Logistics Operations Management, Master Program in Logistics, Katerini (2014-18, 4 semesters).

4.2 Teaching Assistant

- Applied Statistics in Mechanical Engineering Department (7 semesters) and in Chemical Engineering Department (6 semesters), Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- Production Operations Management I (2 semesters) in Mechanical, Electrical and Chemical Engineering Departments, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- Production Operations Management II (5 semesters) in Mechanical, Electrical and Chemical Engineering Departments, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- Reliability and Maintenance in Mechanical Engineering Department (8 semesters), Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- Operational Research in Mechanical Engineering Department (5 semesters), Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- Investment Appraisal in Mechanical Engineering Department (1 semester, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.

Alongside teaching exercises, I had the responsibility of preparing, and marking teaching assignments.

4.3 Participation in Ph.D. Supervisory Committees

a) Chairman of the Committee

- Dr. Ioannis Mallidis, Optimization of Green Supply Chains, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, June 2013.
- Dr. Konstantinos Papapanagiotou, A Holistic Methodological Framework for Supply Chain Risk Management, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, February 2014.
- Dr. Eirini Aivazidou, Holistic Decision-Making Framework Systems for Water Footprint management in Supply Chains, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, October 2017.
- Dr. Dimitrios Bechtsis, Methodological Framework for Management and Optimization of Autonomous Vehicles in Supply Chains employing Industrial Informatics tools, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, February 2018.

b) Member of the Committee

- Dr. Anastasios Xanthopoulos, Optimization of Strategic Design, Production Planning and Operation of Reverse Supply Chains, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, January 2008.
- Dr. Dimitrios Aidonis, Applications of Operations Research Techniques for the Optimal Design and Operations of Reverse Supply Chain Management for Construction Materials, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, July 2009.
- Dr. Maria Chatzipanagioti, The Effect of International Trade and Sustainability on the Strategic Design of International Supply Chains, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, November 2010.
- Dr. Agorasti Toka, Decision-making models for the design and management of supply chains for the energetic utilization of biomass, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, July 2013.
- Dr. Christos Keramydas, Quantitative Methods in Supply Chain Management of Substitute Products and Services, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, July 2013.
- Dr. Naoum Tsolakis, Planning and Management of Sustainable Supply Chains in the Agrifood Sector, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, March 2015.
- Dr. Alexandra Politou, Implementation of the Theory of Constraints in Production Planning and Control: Analysis with System Dynamics Techniques, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, July 2015.
- Dr. Christos Karkanias, Development and Implementation of Decision-Making Tool for Urban Solid Waste Management in the Framework of Zero Waste Management, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, October 2017.
- Daniel Partsch, Risk Management for Globalized Supply Chains, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, in progress.
- Ioannis Siamas, Evaluation and Strategic Design of a National Logistics System, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, in progress.
- Konstantinos Grinias, Strategic Design of Ports as part of Global Supply Chains, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, in progress.
- Konstantinos Tziantopoulos, The Effect of Energy Policies on Supply Chain Management, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, in progress.
- Loukia Anastasia Grigoriadou, Supply Chain Management of Agricultural and Fresh Products, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, in progress.
- Dimitrios Tsiolias. Supply Chain Risk Management, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, in progress.
- Volha Yakavenka, National Transport and Logistics system: the case of Belarus, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, in progress.

4.4 Supervision of Postdoc Researchers

I had the supervision with Prof. Eleftherios Iakovou of the following Post-doc Researchers:

- Konstantinos Papapanagiotou
- Ioannis Mallidis
- Foivos Anastasiadis
- Christos Keramydas
- Naoum Tsolaokis
- Agorasti Toka

4.5 Supervision of Undergraduate and Master Theses

From the academic year 1992-93 until today, I have supervised more than 150 undergraduate and 25 master theses at the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, the University of Macedonia, and the Hellenic International University.

4.6 Teaching in Life-long Learning Programs

From 1992 until today I have instructed numerous life-long learning programs for university graduates (mostly professional engineers and graduates in economics schools) as well as business executives. These seminars were organized in several cities in northern Greece from various organizations and training centers of the private and public sector including Technical Chamber of Greece, Hellenic Operational Research Society, Hellenic Management Association, Greek Exporters Association, the Education and Training Center of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Chambers of Serres, Drama and Kavala, municipalities and companies such as Vodafone Hellas, KRI-KRI SA, etc.

