

10th International Summer University
“GREEK LANGUAGE, CULTURE, AND MASS MEDIA”

***Spreading and teaching the Greek language in the Greek diaspora in
the U.S.A.***

MALIOTIS CULTURAL CENTER
Campus of Hellenic College Holy Cross, Brookline
May 28 – June 2 2024

University of Ioannina – School of Education,
Department of Early Childhood Education
Social Issues, Mass Media and Education Laboratory

Maliotis Cultural Center of the Hellenic College Holy Cross

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- Ecumenical Patriarchate, Greek Education Department*
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- Boston University Philhellenes*
- The University of Chicago, Center for Hellenic Studies*
- Setor de Grego, Instituto de Letras, Rio De Janeiro University*
- Study in Greece*
- National Gallery – Alexandros Soutsos Museum*



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Maliotis Cultural Center, Hellenic College Holy Cross

Tuesday, May 28, 2024

(Condakes Refectory)

08:00-08:45 B r e a k f a s t d i s c u s s i o n

Until 10:00: Arrivals of guests and participants at the Maliotis Cultural Center (campus of Hellenic College Holy Cross at 50 Goddard Avenue) in Brookline.

(Maliotis Cultural Center, Atrium)

18:30-20:30 Welcome dinner. Welcoming the participants and the supporters of the International Summer University. Welcome remarks by the Founder and the Academic Director of the program, Nikoletta Tsitsanoudis-Mallidis, and the Executive Director of the Maliotis Cultural Center, Chrysoula Kourkounti.

*Launch with the melodies of the New England Greek Orchestra.

*Remarks

-Anna Batistatou, Rector of the University of Ioannina, Professor of Medicine, School of Health Sciences.

-Symeon Tegos, Consul General in Boston.

-Rev Gregory-Telemachos Stamkopoulos, MSc, PhD, Protopresbyter of the Ecumenical Throne, Associate Director of Greek Education Department, Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America.

*Lecture:

-Alexis Phylactopoulos, Executive Chairman of the Board College Year in Athens.

Greece as a regional academic hub and the Greek language: opportunities and limitations.

*Buffet-style reception.

End of 1st program day



Wednesday, May 29 2024

(Condakes Refectory)

08:00-08:45 Breakfast discussion

(Maliotis Theatre)

09:00 Launch of the activities of the 10th International Summer University “Greek Language, Culture, and Mass Media”.

Moderators:

Chrysoula Kourkounti

Nikoletta Tsitsanoudis-Mallidis

Tasos Nousias, Actor, Director: From the darkness to the light of the narration. A rare acoustic experience.

“Through the Askitiki of the global Greek Kazantzakis we will travel through the colors and the style of the Greek language. In its deeper meanings and conceptual construction. In the signifier and the signified. In order to achieve this, the narration will be experienced in complete darkness, thus trying to raise the listener-viewer, not only intellectually but also sensorially and spiritually. Because the richness of the Greek language is holistic”.

Remarks/Introductory speeches

09:05-09:20 Kyriakos Pierrakakis, Minister of Education, Religious Affairs, and Sports (recorded remarks).

09:20-09:30 Giorgios Kotsiras, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs (recorded remarks).

09:30-09:55 Ioannis Chrysoulakis, Secretary General for Greeks Abroad and Public Diplomacy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Learning Greek as a key pillar in our diaspora foreign policy.

09:55-10:20 Anna Batistatou, Rector of the University of Ioannina, Professor of Medicine, School of Health Sciences.

The role and the contribution of the Greek Public University to the Greeks abroad.

10:20-10:30 Kostas Karamanis, Member of the Governing Council of the University of Ioannina, Professor at the Department of Accounting and Finance, School of Economics and Administrative Sciences (recorded remarks).

The importance of academic extroversion in the current globalized environment.

10:30-10:50 Aikaterini Plakitsi, Member of the Governing Council of the University of Ioannina, Professor at the Department of Early Childhood Education, School of Education.

International academic activities in connection with the Greek diaspora as a national strategy: A lasting challenge.

10:50-11:00 Christos Michalakelis, Associate Professor at the Department of Informatics and Telematics of Harokopio University, President of the Board of Directors, Study in Greece (recorded remarks).

