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Education

B.Sc. *Mathematics*, Department of Mathematics, Univ. of Athens, Greece.

M.Sc. Statistics, Department of Mathematics, Imperial College, Univ. of London, UK.

DIC *Mathematics: Statistics*, Department of Mathematics, Imperial College, Univ. of London, UK.

Ph.D. Department of Statistics and Computer Science, University College, Univ. of London, UK.

University Positions

04/78 - 07/82:	Lecturer	Chair of Applied Mathematics, National Technical Univ. of Athens.
07/82 - 05/84:	Lecturer	Department of Mathematics, National Technical Univ. of Athens.
05/84 - 05/96:	Assist. Professor	Department of Mathematics, National Technical Univ. of Athens.
05/96 – 06/07:	Assoc. Professor	Department of Mathematics, National Technical Univ. of Athens.
06/07 – :	Professor	Department of Mathematics, National Technical Univ. of Athens.

Visiting Professor and other Academic Positions

01/83 - 08/83:	Senior Research Fellow	Department of Mathematics, University of Nottingham, UK.
09/88 - 12/88:	Visiting Professor	Division of Statistics, University of California, Davis, USA.
01/89 - 06/89:	Visiting Professor	Department of Mathematics, University of Texas, Austin, USA.
07/89 - 08/89:	Visiting Professor	Department of Health Care Policy, Harvard University, USA.
09/89 - 06/90:	Visiting Professor	Division of Statistics, University of California, Davis, USA.

Research Interests

- **Probability Theory:** Stochastic Processes, Time Series Analysis, Diffusion Processes and Random Probability Measures, Martingale Theory, Reliability Analysis and System Optimization, Probabilistic Distances, Convexity and Discrete Optimization.
- Statistics: Asymptotic Statistical Theory and Martingales, Bayesian Statistics, Multivariate Statistical Analysis in Pattern Recognition, Optimal Partitions and Identity Protection in Official Statistics.

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Publications – Research Works

- **1. G.E. Kokolakis**. Meteorological Time Series. *M.Sc. and DIC Project*. Imperial College, University of London (1975).
- **2. G.E. Kokolakis**. A Study of the Effect of the Number of Variables in Problems of Classification and Prediction. *Ph.D. Thesis*. University College, University of London (1978).
- **3. G.E. Kokolakis**. Nonparametric Estimation of Multivariate Distributions. *Athens Symposium on Open Mathem. Problems*. Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens, (1980), 33-44 (in Greek).
- **4. G.E. Kokolakis**. Bayesian Classification and Classification Performance for Independent Distributions. *IEEE, Trans. Inform. Theory*, **IT-27** (1981), 500-502. [pdf]
- **5. G.E. Kokolakis**. On the Expected Probability of Correct Classification. *Biometrika*, **68** (1981), 477-483. [pdf]
- **6. G.E. Kokolakis**. A New Look at the Problem of Classification with Binary Variables. *Statistician*, **32** (1983), 144-152. [pdf]
- **7. G.E. Kokolakis**. A Bayesian Criterion for the Selection of Binary Features in Classification Problems. *Bayesian Statistics* 2 (1984), 673-680. [pdf]
- **8. G.E. Kokolakis**. A Martingale Approach to the Problem of Dimensionality and Performance of Bayesian Classifiers: Asymptotic Results. *Comm. in Statist.*, **A14** (1985), 927-935. [pdf]
- **9. G.E. Kokolakis**. On "Approximating Posterior Distributions and Moments". *Bayesian Statistics 3* (1988), 338-342. [pdf]
- **10. W.O. Johnson and G.E. Kokolakis**. Bayesian Classification Based on Multivariate Binary Data. *J. Statist. Planning and Inference*, **41** (1994), 21-35. [pdf]
- **11. C. Caroni and G. Kokolakis**. Statistical Analysis of Students Performance in the Secondary and University Education. *Pyrforos*, Issue 20 (1995), 124-130 (in Greek).
- **12. G. Kokolakis, T. Varvarigou and M. Anagnostou**. Scheduling Starting Times in Redundant Systems. *Proceedings of the HERMIS Intern. Conference*. Athens, Greece (1996), 498-505. [pdf]
- **13. G.E. Kokolakis and P. Dellaportas**. Hierarchical Modelling for Classifying Binary Data. *Bayesian Statistics 5* (1996), 647-652. [pdf]
- **14. V.G. Papanicolaou, G.E. Kokolakis and S. Bonech**. Asymptotics for the Random Coupon Collector Problem. *J. of Comp. and Appl. Mathematics*, **93** (1998), 95-105. [pdf]
- **15. D. Polemi and G. Kokolakis**. A Secure Network of European Statistical Offices over the Internet. *Proceedings of the Statistical Data Protection Conference*. Lisbon, Portugal (1998), 187-193. [pdf]