5 RESEARCH ACTIVITY

5.1 Monographs and Books

- Development of communication protocol for microcontroller networks, Diploma Thesis, Department of Electrical Engineering Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Supervisor: Prof. V. Petridis, 1988.
- Software development for calculating reliability parameters using Markov processes, Diploma Thesis, Department of Mechanical Engineering Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Supervisor: Prof. D.P. Psoinos, 1992.
- Integrated methodological framework for the assessment of enterprises, Ph.D. Thesis, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Supervisor: Prof. D.P. Psoinos.
- Iakovou E., Bochtis D., Vlachos D., Aidonis D., Supply Chain Management for Sustainable Food Networks, Publisher: Wiley, 2016.

5.2 Publications in Peer-reviewed Journals and Collective Volumes

The following publications have been reviewed by at least two referees and a member of the Editorial Committee of the respective scientific journals or collective volumes of research papers.

- 1. Tagaras G., Vlachos D., A Periodic Review Inventory System with Emergency Replenishments, *Management Science*, 47(3), 415-429, 2001.
- 2. Teunter R., **Vlachos D.**, An Inventory System with Periodic Regular Review and Flexible Emergency Review, *IIE Transactions*, 33(8), 625-635, 2001.
- 3. **Vlachos D.**, Tagaras G., An Inventory System with Two Supply Modes and Capacity Constraints, *International Journal of Production Economics*, 72(1), 41-58, 2001.
- 4. Teunter R., **Vlachos D.**, On the Necessity of a Disposal Option for Returned Items that can be Remanufactured, *International Journal of Production Economics*, 75(3), 257-266, 2002.

- 5. Tagaras G., **Vlachos D.**, Effectiveness of Stock Transshipment under Various Demand Distributions and Non-negligible Transshipment Times, *Production Operations Management*, 11(2), 183-198, 2002.
- 6. Georgiadis P., **Vlachos D.**, Politou A., Reengineering of a Small Assembly-to-order Manufacturer: A Case Study, *International Journal of Operations and Quantitative Management*, 8(1), 21-35, 2002.
- 7. Vlachos D., Dekker R., Return Handling Options and Order Quantities for Single Period Products, *European Journal of Operational Research*, 151(1), 38-52, 2003.
- 8. **Vlachos D.**, Tolias Y., Neuro-Fuzzy Modeling in Bankruptcy Prediction, *Yugoslav Journal* of Operations Research, 13(2), 165-174, 2003.
- 9. Georgiadis P., **Vlachos D.**, Analysis of the Dynamic Impact of Environmental Policies on Reverse Logistics, *Operational Research: an International Journal*, 3(2), 123-135, 2003.
- 10. Georgiadis P., **Vlachos D.**, The Effect of Environmental Parameters on Product Recovery, *European Journal of Operational Research*, 157, 449-464, 2004.
- 11. Teunter R., van der Laan E., **Vlachos D.**, Inventory Strategies for Systems with Fast Remanufacturing, *Journal of the Operational Research Society*, 55, 475-484, 2004.
- 12. Van der Laan E., Kiesmüller G., Kuik R., **Vlachos D.**, Dekker R., Stochastic Inventory Control for Product Recovery, in *Reverse Logistics*, by R. Dekker, M. Fleischmann, K. Interfurth and L. Van Wassenhove (eds.), Springer-Verlag, 181-220, 2004.
- 13. Georgiadis P., **Vlachos D.**, Tagaras, G., Long-term Analysis of Closed-loop Supply Chains, in *Reverse Logistics*, by R. Dekker, M. Fleischmann, K. Interfurth and L. Van Wassenhove (eds.), Springer-Verlag, 313-331, 2004.
- 14. Georgiadis P., **Vlachos D.**, Decision Making in Reverse Logistics Using System Dynamics, *Yugoslav Journal of Operations Research*, 14(2), 259-272, 2004.
- 15. Georgiadis P., **Vlachos D.**, lakovou E., A System Dynamics Modeling Framework for the Strategic Supply Chain Management of Food Chains, *Journal of Food Engineering*, 70(3), 351-364, 2005.
- 16. Georgiadis P., Besiou M., **Vlachos D.**, lakovou E., A Comprehensive Methodological Framework for Sustainable Supply Chains, *IASME Transactions*, 2(4), 569-574, 2005.
- 17. Georgiadis P., Iakovou E., **Vlachos D.**, Besiou M., A System Dynamics Approach of Ecological Motivation in Sustainable Supply Chains, *Transactions on Systems*, 1(5), 48-55, 2006.
- 18. Georgiadis P., **Vlachos D.,** Tagaras G., The Impact of Product Lifecycle on Capacity Planning of Closed-Loop Supply Chains, *Production Operations Management*, 15(4), 514-527, 2006.
- 19. Chatzipanagioti M., Theodori V., **Vlachos D.** VMI modeling in global and electronic markets, *International Journal of Logistics Systems and Management*, 3(3), 271-287, 2007.
- 20. Vlachos D., Georgiadis P., Iakovou, E., A System Dynamics model for Dynamic Capacity Planning of Remanufacturing in Closed-loop Supply Chains, *Computers & Operations Research*, 34(2), 367-394, 2007.

