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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Nationality: Hellenic (Greek)
Date of Birth: 23 November 1978
Place of Birth: Trikala (Greece)
Military Service: Completed, Aug. 2009

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Macroeconomics, Economic Growth, Financial Economics

EDUCATION

University of Patras, Department of Economics, Greece

PhD in Economics, 2005 - 2008

Thesis Title: "Investment under Uncertainty: A New Keynesian Approach"

University of Surrey, Department of Economics, UK

MSc in Business Economics & Finance, 2003 - 2004

University of Patras, Department of Economics, Greece

BA in Economics, 1998 - 2002

EMPLOYMENT

University of Patras, Department of Economics, Greece

Assistant Professor, September 2018 - current

University of Bedfordshire, Department of Law & Finance, UK

Senior Lecturer, September 2016 - August 2018

Bursa Orhangazi University, Department of Banking & Finance, Turkey

Assistant Professor, September 2014 - August 2016

University of Patras, Department of Economics, Greece

Adjunct Lecturer, October 2009 - September 2012

ACADEMIC MANAGEMENT

University of Bedfordshire, UK (2016-2018)

Course Leader

BSc Economics and Finance

MSc Financial Economics

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Patras, Greece (2018-current)

International Trade Theory & Policy

Financial Economics

Investment Appraisal

PG Dissertation Supervision

University of Bedfordshire, UK (2016-2018)

Economics of International Trade

Macroeconomics

Applied Economics

Introduction to Econometrics

The Global Economic Context (Postgraduate)

Business Economics (MBA)

UG and PG Dissertation Supervision

Bursa Orhangazi University, Turkey (2014-2016)

Managerial Finance I & II

Introduction to Banking

Introduction to Economics I & II

University of Patras, Greece (2009-2012)

Macroeconomics I & II

Investment Appraisal

Principles of Economic Policy

PG Dissertation Supervision

PhD SUPERVISION

Mr Alban Asllani, *The size and development of the informal economy in Balkan countries* (1st Supervisor), July 2017-Aug. 2018

PUBLICATIONS IN REFEREED JOURNALS

- 1) Goulas, E., Kallandranis, C., and Zervoyianni A. (2019). Voting behaviour and the economy: Evidence from Greece. **Economic Issues**, 24(1), 35-58. (1* ranking ABS).
- 2) Goulas, E., and Zervoyianni, A. (2018). Active labour-market policies and output growth: Is there a causal relationship? **Economic Modelling**, 73, 1-14. (2* ranking ABS).
- 3) Goulas, E., and Zervoyianni, A. (2016). IMF-lending programs and suicide mortality. **Social Science & Medicine**, 153, 44-53. (4* ranking ABS).
- 4) Goulas, E., and Zervoyianni, A. (2015). Economic growth and crime: Is there an asymmetric relationship? **Economic Modelling**, 49, 286-295. (2* ranking ABS).
- 5) Goulas, E., and Zervoyianni, A. (2013). Growth, deficits and uncertainty: Theoretical aspects and empirical evidence from a panel of 27 countries. **Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance**, 53(4), 380-392. (2* ranking ABS).
- 6) Goulas, E., and Zervoyianni, A. (2013). Economic growth and crime: Does uncertainty matter? **Applied Economics Letters**, 20(5), 420-427. (1* ranking ABS).
- 7) Drakos, K., and Goulas, E. (2010). Investment in Greek manufacturing under irreversibility and uncertainty: The message in used capital expenditures. **Applied Economics**, 42(14), 1797-1809. (2* ranking ABS).
- 8) Drakos, K., and Goulas, E. (2008). The relative importance of sector and country factors for leasing penetration rates across European industries. **Applied Economics Letters**, 15(15), 1197-1200. (1* ranking ABS).
- 9) Drakos, K., and Goulas, E. (2008). Irreversible investment under uncertainty: The message in leasing expenditures. **International Journal of Monetary Economics and Finance**, 1(4), 412-426.
- 10) Drakos, K., and Goulas, E. (2008). Asset and lessee heterogeneity as determinants of leasing contract maturity structure. **International Research Journal of Finance and Economics**, 15, 72-77.
- 11) Drakos, K., and Goulas, E. (2007). Modelling leasing penetration rates in European industries. **Empirical Economics Letters**, 6(6), 493-499.
- 12) Drakos, K., Goulas, E., and Kallandranis, C. (2007). New vs. used capital investment decisions under liquidity constraints. **Applied Financial Economics Letters**, 3, 15-18.

