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<https://scholar.google.com/citations?hl=el&pli=1&user=DWug7IgAAAAJ>

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Areas of Specialization

Aristotle [Ethics, Politics, Rhetoric], Kant's Ethics, Heidegger's Phenomenology, Philosophy of Evil, Philosophy of hope

Areas of Competence

Ancient Greek Ethics, Husserl, Merleau-Ponty, Arendt, Gadamer, Philosophy and Cinema

ACADEMIC HONOURS

2023-2024 International Visiting Fellow at Stanford Humanities Center

2021-2022 *Outstanding Publication Award P. Kanellopoulos* for the book *Aristotle on the Scope of Practical Reason* (Routledge: 2021)

2017-2018 The W.J. Bouwsma Fellow at the *National Humanities Center*, North Carolina

2013-2014 Senior Visiting Scholar, *Onassis Foundation* in USA (Spring Semester)

2007 — Humboldt-Fellow

FUNDED RESEARCH PROJECTS

2022-24 Academic Supervisor of the Program "Promotion of the Study of Greek and Chinese Civilizations." Co-financed by Greece and the European Union; Programme "Human Resources Development, Education and Lifelong Learning." [385.000 €]

2022-24 Academic Supervisor of the Program "MA in Greek and Chinese Civilizations. A comparative approach." Co-financed by Greece and the European Union; Programme "Human Resources Development, Education and Lifelong Learning." [86.000 €]

2022-25 Co-leader of the project "The Philosophy of Non-Being. On the History of Negative Ontology", a cooperation between the Universities of Bonn, Athens, and Patras, funded by the *Alexander von Humboldt-Foundation* ("Research Group Linkage Programme"). [55.000 €]

Kontos, CV

- 2021-23 Academic Collaborator in the Research Program “Truth, Falsehood, and Deceit”, funded by EL.I.D.E.K. and directed by Prof Panagiotis Thanassas. [144.792 €]
- 2021 “Kallipos Grant” by the *National Technical University of Athens* for writing a Handbook of “Phenomenology and Intersubjectivity.” [9.000 €]
- 2015-21 Erasmus-Mundus Grant. In collaboration with Renmin University, Beijing. [30.000 €]
- 2012-13 Academic Supervisor of the Research Project: Habit and skill: the articulation and usefulness of a neglected distinction, in collaboration with the Birkbeck College; sponsored by the Greek General Secretariat for Research and Technology. [160.000 €]
- 2003-06 “Karatheodori Research Award”: three year long Research project financed by the University of Patras. “Hermeneutics and Aristotle’s ethics”. [30.000 €]
- 1997-99 Post-doc Research: “Phenomenology and Aristotle’s Ethics.” Financed by the Greek State Scholarships Foundation.
- 1993-95 Doctoral Research: “La perception chez Husserl et Heidegger,” financed by the Fonds de Développement Scientifique, UCL. [840.000 frs.]

VISITING PROFESSOR

- 2013 UNC at Chapel Hill, Department of Philosophy (Spring Semester)
- 2012 Universität Freiburg, Philosophisches Seminar (Fall Semester)
- 2007 Universität Freiburg, Philosophisches Seminar (Fall Semester)
- Renmin University of Beijing (Summer School, July 2019, July 2017).
- Erasmus Mundus Staff Mobility: Renmin University of Beijing (2019, 2016).
- Erasmus inter-European Staff Mobility:
- Université de Bourgogne, France (2006)
 - UCL, Belgium (2005, 2008)
 - Università degli Studi Roma Tre, Italy (2010)
 - Charles University in Prague (2015).
- Collegium Phaenomenologicum, Citta di Castello, Italy (July 2010 & July 2011)
- Harvard Center for Hellenic Studies (Greece, July 2008)

EDUCATION

- 1992-1995 PhD. Institut Supérieur de Philosophie, UCL. Diss.: *D’une phénoménologie de la perception chez Heidegger*. Supervisor: Prof. Jacques Taminiaux
- 1986-1990 B.A.: University of Athens, Department of Philosophy
- 1985-1988 Film-Studies: Athens
- 1998-1999 Master in “Open and Distance Learning”, *Greek Open University*

GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

- 1997-99 Greek State Scholarships Foundation: Post-Doc Research Grant.
- 1992-93 Université Catholique de Louvain Doctoral Studies Fellowship.
- 1991-94 Saripolos Foundation Graduate Studies Fellowship.

