

Curriculum Vitae

A. PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME: *ATHANASIOS GIANNARIS*

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B. WORKING EXPERIENCE

2017- present:

- Member of the Laboratory Teaching Staff, Department of Linguistics, University of Athens.

2014 - 2015:

- Teaching Assistant, Department of Linguistics, University of Athens.

2012 - 2013: Research Associate, Centre for the Research of Modern Greek Dialects, Academy of Athens.

2007 - 2008:

- Teaching Assistant, Department of Linguistics, University of Athens.

2006 - 2017:

- High School Teacher (under a permanent contract), Greek Ministry of Education, Research and Religious Affairs)

C. STUDIES

1. UNDERGRADUATE

1999 - 2003:

- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in (Greek) Philology (Major in Linguistics), Department of Philology, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens.

Grade: “*Cum Laude*” (8.05 out of 10).

B.A. Thesis: “The conceptualization of ‘Rule’ in Historical and Modern Linguistics” (Grade: 10 out of 10).

Supervisor: Prof. D. Cheila-Markopoulou.

2. POSTGRADUATE

2003 - 2006:

- Master of Arts (M.A.) in Theoretical Linguistics, Department of Philology, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens.

Grade: “*Suma Cum Laude*” (9.67 out of 10).

M.A. Thesis: “*Periphrastic Constructions with ‘εἰμί + Present Participle’ in Classical and Hellenistic Greek*”. Grade: (10 out of 10).

Supervisor: Prof. D. Cheila-Markopoulou.

2008 - 2009:

- Visiting postgraduate student, Faculty of Classics, University of Cambridge.

Supervisor: Prof. G. Horrocks.

3. DOCTORAL

2007 - 2011:

- Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.), Department of Philology, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens.

Doctoral Dissertation: “*The Diachrony of periphrastic constructions ‘εἰμί/εἶμαι + Participle’ in Greek*”. Grade: “Suma Cum Laude”.

Supervisory Committee: Prof. D. Cheila-Markopoulou (Chair), Prof. A. Moser, Prof. N. Pantelidis (Members).

4. POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCH

2018-2022:

- Post-doctoral research, Department of Mediterranean Studies, University of the Aegean: “*Diachronic Development of Connectives in Late Medieval and Early Modern Greek*”.

Advisor: Prof. E. Karantzola.

3. SUMMER SCHOOLS

- International Summer School in Grammaticalization, GradEast Graduate School in Linguistics, University of Copenhagen, August 18 – 2, 2009, Copenhagen, Denmark.
- Leipzig Spring School on Linguistic Diversity, Max Plank Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology, University of Leipzig, March 25 – April 4, 2008, Leipzig, Germany.
- 1stHiSoN Summer School on Historical Sociolinguistics, 17- 24 August 2007, Lesvos Greece.

4. SCHOLARSHIPS / EDUCATIONAL LEAVES

- 2004: One year scholarship for postgraduate studies in Historical-Comparative Linguistics (awarded by the Greek State Scholarship Foundation - I.K.Y).
- 2008-2010: Three-year scholarship for Ph.D. studies in Historical-Comparative Linguistics (awarded by the Greek State Scholarships Foundation - I.K.Y)
- 2008-2011: Three-year educational leave for Ph.D. studies (awarded by the Greek Ministry of Education, Research and Religious Affairs)
- 2021-2022: Winter Semester Sabbatical.

5. FOREIGN LANGUAGES

- English: C2 (Cambridge Proficiency in English).

- German: B2 (Zentrale Mittelstufeprüfung, Goethe Institut).

6. MEMBER OF LEARNED SOCIETIES

- *The Philological Society* (since 2008)
- *Societas Linguistica Europea* (since 2008)
- *Société d'histoire et d'épistémologie des sciences du langage* (since 2019).
- *The Henry Sweet Society for the History of Linguistic Ideas* (since 2022).

C. TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Academic year 2018 – 2019:
 1. Language Change (Department of Philology).
- Academic year 2019-2020:
 1. *Introduction to Linguistics* (Department of Philosophy, Department of Theatre Studies).
 2. *Semantics* (Department of Philology).
 3. *Language Change* (Department of Philology).
- Academic year 2020-2021:
 1. *Introduction to Linguistics* (Department of Spanish Language and Literature).
 2. *Language Change* (Department of Philology).
 3. *Syntax* (Department of Secondary Education).
- Academic year 2021-2022:
 1. *Language Change* (Department of Philology).
 2. *Syntax* (Department of Secondary Education).
 3. *Linguistics and Philosophy* (Department of Philosophy).
- Academic year 2022-2023:
 1. *Historical Grammar of Ancient Greek* (Department of Philology).
 2. *History of Linguistics* (Department of Philology).
 3. *Language Change* (Department of Philology).
 4. *Syntax* (Department of Secondary Education).

- Academic year 2023-2024:
 1. *Introduction to Linguistics* (Department of Spanish Language and Literature).
 2. *History of Linguistics* (Department of Philology).
 3. *Introduction to Historical Linguistics* (Department of Philology).
 4. *Language Change* (Department of Philology).
 5. *Syntax* (Department of Secondary Education).

