

CONSTANTINA FOTIOU

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Country of birth	Cyprus
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EDUCATION

- 2015** PhD in Sociolinguistics, University of Essex
Thesis: *An empirical study of English in Cypriot Greek conversations and print media*
Committee: Prof. Peter L. Patrick (supervisor), Assoc. Prof. Stavroula Tsiplakou (external examiner), Dr Vinneta Chand (internal examiner)
- 2008** MA in Sociolinguistics, University of Essex
Awarded with Distinction
Dissertation: *Language ideologies in metalinguistic discourse: Towards an analysis of the sociolinguistic situation of Nicosia*
Supervisor: Prof. Peter L. Patrick
- 2007** BA in English Language and Literature, University of Cyprus
Awarded with Distinction
Undergraduate project: *Focusing strategies in Cypriot Greek*
Supervisor: Prof. Kleanthes K. Grohmann
- 2003** High School Leaving Certificate 'Apolyterion', Kykkos B Lyceum
Grade: 19.6/20
Specialization subjects: Mathematics, History, Biology, English, and French

ACADEMIC TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Cyprus

Jan 2023–May 2023

Visiting Lecturer in Applied Linguistics in the Department of English Studies, University of Cyprus

Sep 2022–December 2022

Visiting Lecturer in Linguistics in the Department of English Studies, University of Cyprus
[was also selected for the position of Visiting Lecturer in Applied Linguistics]

Sep 2021–December 2021

Special Scientist in Linguistics in the Department of English Studies, University of Cyprus

Jan 2021–May 2021

Special Scientist in Linguistics in the Department of English Studies, University of Cyprus

Sep 2020–December 2020

Special Scientist in Linguistics in the Department of English Studies, University of Cyprus

Sep 2019–December 2019

Special Scientist in Linguistics in the Department of English Studies, University of Cyprus

Jan 2019–May 2019

Special Scientist in Linguistics in the Department of English Studies, University of Cyprus

Sep 2018–December 2018

Special Scientist in Linguistics in the Department of English Studies, University of Cyprus

Jan 2018–May 2018

Special Scientist in Linguistics in the Department of English Studies, University of Cyprus

European University Cyprus

October 2023–January 2024

Scientific Collaborator in the Department of Humanities, European University Cyprus

February 2022–May 2022

Scientific Collaborator in the Department of Humanities, European University Cyprus

February 2021–May 2021

Scientific Collaborator in the Department of Humanities, European University Cyprus

October 2020–January 2021

Scientific Collaborator in the Department of Humanities, European University Cyprus

February 2020–June 2020

Scientific Collaborator in the Department of Humanities, European University Cyprus

October 2019–January 2020

Scientific Collaborator in the Department of Humanities, European University Cyprus

February 2019–May 2019

Scientific Collaborator in the Department of Humanities, European University Cyprus

October 2018–January 2019

Scientific Collaborator in the Department of Humanities, European University Cyprus

University of Nicosia

February 2019–May 2019

Adjunct Faculty in the Department of Languages and Literature, University of Nicosia

October 2018–January 2019

Adjunct Faculty in the Department of Languages and Literature, University of Nicosia

UCLan Cyprus

December 2017–May 2018

Associate Lecturer in English Language

Royal Holloway, University of London

June–August 2018

Pre-Sessional English Language Tutor in the Department of the Centre for the Development of Academic Skills

July–September 2017

Pre-Sessional English Language Tutor in the Department of the Centre for the Development of Academic Skills

August 2016

Pre-Sessional English Language Tutor in the Department of the Centre for the Development of Academic Skills

University of Essex

2010–2012

Graduate Teaching Assistant in Sociolinguistics

COURSES TAUGHT

University of Cyprus, Department of English Studies, Course Leader and Lecturer:

- Language Testing and Assessment (postgraduate), Spring 2023
- Materials Development and Course Design (postgraduate), Spring 2023
- EFL Materials Design and Evaluation, Fall 2021
- EFL Teaching Methodology, Fall 2018
- First and Second Language Acquisition (postgraduate), Fall 2022
- Language Assessment: Principles and Classroom Practices, Spring 2021
- Language Change and Development, Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Fall 2022
- Pedagogical Grammar (Labs), Fall 2021, Fall 2022
- Sociolinguistics, Spring 2018 & 2019
- Topics in Sociolinguistics, Fall 2019

