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MAPW, Diploma in Processwork (Dipl.PW)
Certified Process Worker
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STUDIES

- June 2011 – Diploma/Master of Arts in Process Work (PW. Dipl/MAPW) – Process
May 2015 Work Institute, Portland, Oregon, USA.
- October 1998 – Training Program in Cognitive Behavioral Therapy - Institute for
July 2002 Research and Treatment of Conduct
- October 1993 – Faculty of Psychology–School of Philosophy of the Aristotele University
June 1998 of Thessaloniki.
Bachelor’s Degree in Psychology. Grade: 7,25 (“Very Good”)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- November Counseling and Psychotherapy Services locally and internationally,
2008 - present working with Individuals and Couples and offering Training and
Facilitation services to Groups.
- August 2018 - Member of the Scientific Team at Orlando LGBT+ Mental Health
present Without Stigma.
Member of the Scientific Committee and instructor in the Annual
Educational Program for Counseling and Psychotherapy with LGBT+
individuals and families.
- October 2017 - Group and individual supervision for professionals and organizations
present that work with refugees and immigrants in Greece and abroad, such as:
- DIOTIMA- Centre for Research on Women’s Issues (CRWI)
 - ARSIS-Association for the Social Support of Youth
 - Doctors without Borders (MSF)
 - Greek Council for Refugees. (GCR)

- January 2016 – April 2017 – Portland Processwork Clinic Associate. Counseling Services to Individuals and Couples.
- October 2016 – April 2017 – Admissions and Outreach Coordinator, Process Work Institute, Portland, Oregon.
- September 2013 – July 2015 – Rivers Way Training Clinic, Portland, Oregon. Counseling Services to Individuals and Couples.
- August 2012 – June 2013 – Counseling to LGBT youth and their families as well as to teachers of primary and secondary education in the context of the Hotline 1528 created by OLKE (<http://www.olke.org>) in cooperation with the General Secretariat for Youth in order to raise awareness against social discrimination.
- September 2009 - March 2011 – Associate in the European Program “+Anaptyxi” (development). This is a program providing services to refugees, immigrants, political asylum seekers, aimed at social inclusion and securing equal vocational opportunities
- October 2003 – October 2008 – Therapy Center for Depended Individuals – (KETHEA – DIAVASI)
Member of the Therapeutic Team:
- Information and Motivation Groups for Addicts
 - Information and Motivation Groups for Parents
 - Therapeutic and Self-help Groups
 - Individual Support and Counseling Sessions
- March 2000 – July 2002 – ARSIS – Association For The Social Support of Youth
Psychosocial Support Counselor. Individual Counseling and Animation – Communication Groups for Youngsters.
Cooperation with Centers for Vocational Learning
Volunteer Supervision Groups
- March 1999 – March 2000 – Mental Hygiene Community Center, Byronas - Kessariani, Eginitio Hospital.
Psychosocial Rehabilitation Program for Patients with Chronic Mental Illnesses.
Individual and Group Action Planning, Aiming at Development of Creative Activity and Psychological Support.
(Volunteer Work)
- April 1999 – March 2000 – ARSIS – Association For The Social Support of Youth
Planning of Creative Activity Classes for Young People
(Volunteer Work).

TEACHING AND TRAINING

April 2017	Worldwork Seminar, Porto Heli, Greece. Small group Facilitator
January 2014 January 2015 January 2016 January 2017	Annual Processwork Winter Intensive, Process Work Institute, Portland Oregon. Assistant Teacher.
April 27 – May 1, 2014	Worldwork Seminar, Warsaw, Poland. Small group Facilitator
November 2013	27 th Annual Oregon Mediation Association Conference. Workshop Instructor: “Making Space For all Voices to be Heard”
September 2012 – May 2013	Co-trainer in the Teachers Empowered program aimed at supporting and empowering teachers of all levels of education (http://processworkhub.gr/endynamosi/index.htm)
April 2013	48 th Primary Education District of Attica. Workshop Instructor: “Adverse socio-economic factors and behavioral difficulties at school”

AFFILIATIONS

- International Association of Process Oriented Psychology.
- Network of Processwork professionals in Greece. Processwork Greece.
- Orlando LGBT+ Mental Health Without Stigma. Scientific Associate.
- Living Stages. Theatre of the Oppressed Organization. Board Member (2016-2017)

PUBLICATIONS

Bouronikou, V., Lobo, L. (2020). *Dreaming Into Community. A Guidebook to Worldwork*. Eldership Academy Press.

Bouronikou, V. (2016). *The Art of Creative Emptiness. The Emergence of the Spirit of the Clown as a Metaskill*. Published in Partial Fulfillment of the Requirements for the Completion of the Diploma Program and Master of Arts in Processwork. Process Work Institute, Portland, Oregon

Bouronikou, V., Topa, M. & Pitta, R. (1999). *Conceptual Mental Images as an Interpretative Factor of the Mental Lexicon Organization*. Studies on the Greek Language. Annals of the 19th Linguistics Department Meeting– Aristotle University of Thessaloniki 1999.

Bouronikou, V. (1998). *Motives, Social Prestige and Job Selection*. Degree Thesis. Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.

LANGUAGES

Greek: Native Speaker

English: Proficiency

French: Certificat de Langue Française