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## HIGHLIGHTS

### Fulbright Foundation to Celebrate 60 Years

As part of the commemoration of this special event, the Foundation has set a goal of increasing the number of awards offered to 60 scholarships.

### Annual Awards Ceremony

Scholars and donors gather to celebrate the Fulbright ideal.

### International Writing Program

The celebrated International Writing Program of the University of Iowa a huge success on the island of Paros.

### Mrs. Fulbright visits Greece

Mrs. Harriet Mayor Fulbright, wife of J. William Fulbright and President of the J. William & Harriet Fulbright Center, visited Greece in June.

### Achievement!!

Alumni in the Spotlight

### 2007-2008

### Fulbright Scholarships

The Fulbright Foundation in Greece awarded more than 55 scholarships honoring a 59-year trans-Atlantic tradition of excellence in a variety of disciplines and fields.

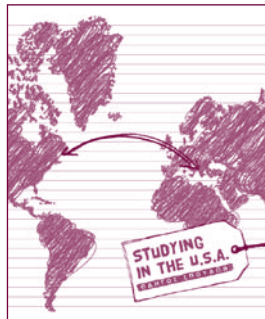
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## Studying in the USA

### A UNIQUE GUIDE FOR STUDENTS



*Studying in the USA—ΟΔΗΓΟΣ ΣΠΟΥΔΩΝ*, a new publication by the Fulbright Foundation in Greece, is now in print. The publication is a comprehensive guide for Greek students interested in programs of study at American universities and colleges, and offers extensive information on diverse types of academic and professional degree programs, how to select a school/program, the application process, costs and financial aid information, helpful timelines, and student visa information. The guide also offers information about the culture of American higher education and a thorough glossary. The publication was supported by the Stavros S. Niarchos Foundation. Free copies of

this guide are available at the Fulbright Foundation in Greece or, to download a copy electronically, visit our website: [www.fulbright.gr](http://www.fulbright.gr)

## New Scholarships for Greek Students and Scholars

The Fulbright Foundation in Greece is pleased to announce the addition of several new scholarship opportunities for Greek scholars. Generous support from the Constantine K. Mitsotakis Foundation, the Stavros S. Niarchos Foundation, and the Thessaloniki International Fair has funded the creation of seven new scholarships for the upcoming academic year as well as establishing new commitments for funding in the future. Starting with the 2007-2008 academic year, the Constantine K. Mitsotakis Foundation will fund three scholarships per year for three years. Priority will be given to students in the field of Humanities and Social Sciences, focusing on the political, social and economic aspects of topics such as Modern and Contemporary History, International Relations, Greek-American Relations, Political Science, Law, and the History of Art and Civilization from the 18th through the 20th centuries.

The Stavros S. Niarchos Foundation is funding two scholarships per year for two years for scholars in the fields of Agriculture, Environmental Studies, Nutrition and Food, Science, Political Science, and Museum, Library and Cultural Studies.

Founded in 1925 as the official government exhibition and congress institution, the Thessaloniki International Fair (TIF) has demonstrated commitment and leadership in education initiatives to address the need for more training opportunities for Greek students in the field of exhibition, conference, and convention management. As part of a long-term commitment and collaboration, TIF and D. Bakatselos will offer one full scholarship per year.

“In many ways, my experience as a Fulbright Scholar in Greece motivated me to seek public office. So many of today’s international and domestic conflicts stem from cultural misunderstandings. In this globalized world, it is critical that we collaborate on discovering and promoting innovative solutions to problems that span geo-political borders.”

—Congressman John P. Sarbanes

# Letter from the Executive Director



**O**n behalf of the Fulbright Foundation in Greece, I am delighted to present the second issue of Fulbright News, our annual newsletter. In this issue, you'll read about exciting

programs and events, partnerships, our alumni and grantees, and promising plans and goals. Like all our programs, this newsletter would not be possible without the support and contributions of our alumni, donors, and friends, a community of wonderful individuals which, we are happy to announce, keeps growing!