University of Cyprus, Pre-service Training Programme, Department of Education, Teacher Trainer:

- IPY 023: Teaching English I, Fall 2018 (four sessions), Fall 2022 (all sessions), Fall 2023 (all sessions)
- IPY 048: Teaching English II, Fall 2018 (four sessions), Fall 2022 (all sessions), Fall 2023 (all sessions)

European University Cyprus, Department of Humanities, Course Leader and Lecturer:

- Discourse Analysis (Postgraduate), Fall 2018
- Discourse Analysis (Undergraduate), Fall 2018 & 2019, Summer 2020, Fall 2023
- English for Health Sciences (Undergraduate), Spring 2019
- ELT Methodology (Postgraduate), Fall 2018, Spring 2020, Fall 2020, Spring 2022
- Language and Gender (Undergraduate), Spring 2019
- Second Language Acquisition (Undergraduate), Spring 2019
- Semantics and Pragmatics (Undergraduate), Fall 2020, Spring 2021
- Teaching Methodology I (Undergraduate), Spring 2021

University of Nicosia, Department of Languages and Literature, Lecturer:

- English Composition, Fall 2018 & Spring 2019
- Historical Linguistics, Spring 2019
- Psycholinguistics, Fall 2018

UCLan Cyprus, Lecturer:

- English Language II, Spring Semester 2018
- Academic Writing, Spring Semester 2018
- English Language I, Fall Semester 2017

Royal Holloway, University of London, Pre-sessional Language Tutor

- Pre-Sessional English Language Programme 2 & 3, June–August 2018
- Pre-Sessional English Language Programme 2 & 3, July–September 2017
- Pre-Sessional English Language Programme 3, August 2016

University of Essex, Graduate Teaching Assistant

- Sociolinguistics, 2010–2012

NON-ACADEMIC TEACHING EXPERIENCE

The English Language Centre, Nicosia
English Language Teacher

September 2014 – June 2016

SUPERVISION (MA THESES)

Douli, Eftychia. 2019. *Use of Greek in ELT classrooms in Greece: Attitudes of English language teachers who work in the private sector*. European University Cyprus: MA program of study: English language and literature (Distance Education)

Koutsiouki, Maria. 2020. *Teachers' attitudes towards the use of mother tongue (L1) in EFL classrooms in Cyprus*. European University Cyprus: MA program of study: English language and literature (Distance Education)

Seiti, Ioanna. 2020. *English – Greek code-switching in Greek fashion magazines and their embedded advertisements – an analysis and juxtaposition of its textual forms and functions in both contexts*. European University Cyprus: MA program of study: English language and literature (Distance Education)

Margariti, Foteini. 2023. *Teachers' use of web 2.0 tools and applications in post covid-19 pandemic era*. European University Cyprus: MA program of study: English language and literature (Distance Education)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Open University Cyprus

July 2023 – Feb 2024

Position: Postdoctoral Researcher

Project: ARE-PRED: Developing a Web-Based Learning Environment for Supporting Students' Argumentation Skills and Reducing Prejudice

Project Coordinator: Prof Michalinos Zembylas

Co-Principal Investigator: Prof Kalypso Iordanou

Cyprus Research and Innovation Foundation – RESTART 2016-2020 – EXCELLENCE HUBS

University of Cyprus

September 2019 – January 2022

Position: Postdoctoral Researcher/Young Researcher [Special Scientist (Research)]

Project: *Language Variation and Attitudes: A sociolinguistic analysis of the linguistic performance and attitudes of Greek Cypriots in Nicosia, Cyprus (LaVA)*

Co-financed by the European Regional Development Fund and the Republic of Cyprus through the Research and Innovation Foundation

PI: Kleanthes K. Grohmann

UCLan, Cyprus

December 2017 – May 2018

Position: Postdoctoral Researcher/Research Assistant

Project: Developing argumentation skills across domains

Funded by: Cyprus Research Promotion Foundation

PI: Kalypso Iordanou

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Publications

2023 Fotiou, Constantina. 2023. Didn't she say to you, "Oh my God! In Pafos?" Hypothetical quotations in everyday conversation. *Pragmatics*. <https://doi.org/10.1075/prag.20049.fot>

