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PERSONAL DETAILS

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ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

1997 – 2001 **The University of Manchester**
Manchester School of Accounting and Finance
Ph.D. in Accounting (graduation June 2002).

1991 – 1993 **Athens University of Economics and Business**
Master in Business Administration (MBA), two-year course.

1993 (Jan.-June) **Erasmus University Rotterdam**
European Exchange programme “Erasmus” for one academic semester.

1987 – 1991 **Athens University of Economics and Business**
Department of Business Administration.
B.A. in Management.

ACADEMIC PAPERS & RESEARCH PROJECTS

Research Projects:

Ph.D. Thesis – University of Manchester

“Foreign Direct Investments Decision-Making & the role of Management Accounting Information: Case study of a Greek company in the Balkans.”

Supervisor: Dr Deryl Northcott.

MBA Dissertation – Athens University of Economics and Business (1993)

“The Relationships between the Business Profitability and Liquidity Ratios.”

Supervisor: Professor George Venieris.

Academic Papers:

Sykianakis, N. (2003), “Factors affecting Greek FDIs in the Balkans: The case of the ice cream industry”, in *Archives of Economic History*, Vol. XV, No. 2, pp. 85-104.

Sykianakis, N. (2004), “Case study research in management accounting: Theory and practice”, in *South European Review of Business Finance and Accounting*, Vol. 2, No. 1, pp. 21-38.

Sykianakis, N. & Bellas, A., (2005) “The foreign direct investment decision-making process: Strategy, politics and uses of management accounting information”, in *Managerial Auditing Journal*, Vol. 20, No. 8&9, pp. 954-969.

Sykianakis, N. (2005), “Capital Budgeting Practices in Greek Foreign Direct Investments”, in *Applied Research Review*, Vol. X, No1, pp. 23-37.

Sykianakis, N. (2007), “Risk assessment and management in FDI. A case study in the Balkans”, in *Investment Management and Financial Innovations*, Vol. 4, No1.

Sykianakis, N., Arsenos, P., Rodosthenous, M. & Kalantonis, P. (forthcoming) “Managing weather risk in agriculture with the use of derivatives”, in *South European Review of Business Finance and Accounting*.

Conference Papers

Sykianakis, N. & Northcott D., “The foreign direct investment decision-making process: Strategy, politics and uses of management accounting information”. *25th Congress of the European Accounting Association*, Copenhagen, April 2002.

Sykianakis, N. & Northcott D., “Risk assessment and management in a Greek FDI in the Balkans”. *26th Congress of the European Accounting Association*, Seville, April 2003.

Venieris, G., Cohen, S. & Sykianakis, N., “Accounting Reform in the Greek NHS” Παρουσίαση στο *26th Congress of the European Accounting Association*, Seville, April 2003.

Sykianakis, N. & Bellas, A., “The foreign direct investment decision-making process: Strategy, politics and uses of management accounting information”. *European Applied Business Research Conference*, Edinburgh, June 2004.

Sykianakis, N. & Ballas, A., “Ideology vs Formal Systems as a Control Mechanism: A Case Study”, *29th Congress of the European Accounting Association*, Dublin, March 2006.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2005 – today	<i>Technological Education Institute of Piraeus</i> Assistant Professor
2001 – 2005	<i>Athens University of Economics and Business</i> Department of Accounting and Finance. Teaching & Research Fellow
2004 – today	ATTIKO METRO S.A. Non Executive Member of the Board of Directors
1995 – 1997	<i>Price Waterhouse Coopers</i> Senior Auditor, Auditing Department, Athens, Greece.
2002 – 2005	<i>Emporiki Bank</i> Instructor in Management Accounting Seminars

1993-1995

Greek Army, Military Service

ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS

- 1997 – 2001 ***Greek State Scholarship Foundation (IKY)*** Scholarship for Doctoral Studies.
- 1993 ***“Erasmus Scholarship”*** for participating to the European Universities’ Exchange Programme.
- 1991-1993 ***Athens University of Economics and Business***, Studentship for post-graduate studies.
- 1987 & 1991 ***Greek Ministry of Education***, Scholarship for excellent academic achievement.

OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

Languages:

Greek: Native Speaker.

English: Fully Fluent.

French: Very Good Knowledge.

IT Skills:

Microsoft Windows, Microsoft Office, and Internet User.

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES

Economical Chamber of Greece – Member

Athens MBAs’ Alumni Association – Member and former Chairman (1996-1997)

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Reading History, Politics & International Relations

Hiking and outdoor activities