- 1985-89 Greek State Scholarships Foundation: Pre-graduate Studies Excellence Scholarship
1986-89 Papadakis Foundation Pregraduate Studies Excellence Scholarship.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF PATRAS (SELECTION)

- 2023 — Lead Coordinator of the Joint Academic Program of JILIN International Studies University and Patras' Department of Philosophy.
2022 — Vice-Director of the *Center of Greek and Chinese Ancient Civilizations* (KELKIP) run by the Universities of Athens, Thessaloniki, Crete, and Patras.
2021 — Lead Coordinator of the Joint Academic Program of Xi'an International Studies University and Patras' School of Humanities and Social Sciences.
2020 — Senior Editor at Patras University Press.
2020-24 Member of the Administrative Board of the "Company for the Development and Management of the Property of the University of Patras."
2020-22 Member of the Senate (Sygglitos) of the University of Patras.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AT THE DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY OF PATRAS (SELECTION)

- 2022 — Director of the "MA in Greek and Chinese Civilizations. A Comparative Approach" run in collaboration with Southwest University in China and the Greek Universities of Athens, Crete, and Thessaloniki:
<https://magr-cn.philosophy.upatras.gr/>
2022 — Member of the Steering Committee of the "Athens MA in Ancient Philosophy" run by the University of Athens in collaboration with the Universities of Patras, Crete, and Thessaloniki: <https://athensma.phs.uoa.gr/>
2022-23 Department's Vice-Chair
2020-22 Department Chair
2018-20 Department's Vice-Chair
2014-17 Coordinator of the Department's Internal Evaluation Committee
2013-16 Department's Vice-Chair
2008-14 Department's Director of Finance
2011-12 Director of Graduate Studies

GRANT REFEREE

- AUL* Académie Universitaire Louvain, Belgium
ERC European Research Council
HFRI The Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation
IKY Greek State Scholarships Foundation
ISF Israel Science Foundation
Kallipos Hellenic Academic Electronic (text)Books and Aids
NHC National Humanities Center, North Carolina
RCH Research Centre for the Humanities, Latsis Foundation

READER

Ancient Philosophy	Journal of the History of Philosophy
Apeiron	Lexington Books
Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie	Manuscrito
Bloomsbury	Mnemosyne
British Journal for the History of Philosophy	Phronesis
Cambridge University Press	Revue philosophique de Louvain
Elenchos	Rodopi
Erkenntnis	Springer
Etudes Phénoménologiques	Studia Phaenomenologica
Hackett	The Review of Metaphysics
History of Philosophy Quarterly	The Review of Politics.
Journal of the American Philosophical Association	
Journal of the British Society for phenomenology	

SUPERVISOR OF DOCTORAL DISSERTATIONS

V. Vergouli, "Justice and Friendship in Aristotle" (December 2020).

Committee: P. Destrée (Louvain-la-Neuve), A. Hatzistavrou (Hull), P. Thanassas (Athens), K. Ierodiakonou (Athens), Ch. Balla (Crete), C.D.C. Reeve (UNC at Chapel Hill).

N. Soueltzis, "Protention in Husserl's Phenomenology" (June 2017).

Committee: Al. Schnell (Wuppertal), P. Theorodou (Crete), J. Drummond (Fordham, NY), B. Hopkins (Lille), J. Mensch (Prague), St. Micali (Leuven).