The Foundation greatly appreciates the support of the individuals, foundations and corporations who share in our mission to promote trans-Atlantic understanding through educational programs and exchanges. With their generous support, we are closer to our goal of awarding 60 scholarships for 2008, the Foundation's 60th anniversary year. I am pleased to share news about three new partnerships—with the Constantine K. Mitsotakis Foundation, the Stavros S. Niarchos Foundation and the Thessaloniki International Fair—that funded the creation of seven new scholarships starting in the 2007-2008 academic year. I would also like to acknowledge the dedicated support of our Board of Directors for their continued commitment to the Foundation and its mission.

The cooperation and partnership with Greek higher education institutions remains at the core of the Fulbright Foundation's mandate. Fulbright educational advisors collaborate with and visit universities and high schools throughout Greece to present our programs and scholarship opportunities. A new publication "Studying in the U.S.," generously funded by the Stavros S. Niarchos Foundation, is a comprehensive manual and orientation guide for any Greek student interested in studying in the USA.

I thank our alumni for sharing their news and wonderful historical photographs, some of which we have incorporated into this issue and others that will be published in the upcoming commemorative publication for our anniversary celebration in June 2008. We are proud and honored to share news about their involvement and leadership in a variety of fields in Greece, the USA, and internationally.

Best wishes for another productive academic year and we look forward to sharing our news as our community of alumni, friends, and partners continues to expand.

Artemis A. Zenetou

## AN EXCITING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SCHOLARSHIP FOR GREEK IN-SERVICE EDUCATORS

**E**ach year, the United States Educational Foundation in Greece (The Fulbright Foundation) offers one grant to a Greek secondary school educator, curriculum specialist, teacher trainer or textbook author to attend the annual Study of the United States Institutes. The Institute is a six-week program held at university campuses in the USA and is designed for secondary school educators involved in the teaching of English and professionals in curriculum development, teacher training and/or textbook writing. Focusing on a particular theme or topic in American Studies, the Institute aims to improve the quality of teaching and enhance the development of curricula about the U.S. in educational institutions and school systems outside the United States. The training program consists of an intensive, four-week academic seminar and a two-week study tour to reinforce the academic content of the seminar, presenting a unique learning environment and many possibilities for curriculum development and collaboration.

Ms. Sotiria Tziouri, a teacher of English from Ioannina, was the 2007 recipient of this prestigious award. For the last five years, Ms. Tziouri has taught English at the Secondary School of Tsepelovo to Greek and Albanian students. This last summer she was one of 30 international participants at the Teachers Summer Institute held in Amherst, Massachusetts. The Institute covered important topics in U.S. society including history, politics, religious and cultural tolerance, immigration, national identity, natural resource exploitation, literature, art, and pedagogy. In September 2007, upon her return to Greece, Ms. Tziouri began teaching at 9th Lower Secondary School of Ioannina.

“Living and experiencing the American civilization for six weeks had a big impact on my teaching resources and use of language. It also affected me as a human being, since I had the chance to meet 29 interesting people from all over the world, apart from my new American friends, making me more culture tolerant and aware that the sharing of ideas, mutual understanding, and collaboration can really promote our role as teachers and educators.”

—Sotiria Tziouri, Teacher of English

### FULBRIGHT ART SERIES

**I**n 2002, The Fulbright Foundation in Greece inaugurated the "Fulbright Art Series," a series of limited edition works of art produced by a Fulbright alumni artist exclusively for the Foundation's donors, and presented to them as an expression of gratitude for their support and commitment to the scholarship program. The Fulbright Art Series has now become an established feature of the Annual Awards Ceremony celebrating the Greek-U.S. scholarship programs and exchanges. In previous years, participating Fulbright alumni artists included Erieta Attali, Dora Economou, Zoe Keramea, Sia Kyriakakos, and Zafos Xagoraris.

The 2007 Fulbright Art Series is a limited edition photographic print by artist Lambros Papanikolatos. Mr. Papanikolatos received a Fulbright Artist Award (2003-2004) to study at the International Center of Photography in New York and to participate in FotoFest in Houston, Texas. He works as an art management consultant specializing in international photography festivals. Mr. Papanikolatos recently collaborated with the Thessaloniki Museum of Photography to organize "Photosynkyria," the 19th International Photography Meeting in 2007 and he also contributed to the "Festival of Light," an international union of photography festivals from 21 countries to develop an international survey, whose findings will be presented at PhotoArte in Brasilia ([www.festivaloflight.org](http://www.festivaloflight.org)). The Fulbright Foundation in Greece thanks the artists for supporting this series.

