

# Curriculum Vitae

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## Educational Qualifications:

PhD (awarded 1998)  
School of History, Philosophy and Politics, Macquarie University, AUSTRALIA  
Thesis Topic: 'In the Shadow of the Nation: The Politics of Contemporary Egyptian Historiography' (under supervision of Prof. Robert Springborg)

Certificate of Greek Language Competence (*Διδασκαλείο Νέας Ελληνικής Γλώσσας*)  
University of Athens, 1999, GREECE

Exchange student at American University in Cairo, 1993-94, EGYPT  
Courses taken in Arabic Language, Literature, Middle Eastern History and Political Science

Courses in Arabic Language and Islamic Culture, University of Sydney, 1990-91

BA (Hons) (History), University of Sydney, 1981, AUSTRALIA  
Thesis Topic 'A Study of the Athenian *Strategoí* 431/0-323/2 BC'  
Courses in History, Greek, Latin, Archaeology, Anthropology, German

## Awards and Fellowships:

Carnegie Trust 2007

Carnegie Trust 2009

Postdoctoral Fellowship, Greek Government State Scholarship Foundation, 1999-2000

Macquarie University-American University in Cairo Exchange Fellowship, 1993-94

Macquarie University Postgraduate Fellowship

## Employment Experience:

- 2006- Senior Lecturer in Modern Middle Eastern History  
Islamic and Middle Eastern Studies  
University of Edinburgh, UK  
Courses: *Modern Middle Eastern History*  
*Middle Eastern Politics: Ideology and Political Practice* (PG)  
*Culture and Society in the Modern Middle East*  
*Arab-Israeli Conflict*  
*Diaspora Studies: Theories, Concepts and Methodologies*  
*Diasporas of the Middle East*
- 2005- Research Associate  
Department of History  
School of Oriental and African Studies  
University of London, UK
- 2003-2005 Research Fellow  
Department of History  
School of Oriental and African Studies  
University of London, UK  
*Project: Cultures of Confinement: The History of the Prison in Asia, Africa and Latin America*
- 2002-2003 Lecturer, Modern Middle East History  
Department of History  
School of Oriental and African Studies  
University of London, UK
- 2000-2001 Assistant Professor  
Dept of Political Science  
American University in Cairo  
EGYPT
- Feb-Mar 2000 Research Fellow  
Mediterranean Cultural History Project  
Department of History and Archaeology,  
University of Athens, GREECE
- 1999-2000 Postdoctoral Fellow  
Greek Government State Scholarship Foundation  
Athens, GREECE
- 1998 Lecturer; PG Co-Course Convenor  
School of History, Philosophy and Politics  
Macquarie University, Sydney, AUSTRALIA
- 1996-98 Associate Lecturer  
Course: *Australian Politics*  
School of History, Philosophy and Politics  
Macquarie University, Sydney, AUSTRALIA
- 1996-99 Lecturer  
Centre for Continuing Education, University of Sydney, AUSTRALIA
- 1996-98 Lecturer  
WEA Adult Education, Sydney, AUSTRALIA

## Areas of Teaching Experience:

Modern Middle Eastern History (1500 to the present)  
Ottoman/ Turkish History and Politics  
Comparative Middle East Politics  
International Relations of the Middle East  
European Politics; Australian Politics

