

Curriculum Vitae

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Academic Qualifications

B.Sc.(Hons) in Mathematics, University of Athens, Greece, 1976.
M.Sc. in Computer Science, Loughborough University of Technology, UK, 1978.
Course title: *Theory and Applications of Computation*.
Ph.D. in Information Systems, London School of Economics, London University, 1989.
Thesis title: *Information systems in social administration: factors affecting their success*.

Employment

2003 - Professor of Information Systems, Dept of Management, London School of Economics
1999 - 2003 Senior Lecturer, Dept of Information Systems, London School of Economics
1985 - 1999 Lecturer, Department of Information Systems, London School of Economics.
1981 - 1983 Scientific Programmer, Royal Postgraduate Medical School, University of London.
1978 - 1980 Analyst/Programmer, Computer Techniques International, Software consultants, Athens.

Professional societies

- Fellow of the **Association for Information Systems (AIS)**, since 1999. Elected councillor for Europe, Middle East, and Africa (1995-1997). Chair of the research committee of the SIG on Global Development, since 2007.
- Councillor at the Board of the International **Federation for Information Processing (IFIP)** and chair of the Developing Countries Support Committee. Chair of IFIP Technical Committee 9 on Social Impact of IT, since January 2005. Chair of the Working Group 9.4 of Technical Committee 9, on Social Implications of Computers in Developing Countries (1995 – 2003)
- Fellow of the **British Computer Society**.

Publications

Most important recent publications include:

Bricolage, Care and Information: Claudio Ciborra's legacy in Information Systems research, Basingstoke, Palgrave Macmillan (2009) (co-edited with Giovan Francesco Lanzara and Leslie Willcocks)

Social Dimensions of ICT Policy, New York, Springer (2008) (co-edited with P. van den Besselaar and M. Smith)

'IS in developing countries: a critical research review', *Journal of Information Technology*, vol 23, no 3, pp133-146 (2008).

Information Systems, Globalization and Developing Countries, (ed.) Sage, (2008)

The Oxford Handbook of Information and Communication Technologies, Oxford University Press (2007) (co-edited with R. Mansell, D. Quah and R. Silverstone)

'Power, rationality, and the art of living through socio-technical change', *MIS Quarterly* (June 2007) (with K. McGrath)

The Social Study of Information and Communication Technology: Innovation, Actors, and Contexts, Oxford, Oxford University Press (2004) (co-edited with C. Ciborra and F. Land)

Information systems and the economics of innovation, Cheltenham, Edward Elgar (2003) (co-edited with R. Lèbre LaRovere)

Information Systems and Global Diversity, Oxford, Oxford University Press (2002)

Information Technology in Context: studies from the perspective of developing countries, London, Ashgate (2000) (co-edited with G. Walsham)