# Annual Highlights

## Programs, Publications, Planning and a Very Special Guest



Each year, the Fulbright Foundation in Greece develops new educational and cultural programs to promote mutual understanding and creative collaborations between Greece and the United States of America.

### “Justice—One or Many?” An International Writers Dialogue Continues

The International Writing Program: New Symposium returned May 9-13, 2007 to Paros, Greece for a second year with the theme “Justice—One or Many?”

For more than 39 years, the International Writing Program (IWP) at the University of Iowa has been welcoming an international group of prestigious writers, artists, and intellectuals to share their stories and engage in a series of discussions and workshops centered on a specific theme. In 2006, the New Symposium was inaugurated as part of the IWP in Paros, in collaboration with the Fulbright Foundation in Greece, offering a new setting for this unique intercultural and intellectual gathering. The annual symposia culminate in a series of essays submitted by the participants for publication as an electronic book, as well as new literary collaborations, translation projects, and friendships. In 2007, the international body of participants included representatives from 10 countries: Jane Hirshfield (United States of America), Lena Divani, Stratis Haviaras, Ersi Sotiropoulou, Anastassis Vistonitis (Greece), Mohamed Magani (Algeria), Ma Thida (Burma), Sobudh Sarkar (India), Etgar Keret (Israel), Helon Habila (Nigeria), Daniel Alarcón (Peru), Tony Eprile (South Africa), and Emre Erdem (Turkey).

The New Symposium was held under the auspices of the U.S. Embassy in Athens and was made possible through a grant from U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs. Under the leadership of poet Christopher Merrill, Director of the IWP and Artemis Zenetou, Executive Director of the Fulbright Foundation in Greece, the event represents exciting partnerships of the IWP at the University of Iowa, the Fulbright Foundation in Greece, the Office of the Mayor of Paros and EKEMEL (European Translation Center – Literature and Human Sciences). More information about the symposium can be found at: [www.uiowa.edu/artsiowa](http://www.uiowa.edu/artsiowa).

### Discover a World of New Study Opportunities

The 13th Annual U.S. University Fair is to be held on October 11, 2007 at the Athens Holiday Inn Hotel. Representatives from more than 30 American colleges and universities will attend this event to present and discuss their institutions and degree programs with Greek students interested in studying in the United States. The Fair offers the unique opportunity for prospective students to meet American university representatives, to inquire about their undergraduate and graduate degree programs, admissions requirements, program deadlines, campus life at each institution, and to gather information about Fulbright scholarship opportunities and standardized admission tests. The event is free and open to the public and is the only one of its kind in Greece.

### Open House

The annual Open House event will take place on November 7, 2007. Fulbright advisors and American Fulbright professors will be present to discuss aspects of the U.S. educational system: how to select and apply to an institution in the USA, funding opportunities and Fulbright scholarships, and what to expect from American academic and student life. Hosted by the Fulbright Foundation, this annual event is free of charge and open to students and university administrators. Please check the Fulbright website ([www.fulbright.gr](http://www.fulbright.gr)) for the event location.

### Special Guest

Mrs. Harriet Mayor Fulbright, wife of J. William Fulbright and President of the J. William & Harriet Fulbright Center, visited Greece in June 2007 to celebrate the Foundation's work and attend the Annual Awards Ceremony. During her visit, Mrs. Fulbright had the opportunity to meet Greek and American Fulbright Scholars and address various audiences about the importance and value of these exchanges. Mrs. Fulbright reflected on the lifelong knowledge, friendships, and inspirations from her international experiences, including learning Spanish as a teenager in Bogota, Colombia, writing for the Economist during her graduate studies in London, and teaching in Korea and Moscow. As President of the J. William & Harriet Fulbright Center, Mrs. Fulbright continues to travel the world to promote the late Senator Fulbright's vision to “ensure effective engagement in all international collaborations—cultural exchange, study abroad, and life-long learning programs.”