## Publications:

- 2013 'Radical Internationalists on the Nile and across the Mediterranean', pp. 307-321 in Andreas Lyberatos (ed.), *Social Transformation and Mass Mobilisation in the Balkan and Eastern Mediterranean Cities, 1900-1923*, Heraklion: Crete University Press.
- 2010 "'Diverse in race, religion and nationality ... but united in aspirations of civil progress", Anarchism in Egypt before the First World War', pp 3-31 in Steven Hirsch and Lucien van der Walt (eds) *Anarchism and Syndicalism in the Colonial and Post-Colonial World, 1880-1940*, Leiden, EJ Brill.
- 2010 'Confining Political Dissent in Egypt before 1952', pp 157-173 in L. Khalili and J. Schwedler (eds) *Carceral Practices: Prisons and Policing in the Middle East and North Africa*. London: Hurst.
- 2010 'al-'aqliyyat al-'ajnabiya fi misr: ma al-sabil ila damj 'aswatihim fi al-tarikh al-watani?' in Hoda Elsadda (ed.) *Fi 'intaj al-ma'rifa 'an al-'alam al-'arabi*, Cairo: al-Majlis al-'a'la li al-thaqafa.
- 2009 'Repatriation, Migration or Readjustment: Egyptian Greek Dilemmas of the 1950s', pp 61-72 in D. Tziouvas (ed.) *In and Out of Greece, Diaspora, exile and immigration*, Aldershot: Ashgate.
- 2009 'The Failure of Readjustment (*Anaprosarmoge*): The Post-war Egyptian Greek Experience', *Journal of the Hellenic Diaspora* 35 no. 2, pp 45-61.
- 2009 'Socialisme en Egypte avant la première guerre mondiale: la contribution des anarchistes', *Les Cahiers d'Histoire* 105-106 (July-Dec 2008) 47-64.
- 2008 'Foreign Workers in Egypt 1882-1914: Subaltern or Labour Elite?' pp 237-259 in S. Cronin (ed.), *Subalterns and Social Protest: History from Below in the Middle East and North Africa*, London: RoutledgeCurzon.
- 2007 'Regulation, Reform and Resistance in the Middle East Prison', pp 95-146 in Frank Dikötter and Ian Brown (eds), *Cultures of Confinement, A History of the Prison in Africa, Asia and Latin America*, London: Hurst.
- 2006 'Egyptian Revolution of 1952', pp 246-253 in James V. DeFronzo (ed.) *Revolutionary Movements in World History*, vol. 1, ABC-CLIO.
- 2006 'Egypt', entry in Thomas Benjamin (ed.) *Encyclopedia of Western Colonialism since 1450*, The Gale Group/Macmillan Reference USA [c. 4500 words]
- 2005 (with Robert Springborg) 'Egypt' in W. Phillips Shively (ed). *Comparative Governance*. Marlboro, NJ: McGraw-Hill [electronic pub. 20,000 words].

- 2005 'In Her Aunt's House: Women in Prison in the Middle East', *International Institute for Asian Studies Newsletter* 39 (December 2005)
- 2005 'Anarchists in Education: The Free Popular University in Egypt (1901)', *Middle Eastern Studies* 41 no. 3 pp. 303-320.
- 2003 *Historians, State and Politics in Twentieth Century Egypt: Contesting the Nation*. London: RoutledgeCurzon [republished as paperback, 2010]
- 2002 'Egypt's Forgotten Communists: the Postwar Greek Left', *Journal of Modern Greek Studies* 20 no. 1 pp. 1-27.
- 2001 'Old Comrades, New Struggles: Stratis Tsirkas and the Egyptian Left', *Anti* (Athens) 30 Nov 2001 (in Greek)
- 2001 'Egiptiotis Ellin', *ELIA News* no. 58 (summer) (in Greek)
- 1998 'Israel-Fifty Years on', *LaTrobe Forum* vol. 12 (May 1998)
- 1996 'In the Shadow of the Nation, The Politics of Egyptian Historiography in the Twentieth Century', *Journal of Arabic, Islamic and Middle Eastern Studies* 3 no.1

