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Brief CV

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He served as an adviser (Ambassador/Councilor) on European Union Affairs to the Greek Ministry of Foreign Affairs and to the Prime Minister, C. Simitis. In this capacity, he took part in all major EU treaty negotiations, including the negotiations for the Single European Act, the Treaty of Maastricht and the Treaty of Amsterdam. He was the Greek Representative to the Intergovernmental Conference for the Nice Treaty (2000) and Alternate Member to the European Convention to draw up a European Constitution (2002-2003).

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Selected Publications:

- (2010) *The Lisbon Treaty*, 2nd edition, Athens, Themelio [in Greek]
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- (2002) (edited) *Greece in the European Union – The New Role and the New Agenda*, Ministry of Press and Mass Media\EKEM, Athens
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