### Information Sessions/Workshops

Throughout the year an on-going series of Information Sessions/Workshops organized by Fulbright Educational Advisors at high schools and universities throughout Greece provides interested students with information on U.S. undergraduate studies, graduate studies, Fulbright Scholarship opportunities, and financial aid.

# Achievement!! Alumni in the Spotlight

During the last 59 years, more than 4,500 Greek and American citizens have received grants and scholarships from the Fulbright Foundation in Greece to participate in U.S. – Greece educational exchanges. The grant opportunities and programs have expanded to include students, professors, educators, researchers, professionals, and artists representing numerous fields. Although the diversity and scope of programs and grants continually increase, all grantees share two commonalities: they are leaders in their field and through the program they are able to continually promote mutual understanding and collaboration between Greece and the United States—and beyond—in a variety of areas including politics, science, the arts, and public policy.

## Film Arts

While conducting research under the Fulbright grant for her feature film “A Friendship in Smyrna,” Ms. Maria Iliou, an award-winning Greek filmmaker (Fulbright Artist, 2003), discovered a wealth of unseen archival photographic and film footage from more than 50 American public and private collections that tell the fascinating history of Greek immigrants to the United States. Along with historian Alexander Kitroeff, a number of scholars (including noted Fulbright alumni), and prominent Greek-American guests, Ms. Iliou brings these stories and photographs to life, exploring the history of Greek immigration to America from 1890 to 1980 in a documentary, “The Journey: The Greek American Dream.” In January 2007, the film premiered in Athens at the Hellenic American Union in conjunction with a photography exhibition at the Benaki Museum, whose director, Angelos Delivorrias, is a Fulbright alumnus. In May 2007, the film screened in New York City at the Metropolitan Museum of Art and was introduced by U.S. Senator Paul Sarbanes. Additional screenings are expected in locations in the U.S. and Greece: [www.thejourneygreekamericandream.org](http://www.thejourneygreekamericandream.org).

## Public Health

Mr. Efthymis Ntasis received a scholarship (Fulbright Graduate Student, 2001-2002) to study Health Care Management at the Mailman School of Public Health at Columbia University. Upon completing his studies, Mr. Ntasis established operations for the non-governmental humanitarian agency IRD, International Relief and Development, in Mozambique. He is the IRD Country Director and leads the construction of water harvesting systems in drought affected areas, business establishment for women entrepreneurs, the provision of clean water in flood affected areas, and capacity building

of community based organizations that provide HIV/AIDS services. Primarily funded by USAID, and under his leadership during the last three years, programs have been established that have improved the living conditions for more than 100,000 persons.

## Literary Arts

Mr. Sakis Serefas, a Thessaloniki-based literature scholar, author, poet, and scriptwriter (Fulbright Artist 2000), has published 30 books of poetry, prose, essays, translations, anthologies, and critical studies of cities and poets, some of which have been adapted for film and theatre. His poetry and prose have been translated into English, French, German, Italian, and Swedish.

Mr. Serefas' first theatrical play, *MAM*, produced in 2006 at Amore Theatre and directed by Eleni Boza, received rave reviews. His most recent prose work, the novel *Tha Gino Dizez* (published by Methemchio, 2006), deals with a crime of passion that took place in Thessaloniki in 1950 and his latest poetry collection is *Prota Pethane I Kota* (published by Kedros in 2007). His two new theatrical works will be staged soon. *Thessaloniki se Proto Prosopo*, based on his book of the same title and directed by Korina Haritou, will premiere in November in Thessaloniki at Amalia theatre, and in Athens in February 2008 *Liomeno Voutiro*, directed by Simos Kakalas, will premiere at the new stage of the National Theatre.

