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Prof. Vlachos received a Diploma in Electrical Engineering (1988), a Diploma in Mechanical Engineering (1992) and a PhD in Mechanical Engineering (1999) from AUTH. He worked as a Research Associate at the Department of Mechanical Engineering (from 1992 to 2001), while he was an adjunct or visiting Professor at the Free University of Amsterdam, the University of Macedonia, the Hellenic International University, and the University of Western Macedonia. Moreover, he worked as a Postdoc Researcher in Reverse Logistics at the Erasmus University, Econometric Institute, Rotterdam (2000).

Since 2002, he is Professor at the Department of Mechanical Engineering, AUTH. He has taught the following courses: Statistics, Operational Research, Project Management, Reliability and Maintenance, Production Operations Management and Simulation at undergraduate and postgraduate levels.

He has participated in more than 60 research projects (in 15 of them as a principal investigator) activities in the field of Supply Chain Management, and he has co-authored the respective technical reports. He has published more than 200 papers in scientific journals, conference proceedings and book chapters. He has participated as a consultant or expert in numerous projects funded by public and private organizations. He is a member of the Institute for Operational Research and Management Science (INFORMS), the Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals (CSCMP) and the Hellenic Operational Research Society (EEEE). He is now President of the Greek Association of Supply Chain Management (EEL) and member of the Management Board since 2007.

Prof. Vlachos has acted as a business consultant in Supply Chain Management issues in companies. Detailed biographical information is available on page:

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