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12th Annual International Conference on Psychology, 28-31 May 2018, Athens, Greece
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Conference Venue: Titania Hotel, 52 Panepistimiou Avenue, Athens, Greece (close to metro station *Panepistimio*)

Monday 28 May 2018

08:00-08:45 Registration and Refreshments

08:45-09:30 (Room C - 10th Floor): Welcome and Opening Address

Gregory T. Papanikos, President, ATINER.

Nicholas Pappas, Vice President of Academic Membership, ATINER & Professor of History, Sam Houston University, USA.

09:30-11:00 Session I (Room B - 10th Floor): Clinical and Counseling Psychology

Chair: Nicholas Pappas, Vice President of Academic Membership, ATINER & Professor of History, Sam Houston University, USA.

1. Changming Duan, Professor, University of Kansas, USA. Culture as a Determinant of Mental Health and its Intervention: A View Based on Empirical Observations in China.
2. Sandra Zakowski, Professor, Argosy University, USA. Clinical Supervision of Psychology Students Working with Trauma: Ethical and Self-Care Issues.
3. Golfo Tzilos Wernette, Assistant Professor, University of Michigan, USA. Technology-Delivered Brief Intervention for Risk Behaviors during Pregnancy.
4. Timothy Zeiger, Assistant Professor, Penn State College of Medicine, USA, Pevitr S. Bansal, Penn State College of Medicine, USA, Christopher A. Petersen, Penn State College of Medicine, USA, Benjamin N. Fogel, Penn State College of Medicine, USA, Sarah M. Iriana, Penn State College of Medicine, USA, Cheston M. Berlin, Penn State College of Medicine, USA, Ying T. Chang, Penn State College of Medicine, USA, Jolene M. Hillwig-Garcia, Penn State College of Medicine, USA, Fauzia S. Mahr, Penn State College of Medicine, USA, Jasmine Marini, Penn State College of Medicine, USA, Beeta Verma R., Penn State College of Medicine, USA, Kristen G. Yost, Penn State College of Medicine, USA, James Waxmonsky, Penn State College of Medicine, USA & Lidija Petrovic-Dovat, Penn State College of Medicine, USA. Integration and Incorporation of Pediatric Behavioural Health Services within a Tertiary Care Center.
5. Chin-Ping Liou, Counseling Psychologist and Assistant Professor, Fu Jen Catholic University, Taiwan. The Lived Experience of Ch'i in Counseling Practice.

11:00-12:15 Session II (Room B - 10th Floor): Psychology in the Arts, Professions and Work I

Chair: Timothy Zeiger, Assistant Professor, Penn State College of Medicine, USA.

1. Lillian Eby, Professor, University of Georgia, USA. How Physical Features of the Work Environment Relate to Employee Health, Job Satisfaction and Intentions to Quit.
2. Maria-Irini Avgoulas, Associate Lecturer, La Trobe University, Australia & Rebecca Fanany, Associate Professor, Deakin University, Australia. The Symbolic Meaning of Greek Dancing to Health and Wellbeing in Diaspora.
3. Alessandro Soranzo, Reader in Psychology, Sheffield Hallam University, UK. Leonardo's Uncatchable Smile Illusion is Missing in Male Figures.

12:15-13:30 Session III (Room B - 10th Floor): Human Development in a Social Context

Chair: Helen Vrailas Bateman, Associate Professor, Sewanee, The University of the South, USA.

1. Robin Root, Professor, City University of New York, USA. Gendering Development and Globalization in Malaysia.
2. Jimena Silva, Professor, Universidad Católica del Norte, Chile & Monica Guzman, Professor, Universidad Católica del Norte, Chile. The Power of Money in Gender Relations from a Chilean Mining Culture.
3. Monica Guzman, Professor, Universidad Católica del Norte, Chile & Jimena Silva, Professor, Universidad Católica del Norte, Chile. Romantic Attachment and Relationship Satisfaction among men from a Chilean Mining Culture.

