

Short Curriculum Vitae

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Current function:

Military Legal Advisor in Hellenic Armed Forces (Major) currently posted as Senior Legal Advisor at NATO Rapid Deployable Corps – GREECE, Thessaloniki, Greece

Adjunct Lecturer of International Law, Department of Balkan, Slavic and Oriental Studies, University of Macedonia, Thessaloniki, Greece

Studies:

Ph.D. in International Law (2022, Democritus University of Thrace)

LL.M. in International Law (2016, Democritus University of Thrace)

LL.B. in International and European Studies (2012, Panteion University, Athens)

LL.B. Degree (2003, Department of Law, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki)

Training/ Further Education:

Joint Force Command Brunssum & University of Maastricht (International Institutional Law Seminar; Maastricht, Netherlands/2021)

NATO School Oberammergau (Comprehensive Operations Planning Course; Oberammergau, Germany/ 2021)

NATO Allied Command Operations (ACO Creval Course; Mons, Belgium/ 2021)

NATO School Oberammergau (NATO Legal Advisor's Course; Oberammergau, Germany/ 2017)

NATO Cooperative Cyber Defense Centre of Excellence (International Law of Cyber Operations Course; Tallinn, Estonia/2015)

NATO School Oberammergau (NATO Operational Law Course; Oberammergau, Germany/ 2017)

Research interests:

Theory and History of International Law

Law of War (International Humanitarian Law)

Law on Inter-State Use of Force (Jus ad Bellum)

International Criminal Law

Military Law

Negotiation and Conclusion of Military Agreements

Selection of academic and professional activities:

Instructor, Postgraduate /International Courses, Hellenic Supreme Joint War College (Thessaloniki, Greece/2018-2023)

Instructor, NATO Operational Law Course, NATO School Oberammergau (Germany/2021-2023)

Instructor, International Courses (PAO, STRATCOM, PSO, IHL), Multinational Peace Support Training Center (Kilkis, Greece/2014-2023)

Instructor, Law of War/Diplomacy and Foreign Policy, Military Academy of Combat Support Officers (Thessaloniki, Greece/2019-2023)

Instructor, CSDP Course, Army War College (Thessaloniki, Greece/2023)

Lecturer, IHL Course, Democritus University of Thrace (Komotini, Greece/2021)

Lecturer, Safety of Journalists and Media Professionals Course, International Training Centre for the Safety of Journalists and Media Professionals (Thessaloniki, Greece/2023)

Lecturer, Hybrid Threats in SE Europe, RACVIAC Centre for Security Cooperation (Croatia/2023)

Member of the Editorial Committee of Hellenic Armed Forces Law Review

Recent Publications:

“The Legal Status of Nuclear Weapons in the context of the Nuclear Ban Treaty”, Sakkoulas Publications, 2023 (in Greek)

“Hellenic Manual of the Law of Armed Conflicts”, co-editor, Sakkoulas Publications, 2022 (in Greek)

“Commanders’ Responsibility for subordinates’ actions” (2022) Hellenic Supreme Joint War College Review, Issue 54, Jul-Oct 22, p. 25.

“Terrorism Funding and Direct Participation in Hostilities (2020) NRDC-GR Herald, Issue 14, p. 19.

“Targeted Killings: Their legality according to the International Law”, published on www.researchgate.net (2020).

“Targeting Killing – Legal Aspects” (2015) NRDC-GR Herald, Issue 5, p. 29.