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- 22. lakovou E., Georgiadis P., **Vlachos D.,** A comprehensive methodological framework for improving security and efficiency of port container logistics, *International Journal of Logistics Economics and Globalisation*, 1(2), 176-189, 2008.
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- 107. Yakavenka, V., Vlachos D., A Methodological Framework for Cold Supply Chain Network Design, 2nd International correspondence research/practice conference on Issues and Prospects Of Transport Complex Development, Minsk, Belarus, October 4-6, 2016.
- 108. Karadimou C.C., Koletti A.E., Moschona A., Vlachos D., Assimopoulou A.N, Biologically Active Compounds of Peach Kernels, 11th Panhellenic Conference of Chemical Engineering, May 25-28, Thessaloniki, 2017.
- 109. Yakavenka V., Mallidis I., Vlachos D., lakovou E., A Decision-Making Framework for Sustainable Supply Chain Management of Perishable Goods, Proceedings of the 6th

International Symposium and 28th National Conference on Operational Research, Hellenic Society of Operational Research, Thessaloniki, June 8-10, 2017.

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- 111. Katikaridis D., Bechtsis D., Liakos K., Vlachos D., Bochtis D., A Google-Maps[®] Based Software Tool for In-Field Logistics, 10th Panhellenic Conference of Agriculture Engineers (in Greek), September 28-29, Athens, 2017.
- 112. Moisiadis V., Bechtsis D., Liakos K., Vlachos D., Bochtis D., Development Of Virtual Interface For The Design And The Control Navigation Of Autonomous Agricultural Vehicles (UGV), 10th Panhellenic Conference of Agriculture Engineers (in Greek), September 28-29, Athens, 2017.
- 113. Bechtsis D., Moisiadis V., Tsolakis N., Vlachos D., Bochtis D., Scheduling and Control of Unmanned Ground Vehicles for Precision Farming: A Real-time Navigation Tool, 8th International Conference on Information and Communication Technologies in Agriculture, Food & Environment, Chania, Crete, September 21-24, 2017.
- 114. Katikaridis D., Bechtsis D., Liakos K., Vlachos D., Bochtis D., Agent based software tool for efficient intra-logistics in agriculture, 8th International Conference on Information and Communication Technologies in Agriculture, Food & Environment, Chania, Crete, September 21-24, 2017.
- 115. Karadimou C.C., Koletti A.E., Moschona A., Gika H.G., Vlachos D., Assimopoulou A.N, Peach Kernel: A Potential Source for Cosmeceuticals, 3rd IMEKOFOODS, Metrology Promoting Harmonization& Standardization in Food & Nutrition, Thessaloniki, October 1-4, 2017.
- 116. Bechtsis D., Tsolakis N., Vouzas M., Vlachos D., Industry 4.0: Sustainable material handling processes in industrial environments, 27th European Symposium on Computer Aided Process Engineering – ESCAPE 27, Barcelona October 1-5, 2017.
- Moisiadis V., Bechtsis D., Menexes G., Vlachos D., lakovou E., Bochtis D., 2017. Intelligent Autonomous Vehicles in industrial environments, 6th ICMEN International Conferences, October 5-6, 207-212, 2017.
- 118. Bouhouras E., Mallidis I., Kapetanopoulou P., Yakavenka V., Vlachos D., The Impact of A Centralized Distribution Structure on a Retailer's Supply Chain Costs: The Basis for Municipal Tax Setting, 6th ICMEN International Conferences, October 5-6, 9-17, 2017.
- 119. Yakavenka v., **Vlachos D.**, Mallidis I., A Critical Taxonomy of Profit Optimization Models for Supply Chains of Perishable Goods in a Sustainability Context, 6th ICMEN International Conferences, October 5-6, 19-30, 2017.
- Poulimenos D., Bechtsis D., Vlachos D., Iakovou I., A software tool for optimizing intralogistic activities (338) 28th European Symposium on Computer Aided Process Engineering – ESCAPE 28, Graz, June 10-13, 2018.
- 121. Poulimenos D., Menexes I., Loukaridou Kizilia E.Z., Bechtsis D., Vlachos D., A swarm intelligence software tool for optimizing last-mile logistics in Green Supply Chains, 4th International Conference on Green Supply Chains. Thessaloniki, Greece, July 2-4, 2018.