- 16. G. Kokolakis and Ph. Nanopoulos. Bayesian Multivariate Micro-Aggregation under the Hellinger's Distance Criterion. Research in Official Statist., 4 (2001), 117-125.
 [pdf]
- **17. G. Kokolakis, G. Kouvaras and G. Panagopoulou**. The Role of Metadata in the Intelligent Use of the Data: The User Approach. *Proceedings of the New Techniques in Inform. Technology and Statistics*. Hersonissos Crete, Greece (2001), 257-262. [pdf]
- **18. E. Papageorgiou and G. Kokolakis**. A Two-Unit Parallel System Supported by (n-2) Standbys with General and non-Identical Lifetimes. *Intern. J. of Systems Science*, **35** (2004), 1-12. [pdf]
- **19. G. Kokolakis and E. Papageorgiou**. A Two-Unit General Parallel System with Non-identical Standbys: Analytic and Approximating Results. *Proceedings of the Influence* of *Traditional Mathematics and Mechanics on Modern Science and Technology*. Messini, Greece (2004), 241-249. [pdf]
- **20. G. Kokolakis and E. Papageorgiou**. Scheduling Starting Times for an Active Redundant System with Non-Identical Lifetimes. *Applied Mathematical Modelling*, **30** (2006), 1535-1545. [pdf]
- **21. G. Kokolakis, Ph. Nanopoulos and D. Fouskakis**. Bregman Divergences in the (mxk) Partitioning Problem. *Comput. Statistics and Data Analysis*, **51** (2006), 668-678. [pdf]
- **22. E. Papageorgiou and G. Kokolakis**. A Two-Unit General Parallel System with (n-2) Cold Standbys: Analytic and Simulation Approach. *European J. of Operational Research*, **176** (2007), 1016-1032. [pdf]
- **23. G. Kokolakis and G. Kouvaras**. On the Multimodality of Random Probability Measures. *Bayesian Analysis*, **2** (2007), 213-220. [pdf]
- **24. G. Kokolakis and G. Kouvaras**. Partial Convexification of Random Probability Measures. *Bayesian Statistics 8*, (2007), 619-624. [pdf]
- **25. G. Kouvaras and G. Kokolakis**. Random Multivariate Multimodal Distributions. In *Recent Advances in Stochastic Modelling and Data Analysis*, (2008), 68-75. [pdf]
- **26. G. Kokolakis and D. Fouskakis**. On the Discrepancy Measures for the Optimal Equal Probability Partitioning in Bayesian Multivariate Micro-Aggregation. *Journal of Classification*, **25**, (2008), 209-224. [pdf]
- **27. G. Kokolakis and D. Fouskakis**. Importance Partitioning in Micro-Aggregation. *Comp. Statistics and Data Analysis*, **53**, (2009), 2429-2435. [pdf]
- **28. G. Kokolakis and E. Papageorgiou**. Reliability Analysis of a Two-Unit General Parallel System with (n-2) Warm Standbys. *Europ J. of Operat. Research*, **201**, (2010), 821-827. [pdf]
- **29**. **G. Kokolakis**. Bayesian Statistical Analysis. *Intern. Encyclopedia of Education*, **7**, (2010), 37-45. [pdf]
- **30**. **G. Kouvaras and G. Kokolakis**. Priors on the Space of Unimodal Probability Measures. In *Functional Equations in Mathematical Analysis*, (2011), Springer, N.Y. (in Press).

Papers Submitted and On-Going Research

- **1. E. Papageorgiou and G. Kokolakis**. A Two-Unit Parallel System with Programmed Inspections and Renewals. *Intern. J. of Systems Science*. (submitted).
- **2. G. Kokolakis and G. Kouvaras**. Construction of Absolutely Continuous Random Probability Measures via Dirichlet Processes and Convexity.
- **3. G. Kokolakis and E. Papageorgiou**. A Two-Unit Parallel System with Scheduled Inspections and Renewals An Algorithmic Approach.
- **4. G. Kouvaras and G. Kokolakis**. On the Construction of Absolutely Continuous Multivariate Random Probability Distributions with Levy Processes and Convexity.