2022 Fotiou, Constantina. 2022. English in Cyprus. *English Today*. 1–7. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0266078422000268>

2022 Seiti, Ioanna & Constantina Fotiou. 2022. 'Instafashion', 'adeventures' and 'gals on the go': the creative use of English in Greek fashion magazines. *Journal of World Languages*, 8(1), 56–82. <https://doi.org/10.1515/jwl-2022-0011>

- 2022** Fotiou, Constantina & Kleanthes K. Grohmann. 2022. A Small Island with Big Differences? Folk Perceptions in the Context of Dialect Levelling and Koineization. *Frontiers in Communication*, 6. <https://doi.org/10.3389/fcomm.2021.770088>
- 2021** Fotiou, Constantina & Ioli Ayiomamitou. 2021. “We are in Cyprus, we have to use our language, don't we?” Pupils’ and their parents’ attitudes towards two proximal linguistic varieties, *Linguistics and Education*, 63. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.linged.2021.100931>
- 2019** Fotiou, Constantina. 2019. Debunking a myth: The Greek language in Cyprus is not being destroyed. A linguistic analysis of Cypriot Greek - English codeswitching. *International Journal of Bilingualism*, 23(6), 1358–1384. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1367006918786466>
- 2018** Fotiou, Constantina. 2018. A linguistic analysis of Cypriot Greek - English compounds verbs. *Lingua*, 215, 1–26. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.lingua.2018.09.001>
- 2017** Fotiou, Constantina. 2017. English - Greek codeswitching in Greek Cypriot print media – an analysis of its textual forms and functions. *Journal of World Languages*, 4(1). <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/21698252.2017.1385922>

Conference Papers

- 2023** Fotiou, Constantina. 2023. The urban and rural space in Cyprus: Perceptions of linguistic practices. (accepted/in print)
- 2023** Fotiou, Constantina, Pavlou, Natalia. 2023. The Role of Motivation in Learning Cypriot Maronite Arabic. In: Georgiou, G.P., Giannakou, A., Savvidou, C. (eds) *Advances in Second/Foreign Language Acquisition*. Palgrave Macmillan, Cham. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-38522-3_8
- 2021** Ayiomamitou, Ioli & Constantina Fotiou. 2021. Parents’ and Students’ Language Attitudes towards Two Proximal Varieties: The Case of the Bidialectal Setting of Cyprus. In Markopoulos, Theodoros, Christos Vlachos, Argiris Archakis, Dimitris Papazachariou, Anna Roussou, and George J. Xydopoulos (eds.) *Proceedings of ICGL14*. Patras: University of Patras, 148–158.
- 2019** Fotiou, Constantina. 2019. «θέλεις huge sample για να φκάλεις valid statistical results» A conversational analysis of Cypriot Greek - English codeswitching. In Chondrogianni, Maria, Simon Courtenage, Geoffrey Horrocks, Amalia Arvaniti, and Ianthi Tsimpli (Eds.) *Proceedings of the 13th international conference on Greek linguistics*.
- 2017** Fotiou, Constantina. 2017. English discourse markers in Cypriot Greek. In Muñoz, Pedro Jesús Molina (ed.), *Researchers in progress II. Languages in contact: Languages with*

history. *Proceedings of the 2nd UCY-LC international forum of young researchers*. Nicosia, Cyprus: Language Centre - University of Cyprus, 103–116.

- 2012** Fotiou, Constantina. 2012. Are the Greek Verbs no Longer Enough? Bilingual Compound Verbs in Cypriot Greek. In Grohmann, Kleanthes K., Elena Shelkovaya, and Dionysios Zoumbalides (eds.). *Linguists of Tomorrow: Selected Papers from the 1st Cyprus Postgraduate Conference in Theoretical and Applied Linguistics*. Newcastle-upon-Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 22–50.
- 2010** Fotiou, Constantina. 2010. Code-choice between English and Cypriot Greek bilingual compound verbs: Κάμνω erase (I do erase) instead of διαγράφω (I erase). In Cummins, Chris, Chi-Hé Elder, Thomas Godard, Morgan Macleod, Elaine Schmidt and George Walkden (eds.) *CamLing 2010: Proceedings of the Sixth Cambridge Postgraduate Conference in Language Research*. Cambridge: Cambridge Institute of Language Research (CILR).
- 2009** Fotiou, Constantina. 2009. Focusing strategies in Cypriot Greek. In Grohmann, Kleanthes K. and Phoevos Panagiotidis (eds.) *Selected Papers from the 2006 Cyprus Syntaxfest*. Newcastle-upon-Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 63–91.

