

CURRICULUM VITAE

I. PERSONAL DATA

Name : **NIKOLAOS G. PAPADIMITRIOU, MD, Ph.D.**

II. STUDIES

2006-2007 : Fellowship in Adult Reconstructive Surgery- Hospital for Special Surgery; NewYork-Presbyterian Hospital, Weill Medical College of Cornell University. New York Chapter of the Arthritis Foundation awarded a Stavros S. Niarchos International Fellowship to study 'The molecular mechanisms of aseptic loosening in joint replacement ' at Laboratory of Osteolysis Research at Hospital for Special Surgery; NewYork-Presbyterian Hospital, Weill Medical College of Cornell University (USA)

2001-2002: Fellowship in Hand and Upper Extremity Surgery, Arthroscopy and Microsurgery. University of Pittsburgh. Department of Orthopaedic Surgery (USA).

2000-2001.Fellowship in Arthroscopy, Shoulder, Sports Medicine and Orthopaedic surgery. The Orthopaedische Universitaet Klinik, Homburg/Saar (Germany) and The Orthopaedische Universitaet Klinik Heidelberg, (Germany).

1993-1999: Ph.D. Thesis: "The Changes in Bone Mass following Surgical Interventions to the Stomach Gastrectomy/Vagotomy)", Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (Greece), Medical School. Grade : Excellent. Awarded the "Alexander Kalos" Excellency Award.

1993-1999 :Post-Graduate Courses. Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (Greece). Grade: Excellent.

1993 – 1994: Medical Assistant - Medical Social Service. Kozani General Hospital, Kozani (Greece).

1986-1992: Medical Degree. Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (Greece), Medical School. Graduated with honors.

1979-1985: Completion of Secondary Education. A' Senior High School of Thessaloniki (Greece). Graduated with honors.

III. CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

May 2002 to present : Appointed as Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon in 2nd University Orthopaedic Clinic, of Aristotle university of Thessaloniki, 2nd Pesy, G.Genimatas, Hospital Thessaloniki (Greece).

March 2000: Licensed Orthopaedic Surgeon in EU.

November 1996 to March 2000: Residency in Orthopaedics.1st University Orthopaedic Clinic, G. Papanikolaou Hospital, Thessaloniki (Greece).

March 1995 to September 1996: Residency in Orthopaedics. Orthopaedic Clinic, 424 Military Hospital, Thessaloniki (Greece).

March 1994 to February 1995: Residency in General Surgery and Trauma. 3rd University Surgical Clinic, American Hellenic Educational Progressive Association (AHEPA) Hospital, Thessaloniki (Greece).

1993 – 1994: Medical Assistant - Medical Social Service.Kozani General Hospital, Kozani (Greece).

Fellowships

September 2006- September 2007

Fellowship in Adult Reconstructive Surgery- Hospital for Special Surgery; NewYork-Presbyterian Hospital, Weill Medical College of Cornell University.

April 2001-March 2002

Fellowship in Hand and Upper Extremity Surgery, Arthroscopy and Microsurgery University of Pittsburgh Department of Orthopaedic Surgery (USA).

Mainly application of arthroscopy in the fields of orthopaedic diseases of the hip, Hand, knee, shoulder, ankle, elbow and management of sports injuries also doing research and learning new procedures in Hand and Upper extremity Surgery and the application of Free vascularized fibular graft in Avascular Hip Necrosis.

November 2000 – February 2001

Fellowship in Arthroscopy, Shoulder, Sports Medicine and Orthopaedic surgery.

The Orthopaedische Universitaet Klinik Heidelberg, (Germany).

April 2000 to November 2000:

Fellowship in Arthroscopy, Sports Medicine and Orthopaedic surgery.

The Orthopaedische Universitaet Klinik, Homburg/Saar (Germany).

Mainly application of arthroscopy in the fields of orthopaedic diseases of the knee, shoulder, hip, ankle, elbow and management of sports injuries.

January 1999 to February 1999:

Observership in Orthopaedic Surgery.

Orthopaedische Universitaet Klinik II, Heidelberg (Germany).