- 122. Yakavenka, V., Bechtsis, D., **Vlachos D.**, Blockchain Impact on Food Supply Chains: A Critical Taxonomy, 4th Olympus International Conference on Supply Chains, Katerini, Greece, September 14-15, 2018.
- 123. Karamitsos G., Bechtsis D., Tsolakis D., Vlachos D., Unmanned Aerial Vehicles for Warehouse Inventory Management, 4th Olympus International Conference on Supply Chains, Katerini, Greece, September 14-15, 2018.
- 124. Tziantopoulos K., Madas M., **Vlachos D.**, Iakovou E., Pharmaceutical Supply Chain Transformation through Additive Manufacturing, 4th Olympus International Conference on Supply Chains, Katerini, Greece, September 14-15, 2018.
- 125. Yakavenka V., Mallidis I., Siamas I., **Vlachos D.**, lakovou I., Evaluation and Strategic Network Design in Cold Supply Chains, 4th Olympus International Conference on Supply Chains, Katerini, Greece, September 14-15, 2018.
- 126. Karadimou C., Koletti A., Moschona A., Gika H., Vlachos D., Assimopoulou A., Sustainable exploitation of peach industries' by-products for the recovery of bioactive constituents, 4th Olympus International Conference on Supply Chains, Katerini, Greece, September 14-15, 2018.

5.4 Announcements at Conferences

- 1. Vlachos D., Tagaras G., Emergency Ordering in Periodic Review Inventory Systems, Management Science and Operations Research in an Emerging Region, Invited paper in INFORMS International Conference, Tel Aviv, 28 June-1 July 1998.
- 2. Georgiadis P., Vlachos D., Psoinos D.P., On the Integration of MRP Systems in Production Planning, XVI EURO Conference, Brussels, July 12-15, 1998.
- Vlachos D., Tagaras G., Using Two Supply Modes for Inventory Replenishment: Applications to Reverse Logistics, 1st TMR Workshop on Reverse Logistics, Leiden, July 16-18, 1998.
- Tagaras G., Vlachos D., A Periodic Review Inventory System with Emergency Replenishments, 10th International Symposium on Inventories, ISIR Budapest, August 22-26, 1998.
- 5. **Vlachos D.**, Tagaras G., An Inventory System with Partial Replenishment through Remanufacturing, 2nd TMR Workshop on Reverse Logistics, Spetses, June 5-9, 1999.
- Vlachos D., Tagaras G., Inventory Management Systems with two Supply Modes (in Greek), 1st Special Conference, Hellenic Operational Research Association, Ioannina, October 29-31, 1999.
- 7. **Vlachos D.**, Dekker R., Ordering Policies for Single Period Products with Returns, 3rd TMR Workshop on Reverse Logistics, Wittenberg, August 28- September 1, 2000.
- Vlachos D., Dekker R., Return Handling Options and Order Quantities for Single Period Products, POM Mastery in the New Millennium, POMS Conference, Orlando, March 31-April 1, 2001.
- 9. Georgiadis P., **Vlachos D.**, Decision-Making in Reverse Logistics using System Dynamics, XVIII EURO Conference, Rotterdam, July 9-11, 2001.