## Medicine

Dr. Christos Davatzikos (Fulbright Graduate Student, 1989-1990) has recently received worldwide attention and accolades for his research on and analysis of brain MRI technologies as an accurate diagnostic tool in detecting the early stages of Alzheimer's disease as well as schizophrenia and other neuro-psy-

chiatric disorders. He has also pioneered the use of quantitative analysis of brain MRIs in criminal court cases. Dr. Davatzikos received a BS in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science from National Technical University of Athens and a PhD from Johns Hopkins University. After teaching at the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine for several years, he moved to the University of Pennsylvania where he is Associate Professor of Radiology and Bioengineering and Director of the Section of Biomedical Image Analysis.

## Media

Dr. Richard Katula, Professor of Communication and Mass Media at Northeastern University (Fulbright Senior Scholar, 2003-04) returned to Greece once again this summer to lead a group of 18 American undergraduate students for a study abroad program “The Dialogue to Greece.” This program is just one example of the many study abroad programs and exchanges Dr. Katula was able to develop as a result of his teaching experience at the University of Athens, Department of Communication and Mass Media. “The Dialogue to Greece has become so popular that I will soon propose a minor course of study in Classical and Modern Greek Studies...so a Fulbright scholarship can lead to lasting connections between the people of Greece and the people of America,” he states in correspondence to our office. He plans to return to Greece in summer 2008 with a group of adult continuing education students.

## Museum Studies

Ms. Stephanie Reyer (Fulbright Senior Scholar and Artist 2006-2007), Associate Director of Exhibition Graphic Design at the American Museum of Natural History in New York, presented two workshops in Athens entitled

“Museum Graphic Design for Non-Designers” for museum professionals. More than 50 representatives of Greek museums and cultural institutions attended the workshops. The program was collaboratively sponsored by Piraeus Bank Group Cultural Foundation and the Fulbright Foundation in Greece.

## Music

Dr. Gregory Jones, Professor of Music at Truman State University in Missouri (Fulbright Senior Scholar and Artist 1995-1996), was a featured performer in the first ever Chinese Trumpet Guild Conference held in Beijing in May 2007.

Dr. Jones returned to Corfu, Greece this summer as a faculty member at the Fifth Ionian Music Academy to offer master classes and performances at this unique international conservatory program.

## Politics and Law

Two Greek Fulbright alumni were selected to participate in the 46th Annual International Achievement Summit in Washington DC in June 2007, the first time Greek participants attended the conference. Mr. Angelos Gerontas, (Fulbright Graduate Student, 2006-2007) and Ms. Thalia Tzanetti, (Fulbright Graduate Student, 2003-2004), were among the group of 300 international student delegates selected for the Summit. The four-day seminar invites some of the most important and influential figures of our time from different fields. During the Summit, young leaders have the opportunity to join distinguished artists, scientists, statesmen, and industry leaders for a series of symposia and roundtable discussions. The list of this year's noted guests include former President William J. Clinton, Archbishop Desmond Tutu, First Lady Laura Bush, broadcast journalist Sam Donaldson, Senators Barack Obama and Chuck Hagel, Dr. Ian Fraser, filmmaker George Lucas, and playwright Susan-Lori Parks. [www.achievement.org](http://www.achievement.org)

## Science

Dr. Panos Antsaklis was appointed a member of the subcommittee for networking and information technology of the President's Council of Advisors on Science and Technology (PCAST), which advises the President of the United States on federal policy issues regarding technology, scientific research priorities, and mathematics and science education. Dr. Antsaklis received a Fulbright award to study electrical engineering at Brown University (Fulbright Graduate Student, 1972-73) and is the H. Clifford and Evelyn A. Brosey Professor of Electrical Engineering at the University of Notre Dame.

## Annual Awards Ceremony HONORING SCHOLARS AND DONORS

On June 20, 2007 Thomas Countryman, Charge d'Affaires, ad interim at the Embassy of the United States in Greece and Fulbright Foundation Executive Director Artemis Zenetou hosted a reception to honor the 55 scholarship recipients for the 2007-2008 academic year and to salute donors for their support. The reception was held at the U.S. Ambassador's residence and was attended by the Greek and American Fulbright scholars, their families, alumni, donors and noted guests, including former Minister of Education and Religious Affairs Marietta Giannakou, Honorary President of New Democracy Constantine Mitsotakis, President of the J. William & Harriet Fulbright Center Mrs. Harriet Fulbright, and numerous representatives of Greek universities, professors, and members of Parliament of the Hellenic Republic.