January 1990 to December 1992:

Fellowship in Orthopaedic Surgery.

Children's Orthopaedic Clinic, Thessaloniki (Greece).

August 1990 to September 1990:

Observership in Orthopaedic Surgery.

The University Orthopaedic Clinic of Nottingham (UK).

July 1989 to August 1989:

Observership in Orthopaedic Surgery.

Orthopaedische Klinik of Olga Hospital, Stuttgart (Germany).

August 1988 to August 1988:

Observership in Orthopaedic Surgery.

Orthopaedische Universitaet Klinik II, Heidelberg (Germany).

IV. PUBLICATIONS

Medical books

1. "Orthopädie" by Prof. Cotta and Prof. Puhl, University of Heidelberg. Contribution to the translation (German to Greek) of the 5th edition. Published by Parisianios publications in Greece. ISBN:960-394-1743
2. Review of Hand Surgery By Pedro K Beredjiklian, MD and David J Bozentka, MD 304, Approx. 250 illustrations, Copyright 2004. B. Saunders Title. Published by Elsevier Health Sciences Product, ISBN: 072-160-188X. Contributions to chapter 6 topic <<Fractures of the hand wrist and forearm axis>>.

Medical Journals

1. **Nikolaos G. Papadimitriou**, Aggeliki Papadimitriou, John E. Christophorides, Theodoros A. Beslikas, and Perikles K. Panagopoulos. Late-Presenting Developmental Dysplasia of the Hip Treated with the Modified Hoffmann-Daimler Functional Method. **J Bone Joint Surg Am. 2007;89:1258-1268**
2. Papadimitriou NG, Papadimitriou A, Christophorides J, Beslikas TA Stress fractures in Children. A review of 37 cases. **European Journal of Orthopaedic Surgery & Traumatology Volume 17, Issue 2, 2007**

3. Papadimitriou NG, Christophoridis J, Papadimitriou A, Beslikas TA. Acute torticollis after isolated stress fracture of the first rib in a child. A case report. **J Bone Joint Surg Am.** 2005 Nov;**87(11):2537-40**
4. Beslikas TA, Panagopoulos PK, Gigis I, Nenopoulos S, Papadimitriou NG, Christoforides JE. Chronic osteomyelitis of the pelvis in children and adolescents. **Acta Orthop Belg.** 2005 Aug;**71(4):405-9.**
5. Papadimitriou NG, Christophorides J, Beslikas TA, Doulianaki EG, Papadimitriou AG. Post-traumatic cystic lesion following fracture of the radius. **Skeletal Radiology** 2005 Jul;**34(7):411-4.**
6. Chou KH, Papadimitriou NG, Sarris I, Sotereanos DG. Neovascularization and other histopathologic findings in an autogenous saphenous vein wrap used for recalcitrant carpal tunnel syndrome: A case report. **J Hand Surg [Am]** 2003 Mar;**28(2):262-6**
7. Sarris IK, Papadimitriou NG, Sotereanos DG. Bipolar hemiarthroplasty for chronic rotator cuff tear arthropathy. **J Arthroplasty** 2003 Mar; **18 (2) : 169-73**
8. Sarris IK, Papadimitriou NG, Sotereanos DG. Radial Tunnel Syndrome. **Techniques in Hand and Upper Extremity Surgery** 6(4): 209-212; Dec 2002
9. Ferraz IC, Papadimitriou N G, Sotereanos DG. Scapular body nonunion: a case report. **J Shoulder Elbow Surg** 2002 Jan-Feb;**11(1):98-100**
10. Major Traumatic Injuries of the Upper Extremities Rehabilitation with Myoelektric Protheses. J. Mpisxiniotis, J. Mperovalis, N.G.Papadimitriou, N. Tziris, A. Aidonopoulos. Orthopaedics **J Ortho Traum Ass Mac Thra** (12) :1 54-57 1998 .