*Reviews:*

- Yoav Di-Capua, *Gatekeepers of the Arab Past*, University of California Press, in *International Journal of Middle East Studies* 43 no. 3 (August 2011) 563-565.
- Michael Gasper, *The Power of Representation, Publics, Peasants and Islam in Egypt*, in *Social History* 36 no. 2 (May 2011). 246-248.
- Robert Tignor, *Egypt, A Short History*, *Times Higher Education* (Nov/Dec 2010).
- Nelly Hanna, *In Praise of Books: A Cultural History of Cairo's Middle Class, Sixteenth to the Eighteenth Century*, in *English Historical Review* (February 2006) CXXI (490) pp 312-313.
- Marilyn Booth, *May Her Likes be Multiplied: Biography and Gender Politics in Egypt*, H-Gender-MidEast, H-Net Reviews. June, 2004.  
<http://www.h-net.org/reviews/showrev.php?id=9532>
- Kirsten E. Schulze, *The Jews of Lebanon: Between Coexistence and Conflict*, *International Journal of Middle East Studies* 34 no. 4 (Nov 2002) 761-763.
- Amos Oz, *Under this Blazing Light*, *Journal of Arabic, Islamic and Middle Eastern Studies* 6 no. 1
- Paul White and William Logan (eds) *Remaking the Middle East*, *Journal of Arabic, Islamic and Middle Eastern Studies* 5 no.1 4 (1998) 125-128.

**Areas of Research:**

Prisons in the Middle East and North Africa  
 Radical Politics in the Middle East and North Africa before 1914  
 The Greek Presence in Modern Egypt

The History of the Press in the Middle East  
Commercial Networks in the Middle East

**Archival Research Experience** (selection)

Archives nationales françaises, Nantes, FRANCE

Archives nationales françaises (*Archives d'outre-mer*), Aix-en-Provence, FRANCE

Archivio Storico del Ministero degli Affari Esteri, Rome, ITALY

Dar al-Watha'iq (Egyptian National Archives), Cairo, EGYPT

Διπλωματικό και Ιστορικό Αρχείο του Υπουργείου Εξωτερικών (Archive of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs) Athens, GREECE

National Archives, Kew, London, UK

**Conference Papers and Public Lectures:**

- Sept 2013 'Le(s) cosmopolitisme(s) dans l'Égypte moderne et contemporaine: Pour une approche historique d'un objet polémique'.  
Aix-Marseille University, FRANCE (Discussant)
- Dec 2011 'The Middle East in the International Penological Community'  
Towards an Entangled History of the Prison and Technologies of Punishment  
ETF, Zurich
- Nov 2011 'True Brotherhood, True Liberty, True Justice': the Internationalist Current in  
the Labour Movement in Egypt (1882-1914)  
Istanbul Bilgi University
- Oct 2011 'Exiles, Entrepreneurs and Agitators: The Italians of Egypt',  
Contextualising Community – Diasporas of the Modern Middle East  
University of Edinburgh
- May 2011 'Internationalist Thought, Local Practice: The Anarchist Movement in 1890s'  
Egypt  
The Long 1890s in Egypt: Colonial Quiescence, Subterranean Resistance?  
University of Edinburgh
- Sept 2010 'Countering Narrow Nationalism: Egyptian Greek Intellectuals in the Interwar  
Period'  
BRISMES Network Workshop: *Intellectuals and the Modern Middle East*,  
Birkbeck College, London
- May 2010 'Embracing the Local: Greek intellectuals in Egypt',  
BRISMES Network Workshop: *Intellectuals and the Modern Middle East*,  
University of Edinburgh
- April 2010 'Key Considerations in a History of the Middle Eastern Prison'  
Middle Eastern Studies Seminar  
University of Manchester