The generous and philanthropic support of corporations, foundations, institutions, individuals and government bodies is the key ingredient in maintaining and expanding the programs offered through the Fulbright Foundation in Greece.

We gratefully acknowledge the continued support and dedication of the many foundations, institutions, and individuals who support our scholarship and grant programs.

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Fulbright Alumni from Northern Greece



June 20, 2007, Annual Awards Ceremony—President of the J. William & Harriet Fulbright Center Harriet Mayor Fulbright and Honorary President of New Democracy Constantine Mitsotakis.

“We applaud the work and activities of the Fulbright Foundation in Greece... we strongly believe that the most important investment for a country is in its human capital”

—former Minister of Education and Religious Affairs  
Marietta Giannakou

## RUNNING FOR EDUCATION

On April 1, 2007, the second annual “Pella Marathon” took place in northern Greece. The marathon, also known as the “Alexander the Great International Marathon,” spans the 42 km distance from Pella to Thessaloniki and aims to promote the classical values of international sportsmanship, collaboration, and culture. Ms. Elaine Paplos, Deputy Principal Officer at the American Consulate of Thessaloniki and a seasoned runner, participated, wearing a Fulbright T-shirt to raise funds for the Fulbright Foundation in Greece scholarships. Alumnus Miltos Arvanitidis participated in the 10 kilometer “Health Marathon” race. Running for a cause is not unusual in the USA but in Greece it is quite a novel concept. The event drew athletes from many countries and continents, and with thanks to Ms. Paplos and Mr. Arvanitidis, as well as several Fulbright alumni from Northern Greece who supported the cause, raised funds for the Fulbright Foundation in Greece.

# Trans-Atlantic Dialogues

## 2007-2008 Fulbright Scholarships

Each year, Fulbright recipients embark on trans-Atlantic exchanges and programs that bring forth a world of new professional and scholarly opportunities and collaborations as well as a greater personal understanding in each recipient of another culture and country. We are grateful for the ongoing commitment and support of the Government of the Hellenic Republic and the Government of the United States of America as well as the generosity of our donors in supporting the continuity and expansion of our programs.

### Greek Scholars

#### GRADUATE STUDENTS

NAME	GREEK INSTITUTION	AFFILIATION IN THE UNITED STATES	FIELD OF STUDY
ANTONIADES, Pavlos	National & Kapodistrian University of Athens	University of California, San Diego, CA	Music
BOUTSIKA, Thekla	National Technical University of Athens	University of Texas, Austin, TX	Electrical Engineering
DELIGIANNI, Eleni	University of Macedonia	Harvard University, School of Education, Cambridge, MA	Education
DIMITRIADI, Vassiliki	National Technical University of Athens	University of California, Berkeley, CA	Civil Engineering
DROSOS, Nikolaos	National & Kapodistrian University of Athens	City University of New York, New York, NY	Art History
GEORGIADOU, Sofia	Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	University of Louisiana, Monroe, LA	Psychology
IOANNIDOU, Dimitra	National Technical University of Athens	Stanford University, Stanford, CA	Construction Management
ISAIAS, Platon	Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	Columbia University, New York, NY	Architecture
KOUSOULA, Aikaterini	Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	Harvard University, Law School, Cambridge, MA	Law
MAROULI, Evangelia	Democritus University of Thrace	Columbia University, New York, NY	Architecture
NIKOLETAKIS, Georgios	Athens University of Economics&Business	Ohio State University, Fisher College, Columbus, OH	Finance
PAPADANTONAKI, Elpida	Harokopion University of Athens	University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, St. Paul, MN	Dietetics/Nutrition
PAPANTONIOU, Zacharias	Athens School of Fine Arts	Massachusetts College of the Arts, Boston, MA	Fine Arts
PSYGKAS, Athanasios-Efstratios	Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	Yale University, New Haven, CT	Law
STEIROU, Eirini	Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	San Francisco State University, San Francisco, CA	Film/Media Arts
TIMAGENIS, Christos	National & Kapodistrian University of Athens	New York University, New York, NY	Law
YIAKOUMIS, Ioannis	University of Patras	Stanford University, Stanford, CA	Electrical Engineering
ZAFEIROPOULOS, Theodoros	Thessaloniki School of Fine Arts	The School of Visual Arts, New York, NY	Fine Arts