- Teunter R., Van Der Laan E., Vlachos D., Inventory Strategies for Hybrid Manufacturing/ Remanufacturing Systems with unequal lead-times, XVIII EURO Conference, Rotterdam, July 9-11 2001.
- 11. Vlachos D., Georgiadis P., Dynamics of Reverse Logistics Systems, 4th TMR Workshop on Reverse Logistics, Lisbon, September 14-17, 2001.
- 12. Teunter R., van der Laan E., **Vlachos D.**, Inventory Strategies for Systems with Fast Remanufacturing, IFORS2002, Edinburgh, July 8-12, 2002.
- 13. Vlachos D., Georgiadis P., Tagaras G., Long Term Analysis of Closed-loop Supply Chains with System Dynamics, Joint EURO/INFORMS Conference, Istanbul, July 6-10, 2003.
- 14. Georgiadis P., Vlachos D., The Impact of Environmental Issues on Reverse Logistics Capacity Planning, Joint EURO/INFORMS Conference, Istanbul, July 6-10, 2003.
- 15. Psoinos D., Georgiadis P., **Vlachos D.**, Karatsis I., Study of Alternative Faculty Recruitemnt Planning Policies at Universities using a System Dynamics Model, 17th Operational National Conference, Patra, June 16-18, 2005.
- 16. Moussiopoulos N., Achillas H., Avramidis A., Boudouvas D., Giama E., Karagiannidis A., Papadopoulos A., Perkoulidis G., Sioris K., Vlachos D., Cost analysis of the management of electrical and electronic products at the end of their useful life, 13th International Symposium on Environmental Pollution and its Impact on Life in the Mediterranean Region, Thessaloniki, October 8-12 2005.
- 17. Vlachos D., lakovou E., Xanthopoulos A., A Decision Making Analytical Model for Supply Chains with Disruptions, XXII EURO Conference, Prague, July 8-11, 2007.
- Vlachos D., Iakovou E., Keramydas C., Spyropoulou-Vlachou M., Varla-Lefterioti M., Stavropoulos-Giokas C., Anagnostopoulos A., Hellenic Umbilical Cord Blood Bank Network (in Greek), 20th Panhellenic Hematological Conference, Crete, November 4-7, 2009.
- Keramydas C., Anagnostopoulos A., Vlachos D., Iakovou E., Spyropoulou-Vlachou M., Varla-Lefterioti M., Stavropoulos-Giokas C., Hellenic Umbilical Cord Blood Bank Network, 15th Congress of the European Hematology Association, Barcelona, June 10-13, 2010.
- 20. Dekker R., Mallidis I., **Vlachos D.**, Greening supply chain design: evaluating the trade-offs, 23rd POMS Conference, Chicago, Illinois, USA, April 20-23, 2012.
- Mallidis I., Dekker R., Vlachos D., Tactical decision making for designing green logistics networks, 17th International Symposium on Inventories (ISIR), Budapest, August 20-24, 2012.
- Vlachos D., Keramydas C., Tsolakis, N., Iakovou E., Design of agrifood supply chains with dual-sourcing and emergency replenishments, International Federation of Purchasing and Supply Management (IFPSM) Summer School, Salzburg, Austria, July 4-9, 2013.
- Vlachos D., Keramydas C., Tsolakis N., Iakovou E. Design of Cost Efficient, Sustainable and Secure Food Supply Chains. 20th Conference of the International Federation of Operational Research Societies (IFORS2014), Barcelona, Spain, July 13-18, 2014.
- Vlachos D., Keramydas C., Tsolakis N., and Iakovou E., 2014. The Role of Small Farms in Sustainable Food Security: A System Dynamics Approach, 56th Conference of the Operational Research Society (ORS), Surrey, UK, 09-11 September, 2014.

- 25. Anastasiadis F., Iakovou E., **Vlachos D.**, Tsolakis N., Sustainable Agrifood Supply Chain Management: The Case of the Greek Organic Food Sector, 56th Conference of the Operational Research Society (ORS), Surrey, UK, 09-11 September, 2014.
- Tsolakis N., Keramydas C., Vlachos D., Food security challenges and the role of small farms in fostering sustainability in the developed world: A critical discussion, International Conference on Business & Economics of the Hellenic Open University, Athens, Greece, February 6-7, 2015.
- 27. Dekker R., Mallidis I., **Vlachos D.**, Iakovou E., Design and Planning for Green Global Supply Chains under Periodic Review Replenishment Policies, 26th Annual POMS Conference, POMS, Washington DC, May 8-11, 2015.
- 28. Keramydas C., Iakovou E., **Vlachos D.**, Market Share Recovery Dynamics in the Aftermath of Substitute Supply Chains Disruptions: A System Dynamics Approach, 27th European Conference on Operational Research, Glasgow, UK, July 12-15, 2015.
- 29. Mallidis I., Iakovou E., **Vlachos D.**, Dekker, R., Design and Planning of Green Globalized Supply Chains: The Merit of "Slow Steaming", 27th European Conference on Operational Research, Glasgow, UK, July 12-15, 2015.
- Tsolakis N., Aivazidou E., Vlachos D., lakovou E., Water Footprint and Sustainable Agrifood Supply Chains: a System Dynamics Methodology, 27th European Conference on Operational Research, Glasgow, UK, July 12-15, 2015.
- Vouzas M., Bechtsis D., Vlachos D., Simulation-based optimization of AGV systems in industry, 13th student Conference on Management Science and Technology, Athens, May 12, 2016.
- Koutras D., Bechtsis D., Vlachos D., Applications of Multi-agent systems in Agrifood supply chains, 14th Management Science and Technology Student Conference, April 27, 2017.
- Katikaridis D., Menexes I., Bechtsis D., Vlachos D., Industry 4.0: Management of Automated Guided Vehicles in Industry, 14th Management Science and Technology Student Conference, April 27, 2017.
- Maleas Z., Vlachos D., Aifandopoulou G., Salanova Grau J.M., Parodos L., Data-driven analytics for freight transport, 16th International Logistics and Supply Chain Congress, Pamukkale/Denizli, Turkey, October 18-20, 2018.
- Assimopoulou A., Papageorgiou V., Kokkini S., Tsimidou M., Lazari D., Vlachos D., Christofilos D., PlantUp – Upgrading the plant capital, 30th International Symposium of Chemistry of Natural Products, Athens, November 25-29, 2018.