Conference Participation

- **1. G.E. Kokolakis**. The Role of Coherence on the Mean Recognition Accuracy in Pattern Recognition Problems. *IEEE, Intern. Symposium on Information Theory*. Trieste, Italy, June 1979.
- **2. G.E. Kokolakis**. Nonparametric Estimation of Multivariate Distributions. *Athens Symposium on Open Mathematical Problems*. Nat. Tech. University of Athens, May 1980.
- **3. G.E. Kokolakis**. A New Look at the Problem of Classification with Binary Variables. *IOS, International Conference on Practical Bayesian Statistics*. St. John's College, Cambridge, UK, July 1982.
- **4. G.E. Kokolakis**. On the Measures of Divergence, Distance and Entropy for the Selection of Variables in Differential Diagnosis. *GSI*, *Intern. Statistical Conference on Stochastic Models in Urban Service Systems*. Athens-Delphi, Greece, June 1983.
- **5. G.E. Kokolakis**. A Bayesian Criterion for the Selection of Binary Features in Classification Problems. *2nd Valencia Intern. Meeting on Bayesian Statistics*. Valencia, Spain, September 1983.
- **6. G.E. Kokolakis**. A Martingale Approach to the Problem of Dimensionality and Performance of Bayesian Classifiers: Asymptotic Results. *7th Congress of Balkan Mathematicians*. Athens, Greece, December 1983.
- **7. G.E. Kokolakis**. On "Approximating Posterior Distributions and Moments". *3rd Valencia Intern. Meeting on Bayesian Statistics*. Altea, Spain, June 1987.
- **8. G.E. Kokolakis**. Pearson Approximating Densities in Bayesian Inference. *17th European Meeting of Statisticians*. Thessaloniki, Greece, September 1987.
- **9. G.E. Kokolakis.** A Bayesian Approach to the Problem Binary Classification with the Method of Kernels. *1st Greek Statistical Conference*. Athens, Greece, February 1988.

- **10. G.E. Kokolakis and W.O. Johnson**. Adaptive Bayesian Estimation in Binary Classification Problems. *Joint Statistical Meetings by ASA, IMS and Biom. Soc.*, Washington D.C., USA, August 1989.
- **11. G.E. Kokolakis and W.O. Johnson**. Bayesian Estimation of Multinomial Probabilities and Smoothing Parameters in the Binary Classification Problem. *Cosmix Intern. Conference*. Wroclaw, Poland, September 1989.
- **12. G. Kokolakis and C. Gatsonis**. Random Effects Models for Ordinal Categorical Data Analysis with an Application to ROC Analysis. *150th Annual Meeting of the American Statistical Association*. Anaheim, California, USA, August 1990.
- **13. G. Kokolakis**. Nonparametric Bayesian Prediction in Multivariate Binary Discriminant Analysis. *Advanced Studies Institute on Nonparametric Functional Estimation and Related Topics*. Spetses, Greece, August 1990.
- **14. G. Kokolakis and C. Gatsonis**. An Approximation to the Marginal Posterior Mode with Application to the Random Effects Models. *4th Valencia Intern. Meeting on Bayesian Statistics*. Peniscola, Spain, April 1991.
- **15. G. Kokolakis**. Ordinal Categorical Regression with Random Effects. *4th Greek Statistical Conference*. Patra, Greece, May 1991.
- **16. G. Kokolakis and P. Dellaportas**. Hierarchical Modelling for Classifying Binary Data. *5th Valencia Intern. Meeting on Bayesian Statistics*. Alicante, Spain, June 1994.
- **17. G. Kokolakis, E. Protonotarios and T. Varvarigou**. Anything, Anywhere at Anytime with Distributed Statistical Information Systems. *N.S.S.G. Intern. Conference*. Athens, Greece, December 1994.
- **18. G. Kokolakis and P. Dellaportas**. Generalized Dirichlet Distribution and Hierarchical Classification Models. *8th Greek Statistical Conference*. Delphi, June 1995.
- **19. G. Kokolakis, M. Anagnostou and T. Varvarigou**. Optimizing Support Systems. *1st Meeting of the Association of Balkan Statisticians*. Olympia, Greece, October 1995.
- **20. G. Kokolakis, T. Varvarigou and M. Anagnostou**. Scheduling Starting Times in Redundant Systems. *HERMIS Intern. Conference*. Athens, Greece, June 1996.
- **21. G. Kokolakis and E. Papageorgiou**. Optimization of Support Systems. *10th Greek Statistical Conference*. Piraeus, Greece, May 1997.
- **22. G. Kokolakis and E. Papageorgiou**. Optimization of Renewal Systems. *11th Greek Statistical Conference*. Chania, Greece, May 1998.
- **23. D. Polemi and G. Kokolakis**. A Secure Network of European Statistical Offices over the Internet. *Statistical Data Protection Conference*. Lisbon, Portugal, March 1998.
- **24. G. Kokolakis**. Micro-aggregation and Minimization of Probabilistic Distances is Statistical Disclosure Control. *6th Valencia Intern. Meeting on Bayesian Statistics*. Alcocebre, Spain, June 1998.
- **25. G. Kokolakis and Ph. Nanopoulos**. Protecting Confidentiality and Preserving Statistical Information in Official Statistics. *ISBA 2000, 6th World Meeting: Bayesian Techniques in Public Policy and Government*. Hersonissos, Crete, Greece, May 2000.