#### RESEARCH SCHOLARS

NAME	GREEK INSTITUTION	AFFILIATION IN THE UNITED STATES	PROJECT TITLE
ATHANASSIOU, Garyfallia Assistant Professor	National & Kapodistrian University of Athens <i>Faculty of Law</i>	Harvard University Law School, Cambridge, MA University of Pennsylvania Law School, Philadelphia, PA	Conflicts of Interest in Publicly Held Corporations
CHRISTODOULOPOULOS, Georgios Assistant Professor	University of Thessaly <i>School of Veterinary Medicine</i>	Cornell University, Ithaca, NY <i>Department of Animal Sciences</i>	Farm Health Plans Aiming at the Prevention and Eradication of Important Diseases in Sheep Industry
GANAS, Athanasios Researcher	National Observatory of Athens <i>Institute of Geodynamics</i>	U.S. Geological Survey, Menlo Park, CA <i>Western Coastal &amp; Marine Geology Team</i>	Earthquake Recurrence and Seismic Hazard Forecast Along the Cascadian and Hellenic Subduction Zones
KALOGEROPOULOS, Konstantinos Researcher	Archaeological Society at Athens	University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH <i>Department of Classics</i>	The Transition from the Middle to the Late Bronze Age in Brauron (Eastern Attica)
PAPAGEORGIU, Ioannis Adjunct Professor	University of the Aegean, Mytilene <i>Department of Sociology</i>	Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI <i>Department of Sociology</i>	Patterns of Integration of Migrants in Europe and North America
PATSIS, Panagiotis Research Director	Academy of Athens <i>Research Center for Astronomy</i>	Southwest Research Institute, Boulder, CO <i>Department of Space Studies</i>	Dynamics at the Corotation Region in Barred Spiral Galaxies
PELAGIDIS, Theodoros Professor	University of Pireaus <i>Department of Maritime Studies</i>	Columbia University, New York, NY Program in Hellenic Studies City University of New York, New York, NY Center for Byzantine & Greek Studies	Policies to Control Corruption and Rent-Seeking: Lessons from the USA
PERSELIS, Emmanouil Professor	National & Kapodistrian University of Athens <i>Department of Social Theology</i>	Harvard University, Cambridge, MA Harvard Divinity School	Religious Education and the Teaching of Religion in Secondary Schools
PSYLLAKI, Eleftheria Assistant Professor	Technical University of Crete <i>Department of Environmental Engineering</i>	California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA <i>Division of Environmental Science &amp; Engineering</i>	Sonochemical Degradation of Perfluorooctane Derivatives in Natural Waters and Wastewater
TZELEPI, Areti Researcher	National Technical University of Athens <i>Department of Electrical Engineering</i>	State University of New York Downstate Medical Center, NY	Neural Synchrony in the Beta and Gamma Range when Initiating and Performing a Saccade in Parkinson Disease
ZAKOPOULOU, Victoria Assistant Professor	Technological Educational Institute, Epirus <i>Department of Speech Language</i>	University of Texas, Houston, TX <i>Division of Clinical Neurosciences</i>	The Utility of Magnetic Source Imaging (MSI) in a Neuropsychological Assessment of Dyslexia
ZOUMPOURLIS, Vasileios Research Associate Professor	National Hellenic Research Foundation <i>Unit of Biomedical Applications</i>	University of California, San Francisco, CA <i>Cancer Research Institute</i>	Study of Genomic and Proteomic Profile Alterations which are Related with RhoA Kinase Signaling in Susceptibility to Cancer Progression and Metastasis