See: <https://www.springer.com/gp/book/9783030695200>

A. Egglezos, "The Categories of Practical Reason: From Kant to Heidegger" (in progress).

E. Grammati, "Painting and Beyond: Exploiting Merleau-Ponty's Aesthetics" (in progress).

E. Nikolopoulou, "Hope from a moral point of view" (in progress).

OPEN INTERNET COURSES

- "Kant's Ethics." *Mathesis* at Crete University Press (2-week MOOC; Spring 2024: 2.500 students enrolled): <http://mathesis.cup.gr>
- "Evil in the History of Ethics." *Mathesis* at Crete University Press (5-week MOOC; Spring 2021: 5.500 students enrolled): <http://mathesis.cup.gr>
- "Aristotle's Ethics," *Mathesis* at Crete University Press (7-week MOOC; Spring 2017: 6.700 students enrolled): <http://mathesis.cup.gr>

PUBLIC COURSES

- Seminar "Philosophy and Cinema: Realism. Bazin, Zvyagintsev, and the family photo album" (Spring 2024, Center for Hellenic Studies in Greece, Harvard University) <https://greece.chs.harvard.edu/workshops/philosophy-cinema>
- The Others were always already here (Fall 2018, Free University of Athens, 35th Cycle): http://www.stoabibliou.gr/ep/pr_philosophy.php
- How much happiness? (Spring 2017, Free University of Athens, 31th Cycle):

<http://www.stoabibliou.gr/ep/program.php>

- Is evil curable? (Fall 2016, Free University of Athens, 28th Cycle):
http://www.stoabibliou.gr/ep/pr_philosophy.php
- Philosophy: the Asclepius of the Crisis (Fall 2015, Free University of Athens, 27th Cycle):
http://www.stoabibliou.gr/ep/pr_philosophy.php

PUBLICATIONS

IN PROGRESS

- Co-editor (with C.D.C. Reeve), *Aristotle: The Complete Works*. Hackett: Indianapolis. [Forthcoming; 2025]

BOOKS AUTHORED

2024. 如何幸福生活：亚里士多德《尼各马可伦理学》导论 [*Happiness matters. Introduction to Aristotle's Nicomachean Ethics.*] Peking University Press: Beijing.
2023. *Introduction to Aristotle's Nicomachean Ethics*. Palgrave Philosophy Today Series. Palgrave MacMillan: Berlin.
2021. *Aristotle on the Scope of Practical Reason. Spectators, Legislators, Hopes, and Evils*. Routledge: New York/London. ["Outstanding Publication Award P. Kanellopoulos 2021-2022"]
- Online Book Symposium (15.09.2022) with the participation of: C. Blöser (Frankfurt), K. Ierodiakonou (Athens & Geneva), R. Kraut (Northwestern), and J. Lear (Chicago).
- Online Book Symposium (08.11.2021) with the participation of: A. Müller (Trier & Chicago), C.D.C. Reeve (Chapel Hill), T. Brewer (Virginia), J. Hacker-Wright (Guelph), and E. Mylonaki (Patras).
- Reviewed by:
- A. Culbreth, *Polis* 41(2), 2024, 380-384.
- G. Di Basilio, *International Journal of Philosophical Studies*, 26 May 2023
<https://doi.org/10.1080/09672559.2023.2214754>
- D. Jagannathan, *Mind*, 16 May 2022, <https://doi.org/10.1093/mind/fzac018>
- W. Liu, *BMCR*, <https://bmc.brynmawr.edu/2022/2022.03.47/>
2011. *Aristotle's Moral Realism Reconsidered. Phenomenological Ethics*. Routledge: New York/London (2013, Paperback edition).
- Reviewed by:
- J. Karbowski, *NDPR*, 02-09-2011
- J. Wisnewski, *Philosophy in Review*, 2012/3
- S. A. Mason, 2012sep *CHOICE*
- C. Davia, *International Philosophical Quarterly*, 52/3, 2012, 373-7
- An. Caeiro, *Euphrosyne*, XL, 2012, 490-492 (in Portuguese)
- Fr. Rese, *Zeitschrift für Philosophische Forschung*; 66/4, 2012, 614-7 (in German)
- A. Vigo, *Revue Philosophique de Louvain*, 111/2, 2013, 423-6 (in French)
- S. Millett, *The Review of Metaphysics*, 66/4, 2013, 841-3
- S. Virvidakis, *Critica*, 2013-09 (in Greek)
- P. Thanassas, *Critica*, 2013-08 (in Greek)
- A. Fermani, *Rivista di Filosofia Neo-Scolastica*, 1, 2014, 218-20 (in Italian)
- K. Flannery, *The Thomist*, 78/4, 2014, 634-8
2002. *L'action morale chez Aristote*. Presses Universitaires de France : Paris (*Anant-Propos* and *Préface*, respectively, by J. Taminiaux and R. Sokolowski).