13) Evans, J., Goulas, E., and Levine, P. (2007). Military expenditure and migration in Europe. **Defence and Peace Economics**, 18(4), 305-316. (2* ranking ABS).

14) Drakos, K., Goulas, E., and Kallandranis, C. (2006). Investment under liquidity constraints and uncertainty: Investigating the effects of irreversibility. **SPOUDAI Journal of Economics and Business**, 56(4), 7-16.

15) Drakos, K., and Goulas, E. (2006). Investment and conditional uncertainty: The role of market power, irreversibility, and returns-to-scale. **Economics Letters**, 93(2), 169-175. (3* ranking ABS).

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

1) "Active labor-market policies and output growth - is there a causal relationship?" (with A. Zervoyianni). Presented at the **23rd Eurasia Business and Economics Society (EBES)**, Madrid, Spain, September 2017.

2) "Government-sponsored labour-market training and output growth: cyclical, structural and globalization influences" (with A. Zervoyianni). Presented at the **7th International Conference on Restructuring of the Global Economy (ROGE)**, Said Business School, University of Oxford, UK, July 2017.

3) "IMF-lending programs and suicides" (with A. Zervoyianni). Presented at the **International Conference on Applied Business and Economics (ICABE)**, Piraeus, Greece, November 2015.

4) "Economic outcomes and voting behaviour: Evidence from Greece" (with C. Kallandranis and A. Zervoyianni). Presented at the **17th Annual Conference of the International Network for Economic Research (INFER)**, University of Bedfordshire, UK, May 2015.

5) "Labour-Market Training and Economic Growth: Evidence from a Panel of 27 Countries" (with A. Zervoyianni). Presented at the **International Conference on Applied Business and Economics (ICABE)**, Delphi, Greece, October 2014.

6) "Economic growth and crime: Is there an asymmetric relationship?" (with A. Zervoyianni). Presented at the **Rimini Conference in Economics and Finance (RCEF)**, Rimini, Italy, June 2014.

7) "Do active labour-market policies enhance economic growth?" (with A. Zervoyianni). Presented at the **13th Annual European Economics and Finance Society (EEFS) Conference**, Thessaloniki, Greece, June 2014.

8) “Uncertainty and heterogeneous capital” (with K. Drakos). Presented at the **1st International Workshop in Economics and Finance (IWEF)**, Tripoli, Greece, June 2007.

9) “Investment sensitivity to uncertainty: The non-linear effect of labour share” (with K. Drakos). Presented at the **6th Annual European Economics and Finance Society (EEFS) Conference**, Sofia, Bulgaria, May 2007.

10) “Investment sensitivity to conditional uncertainty: Nesting alternative theoretical specifications” (with K. Drakos). Presented at the **3rd Hellenic Workshop on Productivity and Efficiency Measurement**, Patras, Greece, June 2006.

11) “Investment sensitivity to conditional uncertainty: Nesting alternative theoretical specifications” (with K. Drakos). Presented at the **10th International Conference on Macroeconomic Analysis and International Finance (ICMAIF)**, Rethymno, Greece, May 2006.

12) “Investment in Greek manufacturing under irreversibility and uncertainty: The message in used capital expenditures” (with K. Drakos). Presented at the **5th Annual European Economics and Finance Society Conference**, Heraklion, Greece, May 2006.

13) “A unified empirical framework of investment under uncertainty: Nesting competing theories” (with K. Drakos). Presented at the **4th Annual Conference of the Hellenic Finance and Accounting Association (HFAA)**, Piraeus, Greece, December 2005.

REFEREEING

Empirical Economics (2)

Applied Economics

Economic Modelling (2)

Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance

European Journal on Criminal Policy and Research

RELEVANT SKILLS

Languages: English (Excellent)

Software: Ms Office, Stata, EViews, SPSS