

BRIEF CURRICULUM VITAE



Katerina Mouratidou was elected and appointed Lecturer (faculty member) at the Department of Physical Education and Sports Science (TEFAA) of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (AUTH) in 1999 and currently serves as Professor of the subject "Pedagogy of Physical Education and Sports". She holds two basic degrees: One from the Department of Physical Education and Sport Science and one from the Department of Psychology/Faculty of Philosophy, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki. She completed her doctoral studies and received the corresponding degree from the Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln-Germany. In addition, at the same German university she attended and completed a specialization in "Body Theatre".

Her **research interests**, in recent years, have focused on the scientific field of Sports Pedagogy and in particular on supporting children's social-moral competence, social integration, creativity, and emotional expression in the context of physical education and sport, as well as on promoting gender equality within the school context.

She has published more than 50 scientific publications (monographs, book chapters, and articles in scientific journals, also in collaboration with other researchers) and has presented numerous scientific papers in prestigious international publications and conferences. In addition, she has taught in undergraduate and postgraduate curricula of Greek and European universities, as well as in curricula of the International Olympic Academy. She has supervised a significant number of postgraduate and doctoral theses. Furthermore, she has reviewed dozens of scientific papers in North American, European and Greek scientific journals and has been and is a member or leader of research groups in European and Greek research projects.

On an **administrative level** and in the context of her academic career, she has served as coordinator of important committees in the Department (for example, the Undergraduate Program Committee, the Internal Evaluation Team, the Study Guide Committee, the Qualifying Examinations Committee, etc.) and was the one who

authored, submitted and successfully claimed from the Institute of Educational Policy the *automatic pedagogical competency* for the graduates of the Department). Finally, in the period 1-12-2017 to 31-8-2020 she served as Head (President) of the Department.

On an **artistic level**, in the context of teaching the elective course "Kinetic Theatrical Play" (which she introduced in the curriculum and teaches since more than 20 years), she established theatre groups with students of the Department and participated in the renowned institution of the "University Theatre Festival" (which takes place annually in the city of Serres with participants from Greece and Europe) with more than five performances. Today she collaborates with the Cultural Club of Orpheus Serres, participating as a director (and assistant director) in performances of the student theatre group of this club.