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Between 1998 and 2008, she was Director of Studies and Scientific coordinator of the Postgraduate Studies Programme Science of Translation at the Department of Foreign Languages, Translation and Interpreting of the Ionian University. She has been teaching at this Programme, ever since its establishment, as well as at the Common Greek-French Postgraduate Studies Programme entitled “Sciences de la Traduction–Traductologie et Sciences Cognitives” (Université de Caen and Ionian University). Also, she offers courses at the inter-faculty Postgraduate Studies Programme of Greek as a foreign language of the Faculty of Philology of the University of Athens (2010-).

Since 2004-05, she serves as Academic Coordinator-Director of the Master's Programme "Teaching French as a Foreign Language" of the Hellenic Open University and coordinator of the Course "Educational Technology in French Language Teaching". She is also member of the Central Examinations Committee of the State Certificate of Language Proficiency (KPG) of the Ministry of Education (2007-) and scientific coordinator of the examination of Turkish language proficiency (2008-).

Selected publications (5)

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- *Elements of Contrastive Grammar of English and Turkish. Greek in the Minority Schools of Thrace*. Athens: OEDB, 1994 [and 2nd ed. 2004, Athens: Papazisis Publications, 347 pp.] (in Greek).
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