Books

- 2022** Fotiou, Constantina & Vasiliki Erotokritou. 2022. Εκπαιδευτικό Υλικό για Εκμάθηση της Κυπριακής Ελληνικής [Materials for teaching of Cypriot Greek] Nicosia: University of Cyprus. <https://lavaucy.wixsite.com/lava/teaching-cg-as-a-foreign-language>

Book chapters

- 2024** Kleanthes K. Grohmann, Evelina Leivada, Natalia Pavlou, and Constantina Fotiou Bilectal Investigations of Grammar: A View from Cyprus (under review)
- 2023** Fotiou, Constantina. 2023. ‘Do non-standard varieties have a place in the foreign language curriculum? Evidence from the teaching of Greek as a foreign language in Cyprus.’ In *New Approaches to Multilingualism, Language Learning, and Teaching*. (accepted)
- 2022** Pavlou, Natalia, and Constantina Fotiou. 2022. ‘The Role of Heritage and (Potential) New Speakers’ Motivations to Learning a Language: The Case of Sanna.’ In *Mind and Second Language Acquisition: Experimental Approaches*, edited by Georgios Georgiou, 156–79. Newcastle upon Tyne: Cambridge Scholars.

Edited Volumes

- 2024** Pavlou, Natalia, Constantina Fotiou, and Kleanthes K. Grohmann (Eds.). 2024. Heritage Language and Variation. *In preparation*.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS, LECTURES & WORKSHOPS

- 2021 Presentation**, Folk perceptions of linguistic variation: Small Island, big differences? Departmental Forum, Department of English Studies, 9 April 2021 (online).
- 2021 Presentation** (in Greek), Ο ρόλος και η χρήση της αγγλικής γλώσσας στην Κύπρο, Κύπρος: Ένα πολύγλωσσο νησί, Σύλλογος Διγλωσσίας Κύπρου & Γλωσσολογική Εταιρεία Κύπρου, [The role and use of English in Cyprus, Cyprus: a multilingual island, Association for Bilingualism in Cyprus & Cyprus Linguistics Society] 27 March 2021 (online).
- 2020 Presentation** (in Greek), «Είμαστε στην Κύπρο οφείλουμε να μιλούμε τη γλώσσα μας, γιατί όι;» Γλωσσικές στάσεις γονέων και μαθητών απέναντι σε δύο συγγενείς ποικιλίες, Σύγχρονες προσεγγίσεις Έρευνας στη Γλώσσα και τον Γραμματισμό [“We are in Cyprus; we have to use our language, why not?” Parents’ and pupils’ language attitudes towards two proximal varieties, Current approaches to the study of language and literacy]. Department of Education, University of Cyprus, December 2020 (with Ioli Ayiomamitou).
- 2017 Presentation** (in Greek), Do Greek Cypriots use English when speaking Cypriot Greek? A linguistic and conversation analysis of informal discourse, Postgraduate Seminars of Language Teaching, University of Cyprus, February 2019.
- 2017 Workshop**, An introduction to discourse analysis, UCLan Research Seminar Series at UCLan Cyprus, November 2017.
- 2017 Workshop**, When in classroom: How to do the basics, Invited Local Linguist lecture series at European University Cyprus, April 2017.
- 2016 Lecture**, English in the Greek Cypriot print media, Invited Local Linguist lecture series at European University Cyprus, April 2016.
- 2016 Lecture**, How to analyse written codeswitching - focusing on English in the Greek Cypriot print media, UCLan Linguistics Seminar Series at UCLan Cyprus, December 2016.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS, POSTERS, AND WORKSHOPS (PEER-REVIEWED)

- 2023 Presentation**, The role of argumentation-based intervention in mitigating negative emotions and ethnic prejudice for elementary school children in Cyprus. 5th International Conference: “Literacy and Contemporary Society: Creativity, Equity, Social Action”, 4th – 6th December 2023, Nicosia, Cyprus. (with Athina Manoli, Michalinos Zembylas and Kalypso Iordanou).