D. LECTURES/TALKS

- “A short introduction to (non)-functional explanations on language change”. Civis invited lecture, 6th Naxos Summer School on Diachronic Linguistics, 27-7-2021.
- “Grammaticalization: Theory, methodology, critique”. Invited lecture for the “Language Change” course. Department of Mediterranean Studies, University of the Aegean. Rhodes, 10 Μαΐου 2019.
- “Copular and auxiliary verbs: Grammaticalization and directionality in language change. Talk at the Linguistics Graduate Seminar, 19-11-2010, Department of Philology, Section of Linguistics, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens.
- *Some periphrases in Medieval Greek: an “unexpected form” of an “expected type”*. Talk at the Greek Graduate Seminar, 5-2-2009, Department of Modern Greek, University of Cambridge.

E. PUBLICATIONS

I) BOOKS

1. Giannaris, Th. (2022). *The Diachrony of the Participial Periphrases with the verb ‘είμί/είμαι’ in Greek*. Sophia N. Saripolou 139. Athens: National and Kapodistrian University of Athens.

II) ARTICLES

1. Giannaris, Th. (2023): “The development of the copular participial periphrases in Ancient Greek: evidence for syntactic change and reconstruction”. In N. Lavidas, A. Bergs, E. V.Gelderen, & I. Sitaridou (eds.), *Internal and External Causes of Language Change: The Naxos Papers*. London: Palgrave, McMillan.

2. Giannaris, Th. & N. Pantelidis (2022α): "Perfect 'under construction': A Diachronic Perspective from Medieval and Modern Greek". In N. Lavidas & K. Nikiforidou (eds.), *Studying Language Change in the 21st Century. Theory and Methodologies*. Leiden: Brill, 160-204.
3. Giannaris, Th., E. Karantzola & E. Intzidis (2022β). "From Historical to Synchronic Linguistics in Greece: The Critical Decade of 1970s in its Socio-Historical and Ideological Context". Στο D. Samain & P.-Y. Testenoire (eds.), *La linguistique et ses formes historiques d' organization et de production*. SHESL: Paris, 91-120.
4. Giannaris, Th. & E. Karantzola (2021). "Investigating the diachronic evolution of connectives in Greek: The case of concessive 'αν και'". In Th. Markopoulos, Ch. Vlachos, A. Archakis, D. Papazachariou, G. Xydopoulos and A. Roussou (eds.), *Proceedings of the 14th Conference on Greek Linguistics*. Patras: University of Patras, 293-305 [in Greek].
5. Giannaris, Th. (2019): "Concessive markers in Late Medieval and Early Modern Greek: Factors of Change and Grammatocalization. *Studies in Greek Linguistics* 39, 325-241 [in Greek].
6. Giannaris, Th. & N. Pantelidis (2017): "Lexical archaisms in Modern Greek". In Ch. Tzitzilis & G. Papanastasiou (eds.), *Greek Etymology*. Thessaloniki: Institute of Modern Greek Studies, 310-320.
7. Giannaris, Th. (2011a): "Pluperfect Periphrases in Medieval Greek: A perspective on the collaboration between Philology and Linguistics". *Transactions of the Philological Society* 109 (3), 232-245.
8. Giannaris, Th. (2011a): "The diachrony of 'BE + present participle' in Greek and Old English: Multiple paths in language change". In E. Kitis, N. Lavidas, N. Topintzi & T. Tsangalidis (eds.), *Selected papers from the 19th Symposium in Theoretical and Applied Linguistics, Department of English Language and Linguistics, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki*. Thessaloniki, 205-212.
9. Giannaris, Th. (2009a): "Periphrastic constructions and language contact in Hellenistic koine". *Studies in Greek Linguistics* 29, 269-280 [in Greek].
10. Giannaris, Th. (2009b): "Εἰμί + Present Participle: Between Classical and Hellenistic Greek". In N. Lavidas κ.ά. (eds.), *Proceedings of the 4th Working Meeting of the Postgraduate Students of the Department of Philology, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens*: Athens [in Greek].

III) REVIEWS

1. Giannaris, Th. (2022): "Review of *Perfects in Indo-European Languages and Beyond*, eds. R. Crellin & Th. Jügel. Amsterdam: John Benjamins Publishing. *Journal of Historical Linguistics* 12 (3), 511-519.

IV) CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (without publication)

1. Karantzola, E., Th. Giannaris & E. Intzidis (2020). "Symplcity and Complexity in Linguistic Theory and Language Ideology: Insights from Greek Diglossia". Presentation at the International Conference *Simplicité et Complexité des langues dans l' histoire des théories linguistiques της Société d' histoire et épistémologie des sciences du langage*, January 23-25, 2020, Paris, Université Paris Denis Diderot 7.
2. Giannaris, Th. & P. Karatsareas (2013): "The morphosyntax of adjectival quantification in Modern Greek. Presentation at the 11^o *International Conference on Greek Linguistics*, September 26-29, 2013, Rhodes, University of the Aegean.
3. Giannaris, Th. (2011): "Gradualness in syntactic change: the development of 'BE with participles' periphrases' in Greek. Presentation at the workshop *Gradualness in change and its relation to synchronic variation and use*», May 30-31, 2011, University of Pavia, Pavia.
4. Giannaris, Th. (2010): The formation of the 'coniugatio periphrastica' in Ancient Greek. Presentation at the workshop *The typology of Periphrasis*», June 10-11, 2010 University of Surrey, Guilford.