- Oct 2009 'Anarchists on the Nile and Across the Mediterranean', Institute of Mediterranean Studies, University of Crete, Greece
- March 2008 'The Radical Anarchist Press in Egypt before the First World War' (Presenter) Between Politics, Social History and Culture: The Press in the Middle East and North Africa Before Independence (Workshop Co-Director) Mediterranean Programme, European University Institute, Florence  
8<sup>th</sup> Mediterranean Social and Political Research Meeting, European University Institute, ITALY  
(co-director of workshop)
- Oct 2008 'Pluralism in the Muslim Middle East: Critical Histories' History between Reflexivity and Critique, Historein Conference, Athens, Greece
- June 2008 'The Failures of Readjustment (*Anaprosarmogi*): the Postwar Egyptian Greek Experience', I Figi ton Aiguptioton Ellinon, Etaireia Meletis Ellinikis Diasporas, Athens, Greece
- Feb 2008 'Anarchists on the Nile: Radical Internationalism in Egypt 1860-1914', European Seventh European Social Science History Conference, Lisbon, Portugal
- June 2007 Diaspora and Migration: Otherness, identity and movement in and out of Greece, Birmingham University
- March 2007 'Confining Political Dissent in Egypt before 1952' 8<sup>th</sup> Mediterranean Social and Political Research Meeting, European University Institute, ITALY
- Nov 2006 'Crime, Prison and Punishment in Egypt 1882-1914', MESA Conference, Boston, USA
- June 2006 'Trading on the Greek Name: The Entrepreneurial Bourgeoisie in 19<sup>th</sup> Century Egypt', Haifa University,
- June 2005 'Beyond Cotton Merchants and Grocers: Greek Businesses in Egypt', The Middle East Path to Development, Reading University
- Nov 2004 'Subaltern Socialists: Radical Politics in Egypt before the First World War', MESA Conference, San Francisco, USA
- April 2004 'Between Nations: The Historiography of the Greeks of Modern Egypt', Greek Cultural Centre, Cairo, EGYPT
- March 2004 'Foreign Workers in Egypt 1882-1914: Subaltern or Labour Elite?', 5<sup>th</sup> Mediterranean Social and Political Research Meeting, European University Institute, ITALY
- Feb 2003 'Underimagined Communities: the Foreign Resident Presence in Modern Egypt', London Middle East Institute, SOAS, UK
- Oct 2002 'Anarchists in Egypt', Middle Eastern History Seminar, SOAS, UK
- June 2001 'Contested Nation: Politics and Historical Scholarship in 20<sup>th</sup> Century Egypt', American Research Center in Egypt, Cairo, EGYPT

- March 2001 'Old Comrades, New Struggles: Stratis Tsirkas and the Egyptian Left'  
8<sup>th</sup> International Literature Symposium 'Kavafia', Cairo, EGYPT
- Jan 2000 'Home Away from Homeland: The Greeks of Modern Egypt'  
Australian Archaeological Institute at Athens, GREECE
- June 1999 'Our Second Homeland: the Modern Greek Presence in Egypt'  
University of Crete, Rethymnon, GREECE
- Dec 1998 'In But Not Of Egypt? The *Mutamassirun* in Contemporary Egyptian  
Historiography', MESA Conference, Chicago, USA
- Oct 1998 'Whatever Happened to the Arab Jew?', AMESA Conference, Australian  
National University
- June 1998 'National Culture and Multiculturalism? Muslims in Australia',  
Australian History Association Conference, University of Sydney
- Oct 1996 'A Minority "Real Egyptian"? Coptic Historiography in the Twentieth  
Century', AMESA Conference, Deakin University, Melbourne
- Oct 1995 'Egyptian Historians and the Construction of the Nation',  
AMESA Conference, Macquarie University, Sydney

### **Languages:**

Arabic  
Greek  
Spanish  
French  
German  
Italian

### **Other Professional Activities:**

Regular Speaker on the Middle East for briefing of diplomats and NGO personnel

Consultancies:

*Encyclopedia of the Peoples of Africa and the Middle East*, 2 vols, New York: Facts on  
File, 2009 (resource for High School students);  
*Minority Report* (Egypt section) (NGO);  
*Middle East* London: Kingfisher, 2006 (children's illustrated text).

Regular Reviewer for Annual British-Kuwait Friendship Society Prize (admin. by BRISMES)  
(2007- present)

Referee for various publishers

Manchester University Press  
Edinburgh University Press  
Cairo Papers

Referee for Research Foundations

Economic and Social Research Council  
Qatar National Research Fund  
Belgian Science Policy