- 2023 Presentation,** The challenges of learning Greek as an L2 in Cyprus – the students’ perspective. 5th International Conference: “Literacy and Contemporary Society: Creativity, Equity, Social Action”, 4th – 6th December 2023, Nicosia, Cyprus. (with Sophia Ioannou and Ioli Ayiomamitou)
- 2022 Presentation,** Teachers' beliefs about the 21st century skills: Evidence from Cyprus. Transversal Competences in Language Teaching CyTea Annual Conference, Lemesos, 12–13 November 2022 (with Minas Zeniou).
- 2022 Presentation,** Graffiti and multilingualism: The linguistic landscape of urban Cyprus, Langues, urbanisation du monde et mobilités: Quelles questions pour la sociolinguistique aujourd’hui? (LUM2022), University of Cyprus, University Paris-Cité and the Lebanese University, Nicosia, 18–21 October 2022 (with Natalia Pavlou).
- 2022 Presentation,** The urban and rural space in Cyprus: Perceptions of linguistic practices, Langues, urbanisation du monde et mobilités: Quelles questions pour la sociolinguistique aujourd’hui? (LUM2022), University of Cyprus, University Paris-Cité and the Lebanese University, Nicosia, 18–21 October 2022.
- 2022 Presentation,** Bilectal Productions of Clitic Placement and ‘Free’ Grammatical Variation, Optionality and Variation in Multilingual Syntax II (OpVaMS II) University of Wuppertal, Wuppertal, 5–7 October 2022 (with Kleanthes K. Grohmann, Maria Kambanaros, Evelina Leivada, and Natalia Pavlou).
- 2022 Presentation,** The role of motivation in learning a heritage language - The case of Sanna, Heritage Languages and Variation (HELV) conference, University of Cyprus, Lemesos, 23–25 September 2022 (with Natalia Pavlou and Kleanthes K. Grohmann).
- 2022 Presentation,** Variation in Cypriot Greek: making sense of it all, Heritage Languages and Variation (HELV) conference, University of Cyprus, Lemesos, 23–25 September 2022 (with Kleanthes K. Grohmann).
- 2022 Presentation,** Folk perceptions of linguistic variation in Cyprus, 15th International Conference on Greek Linguistics (ICGL15) University of Belgrade, Belgrade, 15–18 September 2022 (online).
- 2022 Presentation,** The role of motivation in learning a heritage language: The case of Sanna, ASeFoLA Conference, University of Nicosia 18 – 19 June 2022 (online).
- 2021 Presentation,** Folk perceptions of Cypriot Greek regional variation in the context of regional dialect levelling, 5th Language Variation and Change - Australia (LVC-A 5) workshop, La Trobe University, Melbourne Victoria Australia, 6–9 December 2021 (online) (with Kleanthes K. Grohmann).

- 2021 Presentation**, New speakers of minority languages: The case of Sanna, 5th Language Variation and Change - Australia (LVC-A 5) workshop. La Trobe University, Melbourne Victoria Australia, 6–9 December 2021 (online) (with Kleanthes K. Grohmann and Natalia Pavlou).
- 2021 Presentation**, Materials development for teaching Cypriot Greek as a foreign language, CyTEA Annual Conference, 27–28 November 2021 (online) (with Vasiliki Erotokritou).
- 2021 Presentation**, The endangered language of Sanna: Attitudes, New Speakers and New Domains, LITHME online conference, 20 October 2021 (online) (with Natalia Pavlou).
- 2021 Presentation**, The last divided capital city of Europe: investigating the ‘experiential’ dimensions of the linguistic landscape of Nicosia, International Conference Multilingual Urban Space: Policy, Identity, Education. HSE University, Moscow, 12–14 April 2021 (online).
- 2019 Workshop**, Supporting students’ writing skills and views on immigration through argumentation in the classroom, 3rd International Conference Literacy and Contemporary Society: Identities, Texts, Institutions. Cyprus Pedagogical Institute. Ministry of Education, Culture, Sport and Youth, October 2019 (with Kalypso Iordanou, Maria Papadreou and Charalambos Demetriou).
- 2019 Presentation**, Quoting what was never said. Hypothetical quotations in Greek Cypriot informal conversations, 14th International Conference on Greek Linguistics (ICGL14), University of Patras, September 2019.
- 2019 Presentation**, Parents’ and students’ language attitudes towards two proximal varieties: the case of the bidialectal setting of Cyprus, 14th International Conference on Greek Linguistics (ICGL14), University of Patras, September 2019 (with Ioli Ayiomamitou).
- 2018 Presentation**, I can’t be telling her: “You know I’m bored now and I don’t wanna see you...” Constructed dialogue in Cypriot Greek conversations: Forms and discursive functions, 8th International Conference on Intercultural Pragmatics and Communication at the University of Cyprus, 08 – 10 June 2018.
- 2017 Presentation**, Didn’t she say to you: ‘Oh my God! In Pafos?’– Form, patterns and discourse functions of constructed dialogue in conversations employing codeswitching between Cypriot Greek and English, 50th Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea at the University of Zurich, September 2017.
- 2017 Presentation**, θέλεις huge sample για να φτάσεις valid statistical results: a linguistic and conversational analysis of Cypriot Greek–English codeswitching, International Conference on Greek Linguistics (ICGL 13) at the University of Westminster, September 2017.