Study in Greece: Attracting dynamically foreign students to the international study programs of Greek universities.

(Kafeneion)

11:00 -11:30 C o f f e e b r e a k.

(Maliotis Theatre)

Moderators:

Nikoletta Tsitsanoudis-Mallidis

Chrysoula Kourkounti

Marina Papadopoulou

11:30-11:45 Rev Gregory-Telemachos Stamkopoulos, MSc, PhD, Protopresbyter of the Ecumenical Throne, Associate Director of Greek Education Department, Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America

Greeting remarks.

11:45-12:00 Demetrios S. Katos, President of Hellenic College Holy Cross

Greeting remarks.

12:00-12:15 Drake G. Behrakis, President Marwick Associates

The Greek diaspora and its contribution to the spread of Greek culture.

12:15-12:25 Chrysoula Kourkounti, Executive Director of Maliotis Cultural Center.

The role and the contribution of the Maliotis Cultural Center to the promotion of the Greek language and the Greek culture.

12:25-12:35 George M. Cantonis, ex President of Hellenic College Holy Cross.

Greeting remarks.

12:35-13:00

-Vasileios Kafkas, President of the Federation of Hellenic-American Societies of New England.

-George Tsoukas, President of the Hellenic Community of Greater Montreal.

«Έλληνας καλεῖσθαι τοὺς τῆς παιδείας τῆς ἡμετέρας μετέχοντας».

-Vasilis Papastergiadis, President of the Greek Community in Melbourne and Victoria.

(Condakes Refectory)

13:00-14:00 L u n c h

(Maliotis Theatre)

Moderators:

Anastasia Giannakidou

Nikos Mathioudakis

Anastasia Zoi

14:00-14:20 Anastasia Giannakidou, Frank J. McLoraine Professor of Linguistics and the College Director, Center for Hellenic Studies Department of Linguistics, University of Chicago. *Greek Language and Greek Studies.*

14:20-14:45 Olga Mentzafou, Honorary Director of Exhibitions and Museum Programming, President of the Board of Directors, National Gallery – Alexandros Soutsos Museum, Art Historian.

The contribution of the Greek diaspora in establishing the National Gallery.

Screening of the TV spot – tribute to the National Gallery – Alexandros Soutsos Museum.

Important milestones of the history of the National Gallery – Alexandros Soutsos Museum.

14:45-15:15 Syrago Tsiara, Doctor of Art History, Director of the National Gallery – Alexandros Soutsos Museum.

National Gallery – Alexandros Soutsos Museum: An emblematic art museum against the challenges and the necessities of the modern era.

15:15-15:30 Jimmy Demetro, Former President of the Greek Film Festival of New York.

Teaching Greek: Beyond the classroom.

**Evening cultural activity
(optional)**

18:00-20:00 Visit at the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston (MFA Boston), one of the biggest museums in the United States, hosting more than 500,000 pieces of art from around the world. Guided tour offered at the Behrakis Wing of the Museum, which includes exceptional spaces with natural light, innovative screens, interactive experiences, and immersive performances of an ancient Greek temple

End of 2nd program day



Thursday, May 30

(Condakes Refectory)

08:00-08:45 Breakfast discussion

(Maliotis Theatre)

Moderators:

Zoe Gavriilidou

Nicolas Prevelakis

Alexandra Pavlaki

09:00-09:05 Hellenic Choir of Brussels

“The song of the Archipelago,” part of “Orientations.” Poetry: Odysseus Elytis. Music: Elias Andriopoulos. Choir editing: Dimitris Karvounis. Idea/teaching/direction: Christos Gkakoudis. Piano: Melina Tsinavou. Photography: Giannis Dimas. Recording/sound curation, video creation: Thomas Kardakaris. Production: Greek Choir in Brussels 2024 (recorded presentation, exclusive for the 10th International Summer University).

09:05-09:25 Nicolas Prevelakis, Assistant Director of Curricular Development at the Center for Hellenic Studies and Lecturer on Social Studies, Committee on Degrees in Social Studies, Harvard University.

Beyond heritage: The value of learning the Greek language and the Greek culture outside of Greece.

09:25-09:35 Evangelia E. Ntzani, MD, PhD; Professor and Head, Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, University of Ioannina School of Medicine, Ioannina, Greece. Center for Evidence Synthesis in Health,

Department of Health Services, Policy and Practice, School of Public Health, Brown University, RI, USA(διαδικτυακή σύνδεση).