- **26. G. Kokolakis, G. Kouvaras and G. Panagopoulou**. The Role of Metadata in the Intelligent Use of the Data: The User Approach. *New Techniques in Information Technology and Statistics.* Hersonissos, Crete, Greece, June 2001.
- **27. N. Protopsaltis, D. Vergados, G. Kokolakis et al.** Call Admission Control and QoS in Wireless ATM Networks. *8th Intern. Conference on Advances in Communications and Control.* Rethymnon, Crete, Greece, June 2001.
- **28. G. Kokolakis and Ph. Nanopoulos**. On the Discrepancy Measures for Optimal Partitioning in Bayesian Multivariate Micro-Aggregation. *Intern. Conference on Current Advances and Trends in Nonparametric Statistics*. Hersonissos, Crete, Greece, July 2002.
- **29. G. Kokolakis and E. Papageorgiou**. A Two Unit General Parallel System with Non-Identical Standbys: Analytic and Approximating Results. *Intern. Conference on the Influence of Traditional Mathematics and Mechanics on Modern Science and Technology*. Messini, Greece, May 2004.
- **30. G. Kokolakis and E. Papageorgiou**. A Two-Unit Parallel System with (n-2) Cold Standbys and General Lifetime Distributions. *25th European Meeting of Statisticians*. Oslo, Norway, July 2005.
- **31. G. Kokolakis and D. Fouskakis**. Importance Partitioning in Micro-Aggregation. *25th European Meeting of Statisticians*. Oslo, Norway, July 2005.
- **32. G. Kokolakis and G. Kouvaras**. On the Absolute Continuity of Random Probability Measures. 8th Valencia Intern. Meeting on Bayesian Statistics. Alicante, Spain, May 2006.
- **33. G. Kouvaras and G. Kokolakis.** Random Multivariate Multimodal Distributions. *ASMDA2007 Intern. Conference*. Chania, Crete, Greece, May 2007.
- **34. G. Kokolakis and G. Kouvaras. (2007).** Convexification and Finite Multimodality of Random Probability Measures. *Isaac Newton Institute Workshop on the Construction and Properties of Bayesian Nonparametric Regression Models.* Cambridge, 6-10 August 2007. Invited Participant.

Books, Manuscripts and other Publications (in Greek)

- **1. G. Kokolakis** (1984). *Tables and Formulas in Probability and Statistics*. (58 pages).
- **2. G. Kokolakis and J. Spiliotis** (1985). *Theory of Probability and Applications*. (312 pages).
- **3. G. Kokolakis and O. Chryssaphinou** (1988). *Dictionary of Statistical Terms*. (196 pages).
- **4. G. Kokolakis and J. Spiliotis** (1990). *Introduction to Probability Theory and Statistics*. (366 pages).
- **5. G. Kokolakis and J. Spiliotis** (2002). *Introduction to Probability Theory*. (266 pages).
- **6. G. Kokolakis** (1986). *Statistical Notes*. (138 pages).
- 7. G. Kokolakis (2003). Notes on Stochastic Processes. (116 pages).