Reviewed by:

J. Capek, *Philosophischer Literaturanzeiger*, 2006/2, 59, 147-158 (also: *Reflexe* 29)

P. Rodrigo, *Revue philosophique de Louvain*, 102/1, 2004, 182-186

L. Elders, *Review of Metaphysics*, LVI/4, 2003, 888-889

1996. *D'une phénoménologie de la perception chez Heidegger*. Kluwer (Phaenomenologica 137): London/ Boston/ Dordrecht.

Reviewed by:

R. Gély, *Revue philosophique de Louvain*, 95/4, 1997, 731-737

J. De Visscher, *Tijdschrift voor Filosofie*, 1998/1, 611-612

R. Dreon, *Filosofia e teologia*, 3/1998, 670-672

IN MODERN GREEK

2022 *Η φαινομενολογία της διυποκειμενικότητας (Husserl, Heidegger, Merleau-Ponty, Levinas).*] Kallipos: <https://repository.kallipos.gr/handle/11419/8222>

2022 (ed.) Αλ. Νεχαμάς, *Οι αρετές της αυθεντικότητας*. Πανεπιστημιακές Εκδόσεις Κρήτης: Αθήνα/Ηράκλειο.

2018 *Τα δύο ευ της ευτυχίας. Εισαγωγή στα Ηθικά Νικομάχεια του Αριστοτέλη*. Πανεπιστημιακές Εκδόσεις Κρήτης: Αθήνα/Ηράκλειο. ²2023

2005 *Η Καντιανή ηθική της υπόσχεσης*. Εστία: Αθήνα.

2000 *Η αριστοτελική ηθική ως οντολογία*. Κριτική: Αθήνα.

BOOKS EDITED

R. King and P. Kontos (eds.), *Patterns of Evil in Ancient Chinese and Greek Philosophy*. Routledge: New York/London. [Forthcoming; 2025]

2018 P. Kontos (ed.), *Evil in Aristotle*. Cambridge UP: Cambridge.

Reviewed by:

Sophia M. Connell, *NDPR* 05.12.2018

S. Baker, *Journal of the History of Philosophy*, 57/2, 2019: 342-343

C. Mirus, *The Review of Metaphysics*, 72/4, 2019: 800-801

P. Crivelli, *Phronesis*, 64/3, 2019

G. Duke, *Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie*, 101/4, 616-619

M. Latzer, *Choice*, 2018. 56/3, 344-345.

2017 V. Fóti & P. Kontos (eds.), *Phenomenology and the Primacy of the Political. Essays in Honor of Jacques Taminiaux*. Springer: Berlin.

Reviewed by: G. Douglas in: <http://reviews.ophen.org/2018/02/21>

2015 A. Cimino & P. Kontos (eds.), *The Metaphysics of Sight and Phenomenology*. Brill: Leiden/Boston.

2006 K. Goudeli, I. Patellis & P. Kontos (eds.), *Kant: Making Reason Intuitive*. Palgrave: Hampshire.

Reviewed by M. Zinkin, *NDPR*, 2008.01.04.

2005 J. C. Gens, P. Rodrigo & P. Kontos (eds.), *Gadamer et les Grecs*. Vrin: Paris.

Reviewed by J. L. Périllié, *Revue philosophique de Louvain*, 104/1, 2006, 220-228.

- 1995 P. Kontos (ed.), *Phénoménologies de la perception, Etudes Phénoménologiques*. Special Issue: 22.

TRANSLATIONS IN MODERN GREEK (WITH INTRODUCTION AND COMMENTARY)

- 2011 Ed. Husserl, *Die Krisis der europäischen Menschentums und die Philosophie*. Εκκρεμές: Αθήνα.
- 2005 Ed. Husserl, *Die Ursprung der Geometrie*. Bilingual edition. Εκκρεμές: Αθήνα.
- 2002 Ed. Husserl, *Cartesianische Meditationen*. Ποές: Αθήνα.
- 1999 M. Heidegger, *Die Grundprobleme der Phänomenologie*. Γνώση: Αθήνα.

