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## EDUCATION

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- **Barcelona School of Economics (BSE); GPA: 8.13/10** Barcelona, Spain  
*Master of Science in Economics (Degree awarded jointly by Universitat Pompeu Fabra)* 09/2023– 07/2024

**Relevant courses:** Microeconomics 1, Macroeconomics 1-2, Econometric Methods 1-2, Time Series Analysis, Advanced Time Series, Macro-Finance, Labor Economics, Foundations of Data Science

- **Athens University of Economics and Business (AUEB); GPA: 8.17/10** Athens, Greece  
*Bachelor of Science in Economics (Track: Economic Theory and Policy)* 09/2018– 06/2023

Salutatorian (2<sup>nd</sup> highest GPA (top 3%) in my graduating class)

**Relevant courses:** Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Econometrics, Game Theory and Uncertainty, Industrial Organization, Public Finance, Monetary Theory and Policy

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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- **Hellenic Foundation for European & Foreign Policy (ELIAMEP)** Remote  
*Research Economist (Internship)* 05/2024–08/2024
  - I collected and analysed data about the start-up ecosystem, conducted literature review and co-authored the final report on the effects of the MIT Enterprise Forum incubator in the startup ecosystem.
- **Self-employed** Athens, Greece  
*Private tutor* 07/2023–08/2023
  - I taught Mathematical Economics and Introductory Microeconomics to undergraduate university students.
- **Hellenic Gaming Commission** Athens, Greece  
*Economist (Internship)* 07/2022–09/2022
  - I conducted data analysis and manipulation of financial-related data (revenues, expenditures and profit margins of gaming companies).
  - I implemented statistical analysis of data and created a framework for finding out companies with abnormally high revenues and profit margins, in order for the Hellenic Gaming Commission to make targeted inspections.

## PUBLICATIONS

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- **Kolokythas A. (2022)** How public investments in green transition can boost Greece's productivity?, Proceedings of the 28th Economia Student Essay Contest, Economia Publishing (Kerkyra Publications), (in Greek)

## SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS

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- **N. Themelis Memorial Scholarship, Prime Minister of Greece Constantinos Simitis Foundation, 2023**  
Merit-based scholarship to cover tuition for the Master of Science in Economics at the Barcelona School of Economics.
- **5<sup>th</sup> prize in the 28<sup>th</sup> Economia Essay Contest Student, 2022**
- **Distinction in the Euroscola Contest, 2018**
- **INTRAWAY LTD-Management and Technology Consultants, 2017**  
Scholarship to attend the 7<sup>th</sup> Youth Entrepreneurship Summer School at the Athens University of Economics and Business (AUEB).

## VOLUNTEERING & OTHER ACTIVITIES

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- **Entrepreneurship and Startups Research Network (ESRN)** Lesvos, Greece  
*Editor in Chief* 08/2022–08/2023
  - I managed a team of undergrad students, with whom we created and published a variety of short videos about entrepreneurship as well as some articles about this topic.
  - I took part in the writing of a couple of those articles. Additionally, I provided editing and proofreading for the articles written by the other members of the team.
- **Greek Army** Lesvos, Greece  
*Private* 11/2022–08/2023
  - During this period I served the mandatory military service in my country, Greece.
- **Unique Minds** Athens, Greece  
*Student Volunteer* 03/2022–06/2022
  - I presented my undergraduate department and provided consultation to interested high school students.

## LANGUAGES AND TECHNICAL SKILLS

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- **Languages:** Greek (Native), English (Fluent–C2), French (Intermediate–B1)
- **Programming & Tools:** Python, R, Stata, MATLAB, Julia, LaTeX, SPSS, Git