- **8. G. Kokolakis and D. Fouskakis** (2005). *Notes in Statistics*. (196 pages).
- **9. G. Kokolakis** (2006). *Notes in Time Series Analysis*. (Pages 120).

Invited Lectures

1. The Effect of Dimensionality in Classification Problems. *Statistics Seminar*. Univ. College London, UK, Dec. 1977. (*Invited by Prof. M. Stone*).

- **2. Bayesian Statistics in Pattern Recognition**. *Statistics Seminar*. Univ. of Athens, Greece, Feb. 1978. (Series of four lectures).
- **3. Statistical Methods in Pattern Recognition**. *Applied Mathematics Seminar*. Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens, Greece, Nov. 1979.
- **4. Nonparametric Estimation of Multivariate Distributions**. *Athens Symposium of Open Mathematical Problems*. Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens, Greece, May 1980.
- **5. Applications of Martingales**. *Statistics Seminar*. Univ. of Athens, Greece, Feb. 1981. (*Invited by Visiting Prof. S. Cambanis*).
- **6. Bayesian Classification: New Asymptotic Results**. *Statistics Seminar*. Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens, Greece, April 1982.
- **7. Stochastic Estimation and Prediction: Kalman Filter**. *Statistics Seminar*. Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens, Greece, Nov. 1982.
- **8. Statistical Analysis of Binary Data**. *Statistics Seminar*. Department of Mathematics, Univ. of Nottingham, UK, Feb. 1983. (*Invited by Prof. A.F.M. Smith*).
- 9. The Effect of Dimensionality on the Performance of Bayesian Classifiers: Theory and Practice. Statistics Seminar. London School of Economics, Univ. of London, UK, June 1983. (Invited by Prof. Ph. Dawid).
- 10. Adaptive Sequential Estimation of Multinomial Probabilities and Smoothing Parameters. Statistics Seminar. Univ. of California at Davis, USA, Dec. 1988. (Invited by Prof. G.G. Roussas and Prof. W.O. Johnson).
- **11.** A Bayesian Approach to the Nonparametrric Density Estimation with Kernels. *Statistics Seminar*. Univ. of Texas at Austin, USA, Feb. 1989. (*Invited by Prof. C.N. Morris*).
- **12. Convergence of Probability Measures**. *Probability Seminar*. Nat. Tech. University of Athens, Greece, May 1992. (Series of four lectures).

Organization of Seminars

Organizer of the following seminars:

- 1. Greek Statistical Institute Seminars
 - (Repeated for many years. Funded by the EU)
 - (a) Statistical Methods in Medical Sciences. (100 hours).

- (b) Introduction to Computers and Statistical Packages. (100 hours).
- (c) Actuarial Statistics. (100 hours).

2. Center for Continuous Education, NTUA

(Repeated for several years since 1992. Funded by the private sector)

Statistical Quality Control. (50 hours).

3. Computer Center, NTUA

(Math. Libraries supporting group. Funded by NTUA).

The SAS Statistical System (100 hours, April - May 1996).

4. Department of Mathematics, NTUA

Probability Seminar (April - May 1992).

5. Department of Mathematics, NTUA

(Seminars funded by the Greek Ministry of Education).

- (a) Computational Statistical Methods (150 hours, Apr. June 1994).
- **(b)** *Statistical Packages* (150 hours, April June 1995).

Organization of Conferences

Member of the Organizing and Scientific Committees of the following National and International Conferences.

- 1. International Statistical Conference on Stochastic Models in Urban Service Systems. Greek Statistical Institute. Athens Delphi, Greece, June 1983.
- **2. 1**st **National Statistical Conference**. Greek Statistical Institute. Thessaloniki, Greece, December 1984.
- **3. 2nd National Statistical Conference**. Greek Statistical Institute. Athens, Greece, February 1998.
- **4. 1**st **Conference of the Association of Balkan Statisticians**. Olympia, Greece, October 1995.
- **5. Statistical Data Protection Conference**. Lisbon, Portugal, March 1998.
- **6. NTTS & EKT 2001**. New Techniques and Technologies for Statistics and Exchange of Technology and Knowhow. Hersonissos Crete, Greece, June 2001.
- 7. International Conference on Current Advances and Trends in Nonparametric Statistics. Hersonissos Crete, Greece, July 2002.