BOOK CHAPTERS

- 2025 "Rhetoric as an Offshoot of Political Science" in P. Destrée & L. Viidebaum (eds.), *Cambridge Companion to Aristotle's Rhetoric*. [Forthcoming]
- 2021 "Moral Perception and Common Sensibles: An Aristotelian Approach" in Ph. Mitsis and H.L. Reid (eds.), *Essays in Honor of Christos Evangeliou*, 147-172. Fonte Aretusa: Iowa.
- 2019 "*Phronêsis* und ihre Gegenstände (VI 1-5, 8-10, 12)" in: O. Höffe (ed.), *Aristoteles. Die Nikomachische Ethik* (4th rev. Ed.), 129-148. Akademie Verlag: Berlin.
- 2018 "Aristotle in Phenomenology" in: D. Zahavi (ed.), *Oxford Handbook of the History of Phenomenology*, 5-24. Oxford UP: Oxford. [Reviewed by DeLay, S. in *Metascience* (2019). <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11016-019-00395-0> (see p.1).]
- 2018 "Radical Evil in Aristotle's Ethics and Politics" in: P. Kontos (ed.), *Evil in Aristotle*, 75-97.
- 2017 "The Myth of Performativity: From Aristotle to Arendt and Taminiaux", in: V. Fóti & P. Kontos (eds.), *Phenomenology and the Primacy of the Political*, 233-251.
- 2015 "Beyond the Innocence of the Painter's Eye: Merleau-Ponty and the Paradigm of Sight" in A. Cimino & P. Kontos (eds.), *The Metaphysics of Sight and Phenomenology*, 97-120.
- 2014 "The Visibility of Goodness" in: C. Baracchi (ed.), *Bloomsbury Companion to Aristotle*, 227-240. Bloomsbury: New York/London.
- 2008 "Gadamer, lecteur d'Aristote: *phronêsis* et sciences morales" in: D. Lories & L. Rizzerio (eds.), *Le jugement pratique. Autour de la notion de phronêsis*, 317-332. Vrin: Paris.
Reviewed by Christopher Gill in *Phronesis* 54/2009, 294-295.
- 2006 "The Categories of the Good as Categories of Moral Action" in: K. Goudeli, I. Patellis & P. Kontos (eds.), *Kant: Making Reason Intuitive*, 62-76.
- 2005 "L'impasse de l'intersubjectivité chez Gadamer" in: J. C. Gens, P. Rodrigo & P. Kontos (eds.), *Gadamer et les Grecs*, 80-99.

REFERRED PAPERS

- 2024 "Isocrates' political science," *Polis* 41, 389-410.
- 2023 "Mind your prayers. Aristotle's notion of *euchê*," *Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie* 105/3: 388-413; <https://doi.org/10.1515/agph-2020-0094>
- 2021 "Hoping-well. Aristotle's Phenomenology of *elpis*," *British Journal for the History of Philosophy* 29/3: 415-434; [/doi.org/10.1080/09608788.2020.1818054](https://doi.org/10.1080/09608788.2020.1818054)

- 2014 "Non-virtuous intellectual states in Aristotle's Ethics," *Oxford Studies in Ancient Philosophy* XLVII/2: 205- 243.
- 2014 "Gadamer's Appeal to *phronêsis* and the Shadow of Heidegger," *The New Yearbook for Phenomenology and Phenomenological Philosophy* XIII: 206-222.
- 2011 "Kant's Categories of Freedom as Rules of Moral Salience," *Zeitschrift für philosophische Forschung* 65/2: 194-216.
- 2009 "Ακολασία as Radical Ethical Vice," *Ancient Philosophy* 29/2: 337-347.
- 2009 "A key term, its misuse and its rehabilitation: "to gar psêphisma prakton" (EN. 1141b 27-28)," *Elenchos* 1: 99-115.
- 2009 "Kant (and Scanlon) on Promises.," *Studi Kantiani* XXII: 41-55.
- 2001 "The Lower Forms of Friendship as *Poiesis*," *Journal of the British Society of Phenomenology* 32/1: 93-105.
- 1999 "Le 'renversement copernicien' de l'amitié," *Revue philosophique de Louvain (RphiL)* 97/3-4: 441-458.
- 1997 "L'éthique aristotélicienne et le chemin de Heidegger," *RphiL* 95/1 : 130-143.
- 1995 "La temporalité de la perception," *Man and World* 28/4: 415-433.
- 1995 "Perception et négation (Husserl, Heidegger, Merleau-Ponty)", *Etudes phénoménologiques* 22: 51-80.
- 1995 "L'être régional comme *Seinsferne*," *RphiL* 93/4: 597-607.
- 1994 "Heidegger, lecteur de Husserl. Logique formelle et ontologie matérielle," *RphiL* 92/1 : 53-81.