- 2017 Presentation**, So, what do we know about English discourse markers in Cypriot Greek? 2nd LC-UCY FORUM OF YOUNG RESEARCHERS at the University of Cyprus, June 2017.
- 2016 Presentation**, Conversational strategies – using two linguistic varieties instead of one. Forms and functions of discourse-related codeswitching between Cypriot Greek and English, 1st LC-UCY FORUM OF YOUNG RESEARCHERS at the University of Cyprus, June 2016.
- 2013 Presentation**, English in the Greek Cypriot print media, Responses to the lingua franca role of English conference at the South-East European Research Centre, Thessaloniki, November 2013.
- 2013 Presentation**, English in the Greek Cypriot print media – a case study, 46th Annual Meeting of BAAL (BAAL 2013) at the Heriot-Watt University, September 2013.
- 2011 Presentation**, Codeswitching: English and Cypriot Greek Patterns and functions, 2nd Westminster University Linguistics Conference, July 2011.
- 2011 Presentation**, The use of English in Cypriot Greek as a form of codeswitching: Observed patterns of use and their functionality in naturally occurring conversations, 3rd Conference on Language Contact in Times of Globalization (LCTG3) at University of Greifswald, July 2011.
- 2011 Presentation**, English - Cypriot Greek (CG) codeswitching: Patterns and functions, 4th Bloomsbury Postgraduate Student Conference in Applied Linguistics at Birkbeck, University of London, June 2011
- 2010 Presentation**, Code-choice between English and Cypriot Greek bilingual compound verbs: Κάμνω erase (I do erase) instead of διαγράφω (I erase), CamLing Conference at University of Cambridge, December 2010.
- 2010 Presentation**, Are the Greek Verbs no Longer Enough? Bilingual Compound Verbs in Cypriot Greek, LoT conference at University of Cyprus, May 2010.
- 2010 Poster**, Code Choice between Cypriot Greek and English, 3rd Bloomsbury Postgraduate Student Conference in Applied Linguistics at Birkbeck, University of London, June 2010.
- 2009 Presentation**, Language and ethnic nationalism in Cyprus, SLX 14 conference of Sociolinguistics at University of Essex, June 2009.
- 2006 Poster**, Focus in Cypriot Greek, InterPhases Conference at the University of Cyprus, 18–20 May 2006.

NON-REFERRED PRESENTATIONS

- 2022** The role of motivation in learning a heritage language: The case of Sanna, 2nd LITHME conference, June 2022 (with Natalia Pavlou) (hybrid).
- 2022** Teaching Cypriot Greek as a foreign language: materials & challenges, Cyprus Acquisition Team Meetings, University of Cyprus, March 2022.
- 2021** The endangered language of Sanna: Attitudes, New Speakers and New Domains, LITHME conference, October 2021 (with Natalia Pavlou).
- 2020** Doing Sociolinguistics: The Sociolinguistic Interview adapted for Cypriot Greek Speakers, Cyprus Acquisition Team Meetings, University of Cyprus, February 2020.
- 2019** Prestige, Heritage, and Minority Language Issues and the Humanities in Cyprus, Social Justice and the Humanities, School of Humanities, University of Cyprus, December 2019 (with Kleanthes K. Grohmann and Natalia Pavlou).
- 2019** An analysis of Cypriot Greek – English codeswitching practices, Cyprus Acquisition Team Meetings, University of Cyprus, February 2019.