5.5 Funded Research Projects

Participation as Principal Investigator or Co-principal Investigator:

- 1. Design and Feasibility Study for a new Private Open University in Cyprus, Funded by AKMI S.A., 2008.
- 2. New Library Services in the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Funded by the Department of Mechanical Engineering, 2009-2010.
- 3. Production and Inventory Modelling for Vitruvit Tiles Industry S.A., Funded by Vitruvit S.A., 2010.

- 4. Optimization Models for Green Supply Chains, Funded by Greek Ministry of Education, Heraclitus Program, 2010-2013.
- Crisis Management on the District of Tempi Master Plan for the Municipalities of Anatolikos Olympos, Kato Olympos and Evrimenes, Funded by Municipalities of Anatolikos Olympos, Kato Olympos and Evrimenes, 2010 – 2011.
- 6. Strategic Master Plan for Port Network Development of Municipality of Volvi, Funded by Municipality of Volvi, May 2012 September 2012.
- Innovation Capacity Building by Strengthening Expertise and Research in the Design, Planning and Operations of Green Agrifood Supply Chains, Funded by the FP7-REGPOT program of the European Commission, October 2012 – March 2016, Total Budget: 1,584,318 Euros.
- Feasibility study for the establishment of the dual vocational education and training system in schools and enterprises in Greece in the transport and logistics sectors in cooperation with the EffizienzCluster Management GmbH, Germany, Funded by the Federal Institute for Vocational Education and Training (BIBB), December 2013 – March 2014.
- 9. Development of Forecasting Methods for Estimating the Yield of Clingstone Peaches per Area and Variety, Funded by Greek Canning Peach Association, January May 2014.
- 10. Strategic Supply Chain Design and Best Inventory Management Practices, Funded by ZANAE (zanae.gr/en), January 2015 July 2015.
- 11. Improvement of Forecasting Methods for Estimating the Yield of Clingstone Peaches per Area and Variety, Funded by Greek Canning Peach Association, March December 2015.
- 12. Support of Research Activities of Laboratory of Statistics and Quantitative Analysis Methods, Funded by ETAA, January 2013-December 2016.
- 13. Improvement of Research Infrastructure of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Funded by Aristotle University's Research Committee, May 2014-March 2016.
- 14. Scientific data access services for the Mechanical Engineering Department Library, November 2013 present.
- 15. Corporate Social Responsibility at Port of Thessaloniki, December 2015-February 2016.

Participation as Member of the Research Team:

- 16. Reliability Analysis of Automated Irrigation, Funded by MOP Information Technologies, 1991-92.
- 17. Determination of Characteristics of Employees in Tourism Sector, Funded by Greek National Tourism Organization, 1993.
- 18. Determination of Characteristics of Foreign Tourists in Greece, Funded by Greek National Tourism Organization, 1993-94.
- 19. Organization study and Reengineering at the Hellenic Vehicle Industry ELVO S.A., Funded by National Industrial Development Bank, program MENTOR, 1993-94.
- 20. Development Study for the Magnesia Prefecture, Funded by the National Organization for Employment OAED, 1994.
- 21. Incentives for the Development of Decentralized Energy Systems, Funded by General Secretariat foe Research and Development, Program PENED, 1994-95.
- 22. Legal Framework and Feasibility Study of a Free Trade Zone in Thessaloniki, Funded by Balkan Business Center S.A., 1995.

- 23. Pilot Implementation for the Development of Teleworking the Region of Central Macedonia, Funded by the Region of Central Macedonia, IRIS Initiative, 1995.
- 24. Mapping and Problem Diagnosis of SMEs in the Prefecture of Drama, Funded by Ministry of Employment, ADAPT program, 1996.
- 25. Value of Integration in Supply Networks, Funded by Hewlett-Packard, U.S.A. (Strategic Planning and Modeling), 1996.
- Integrated Framework for the Valuation of and Privatization of Publicly Owned Companies, Funded by the Operational Program of Research and Technology – EPET II, 997-98.
- 27. Design and Planning of the Graduate Program of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Funded by the Ministry of Education, program EPEAEK, 1997-2004.
- 28. Practical Training Program of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Funded by the Ministry of Education, program EPEAEK, 1997-98.
- 29. Reform of the Undergraduate of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Funded by the Ministry of Education, program EPEAEK, 1997.
- 30. Work Study in a Bathroom Furniture Manufacturer, Funded by Computer Logic (North)program RETEX, 1997-98.
- 31. Design and Development of a Material Management System in a Bathroom Furniture Manufacturer, Funded by Computer Logic (North)-program RETEX,, 1997-98.
- 32. Feasibility study for Flexible Metal Manufacturing, Funded by Christos Gantsis and sons S.A., 1998.
- 33. Feasibility of production of commercial products with the Aristotle University's logo, Funded by E.A.D.P. A.U.Th., 1999.
- 34. Feasibility study and Academic Organization of the University of Western Macedonia, Funded by Prefecture of Kozani, 1999-2000.
- 35. Organizational Reengineering Study of Aristotle University, Funded by Aristotle University, 1999-2000.
- 36. Feasibility study of the business plan of Hellenic Vehicles Industry S.A. for the construction of civil vehicle, Funded by ELVO S.A., KONVER program, 2000-01.
- 37. Aristotle University Strategic Mapping for the Participation of Aristotle University at the Association of European Universities, Funded by E.A.D.P. A.U.Th., 2001.
- 38. Human Resources Planning or the Tertiary Education in Greece, Funded by Ministry of Education EPEAEK II, 2001-02.
- 39. Strategic and Operational Plan of Aristotle University, Funded by Center of Educational Research, 2002.
- 40. Research Network TMR for Reverse Logistics, Funded by European Commission XII GD, 1997-2002.
- 41. Feasibility Study and Academic Organization of Hellenic International University in Thessaloniki, Funded by the Ministry of Macedonia and Thrace, 2002.
- 42. Planning of the construction of an Underground Parking Station at Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Funded by Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, 2002-03.
- 43. Costing of Electrical and Electronic Products at the End of their Useful Life, Funded Appliances Recycling S.A., 2004.