Invited Book Reviews

- "G. Duke, *Aristotle and Law*. Cambridge University Press. 2019." *Ethics* 131/1, 2020, 138-143.
- "H. Puls, *Kant's Funktionen der Freiheit*. De Gruyter", *Kant-Studien*, 2016, 107/3.
- "J. Miller, *The Reception of Aristotle's Ethics*. Oxford UP", *NDPR*, 2013-05-14.
- "G. Prauss: *Die Welt und Wir*. Bd. 2/II. Metzler Verlag" *Kant-Studien*, 2009, 100/4.

ORGANIZER OF INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

- 2024 *Patterns of Hope in Greece and China*, with the participation of: Michael Puett, Richard King, Nikolas Prevelakis, Wei Liu, David Machek, Lisa Raphals, Fabian Heubel, Lisa Indracollo, Michael Lackner, Christoph Harbsmeier.
- 2023 *Patterns of Evil in Greece and China*, with the participation of: Michael Puett, Richard King, Nikolas Prevelakis, Jingyi Jenny Zhao, Chan Chi-keung, Vayos Liapis, Wei Liu, David Machek, Lea Cantor, Efimia Karakantza, Anna Irene Baka, Lisa Raphals.
- 2023 *Ethics between Plato and Aristotle*, organized by P. Destrée, P. Kontos, and C. Bobonic in Athens, with the participation of: Chris Bobonich, Pierre Destrée, Pavlos Kontos, Dominic Scott, Christopher Shields, Marco Zingano, Béatrice Lienemann, Dan Devereux, Charlotte Murgier, CDC Reeve.
- 2014 *Activity and Perception*, Patras, with the participation of: J. McDowell, J. Hornsby, T. Crowther: www.philosophy.upatras.gr/el/node/295
- 2014 *Phenomenology of Habit*, Patras, with the participation of: E. Alloa, M. Michalski, J. Capek, A. Cimino: www.philosophy.upatras.gr/el/node/261

- 2012 *Authors Meet Critics Sessions* (Spring Semester):
www.philosophy.upatras.gr/docs/authors%20meet%20critics..PDF
- 2012 *Phenomenology and Aristotle*, St. Petersburg.
www.philosophy.upatras.gr/docs/CEECP012-CfP.pdf
- 2011 *Phenomenology of Intersubjectivity*, Patras, with the participation of N. Depraz, M. Michalski, A. Mouzakis.
- 2010 *Aristotle's Nicomachean Ethics, Book VI: Intertwining Interpretations*, Patras, with the participation of: Cl. Baracchi, D. Charles, P. Kontos, A. Kosman, M. Pakaluk, Chr. Rapp, C.D.C. Reeve, D. Russell, P. Thanassas
www.philosophy.upatras.gr/docs/Afisa_Aristotelis.PDF
- 2004 *Kant: Making Reason Intuitive*, Patras, with the participation of: G. Banham, H. Caygill, G. Faraklas, M. Forschner, P. Kontos, I. Patelli, K. Psychopedis, K. Sargentis, S. Virvidakis, J. Wirth.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- 2004a *Le rôle de l'amitié chez Aristote et Kant in the Conference: La philia dans la philosophie d'Aristote* (Louvain/Leuven).
- 2004b *The Categories of the Good as Categories of Moral Action in the Conference: Kant: Making Reason Intuitive* (Patras).
- 2004c *Phenomenology of Moral Action (From Aristotle to Husserl)* (invited by Husserl Archief and De Wulf-Mansion Centrum in Leuven).
- 2004d *L'action morale chez Aristote in the Conference : Philosophie de l'action* (Prague) [see: O. Svec – C. Mihali (eds.), Idea Design, Cluj, 2005, 61-76].
- 2006 *L'aisthesis morale: Aristote et la phénoménologie* (invited by the Société Philosophique de Bourgogne, Dijon, 2006).
- 2007a *Heidegger on Moral Perception*" (invited by G. Figal, Philosophisches Seminar, Freiburg).
- 2007b *Aristotle: πρακτόν, its Misuse and its Rehabilitation* (invited by Ch. Rapp, Humboldt Universität Berlin).
- 2007c *Arendt: Promises inhabited by Spectators* (invited by J. Capek, Charles University in Prague).
- 2007d *Kant: The Twofold Face of Promising* (invited by M. Forschner, Erlangen Universität).
- 2008a *Rehabilitation of a Sensible Moral World in the Conference: Corporeity and Affectivity* (Prague).
- 2008b *Phronetic Perception and its Proper Object (against Moral Realism) in the Conference: Aristotle's Ethics Today* ((Louvain/Leuven).
- 2010a *Phronetic Perception revisited. Challenging McDowell's interpretation in the Conference:*
Aristotle's Nicomachean Ethics, Book VI (Patras).
- 2010b *Arendt's alleged quarrel with Aristotle in the Conference: Phenomenology and Ancient Greek Philosophy* (Crete).
- 2010c *The Visibility of Goodness in the Workshop: Aristotele: Natura e azione pratica*