Local Organizer and member of the Scientific Committee of the International Conference:

8. ISBA 2000, 6th World Meeting: Bayesian Statistics in Public Policy and Government. Hersonissos - Crete, Greece, May 2000.

Funded European and National Research Projects

Project Manager of the Greek participation in the following research projects.

- **1. RAINBOW I:** An Object Network for Statisticians and Administrations. TELEMATICS AD 1013.
- **2. RAINBOW II:** An Object Network for Statisticians and Administrations. TELEMATICS AD 4009.
- **3. IQML:** A Software Suite and Extended Mark-up Language (XML) Standard for Intelligent Questionnaires. IST-1999-10338.
- **4. VISION:** Towards Next Generation of Knowledge Management. IST-2002-2.1.2.
- **5. Feedback on the NTUA's Educational System**. Nat. Tech. University of Athens.
- **6. Intelligent Questionnaires**. Nat. Tech. University of Athens. Archimedes Programme.
- **7. Random Probability Measures**. Nat. Tech. University of Athens. Caratheodoris Programme.

Research Group Leader in the following research projects.

- **8. REFORM: REsource Failure and restORation Management**, AC 2078.
- 9. New Approaches in ARCH Modeling and Stochastic Volatility for Multivariate Time Series. GSRT.
- 10. Sampling Design and Statistical Analysis of Water Demand. EYDAP S.A.
- **11. Introduction of the Environmental Studies in the Secondary Education**. Greek Ministry of Education.

Supervision of Diploma and M.Sc. Projects

- (a) **Diploma Projects** (in the Faculty of Mathematics and Physical Sciences, NTUA)
- **1.** *Risk Analysis in Insurance*. Dept. of Mathematics, Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens. (2005). By C. Avrambos.
- **2.** Statistical Analysis of Insurance Data and Specification of the Premiums. Dept. of Mathematics, Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens. (2004). By P. Tranakides.
- **3.** A Study of the Reliability of Redundant Systems Without Human Intervention. Dept. of Mathematics, Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens. (2004). By E. Pepona.

- **4.** A Study of the Reliability of Redundant Systems: Comparison of Structures. Dept. of Mathematics, Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens. (2004). By A. Chronopoulou.
- **M.Sc. Projects** (in the Faculty of Mathematics and Physical Sciences, NTUA)
- **5.** Statistical Metadata: Structure, Operation and Design, Quality and Applications. Dept. of Mathematics, Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens. (2001). By G. Kouvaras.
- 6. Scheduling Starting Times of Repairable Systems. Dept. of Mathematics, Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens. (2000). By G. Papageorgiou.
- (c) M.Sc. Projects (in the Faculty of Electrical and Computer Engineering, NTUA)
- 7. A Study of the Methods for University Education Assessment. School of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens. (2004). By J. Vryssis. and J. Isaias.
- **8.** Risk Assessment Models A Study of the Athens Stock Market. School of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens. (2003). By J. Syghelakis and E. Georganaki.
- 9. Systems and Services to Support and Assess the University Teaching. School of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens. (2002). By I. Ovezikogklou.
- **10.** *Value at Risk Analysis.* School of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens. (2001). By F. Georganda and A. Strataki.

Supervision of Ph.D. Theses

- 1. On the Construction of Absolutely Continuous Random Probability Measures. School of Applied Mathematics and Physical Sciences, Department of Mathematics, Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens. (2011). By George Kouvaras.
- **2.** Reliability Analysis of Parallel Systems and their Optimization. School of Applied Mathematics and Physical Sciences, Department of Mathematics, Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens. (2004). By Efi Papageorgiou.
- **3.** A Probabilistic Approach to the Monge-Ampere Equation. Department of Mathematics, Nat. Tech. Univ. of Athens. (1988). By John Spiliotis.

Scientific Societies Membership

- Member of the *Greek Mathematical Society*.
- Member of the *Greek Statistical Institute*.
- Member of the *Royal Statistical Society*.
- Member of the *International Society for Bayesian Analysis*.

Professional Honors Membership

• Elected Member of the *International Statistical Institute*.

Refereeing

- Applied Mathematical Modelling.
- European Journal of Operational Research.
- Information Societies Technologies Workprogramme.