The role of Greek language in forging academic resilience: An individual and public asset.

09:35-09:55 Zoe Gavriilidou, Professor of Linguistics, Democritus University of Thrace, former Vice Rector, Visiting Professor at the University of Chicago.

Good practices for the sustainability of Greek as a Cultural Heritage Language.

09:55-10.:15 Penelope Kambakis Vougiouklis, Emerita Professor, former Dean of the School of Classics and Humanities, Democritus University of Thrace, Asimakis Fliatouras, Assistant Professor, Department of Greek Philology, Katerina Gavra, Post-graduate student at the Master's program "Specialization in IT and Special Education," Grigorios Maniatis, Graduate of the Department of Greek Philology, Savvina Chatzianastasiou, Graduate of the Department of Greek Philology, School of Classics and Humanities, Democritus University of Thrace, Ioanna Pepa, Post-graduate student of professional translation LOGOS Kolegji Universitar.

The dialectical hypervariety in Thrace: A first approach.

10:15-10:35 Penelope Kambakis Vougiouklis, Emerita Professor, former Dean of the School of Classics and Humanities, Democritus University of Thrace.

Thracian dialects: Attitudes and teaching practices in higher education.

10:35-10:55 Lamprini Grigori, Professor of English Language, Director of Astypalaia Junior High School with High School classes.

Teaching Greek and "reading" a place through the poetry of Odysseus Elytis".

(Kafeneion)

10:55-11:30 C o f f e e b r e a k.

(Maliotis Theatre)

Moderators:
Elena Griva
Tzina Kalogirou
Markella Patitsas

11:30-12:10 Zoi Mpella-Armaou, Doctor of the Department of Philology, School of Philosophy, University of Athens, Honorary school advisor for philologists, Editor at Gutenberg publications, Translator, Literary critic, Antri Michail, Professor at the University of Picardie Jules Verne, Amiene,

France, Director at the Centre de Recherches En Arts et Esthétique, Art Curator.

Literary text and rhetoric activities. The dialogue with other arts. An application in "Murderess" of Al. Papadiamantis.

12:10-12:30 Tzina Kalogirou, Professor at the Department of Pedagogy and Primary Education, School of Education, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Director of the Master's Program "Rhetoric, Humanities, and Education» and the Master's Program "Social sciences and Humanities in Education."

Creative and didactic encounters between Greek and English poetry: The interlingual and intertextual dialogue of two Nobel Laureate poets: Seferis and Heaney.

12:30-12:45 Paschalis Dimou, School Advisor for Teachers H.E. Magnesia, ASPETE Volos, Magda Vitsou, Doctor in Theater Education, Special Teaching Staff at the Department of Early Childhood Education, University of Thessaly.

Multimodal theater-pedagogical actions in the teaching of the Greek language as a 2nd or as a foreign language.

12:45-13:00 Stelios Taketzis, President of the Hellenic Public Radio of New York COSMOS FM.

From the ancient theater to TikTok: The lasting role of the Greek language in communicating with the masses.

(Condakes Refectory)

13:00-14:00 L u n c h.

(Maliotis Theatre)

Moderators:

Penelope Kambakis - Vougiouklis

Emil Theodoropoulos

Zoi Mpella-Armaou

14:00-14:15 Vicky Flessa, Journalist, Writer (recorded remarks)

From Homer to Callas. The route of the Greek language in 40 centuries.

14:15-14:30 Nikos Mathioudakis, Foreign Lecturer of Modern Greek Language at the Department of Modern Greek Studies, University of Belgrade.

Teaching Modern Greek language and literature through word and image knowledge books.

14:30-14:50 Kostas Dardanos, President at the Association of Greek Publishers and Booksellers, Publisher at Gutenberg Publications (virtual remarks).

Top American writers translated in Greek.

14:50-15:05 George A. Christodoulou, Theater writer, Director

Learning the Greek language through a theater play: From the conception to the premiere.

15:05-15:30 Rene Styliara, Poet, Writer.

A letter to those that do not read.