- 44. Organizational Study for the Pedagogic Institute, Funded by the Ministry of Education, Operational Program for Education and Initial Professional Training (EPEAEK), 2005.
- 45. Strategic Gastronomic Tourism Planning for the Region of Central Macedonia", Funded by the Region of Central Macedonia- INTERREG IIIB, March November 2005.
- 46. Restructuring of the Undergraduate Program for the Department of Mechanical Engineering of Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Funded by the Ministry of Education, Operational Program for Education and Initial Professional Training (EPEAEK), 2003-2008.
- 47. Strategic and Operational Plan of Aristotle University 2006-2015, Funded by Aristotle University, 2005.
- 48. Development of Studies and Processes for Attracting Investors to the International Freight Village of Thesprotia, Municipality of Paramithia, Funded by IMPETUS Engineers S.A., Jule 2007 – Jule 2008.
- 49. Design of a National Network for Stem Cell Banks in Greece, Haematological Society of Greece, October 2008 December 2008.
- 50. Feasibility Study for the Short-Shipping Connection between the Cities of Kavala and Alexandria, Egypt», Prefectures of Kavala, Drama and Xanthi, 2009.
- 51. Fraunhofer Project Center Coatings in Manufacturing (PCCM), Funded by Fraunhofer Gesellschaft-Greek Secretariat for Research and Technology, 2010.
- 52. Optimal Allocation of Points of Sales for the "MACEDONIA" Press Agency, Funded by the "MACEDONIA" Press Agency, 2010 – 2011.
- 53. Development of the Strategic Plan for the Metropolitan Mass Transit Organization of Thessaloniki, Funded by EUROACTION AE, January– June 2011.
- 54. Hellenic International University Operation and Development, Funded by National Development Framework ESPA: Operational Program Education and Life-Long Learning, 2011-2014.
- 55. Feasibility Study for initiating the Shipping Line Igoumenitsa Toulon (France), Funded by Igoumenitsa Port Authority S.A., February May 2011.
- 56. Local Platform for Employment and Entrepreneurship of young Scientists in Innovation, Research and Technological Development, Funded by Thessalon{IQ}i- Smart City, October 2012 - June 2014.
- 57. Hellenic Civil Unmanned Aerial Vehicle HCUAV, Funded by SYNERGASIA, General Secretariat of Research and Technology, Program "Synergasia", June 2013 December 2015.

6 OTHER SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

6.1 Referee in International Journals

From 2001 until today I have refereed more than 200 scientific papers for the following journals:

- Annals of Operations Research,
- Applied Mathematical Modeling,
- Bulletin of the Malaysian Mathematical Sciences Society,
- Business Strategy and the Environment,
- Computers and Industrial Engineering,

- Energy Policy,
- European Journal of Operational Research,
- International Journal of Healthcare Technology and Management,
- International Journal of Innovation and Regional Development,
- International Journal of Logistics,
- International Journal of Management Science and Engineering Management,
- International Journal of Production Economic,
- International Journal of Sustainable Engineering,
- International Journal of Systems Sciences
- Journal of Industrial Engineering and Management,
- Journal of Simulation Modeling,
- Management Research Review,
- Management Science,
- Manufacturing and Service Operations Management,
- Mathematical Models in Engineering,
- Measurement Science and Technology,
- Operations Research,
- Production Operations Management,
- Production Planning and Control,
- Research in Transportation Business & Management
- Simulation Modeling Practice and Theory,
- Sustainability
- Transportation Research Part E,
- Waste Management.