11. Case report Bone Defect of Distal Radius Bridging with sliding Bone Craft. J. Mpisxiniotis, I. Reisis, J. Dokmetzioglou, N.G. Papadimitriou, A. Aidonopoulos. **Orthopaedics (J Ortho Traum Ass Mac Thra) 10:1 62-67 1997.**
12. The Role of Enders Intramedullary Nailing in the Treatment of Femur Fractures. J. Mpisxiniotis, I. Reisis, J. Dokmetzioglou, N.G. Papadimitriou, A. Aidonopoulos. **Published in the book of Professor George Makris (1996).**
13. Traction Injuries of Upper Extremity. J. Mpisxiniotis, N. Koylouris, N. Papadimitriou, N. Tziris, A. Aidonopoulos. **Published in the book of Professor George Makris (1996).**
14. Küntscher Intramedullary Nailing as an Alternative in the Treatment of Polytrauma Patients. J. Mpisxiniotis, J. Dokmetzioglou, N. Tziris, N.G. Papadimitriou, I. Bojatzis, A. Aidonopoulos. **Surgical review 1: 239-242 (1996).**
15. Acute Hematogenous Osteomyelitis of the Pelvis in Childhood. N. Sferopoulos, N.G. Papadimitriou, T. Beslikas, I. Kirkos, V. Papavasiliou. **Acta Orthopaedica Hellenica, Vol. 47, No. 1 15-17 (1996)**
16. The Operative Treatment of Equinovarus Deformity in Childhood with the Method of Strayer Thom. G. Papadimitriou, N.G. Papadimitriou, N. Sferopoulos, S. Nenopoulos, B. Papabasileiou. **Acta Orthopaedica Hellenica 46:2 123-6 (1995)**

Presentations and Seminars

Lectures

1. **November 11 2003** in Orthopaedic Surgeons meeting in G.H. Genimatas hospital topic **Posttraumatic Arthritis**
2. **March 5 2005**, hotel Macedonia Palace Thessaloniki meeting of Pediatric Orthopaedic Surgeons.- **Conservative treatment of Developmental dysplasia of the HIP. The modified Hoffmann-Daimler Method .**

3. July 9 2007 visiting lecturer -Topic the modified hoffman-daimler method - Orlando, florida -medical center –Arnold palmer hospital for children

Participation to 70 Medical Congresses 61 presentations in Greece and abroad. Some of the presentations in International Congresses are the following:

- 1. The Modified Hoffmann-Daimler Functional method for the treatment of late presenting Developmental Dysplasia of the Hip Papadimitriou, N.; Beslikas, T.*; Chitas, A.; Papageorgiou, T.; Tsiantzis, K.; Christophorides, J.;E-POSTER : 10th EFORT Congress-EFORT 2009 –VIENNA Austria 3-6 june 2009**
- 2. Application of the Ellis External Fixator system in distal humeral fractures in children, Is it advantageous? Beslikas, T.; Papadimitriou, N.; Tsiantzis, K.; Parisidou, P.; Papageorgiou, T.; Christophorides, J.; E-POSTER : 10th EFORT Congress-EFORT 2009 –VIENNA Austria 3-6 june 2009**
- 3. 101 late diagnosed hips with developmental dislocation of hip treated with modified Hoffmann-Daimler method. It will be presented as a poster in Dresden (Germany)during the 25TH EPOS (European Paediatric Orthopedic Society Meeting), April, 05-08, 2006**
- 4. Treatment of Avascular Necrosis of the Femoral Head with Free Vascularized in children and adolescence. Nikolaos G. Papadimitriou, Anton Y. Plakseychuk, Dean G. Sotereanos. Department of Orthopaedic Surgery University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, Pennsylvania, U.S.A. Presented at the 21th Annual Congress of Orthopaedics and Traumatology Association of Macedonia and Thrace. MAKEDONIA PALACE, Thessaloniki, Greece (9-12 May 2002**
- 5. Vascularized bone crafting for the treatment of scaphoid non-union. Presentation o 11 cases. Nikolaos G. Papadimitriou, Dean G. Sotereanos. Department of Orthopaedic Surgery University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, Pennsylvania, U.S.A. Presented at the 58th Congress of the Greek Association of Orthopaedics and Traumatology , Hyatt Regency Hotel, Thessaloniki, Greece (22 – 27 October 2002)**