Parallel workshop
(Maliotis Dining Room)

Triantafyllos H. Kotopoulos, Professor at the Department of Early Childhood Education, University of Western Macedonia, Director at the Interdepartmental Master's Program "Creative Writing."

Teaching Greek as a second/foreign language with the aid of Creative Writing.

Evening cultural activity
(optional)

18:00-20:00 Reception offered by the General Consulate of Greece in Boston, on the occasion of the International Summer University at the Maliotis Cultural Center.

End of 3rd program day



Friday, May 31
(Condakes Refectory)

08:00-08:45 B r e a k f a s t d i s c u s s i o n

(Maliotis Theatre)

Moderators:
Triantafyllos Kotopoulos
Kostas Dinas
Antri Nichail

09:00-09:15 Georgia Katsouda, Research Director, A' Class Research Center of Modern Greek Dialects and Idioms – ILNE of the Academy of Athens,

Stella Dermentzi, Educator, MSc in Language Teaching, Evgenia Magoula, Professor, Department of Pedagogy and Primary Education, School of Education, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens (virtual remarks).
The language mistake in the learning process: Findings of a survey on the attitudes of primary education teachers and students.

09:15-09:35 Marina Tzakosta, Professor at the Department of Early Childhood Education, School of Education, University of Crete (virtual remarks).

‘How many mistakes fit in mistakes? The language ‘mistake’ as a strategy and a learning guide.

09:35-09:45 George Tsopotos, Ph.D. candidate at the Department of French Language and Literature, School of Philosophy, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Eleni Mpourou, Philologist, Post-graduate student at the Hellenic Open University.

Language mistakes: Versions and ways to=hat educators negotiate them.

09:45-10:00 Nikoletta Tsitsanoudis-Mallidis, Professor at the Department of Early Childhood Education, School of Education, University of Ioannina, Associate in Linguistics, CHS – GR, Harvard University.

The mistake and its contribution in language and in communication: A critical reflection.

Moderators:

Areti Mpita

George Polymeneas

Georgia Moschoviti

10:00-10:30 Nikos G. Xydakis, former Minister of Culture and Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs (2015-2016).

Language and cultural diplomacy: Pillars of soft power for the Greek foreign policy. The wasted capital and the lasting opportunities. From the internal consumption to the robust cosmopolitanism.

10:30-10:45 George Polymeneas, Journalist-Linguist, Doctor at the Department of Translation and Language Sciences, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, Head of Digital Storytelling – *To Vima*.

Language attitudes in the Greek press about the “authentic” Greek language: An attempt to enrich the learning of the Greek language as a foreign language through the historical archive of the newspapers “To Vima” and “Ta Nea”.

10:45-11:00 Dimitris Pefanis, Director of CNN GREECE (virtual remarks).

The role of digital media in preserving language in the diaspora..

(Kafeneion)

11:00-11:30 C o f f e e b r e a k.

(Maliotis Theatre)

11:30-11:45 Christos Rafik Abdin, Journalist at 105,5 FM, “Sto Kokkino.”
Greek language, culture, and mass media: Common characteristics in radio shows and cultural spectacles through the use of language.

11:45-13:00 Round table. Co-panelists, journalists of diaspora media in the U.S.A., of media in Athens, and academics.
Greek language and media in the Greek diaspora of the U.S.A.

With the participation of (alphabetical order):

- Christos Rafik Abdin, Journalist “Sto Kokkino”
- Stamatis Astras, @AstraReport
- Petros Vamvakas, Associate Professor at the Department of Political Sciences and International Relations, Emmanuel College, Director of the Institute of Eastern Mediterranean Studies
- Ted Demetriades, President WNTN Radio-1550 AM/Grecian Echoes
- Eleni Karali, Director of Greek Diaspora ERT
- Thanasis Lalas, Journalist
- Areti Mpita, Journalist ERT
- Nikoletta Papadogianni, Journalist, Radio Producer at Grecian Echoes Radio Station, Communication Specialist
- George Polymeneas, Journalist, Head of Digital Storytelling – To Vima
- Stelios Taketzis, President of the Hellenic Public Radio of New York COSMOS FM.
- Eleanna Tsaneli, Journalist at London Greek Radio
- Eleni Tsalkatidou, Journalist at *MAKEDONIA*
- Nikoletta Tsitsanoudis-Mallidis, Professor at the Department of Early Childhood Education, University of Ioannina, former Journalist.