HONORS AND AWARDS

The Research Promotion Foundation Programmes for Research, Technological Development and Innovation “Restart 2016 – 2020”

Sep 2019–Jan 2022

DIDAKTOR (POST DOCTORAL RESEARCHERS) (awarded to Principal Investigator: Kleanthes K. Grohmann, Young Researcher: Constantina Fotiou) for the LaVA project—Language Variation and Attitudes: A sociolinguistic analysis of the linguistic performance and attitudes of Greek Cypriots in Nicosia, Cyprus.

€ 98.316,00

University of Essex Silberrad Scholarship

2008–2011

Three-year scholarship awarded to the best student of the Department of Language and Linguistics of the University of Essex

£9.900,00

A.G. Leventis Foundation Scholarship

2011–2012

Funding to support completion of PhD

£5.000,00

ACADEMIC OUTREACH

- 2023 Newspaper article**, Οι δεξιότητες του 21ου αιώνα και το γλωσσικό μάθημα. Politis newspaper. [21st century skills and language courses].
https://parathyro.politis.com.cy/stiles/581118/oi-dexiotites-toy-21oy-aiona-kai-to-gossiko-mathima?fbclid=IwAR0jVSQ9tJY6w-VCeKEYa5A0dFZgNPH7isCP5B7a4H09HmWttzN_isNQEO4
- 2022 Newspaper article**, Τι πιστεύουν οι Λευκωσιάτες τζαι οι Λευκωσιάτισσες για το τι μιλά η υπόλοιπη Κύπρος. Politis newspaper. [What do Nicosians believe for what kind of language other Cypriots speak?]
<https://parathyro.politis.com.cy/2022/04/ti-pistefkoun-oi-lefkosiates-tzai-oi-lefkosiatisse-gia-to-ti-mila-i-ypoloipi-kypros/>
- 2022 Blog post**, Teaching with images, audio & videos.
<https://constantinafotiou.com/2022/04/09/teaching-with-images-audio-video/>
- 2022 Newspaper article**, Οι υπό εξαφάνιση γλώσσες της Κύπρου - «Έχουν μείνει λιγότεροι από 1000 ομιλητές». Reporter newspaper. [The endangered languages of Cyprus] with Natalia Pavlou & Spyros Armostis
<https://www.reporter.com.cy/local-news/article/904885/oi-ypo-exafanisi-gosses-tis-kyproy-echoyn-meinei-ligteroi-apo-1-000-omilites2>
- 2021 Newspaper article**, Είναι μία στις δύο λέξεις που λένε στην Κύπρο αγγλική; Not really! Politis newspaper. [Is one in every two words we use in Cyprus English? Not really!]
<https://parathyro.politis.com.cy/2021/06/einai-mia-stis-dyo-lekseis-pou-lene-stin-kypro-angliki-not-really/>
- 2020 Blog post**, Εξ αποστάσεως εκπαίδευση [Distance learning].
<https://constantinafotiou.com/2020/03/15//εξ-αποστάσεως-εκπαίδευση/>
- 2017 Radio Interview**, English in Greek Cypriot speech: Myth or reality? Usus norma loquendi (radio show) hosted by Spyros Armostis.

CONTINUOUS PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (ASSESSED COURSES)

- 2022** Syllabus design and development (an assessed 60-hour online course provided by Norwich Institute for Language Education)
- 2021** Materials Development for Language Education (an assessed 60-hour online course provided by Norwich Institute for Language Education)
Awarded with Distinction
- 2021** TALL: Technology Assisted Language Learning (an assessed 60-hour online course provided by Norwich Institute for Language Education)
Awarded with Distinction
- 2020** Train the Trainer (designed and developed by Cambridge English, part of the University of Cambridge)
- 2020** Teaching English to Young Learners
Awarded with Distinction (Grade A)
- 2015** CELTA (Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages)
Awarded with a Pass A grade (the equivalent of distinction)
- 2010** Course in Introduction to Discourse Analysis, University of Essex
Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis
- 2004** Courses in Shakespeare and Creative Writing, University of Northampton
Summer School

CONTINUOUS PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (SEMINARS & UNASSESSED COURSES)

Use of ICT in support of language teaching and learning (ICT-REV)

ICT-REV project team & Cyprus Ministry of Education, Sports and Youth, 21–22 September 2023

Lecture series in Digital Humanities (delivered by Dr. Natalia Pavlou)

Department of English Studies, UCY, 9 March–16 April 2022.