13:30-14:30 Lunch

14:30-16:30 Session IV (Room B - 10th Floor): Professional Applications of Psychology

Chair: Maria-Irini Avgoulas, Associate Lecturer, La Trobe University, Australia.

1. Patrick Vyncke, Professor, Ghent University, Belgium. Evolutionary Psychology as a Framework for Enhancing Emotionally Competent Stimuli in Print Advertising.
2. Getrude C. Ah Gang, Lecturer, Universiti Malaysia Sabah, Malaysia. Do Possessing Kadazandusun Traditional Costume and Capability to Play Traditional Music Instrument can Differentiate One's Identity Orientation?
3. Maria Elo, Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Migration Fellow, University of Turku, Institute of Migration, Finland, Indianna Minto-Coy, University of Turku, Finland, Shayegheh Ashourizadeh, University of Turku, Finland, Kent Wickstrøm Jensen, University of Turku, Finland, Ye Liu, University of Turku, Finland & Thomas Schott, University of Turku, Finland. Diasporans' Satisfaction with Job, Work-family Balance, and Life: Entrepreneurs and Employees Compared.
4. Theodoros Papagathonikou, PhD Student, Queen Mary University, UK. Developmental Origins of Psychopathy and Sexual Sadism.
5. Michelle Newberry, Senior Lecturer, Sheffield Hallam University, UK. Public Awareness of Illegal Dog Trafficking in the UK.

16:30-18:30 Session VI (Room C - 10th Floor): ATINER's 2018 Series of Academic Dialogues: A Symposium Discussion on the Challenges of Teaching at Higher Education Institutes in a Globalized World

Chair: Nicholas Pappas, Vice President of Academic Membership, ATINER & Professor of History, Sam Houston University, USA & Patricia Hanna, Head, Philosophy Unit of ATINER & Professor, University of Utah, USA.

Invited Speakers:

1. **Robin Root**, Professor, City University of New York, USA. *"Teaching Global: Meanings and Methods"*.
2. **Peter Siska**, Professor, University of St. Cyril and Methodius, Slovakia. *"Spatial and Temporal Comparative Analyses of Teaching Effectiveness and its Future in Higher Education"*.
3. **Tennyson Samraj**, Professor, Burman University, Canada. *"The Challenges Involved in Teaching Post-Modern Minds"*.
4. **Changming Duan**, Professor, University of Kansas, USA. *"How to Integrate a True International Perspective in Teaching Psychology?"*
5. **Mark Ludorf**, Professor, Stephen F. Austin State University, USA. *"Addressing Student Heterogeneity in the Classroom"*.

21:00-23:00 Greek Night and Dinner

Tuesday 29 May 2018

07:45-11:00 Session VII: An Educational Urban Walk in Modern and Ancient Athens

Chair: Gregory A. Katsas, Vice President of Academic Affairs, ATINER & Associate Professor, The American College of Greece-Deree College, Greece.

Group Discussion on Ancient and Modern Athens.
Visit to the Most Important Historical and Cultural Monuments of the City (be prepared to walk and talk as in the ancient peripatetic school of Aristotle)

11:15-13:00 Session VIII (Room B - 10th Floor): Psychology in Education

Chair: Gregory T. Papanikos, President, ATINER.

1. Tammy Allen, Professor, University of South Florida, USA. What Keeps You Up at Night?: Work Design and Sleep Among University Faculty.
2. Mickael Campo, Associate Professor, Université Bourgogne Franche-Comté, France & Benoit Louvet, Associate Professor, Université Rouen Normandie, France. Emotional Competences: The Role of Interpersonal Emotion Regulation on Physical Performances among Adolescents.
3. Sandra Velez Candelario, CEO / Researcher, Young Human Capital Research Center, Puerto Rico, USA. Construction and Validation of the First Scale that Measure Family Organizational and Administrative Functionality.
4. Yosi Yaffe, Senior Lecturer, Ohalo Academic College, Israel. State and Trait Anxiety in Adolescents with Learning Disabilities Integrated into the Regular Class Compared to Their Counterparts in the Special-Education Class - A Pilot Study.