Moderator: Nikos G. Xydakis, former Minister of Culture and Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs.

(Condakes Refectory)

13:00-14:00 L u n c h

(Maliotis Theatre)

Moderators:
Marina Cheilitsi

Eleni Mpourou

14:00-14:15 Synodia Paraschou, Educator at the Greek school Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral, Carmel, Indiana.

Proposals for the rejuvenation of small afternoon Greek community schools in the United States. The crucial role of the Department of Greek Education, Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America.

14:15-14:30 Emil Theodoropoulos, Doctor of the Department of Early Childhood Education, Teaching Staff at the Centre for the Study of the Hellenic Language and Culture, University of Ioannina, Antonia Mitsi, Doctor of the Department of Early Childhood Education, School of Education, University of Ioannina.

Language and Diaspora, a bidirectional relationship: From theory to practice.

14:30-14:45 Panagiota Kalakou, Doctor of the Department of Pedagogy and Primary Education, School of Education, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Marina Papadopoulou, Ph.D. candidate at the Department of Early Childhood Education, University of Ioannina, Anastasia Zoi, Educator/Musician, Post-graduate student at the Master's Program "Sciences of Education: Interscientific approaches in early childhood and early school years," Department of Early Childhood Education, University of Ioannina.

Teaching and learning the Greek language through songs: the case of the Department of Greek Language in Munich.

14:45-15:30 Stathis Stavropoulous ("Stathis"), Journalist, Cartoonist. Discussion with the students of the International Summer University.

Laconism of language in cartoons.

Parallel workshops

(Maliotis Dining Room)

Magda Vitsou, Doctor in Theater Education, Special Teaching Staff at the Department of Early Childhood Education, University of Thessaly, Paschalis Dimou, School Advisor for Teachers H.E. Magnesia, ASPETE Volos.

Inspiring multilingual life stories: The contribution of the dramatic art in education in teaching in diaspora schools.

(Calypso Karahalios Board Room)

Konstantinos Vlachos, Head of the institution “Glossonauts,” Ph.D. candidate at the Department of Language and Intercultural Studies, School of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Thessaly.

An experiential workshop of accelerated language learning.

Evening cultural activity (optional)

17:00-19:00 Visit the emblematic campus of Harvard University, which, since the American Revolution until the most recent discoveries in science and technology, has been the point of transformative moments in history. The Harvard campus is located by Charles River, at the heart of Cambridge to nearby Allston. A refuge inside the big city, Harvard Yard is a historical hub, while Harvard Square is full of unique shops, international restaurants, bookstores, coffee shops, and theaters. Option for guided tour at the library in small groups of 5 people by father Vasileios Mpempis.

**Meeting point with father Vasileios: McKean Gate, Porcellian Club, 1320-24 Massachusetts Ave, 24 Massachusetts Ave, across Tatte Coffee Shop).*

Regarding access to Harvard Library: <https://library.harvard.edu/visitor-access#welcome>

End of 4th program day



Saturday, June 1

(Condakes Refectory)

08:00-08:45 B r e a k f a s t d i s c u s s i o n .

(Maliotis Theatre)

Moderators:

Stamatia Dova

Ioanna Lekkakou

Emil Theodoropoulos

09:00-09:20 Stamatia Dova, Ph.D., Professor of Classics and Greek Studies, Director, Department of Greek Studies, Classics Program, Kallinikeion Institute, Hellenic College, Brookline, Massachusetts, U.S.A.

Designing Study Program and Reading Proficiency in Teaching Modern Greek as a Foreign Language.

09:20-09:35 Marina Cheilitsi, Doctor of Greek Language and Linguistics, Department of Early Childhood Education, School of Education, University of Ioannina.

One language, many worlds: Modern Greek at the core of academic partnerships between Greece and the U.S.A.

09:35-09:50 Dr. Ioanna Lekkakou, PhD, Dean of Hellenic and Classical Education, Odyssey Charter School District, Delaware.

The role of Greek-speaking charter schools and their position in the U.S. educational system (K-12).

09:50-10:25 Kostas Dinas, Professor at the Department of Early Childhood Education, Eleni Griva, Vice Rector, Professor at the Department of Primary Education, School of Social Sciences and Humanities, University of Western Macedonia.