#### ARTISTS AND ART SCHOLARS

NAME	GREEK INSTITUTION	AFFILIATION IN THE UNITED STATES	FIELD OF STUDY
GEROLYMPOS, Georgios	Lecturer, University of Thessaly & Independent Artist	Yale University, New Haven, CT	Visual Arts (Photography)
GRIMMA, Anna	Dancer & Choreographer	Dance New Amsterdam, New York, NY	Dance
PETRINOI, Christina	Art Instructor/Critic	APEXART, New York, NY	Art History
RICHARDS, Loukia	Independent Artist	The Textile Museum, Washington, DC	Fine Arts

#### STUDY OF THE UNITED STATES INSTITUTES

NAME	GREEK INSTITUTION	AFFILIATION IN THE UNITED STATES	FIELD OF STUDY
TZIOURI, Sotiria	Secondary School of Tsepelovo, Epirus Teacher of English	Institute for Training and Development, Amherst, MA	Study of the U.S.



Former Minister of Education & Religious Affairs Marietta Giannakou, Charge d' Affaires a.i. Thomas Countryman, Fulbright Foundation's Executive Director Artemis Zenetou and President of the J. William & Harriet Fulbright Center Harriet Mayor Fulbright with Greek and American Fulbright Scholars

## American Scholars

### SENIOR SCHOLARS AND ARTISTS

NAME	PROJECT TITLE	U.S. INSTITUTION	AFFILIATION IN GREECE
DANOPOULOS, Constantine P.	Democratic Consolidation and Quality Democracy in Modern Greece	San Jose State University, San Jose, CA <i>Department of Political Science</i>	Hellenic Foundation for European & Foreign Policy (ELIAMEP)
GAILEY, Stavroula Kostaki	Training Greek Elementary Teachers to Teach Mathematics	Christopher Newport University, Newport News, VA <i>Department of Mathematics</i>	Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, <i>Department of Education</i> University of Patras, <i>Department of Education</i> Division of Psychology University of Thessaly, <i>Department of Primary Education</i>
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ZACHARIAS, Greg William	19th Century American Literature and Culture	Creighton University, Omaha, NE <i>Department of English</i>	National & Kapodistrian University of Athens <i>School of Philosophy</i> <i>Faculty of English Studies</i>

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BAUMANN, Matthew John	Archaeology	A Paradigm for Barbarian Invasions: The Vandals in Athens	Ohio State University, Columbus, OH	American School of Classical Studies
GLAROS, Angela Christine	Anthropology	Soundscapes of Tradition: Singing Gender on Skyros	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, IL	University of the Aegean <i>Department of Social Anthropology and History</i>
FELTOVICH, Anne Catherine	Archaeology	Pausanias and the Use of the Visible Past	University of Cincinnati, OH	American School of Classical Studies
PERSON, Catherine W.	Archaeology	Architecture in the Eastern Mediterranean During the Roman Empire	Bryn Mawr College, PA	American School of Classical Studies
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ROUNTOS, Konstantine John	Oceanography	Destructive Urchin Grazing in Coastal Seagrasses Affected by Aquaculture	State University of New York Stony Brook, NY	University of Crete <i>Department of Biology</i>
ZOGRAFAKIS, Paul	Performance Art	Ritual and Myth in the Flux of History	At-Large, California, CA	University of Thessaly DESTE Foundation

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NAME	FIELD	PROJECT TITLE	U.S. INSTITUTION	AFFILIATION IN GREECE
ROSEN, Tracey A.	Anthropology	How Made in China is Made in Greece: Producing Difference Through Ideologies of the Free Market	University of Chicago, IL	Panteio University <i>Department of Political Science and History</i> Aristotle University of Thessaloniki <i>Department of Political Sciences</i>

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KAYAK, Elena Marie	Seminar Teacher	Eagle Ridge Middle School, Rio Rancho, NM

### INTERCOUNTRY LECTURING PROGRAM

NAME	FIELD	PROJECT TITLE	U.S. INSTITUTION	AFFILIATION IN GREECE
WARREN, Anthony C.	Entrepreneurship	Innovative Views on Youth Entrepreneurship	The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA	National & Kapodistrian University of Athens

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- Salzburg Seminar: Year-round

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- Senior Scholars and Artists: August 2008\*
- Intercountry Lecturing Awards: Year-round
- Senior Specialists Program: Year-round

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