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Maria Sakellariou is Professor, President of the Pedagogical Department of Early Ghildhood Education of the University of Ioannina (she completed her second term on 30/11/2017 from 01.09.2013), Director of the Postgraduate Studies Program in Preschool Education, Director of the Pedagogical and Didactic Methodology Laboratory of the University of Ioannina. N. (http://ecedu.uoi.g). She studied at the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, where she completed her Master's and Doctoral Thesis with particular emphasis on Preschool Education. Her studies include international seminars on Pedagogy and Preschool Education at the University of Zurich in Switzerland. She taught as Visiting Professor at the Department of Educational Sciences of the University of Cyprus and in the Postgraduate Program of Studies "Gender and New Technologies in Education", which is being implemented by TEEPES of the University of the Aegean.

Her research interests and her writings focus on Pedagogical and Pre-school / Early Childhood Education, particularly in the cognitive areas of Didactic Methodology, Planning and Evaluation of Programs, Social and Ethical Learning, Religious Education in the Intercultural Education, Creative Learning, as well as the School-Family-Community Partnership.

She is a writer and co-publisher of books including:

Family and Kindergarten: Theory - Research - Teaching Suggestions (2008), Methods of Teaching. Boosting Children's Learning from Kindergarten to Lyceum (2009), Basic Principles of Pre-school Education Assessment and Education (2010). Ethics and Education: Dilemmas and Prospects (2011). Introduction to Pedagogy Teaching in the Kindergarten: Theoretical Approaches and Teaching Applications (2012). Space as a Pedagogical Field in Pre-school Environments Learning: Planning and Organization (2014). Pedagogy of the Game in Preschool and School Education. Learning for Life (2016). Smooth Jump to Preschool Age, Policy and International Strategies for a Smooth Transition to Life (2016). Teacher Assessment: A Methodological Proposal (2015). She has also dealt with Proceedings of International Conferences and has written numerous research papers and articles in international journals with judges, in collective volumes and conference proceedings (http://earlychildhoodpedagogy.gr & http://ecedu.uoi.gr).

In the past few years she has been successfully organizing the Annual International Preschool and School Pedagogy Symposium at the University of Ioannina and abroad (3rd International Symposium on Preschool and School Education, Nicosia, 23 & 24 April 2016, in collaboration with the University of Cyprus and the Department of Educational Sciences http://earlychildhoodpedagogy.gr/symposia/), involving Greek and foreign universities, renowned scientists from abroad, examining current research trends in transformational education, curriculum, design, implementation and evaluation of curricula.

Finally, she is responsible for the compulsory practice of the students of the PDPE of the University of Ioannina and implements innovative educational actions such as the Forestry Kindergarten (from the academic year 2011-2012) and the Learning by Designing Program http://neamathisi.com/learning-by-design _add 2012- 2013) in collaboration with research networks and social actors from Greece and abroad http://earlychildhoodpedagogy.gr

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