Modern Greek Paideia: Designing an integrated program of teaching Greek as a language of cultural heritage for students in Canada.

10:25-10:35 Georgia Tsakali, Director of the School “Socrates-Demosthenes” in Montreal.

Trilingual education at the school “Socrates-Demosthenes:” When multilingualism unites cultures and embraces the multiple identities of the Greek-Canadians in Quebec for the last 100 years.

10:35-10:50 Maria Kyriakantonaki-Mpakola, Director of the Greek Afternoon School of Saint Nectarios in Roslindale, MA.

Sowing the seeds of the future: Teaching the Greek language to the new generations in the Greek afternoon schools of the diaspora.

10:50-11:00 Fernanda Lemos de Lima, Professor, Dulcileide Braga, Associate Professor, Graziela Schineider Urso, Postdoctoral fellow Rio De Janeiro University (recorded remarks).

Teaching Greek culture through the Greek language at the Rio De Janeiro University.

(Kafeneion)

11:00-11:30 C o f f e e b r e a k.

(Maliotis Theatre)

Moderators:
Kelly Polychroniou
Despoina Stefanou
Georgia Skiada

11:30-11:45 Marilina Ntaountaki, Head of Greek language department of Saint Andrews the Apostle state school in London- examiner GCSE Greek, Teacher of Greeks as a second/foreign language at Manor hill community Greek School, London correspondent for Alpha TV Greece and cultural and social events journalist for *Eleftheria* Greek newspaper in London.

Teaching Greek as a heritage language and as a foreign language in London: Physiognomy, educational approaches, textbooks.

11:45-12:05 Anna Douvali, Teaching staff, Design and organization of programs and activities, Anastasia Giannikou, Administrative support at the Centre for the Study of the Hellenic Language and Culture, University of Ioannina.

Teaching the Greek language as a second or foreign language: a continuous challenge. The example of the Centre for the Study of the Hellenic Language and Culture of the University of Ioannina.

12:05-12:20 Despoina Stefanou, Postdoctoral Researcher at the Project NEXUS, Université Paul-Valéry – Montpellier 3, Member of the Research Laboratory DIPRALANG, Teaching staff of Greek language and culture.

Greek beyond boundaries: The case of the hybrid model of teaching in the French academic framework.

12:20-12:35 Selim Earls, Interpreter, Teacher of Greek at the European Union, Ph.D. candidate at KU Leuven, Belgium.

The use of Internet in teaching the Greek language and the Greek culture. My experience in the European Union.

12:35-12:50 Eleni Karali, Journalist, Directorate of Greek Diaspora ERT, Ph.D. candidate at the Department of Early Childhood Education, School of Education, University of Ioannina.

The challenge of teaching and learning the Greek language in the Greek diaspora anywhere in the world.

(Condakes Refectory)

12:50-14:00 L u n c h.

(Maliotis Theatre)

Moderators:
Petros Vamvakas
Calliope Dourou
Selim Earls

14:00-14:20 Petros Vamvakas, Associate Professor at the Department of Political Sciences and International Relations, Emmanuel College, Director at the Institute of Eastern Mediterranean Studies.

The timeless dynamics of the Greek language.

14:20-14:40 Theodoros Kalmoukos, Ecclesiastical journalist *The National Herald*.

The contribution of the “National Herald” in protecting, teaching, preserving, and spreading the Greek language in America.

14:40-14:55 Kelly Polychroniou, Director of Modern Greek, Boston University.

Modern Greek class transformation through Chat GPT.

14:55-15:15 Calliope Dourou, Assistant Professor in Modern Greek Studies στο Hellenic College, Visiting Assistant Professor in Modern Greek Studies, Classics Department, Harvard University.

Utilizing technology and artificial intelligence in education, aiming to enrich the educational process.

15:15-15:30 Synodia Paraschou, Educator at the Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral, Carmel, Indiana.

Utilizing Artificial Intelligence creatively at the teaching of Greek as a second or foreign language. Concerns and testing of application in the framework of an anthropocentric approach.

Parallel workshop

(Maliotis Dining Room)

Fevronia K. Soumakis, PhD, Queens College, CUNY, Nicholas Alexiou, PhD, Hellenic American Project, Queens College, CUNY, Evmorfia Argyropoulou, Doctoral Student, Stonybrook University, SUNY.