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:30 Session IX (Room B - 10th Floor): Developmental, Child and Educational Psychology

Chair: Alvin Keyes, Associate Dean / Associate Professor, North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University, USA.

1. Helen Vrailas Bateman, Associate Professor, Sewanee: The University of the South, USA. Childhood Obesity and its Relationship to Social Isolation and Exercise Avoidance.
2. Efrat Barel, Lecturer, Emek Yezreel College, Israel. Developmental Patterns of Cognitive Abilities.
3. Imen Mammam, PhD Student, University of Tours, France, René Clarisse, University of Tours, France & Nadine Le Floc'h, University of Tours, France. Chronotype, Time of Day and Development Level as Predictive Factors of Mnestic Performance in Adolescents Assessed in an Academic Context.

15:30-17:00 Session X (Room B - 10th Floor): Special Issues

Chair: Sandra Velez Candelario, CEO / Researcher, Young Human Capital Research Center, Puerto Rico, USA.

1. Alvin Keyes, Associate Dean / Associate Professor, North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University, USA. The Impact of Trial Certainty on the Negative Slow Wave.
2. Simon Howard, Assistant Professor, Marquette University, USA. "They All Still Look the Same to Me": Navon Processing and the Cross-Race Effect.
3. Chua Bee Seok, Lecturer, Universiti Malaysia Sabah, Malaysia & Jasmine Adela Mutang, Universiti Malaysia Sabah, Malaysia. Neurofeedback Training: An Innovative Technique to Self-Regulate Stress and Anxiety.
4. Arturo Enrique Orozco, Researcher, Universidad Autónoma del Estado de México, Mexico. Effects of Attitudes and Beliefs on Bullying and the Experience of Victimization.
5. Nino Gugushvili, PhD Student, Tbilisi State University, Georgia. Intolerance of Ambiguity and its Relation with Uncertainty, Anxiety and Environmental Mastery.

20:00- 21:30 Dinner

Wednesday 30 May 2018
Mycenae and Island of Poros Visit

Thursday 31 May 2018
Delphi Visit

Friday 1 June 2018
Ancient Corinth and Cape Sounion

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1. Gregory T. Papanikos, President, ATINER.
2. Nicholas Pappas, Vice President of Academic Membership, ATINER & Professor of History, Sam Houston University, USA.
3. Thanos Patelis, Head, Psychology Unit of ATINER & Research Scholar, Fordham University, USA.
4. Patricia Hanna, Head, Philosophy Unit of ATINER & Professor, University of Utah, USA.
5. Patrick Vyncke, Academic Member, ATINER & Professor, Ghent University, Belgium.
6. Helen Vrailas Bateman, Academic Member, ATINER & Associate Professor, Sewanee, The University of the South, USA.
7. Timothy Zeiger, Academic Member, ATINER & Assistant Professor, Penn State College of Medicine, USA.
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9. Michelle Newberry, Academic Member, ATINER & Senior Lecturer, Sheffield Hallam University, UK.
10. Maria-Irini Avgoulas, Academic Member, ATINER & Associate Lecturer, La Trobe University, Australia.
11. Alessandro Soranzo, Reader in Psychology, Faculty of Development & Society, Sheffield Hallam University, UK.
12. Sandra Velez Candelario, CEO / Researcher, Young Human Capital Research Center, Puerto Rico, USA.

The Organizing Committee of the conference was:

1. Olga Gkounta, Researcher, ATINER.
2. Hannah Howard, Research Assistant, ATINER.
3. Despina Katzoli, Researcher, ATINER.
4. Eirini Lentzou, Administrative Assistant, ATINER.
5. Konstantinos Manolidis, Administrator, ATINER.
6. Vassilis Skianis, Research Associate, ATINER.
7. Kostas Spyropoulos, Administrator, ATINER.