6. **Symptomatic pseudarthrosis of styloid of ulna. Results after arthroscopic resection and TFCC reconstruction.** Nikolaos G. Papadimitriou, Dean G. Sotereanos. Department of Orthopaedic Surgery University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, Pennsylvania, U.S.A. Presented at the 58th Congress of the Greek Association of Orthopaedics and Traumatology , Hyatt Regency Hotel, **Thessaloniki, Greece (22 – 27, October 2002)**
7. **Hip arthroscopy of 199 cases. Diagnostic and therapeutic efficiency in hip diseases.** Nikolaos G. Papadimitriou , Srino Bharam , M. J. Philippon. Department of Orthopaedic Surgery University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, Pennsylvania, U.S.A. Presented at the 3rd annual Congress of knee surgery and arthroscopy of the Greek Association of Orthopaedics , **Athens,Greece. (21-22, June 2002)**
8. **Postgastrectomy Bone Disease.** N. Papadimitriou, G. Kapetanos, F. Sayegh, M. Karamouzis. 1st Mediterranean Conference on New Strategies in Diagnosis and Treatment of Osteoporosis. **Malta. (July 1-4, 1999).**
9. **Greater Trochanteric Bursitis Pain Syndrome in Patients with Chronic Low Back Pain and Sciatica.** F. Sayegh, G. Kapetanos, N. Papadimitriou, C. Dimitriou, J. Pournaras. 4th Congress of the European Federation of National Associations of Orthopaedics and Traumatology (EFORT). **Brussels, Belgium. (June 3-8, 1999).**
10. **The Significance of Quantitative Morphometry in the Assessment of Osteoporotic Vertebral Fractures in Males.** N. Papadimitriou, G. Papadimitriou, G. Kapetanos, F. Sayegh. 4th Congress of the European Federation of National Associations of Orthopaedics and Traumatology (EFORT). **Brussels, Belgium. (June 3-8, 1999).**
11. **The Changes in Bone Mass following Surgical Interventions to the Stomach (Gastrectomy/Vagotomy).**N. Papadimitriou. Ph.D. Thesis. Awarded the "Alexander Kalos" Excellency Award. 7th Conference of the Greek Association of Bone Metabolism Studies. **Chalkidiki, Greece. (May 1999).**
12. **Radial Closing Osteotomy for Kienbock's Disease.** C. Dimitriou, G. Kapetanos, P. Symeonides, N. Papadimitriou, J. Pournaras. 1st Hellenic/Bulgarian Medical Meeting. **Athens, Greece. (1998).**

13. **Correlation of Bone Mineral Density of Spine and Spine Deformity Index (SDI).** N. Papadimitriou, I. Bischiniotis, G. Kapetanos. 3rd Greek/German Congress. **Athens, Greece. (1998).**
14. **Sonographic Assessment of Callus Formation after the Maquet Procedure.** N. Papadimitriou, G. Goubas, T. Karanassos.
 - i. Orthopaedic Balkan Congress. Thessaloniki, Greece. (1997),
 - ii. 3rd Congress of the European Federation of National Associations of Orthopaedics and Traumatology (EFORT). Barcelona, Spain. (1997).
 - iii. Osteosynthese International Gerhard Kuntscher Kreis. **Hamburg, Germany. (1996).**
15. **The Role of Laparotomy in the Management of Polytrauma Patients with Unstable Fractures of the Pelvis and the Acetabulum.** J. Bischiniotis, G. Goutzamanis, N. Tziris, N. Papadimitriou, A. Aidonopoulos. The 36th World Congress in Surgery. **Lisbon, Portugal. (1995).**

VI. Professional services

Orthopaedic instructor -medical students- Aristotle University of Thessaloniki Greece 2002-2007

Orthopaedic instructor -surgical residents- 2 nd Orthopedic Department University of Thessaloniki 2002-2007

VII. ADDITIONAL SKILLS

Languages:

GERMAN: fluent

ENGLISH: fluent

GREEK: mother tongue

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