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Parthenon view from Lycabettus Hill under the shadow of an olive tree

News

- The Director of the [Center for Data Science \(CDS\)](#) at the Athens Institute, **Dr. Timothy M. Young** (*Professor Emeritus and Interim Director at the University of Tennessee's Data Science Institute for Machine Learning and AI, USA*), visited ATINER's offices from September 29 to October 2. During his visit, he met with ATINER's President, Dr. Gregory T. Papanikos, to discuss the further development of the Center for Data Science (CDS).
- The Athens Institute is organizing a **Microsymposium on “AI in Business Analytics”** as part of the 18th Annual International Conference on Global Studies: Business, Economic, Political, Social and Cultural Aspects, 18-21 December 2024, Athens, Greece under the academic leadership of **Dr. Theodore Trafalis**, Head, [Industrial Engineering Unit](#), Athens Institute, Professor of Industrial & Systems Engineering and Director, Optimization & Intelligent Systems Laboratory, The University of Oklahoma, USA ([more details](#))
- The Athens Institute is organizing a **Microsymposium on “The Mediterranean: Cradle of Civilization and World Economic Center”** as part of the 18th Annual International Conference on Mediterranean Studies, 14-18 April 2025, Athens, Greece under the academic leadership of **Dr. Pedro Fernández Sánchez** (*Associate Professor, Universidad San Pablo-CEU, CEU Universities, Spain*) and **Dr. María del Carmen García Centeno** (*Associate Professor, Universidad San Pablo-CEU, CEU Universities, Spain*) ([more details](#))
- The Athens Institute is organizing a **Microsymposium on “Integrating Oral Society Globally, Innovation and Contemporary Library Trends and Practice”** as part of the 12th Annual International Conference on Library and Information

Science, 28-31 July 2025, Athens, Greece, under the academic leadership of Dr. Nkhangweni Mahwasane, Information Librarian, University of Venda, South Africa ([more details](#))

- The [Sociology Unit](#) and the [Health & Medical Sciences Division](#) of the Athens Institute are organizing a **Microsymposium on “Forensic Mental Health”**, 5-8 May 2025, Athens, Greece, under the academic leadership of Dr. Philip Candilis (*Professor, George Washington University, USA*) and Dr. Susan Hatters-Friedman (*Director, Forensic Psychiatry, UH Cleveland Medical Center, USA*) ([more details](#))
- The Athens Institute is organizing a **Microsymposium on Migration** as part of the **18th Annual International Conference on Global Studies: Business, Economic, Political, Social and Cultural Aspects**, 18-21 December 2024, Athens, Greece, under the academic leadership of Dr. Mehmet Cevat Yildirim, Lecturer, Gaziantep University, Turkey ([more details](#))
- The Director of the **Centre for Business and Public Sector Ethics**, based in Cambridge, UK, Dr. Rosamund Thomas, will be retiring after 36 years of distinguished leadership. In light of this, the Centre is seeking an organization interested in acquiring and overseeing its future operations. The Centre is currently registered as a UK educational charity, but it is open to restructuring in order to meet the legal and operational requirements of a new host organization in any country. For further information, including Dr. Thomas's contact details, please visit the Centre's official website: www.ethicscentre.org.

Publications Uploaded This Month

[Athens Journal of Business & Economics](#)

[Athens Journal of History](#)

[Athens Journal of Humanities & Arts](#)

[Athens Journal of Law](#)

[Athens Journal of Mass Media and Communications](#)

[34 Forthcoming Papers](#)

Forthcoming Conferences Organized by ATINER

ATINER is organized into 7 [Divisions](#), 37 [Units](#) and 8 [Centers](#). Each one organizes at least one annual academic event (conferences, symposiums, roundtable discussions etc.). All events are small academic gatherings as these are described in ATINER's [mission](#) and [policy](#).

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