6.2 Participation in Conference Organizing Committees

Member of the Organizing Committee of the 6th Balkan Conference on Operational Research organized by the Hellenic Operational Research Society, 2002.

Member of the Scientific Committee of the 9th Panhellenic Logistics Conference, organized by the Greek Association of Supply Chain Management, 2005.

Member of the Scientific Committee of 10th Panhellenic Logistics Conference organized by the Greek Association of Supply Chain Management, 2006.

Member of the Scientific Committee of 19th Panhellenic Conference on Operational Research organized by the Hellenic operational research society, 2007.

Member of the Scientific Committee of 11th Panhellenic Logistics Conference organized by the Greek Association of Supply Chain Management, 2007.

Member of the Scientific Committee of 12th Panhellenic Logistics Conference organized by the Greek Association of Supply Chain Management, Thessaloniki branch, 2008.

Member of the Scientific Committee of the 3th ICMEN2008.

Member of the Scientific Committee of the 13th Panhellenic Logistics Conference organized by the Greek Association of Supply Chain Management, 2009.

Member of the Scientific Committee of the 4th ICMEN2011.

Member of the Scientific Committee of 15th Panhellenic Logistics Conference organized by the Greek Association of Supply Chain Management, 2011.

Member of the Scientific Committee of the 16th Panhellenic Logistics Conference organized by the Greek Association of Supply Chain Management, 2012.

Member of the Scientific Committee of 17th Panhellenic Logistics Conference organized by the Greek Association of Supply Chain Management, 2013.

Member of the Scientific Committee of the 5th ICMEN, 2014.

Member of the Scientific Committee of 18th Panhellenic Logistics Conference organized by the Greek Association of Supply Chain Management, 2014.

Member of the Scientific Committee of 19th Panhellenic Logistics Conference organized by the Greek Association of Supply Chain Management, 2015.

Member of the Scientific Committee of 20th Panhellenic Logistics Conference organized by the Greek Association of Supply Chain Management, 2016.

Member of the Scientific Committee of the 6th ICMEN, 2017.

Chair of the Organizing Committee, 21th Panhellenic Logistics Conference organized by the Greek Association of Supply Chain Management, 2017.

Chair of the Organizing Committee, 4th International Conference on Green Supply Chains, July 2-4, 2018.

6.3 Participation in Committees and Working Groups

- Participation in the Working Group on the participation of the University in the Union of European Universities (1999).
- Participation in the Working Group for the Development of a strategic and operational plan of Aristotle University (2004)
- Member of the Board of the Nursery school and Kindergarten of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (2007-2010).
- Member of the Working Group of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki for organizational reengineering (2013-14).
- Member of the Special Interdepartmental Committee of the Postgraduate Programme in Museology and Cultural Management (2007-).
- Member of the Special Interdepartmental Committee of the Postgraduate Programme in Protection, Preservation and Restoration of Cultural Monuments (2010-2013).
- Participation in various Committees of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, the Engineering School and the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.

6.4 Participation in Scientific Studies

I have participated in the following studies, funded by private companies and organizations:

- Preliminary study of economic feasibility of establishment of a new port at Nea Karvali, 1992.
- Codification of existing studies for the Region of Epirus, General Secretary of the Region of Epirus, 1992-93.
- Identify educational and training needs in the sectors of textile and garment industry, program FORCE, 1993.

- Feasibility study for the creation of a business support center in Kozani, 1996.
- Study on development and implementation of employee remuneration system in A.E.B.A.L., 1996.
- Development of telematics applications in the region of Central Macedonia in the area of telework, IRIS initiative, 1997.
- Feasibility study and creation of Agropolis action plan, American Farm School, 1997-98.
- Feasibility and viability study for the development of the Macedonian Museum of contemporary art, 1998.
- Organizational design of the University of Tbilisi, 2000.
- Feasibility study and Academic Organization of the School of Theological and Cultural studies in Cyprus, Monastery of Kykkos, 2002.
- Five-year development plan of the School of Theological and Cultural studies of Cyprus, Monastery of Kykkos, 2003.

6.5 Membership in Professional Organizations

I am a member of the following scientific societies:

- (a) Technical Chamber of Greece (1988-).
- (b) Electrical and Mechanical Engineering Association of Northern Greece (1988-).
- (c) Hellenic Operational Research Society (1993-). Member of the Board of the Macedonia and Thrace Branch from (2001-03).
- (d) Greek Association of Supply Chain Management (2003-); Member of the Board (2006-); Vice-president (2008-2014); President (2015-).
- (e) Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences, INFORMS (1997-).
- (f) Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals, CSCMP (2008-).