- (Roma Tre).
- 2011a *The Visibility of Goodness* (*Oxford Workshop in Ancient Philosophy*, invited by T. Irwin and D. Charles).
- 2011b *Empathy and Second-person Methodology* [Commentator of Natalie Depraz's paper in the Workshop: *Phenomenology of Intersubjectivity* (Patras)].
- 2011c *Aristotle's Philosophical Method* [Commentator of C.D.C. Reeve's paper in the Conference: *Aristotle on the Method(s) of Inquiry* (UNC at Chapel Hill)].
- 2011d *Phenomenological Reduction in Merleau-Ponty's Aesthetics*. In *Art and Truth*, Collegium Phaenomenologicum (Umbria, Italy).
- 2012b *D'une promesse à l'autre* in the Workshop *Paul Ricoeur, Ethique et Politique*. Institut Français d'Athènes.
- 2012c *Practical Intellectual Vices in Aristotle* in the Conference: *Phenomenology and Aristotle* (St. Petersburg).
- 2013a Three Lectures at the *Classical Philosophy Colloquium*, Princeton University (invited by J. Cooper).
Craft and atechnia
Practical wisdom and aphrosynê
Intellectual practical vices in Aristotle's ethics
- 2013b Three Lectures at the *Department of Philosophy*, Duke University (invited by M. Ferejohn).
Aristotle and Moral Realism
Intellectual Productive Vices in Aristotle's Ethics
The Possibility of Moral Change
- 2013c Three Lectures at the *Department of Philosophy*, Fordham University (invited by J. Drummond).
Towards a Phenomenological Moral Realism
Intellectual Vices in Aristotle's Ethics
Aristotle and Heidegger on Moral Experience
- 2014a *Merleau-Ponty: A body older than ourselves* in the Conference: *Body and Mind* (*The Athens Dialogues*, Onassis Cultural Centre).
- 2014b *Heidegger and Aristotle on Craft* in the Conference: *Phenomenology of Habit* (Patras).
- 2014d *Moral Perception and Common Sensibles* in the Conference: *Action and Perception* (Patras).
- 2015a *The intellectual virtue of sunesis in the Nicomachean Ethics* (invited by *The Faculty of Philosophy and Religious Studies* (Charles University in Prague)).
- 2015b *Theory in Practice: Aristotelian Puzzles and Heidegger's silence* (Keynote Speaker in the Conference: *Pragmatic Perspectives on Phenomenology* (Prague)).
- 2015c *La phénoménologie et l'histoire de la philosophie* in the Workshop *Figures de la Phénoménologie Contemporaine* (R. Barbaras, D. Franck, P. Kontos, D. Pradelle). (Institut Français de Grèce).
- 2016a *Spectators of Practical Matters without Practical Wisdom* in the Conference: *Aristotle Today* (Helsinki).