Blackboard Seminar II: Tools for hybrid teaching

Centre for Teaching and Learning, UCY, 8 September 2021.

Forensic Linguistics Short Course

Delivered by the FLsc Coordination Team in collaboration with the Student Council for Linguistics and Phonetics at University of Cologne & FörderLinK Düsseldorf e.V)
16–20 August 2021.

Supporting quality teaching: Designing to use data to improve and develop teaching and learning

Centre for Teaching and Learning, UCY, 23 October 2019.

Designing and Implementing Dyslexia Effective Practices

Dietschi Educational Services, 3 March 2019.

Recognising and Accommodating Dyslexia and LD in an ELT Class

Dietschi Educational Services, 3 March 2019.

Presentation of UCY Library for teaching staff

Centre for Teaching and Learning, UCY, 16 January 2019.

Part A: Resources and databases.

Part B: Research Tools (Scopus, Web of Science, Google Scholar)

Introduction to Blackboard

Centre for Teaching and Learning, UCY, 26 September 2018.

Language Assessment Literacy: Theory and Practice

Department of Social and Political Sciences, University of Cyprus, 12 May 2018.

Teacher Development Day in TESOL

Department of Languages and Literature, University of Nicosia, 29 April 2017.

ELT for a Day

English Section of the Language Centre of the University of Cyprus, 20 May 2017.

Online Course: Dyslexia and Foreign Language Teaching

Lancaster University, April – May 2017.

Online Course: Designing Assessments to Measure Student Outcomes

The American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, January – February 2017.

Online Course: Teaching Pronunciation

Cambridge English Teacher, July 2016.

Online Course: Grammar for Teachers: Language Awareness

Cambridge English Teacher, July 2015.

Online Course: Corpus Linguistics: Method, Analysis, Interpretation

Lancaster University, September – November 2014.

Seminar in Sociolinguistics and Linguistic Anthropology: A Trans-Atlantic Dialogue

Kings College in London, January 2010.

Training: Joining the Practitioner Network at Essex

University of Essex, September–October 2009.

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Course Study Guides for the BA & MA in English Studies, European University Cyprus

Courses for which study guides were prepared:

1. Discourse Analysis (undergraduate course)
2. English Language Teaching (ELT) Methodology (postgraduate course)
3. Language and Gender (undergraduate course)
4. Second Language Acquisition (undergraduate course)
5. Semantics and Pragmatics (undergraduate course) (co-author)
6. Teaching Methodology in ESL (undergraduate course) (co-author)

Cyprus Linguistics Society (CyLing) elected assistant secretary
2021–2023

CONFERENCE/WORKSHOP ORGANIZATION

Heritage Languages and Variation (HELV), University of Cyprus (23–25 September 2022)
Co-organizers: Natalia Pavlou and Kleanthes K. Grohmann.
Website: <https://helv2022.wixsite.com/website>

Perspectives on Language Variation and Attitudes (PLAVA), *conference postponed twice before cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic*.
Co-organizer: Kleanthes K. Grohmann.
Website: <https://plava2020.wixsite.com/website>

Conference Panel Organizer for the 8th International Conference on Intercultural Pragmatics and Communication at the University of Cyprus (08–10 June 2018)
Co-organizers: Anita Fetzer, Sonja Kleinke, Andreas Musolff, Daniel Weiss.

LANGUAGES

Greek: Native
English: Fluent
French: Conversational

Spanish: Conversational
German: Beginner

IT SKILLS

Microsoft Office
GradeMark
Moodle/Blackboard

Zotero
ELAN
Internet

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Linguistics Association of Great Britain	May 2012–present
IATEFL	August 2015–present
Cyprus Linguistics Society (CyLing)	October 2015–present
Societas Linguistica Europaea	April 2017–present
CyTEA (Cyprus Teachers of English Association)	November 2017–present
MATSDA (Materials Development Association)	September 2021–present

REFERENCES COULD BE GENERATED UPON REQUEST