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Personal Profile

Proactive lecturer and researcher with 5+ years of experience in research. Guest lectured in undergraduate and postgraduate levels and supervised many PhD students. Published over 10 articles in peer-reviewed journals, five of which as the sole author.

Education

PhD in Health and Economic Geography

2023

Department of Economics

University of Piraeus, Piraeus, Greece

Thesis title: "Health and Economic Geography in the US: Policy Interventions for Public Health"

Thesis supervisor: Associate Professor Konstantinos Eleftheriou

MSC IN EPIDEMIOLOGY & RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES, CLINICAL PRACTICE AND PUBLIC HEALTH

Department of hygiene, epidemiology and medical statistics

University of Athens medical school, Athens, Greece

Thesis title: "Pet exposure and survival of older adults: Evidence from the Survey of Health,

Ageing and Retirement in Europe (SHARE)"

Thesis supervisor: Assistant Professor Nikos Pantazis

MSC IN HEALTH ECONOMICS & MANAGEMENT

2019

2022

Department of Economics

University of Piraeus, Piraeus, Greece

Thesis title: "Health care expenditure and fiscal sustainability:

Evidence from the OECD countries"

Thesis supervisor: Associate Professor Konstantinos Eleftheriou

BSC IN ECONOMICS 2015

Department of Economics

University of Athens, Athens, Greece

Professional Appointments

Adjunct lecturer University of Piraeus

Spring 2024

Responsible for teaching two undergraduate courses.

Special Research Scientist University of Cyprus

September 2023–present

Responsible for conducting an internally funded research programme from design to publication.

Publications

Peer-reviewed journal articles

Christopoulos, K. 2023. Bird ownership and pulmonary outcomes apart from hypersensitivity pneumonitis in European older adults. *Respiratory Medicine and Research* https://doi.org/10.1016/j.resmer.2023.101066

Christopoulos, K. 2023. Associations between lockdown intensity and suicide mortality in US states. SSM Population Health, 101544 https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ssmph.2023.101544

Christopoulos, K. 2023. Religion and survival among European older adults. European Journal of Ageing, 20,42 https://doi.org/10.1007/s10433-023-00789-4

Christopoulos, K. 2023. Are GPs more reluctant to give advice for exercise to older women? A cross-sectional survey of European adults. The Journal of Frailty & Aging, https://doi.org/10.14283/jfa.2023.40

Christopoulos, K. 2023. Associations between gun ownership and firearm homicide rates in US states. *Journal of Urban Health*, 100, 651–656 https://doi.org/10.1007/s11524-023-00734-x

Christopoulos, K., Eleftheriou, K., & Nijkamp, P. 2023. The Equity-Efficiency Trade-off and the Intensity of COVID-19 Pandemic Government Responses: Evidence from US States. *Regional Studies* https://doi.org/10.1080/00343404.2023.2207588

Christopoulos, K., Benetou, V., Riza, & Pantazis, N. 2022. Pet ownership and survival of European older adults. European Journal of Ageing, 19, pp. 1549–1560. https://doi.org/10.1007/s10433-022-00739-6

Christopoulos, K., Eleftheriou, K., & Nijkamp, P. 2022. The role of pre-pandemic teleworking and E-commerce culture in the COVID-19 dispersion in Europe. Letters in Spatial and Resource Sciences, 15(1), pp. 1–16. https://doi.org/10.1007/s12076-021-00286-1

Christopoulos, K. and Eleftheriou, K., 2020. The fiscal impact of health care expenditure: Evidence from the OECD countries. *Economic Analysis and Policy*, 67, pp.195–202. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.eap.2020.07.010

Christopoulos, K. and Eleftheriou, K., 2020. Premature mortality in the US: A convergence study. Social Science & Medicine, 258, p.113141. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.socscimed.2020.113141

Contributions to edited volumes equivalent to peer-reviewed journals

Christopoulos, K., Eleftheriou, K., & Hadjidema S. 2022. Public debt and Government Responses to the COVID-19 Pandemic: Evidence from European Countries. In D. Hristu-Varsakelis, M. Pempetzoglou (Eds.), Essays in economic theory and policy in honor of Professor Stella Karagianni, pp. 51–56. Athens: Gutenberg

Conferences

INVITED TALKS

Christopoulos et al. (2021, 11). The Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic Government Responses on the Equity-efficiency Trade-off: Evidence from the US States. ReGrowEU, Iasi, Romania.

Teaching Experience

Adjunct lecturer

Spring 2024

Taught time series analysis and statistics for social phenomena to undergraduate students

Guest Lecturer, Research methods

Fall 2022

Gave a lecture on writing a master thesis to graduate students

INSTRUCTOR, HEALTH POLICIES AND MENTAL HEALTH

Fall 2021

Lectured in a virtual asynchronous online course for tetedu.gr. $\,$

Health systems and policy

Applications of health policies

Patient rights and consent for achieving health policy goals

TEACHING ASSISTANT, PUBLIC FINANCE

Fall 2020

Gave Public spending and Cost-Benefit analysis lectures to undergraduate students

Research Experience

Part-time Researcher

September 2023-present

University of Cyprus, Cyprus

RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Spring 2023

Rennes Business School, France

Additional Activities

EXTRACURRICULAR UNIVERSITY ACTIVITIES

Music

Guitars

Dog shelter volunteer

Nature lover

SERVICE TO PROFESSION

REVIEWER ACTIVITY

International Journal of Environmental and Public Health

Current Issues in Tourism

Econometrics

Social Science & Medicine

Data

Letters in Spatial and Resource Sciences

Current Oncology

Healthcare

Sustainability

Journalism and media

Human-animal interactions

Family Practice

BMJ Open

JOURNAL EDITORSHIP

Coeditor in the Regional Science Policy & Practice Special Issue: The Economic Impacts of Public Health Spillovers

Languages and Skills

LANGUAGES

Greek: Native

English: Fully proficient Spanish: Intermediate

SKILLS

 \LaTeX

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STATA

SPSS

SAS