Greeks in America: Documenting, Teaching, and Preserving our Cultural Heritage.

Evening cultural activity

(Maliotis Theatre)

17:30-19:00 An impressive audiovisual event, inspired and designed by the journalist of 2,500 interviews, Thanasis Lalas.

Lalas’s World.

19:00-19:30 Georgia-Dimitra Moschoviti, Philologist, Graduate of the Master's program Social Policy, University of Peloponnese, Post-graduate student of the Master's program "Modern trends in the linguistics for educators" of the Hellenic Open University, Adult educator. Presentation of the book by Thanasis Lalas and Stamatis Konstantinidis about the man that "brought philosophy down" from the sky to the earth.

"Drinking coffee with Socrates": A verbal documentary of the thought.

End of 5th program day



Sunday, June 2

(Condakes Refectory)

08:00-08:45 B r e a k f a s t d i s c u s s i o n .

(Holy Church of the Holy Cross)

09:30 Mass led by His Eminence Archbishop Elpidophoros of America at the Holy Church of the Holy Cross.

(Kafeneion)

11:00-12:00 L i g h t b r u n c h .

(Maliotis Theatre)

Moderators:

Chrysoula Kourkounti

Nikoletta Tsitsanoudis-Mallidis

12:00-12:05 *Beautiful city*

Music: Mikis Theodorakis

Lyrics: Giannis Theodorakis.

Performed a capella by Anastasia Zoi, Graduate of the School of Classical Singing and School of Piano of the Municipal Conservatory of Ioannina, Educator, Post-graduate student at the Department of Early Childhood Education, School of Education, University of Ioannina.

12:05-13:00 Remarks by His Eminence Archbishop Elpidophoros of America.

(Condakes Refectory)

13:00-14:00 L u n c h.

(Maliotis Theatre)

14:00-14:30 Prokopios Pavlopoulos, former President of the Hellenic Republic, Honorary Professor at the Law School, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Member of the Academy of Athens (recorded remarks from the Academy of Athens).

The contribution of the Greek Language in the “birth” of the Greek Nation and the evolution of Sciences.

14:30-15:00 Graduation ceremony – Certificates of Recognition of Participation

End of 10th International Summer University activities



SCHEDULE OF EXHIBITIONS AS PART OF THE INTERNATIONAL SUMMER UNIVERSITY

Throughout the International Summer University, the following exhibitions will be hosted at the Maliotis Cultural Center οι ακόλουθες εκθέσεις:

1. Exhibition of visual works by the journalist – painter Thanasis Lalas, under the title “Lala’s World” (East Gallery).
2. Exhibition of designs by Professor of the Department of Fine Arts and Art Sciences, School of Fine Arts, and Vice Rector of the University of Ioannina, Xenofon Bitsikas, under the title “Anti-Heroes” (West Gallery).
3. Cartoon exhibition by the cartoonist-journalist Stathis Stavropoulos, under the title “Sketches – Letters from Greece” (Maliotis Cultural Center, Atrium).



Scientific coordination of the program: Nikoletta Tsitsanoudis-Mallidis.
Direction/Organizational supervision: Chrysoula Kourkounti, Nikoletta Tsitsanoudis-Mallidis.
Organizational Committee: Nikos Mathioudakis, Eleni Mpourou, Alexandra Pavlaki, George Tsopotos, Anastasia Zoi, Georgia Moschoviti, Maria Kyriakantonaki, Markella Patitsas, Antony Apostolides.
Coordinators/support team: Emil Theodoropoulos, Marina Papadopoulou.
Trip coordinator for the group: Efi Oikonomou.
Program publication: Vasiliki Kleitsa, University of Ioannina.
Program website: Giannis Sintos, University of Ioannina.



*There might be minimal changes in the schedule. All the announcements will be posted at the program's website <https://summerschool.ac.uoi.gr/>

*Maximum number of participants in the parallel workshops: 8 (eight).

*Evening activities are optional for the participants; transfer is conducted independently. Relevant information is included in the program's website.

*Participants are solely responsible for any activities beyond the program and all the optional activities and the International Summer University bears no responsibility.