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Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- 2007- 2011 Ph.D. in Economics, Athens University of Economics and Business (AUEB), Department of International and European Economic Studies (DIEES), Thesis *title*: Essays on Fiscal Policy
- 2005- 2007 MSc in International Economics and Finance, AUEB, DIEES
- 2000- 2005 BSc in International and European Economic Studies, AUEB, DIEES

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

- 2013-2015 Certificate in Learning and Teaching, University of Sheffield

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2022 - present Assistant Professor, AUEB, Department of Economics
- 2012 - 2022 Lecturer (Assistant Professor) with tenure, University of Sheffield, Department of Economics

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Political Economy, Economic History, Public Finance

PUBLICATIONS

- [1] Electoral motives and the subnational allocation of foreign aid in sub-Saharan Africa (with C. Anaxagorou and G. Efthyvoulou), *European Economic Review*, 127, 103430.
- [2] Democratisation and tax structure in the presence of home production: Evidence from the Kingdom of Greece (with P.Kammas), *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organisation*, 2020, 177, 219-236.
- [3] Do dictatorships redistribute more?, (with P. Kammas), *Journal of Comparative Economics*, 2019, 47(1), 176-195.

- [4] The effect of culture on fiscal redistribution: Evidence based on genetic, epidemiological and linguistic data, (with P. Kammas and P. Kazakis), *Economics Letters*, 2017, 160, 95-99.
- [5] External asymmetries in the euro area and the role of foreign direct investment, (with N. Christodoulakis), *The World Economy*, 2017, 40(2), 393-423.
- [6] Fiscal redistribution around elections when democracy is not “the only game in town”, (with P. Kammas), *Public Choice*, 2016, 168(3), 279-311.
- [7] Public investment and re-election prospects in developed countries, (with M. Katsimi), *Southern Economic Journal*, 2015, 82, (2), 471-500.
- [8] The impact of fiscal policy on profits (with M. Katsimi), *Economic Inquiry*, 2012, 50(4), 1050-1068.
- [9] Do elections affect the composition of fiscal policy in developed established democracies? (with M. Katsimi), *Public Choice*, 2012, 151(1-2), 325-362.

WORKING PAPERS AND WORK IN PROGRESS

- [1] “Votes for Women” on the edge of urbanization, (with P. Kammas Sheffield Economic Research Paper Series, no. 2022014.
- [2] Pudding, plague and education: trade and human capital formation in an agrarian economy (with P. Kammas & A. Sakalis), *GreeSE*, LSE - Hellenic Observatory Papers on Greece and Southeast Europe, No. 164.
- [3] Fuelling the (party) machine: The political origins of the Greek debt during Metapolitefsi (with P. Kammas & M. Poulima), *Sheffield Economic Research Paper Series*, no. 20201002.
- [4] Investing in the roots of your political ancestors (with P. Kammas & M. Poulima), *Sheffield Economic Research Paper Series*, no. 2021004.
- [5] Historical pathogen prevalence and the radius of trust, (with P. Kammas), *Sheffield Economic Research Paper Series*, [Working paper coming soon].
- [6] Subnational democratization and the onset of the Mexican drug war (with Luis Sanchez), *Sheffield Economic Research Paper Series*, [Working paper coming soon].

GRANTS AND FUNDED PROJECTS

- [1] Research Group Support Fund (PI), University of Sheffield, The Long-shadow of the Greek Civil War (RA support, 9 months 0.5fte) (with P.Kammas and Anastasia Litina)
- [2] Research Group Support Fund (PI), University of Sheffield, Mountains come first: The geographical origins of family ties (RA support, 8 months 0.5fte) (with P.Kammas, Anastasia Litina and Harry Pickard)
- [3] Research Group Support Fund (PI), University of Sheffield, The political economy of an economic crisis: Evidence from a grape phylloxera plague in the nineteenth century (£13,300) (with P.Kammas and Argyris Sakalis)
- [4] Research Group Support Fund (PI), University of Sheffield, 3rd Sheffield Workshop in Political Economy (£4,000)

- [5] Research Group Support Fund (CI), University of Sheffield, Gender voting gap in the dawn of urbanization: Evidence from a quasi-experiment with Greek special elections (£10,4)
- [6] Special Project Grant Scheme, Royal Economic Society (£3,610)
- [7] Library Development Fund, University of Sheffield, International Historical Statistics Database (£3,000)
- [8] Research Grant, Bank of Greece (CI), External asymmetries in the euro area and the role of foreign direct investment” (20,000€)

PhD SUPERVISION

- Primary supervisor Argyris Sakalis, 2017-2021, University of Sheffield (with P. Kammas); Luis Alfredo Sanchez, 2019 - present, University of Sheffield
- Co-supervisor Charoula Pariarou, 2021- present, AUEB (with P. Kammas); Maria Poulima, 2017 - 2021, University of Ioannina (with P. Kammas); Harry Pickard, 2015-18, University of Sheffield (with G. Eftyvoulou); Christiana Anaxagorou, 2013-2017, University of Sheffield (with G. Eftyvoulou)

CONFERENCE/SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

- 2022 AUEB (Event in honor of Prof. N. Christodoulakis), University of Athens; University of Sheffield; 5th International Conference on The Political Economy of Political Economy of Democracy and Dictatorship; Conference on Research on Economic Theory and Econometrics (CRETE)
- 2021 IMOP-AUEB (The Greek Economy since 1821); 15th Workshop on Political Economy Dresden; European Public Choice Society conference (EPCS)
- 2020 3rd International Conference on The Political Economy of Political Economy of Democracy and Dictatorship;
- 2019 EPCS; AUEB CRETE; 13th Workshop on Political Economy Dresden; Workshop in Gender and Economics (University of Luxemburg)
- 2018 CREA Workshop on Culture and Comparative Development (University of Luxemburg); CRETE
- 2016 Economic History Society Annual Conference
- 2015 Royal Economic Society conference (RES); EPCS; Silvaplana Workshop in Political Economy; CRETE; Middlesex University London
- 2014 EPCS; CRETE

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- University of Sheffield, Business Finance, PG (lectures and workshops)
2012 - 2022 Introductory Finance for Economics, UG Level 1 (lectures and workshops)
 Modern Finance, UG Level 3 (lectures and workshops)

Political Economy, UG Level 3 (lectures and workshops)
Public Economics, PG (lectures and workshops)

ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES

University of Sheffield, Erasmus and Study Abroad coordinator
2013 - 2022

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Refereeing	American Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review, Economic Journal, Bulletin of Economic Research, Canadian Journal of Economics, Government and Opposition, European Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of International Development, Public Choice, Public Finance Review
External PhD examiner	Yidi Xu, University of York, June 2019; Neha Devi Tengur, University of Newcastle, October 2020
Scientific Organiser Fellow	2015, 2016, 2017 Sheffield Workshops in Political Economy The Higher Education Academy

COMPUTER SKILLS

ArcMap, E-Views, Gauss, Stata

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Greek (native); English (fluent)