- 2016b *Aristotle's Notion of Evil*, Lecture at Renmin University, Beijing.
- 2016c *Heidegger and Aristotle's Ethics*, Lecture at Renmin University, Beijing.
- 2016d Sunesis: from Aristotle to Gadamer in the Conference: *The Flight of the Owls. Ways of Reception of Ancient Greek Philosophy in Germany* (Humboldt-Kolleg, Thessaloniki).
- 2017 *Practical judgments beyond deliberate choice: krinein vs prohairesis* (Notre Dame Workshop on Ancient Philosophy, invited by C. Shields).
- 2018a *The Enigmatic Figure of Aristotle's Legislator*, School of Philosophy, Catholic University of America, Washington DC.
- 2018b *Aristotle's Legislator as a Political Actor*, Department of Philosophy, Boston College, Boston MA.
- 2018c *Non-motivational practical judgements (1): judgement (krisis) in Aristotle's Ethics and the Rhetoric*, Princeton University, Department of Philosophy.
- 2018d *Non-motivational practical judgements (2): self-control (enkrateia) and the 'internalism v. externalism' debate*, Princeton University, Department of Philosophy.
- 2019a *Straddling Borders: Legislator's enigmatic activity* in the Conference: *L'héritage d'Aristote aujourd'hui : l'articulation des sciences et des arts*, Institut d'Etudes Scientifiques de Cargèse.
- 2019b *Aristotle's Phenomenology of Hope* in the Conference organized by the *Gessellschaft für antike Philosophie: Handeln und Handelnde in antiker Philosophie*, Frankfurt 24-27 SEP 2019. Invited speaker.
- 2019c *Protreptic to Legislating* in the Conference *Protreptic Rhetoric* organized by P. Destrée & Monte Johnson, Athens, 04-06 OCT 2019.
- 2019d *Le mal radical chez Aristote et Kant* in the Conference: *Kant et les Grecs*, Société d'Etudes Kantiennes de Langue Française, Athens, OCT 2019. Keynote speaker.
- 2021 *Experience-based variations of practical wisdom or phronêsis as ethical expertise*, Guest lecture at the *Seminar Series in Moral Philosophy* organized by [Aretai - Center on Virtues](#) (University of Genoa) and the [Mind & Ethics group](#) at Roma Tre University. Online talk.
- 2022 *Legislators in Aristotle and Isocrates* in the Conference: *Isocrates between Plato and Aristotle* organized by P. Destrée in Louvain-la-neuve.
- 2023a *Aristotle on the Unity of Virtue*, In the *Greek and Roman Philosophy Workshop*, University of Chicago, Department of Philosophy.
- 2023b *Aristotle on the Unity of Virtue*, Colloquium, Loyola University of Chicago, Department of Philosophy.
- 2023c *Aristotle on the Unity of Virtue. NE VI 12-13 & EE VIII 1*. RUC Frontiers of Ancient Philosophy (Moderator: Liu Wie). Lecture on zoom.
- 2023d *Hope and Self-deception in Aristotle* in the Conference: *Self-deception in Ancient Philosophy* organized by P. Thanassas in Athens.
- 2023e *The Phalaris Case* in the Conference *Patterns of Evil in Greece and China*, organized by P. Kontos at the University of Patras.
- 2023f *Radical Evil in Aristotle's ethics and politics*. Yale University, Department of Philosophy, David Charles' Seminar. On zoom.

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- 2023g *The Unity of Virtues* in the Conference *Ethics between Plato and Aristotle*, organized by P. Destrée, P. Kontos, and C. Bobonic in Athens.
- 2024a *Which wheel is agential hope a spoke of? The Irreducibility of hope (elpis): Aristotle's and Thucydides' Lesson*, Stanford Humanities Center, Research Talk.
- 2024b *Aristotle on the Unity of the Virtues*, University of California San Diego, Department of Philosophy (invited by M. Johnson).
- 2024c *Aristotle on the Unity of the Virtues*, Stanford University, EPAM Workshop (invited by C. Bobonich).
- 2024d *Phronêsis and Hope* in the Conference: *φρονêsis: rationality and practical wisdom*, The University of Chicago, Center of Hellenic Studies.