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RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Greek and Latin languages and literature; ancient and Byzantine scholarship and grammar; reception of ancient scholarship in the Byzantine period; textual criticism; palaeography; papyrology; digital humanities

EDUCATION:

- 2012 D.Phil. Classical languages and literature, University of Oxford, Lincoln College
Thesis title: 'Pseudo-Arcadius' Epitome of Herodian's *Περὶ καθολικῆς προσωδίας*; with a critical edition and notes on Books 1–8' (Supervisors: Professors Philomen Probert and Nigel Wilson; Examiners: Professors Patrick Finglass and Ineke Sluiter)
- 2008 MSt Greek and/or Latin languages and literature, University of Oxford, Lincoln College
- 2007 BA Classical Studies (Class Valedictorian), University of Cyprus

PUBLICATIONS:

➤ Books

- S. Roussou and P. Probert, *Ancient and Medieval Thought on Greek Enclitics* (Oxford University Press, 2023)
- S. Roussou, *Pseudo-Arcadius' Epitome of Herodian's De prosodia catholica* (Oxford University Press, 2018). Winner of the 2020 Academy of Athens Award for the best monograph or critical edition in classical philology and the First Book Award 2020, awarded by the Classical Association of the Middle West and South in the USA)

➤ Peer-reviewed articles

- S. Roussou, 'Λέξεις ῥωμαῖαι κατὰ στοιχεῖον in *Barocci* 50 and *Burney* 124: on Greek lexicographical sources and the *Suda*', *Greek, Roman, and Byzantine Studies* 62.3 (2022) pp. 341–364
<https://grbs.library.duke.edu/article/view/16848/7519>
- S. Roussou, 'On short and long syllables', *Oxyrhynchus Papyri* 86 (2021) pp. 30–32
- S. Roussou, 'Grammatical definitions and declensions', *Oxyrhynchus Papyri* 86 (2021) pp. 32–37
- P. Probert and S. Roussou, 'The invention of the Greek prosodic signs', *Journal of Hellenic Studies* 139 (2019) pp. 125–146
- S. Roussou, 'ὁμότονος: when did words have the same accent?', *Mnemosyne* 71 (2018) pp. 265–280
<https://www.jstor.org/stable/26572913>
- S. Roussou, 'The reception of Herodian in the Byzantine period: the case of Theognostus', *Greek, Roman, and Byzantine Studies* 57.2 (2017) pp. 482–506
<https://grbs.library.duke.edu/article/view/15799/6987>
- S. Roussou, 'Distinguishing between concrete and abstract nouns: A terminological innovation in Herodian?', *Rheinisches Museum* 160 (2017) pp. 393–409
<https://www.jstor.org/stable/45174334>

S. Roussou, 'Numerals or grammatical numbers in Book 15 of Herodian's *Περὶ καθολικῆς προσωδίας?* The limits of word-and-paradigm morphology,' *Classical Philology* 107.3 (2012) pp. 238–247
<https://doi.org/10.1086/665635>; <https://www.jstor.org/stable/10.1086/665635>

➤ **Article in thematic volume**

S. Roussou, 'New readings in the text of Herodian', in Sean A. Adams (ed.) (2019), *Scholastic Culture in the Hellenistic and Roman Eras: Greek, Latin, and Jewish* (Berlin) pp. 83–101

➤ **Book reviews**

Review of I. Matijašić, *Timachidas Rhodius* (Leiden; Boston: Brill 2020). *Journal of Hellenic Studies* (forthcoming)

Review of M. Seppänen, *Defining the art of grammar: ancient perceptions of γραμματική and grammatica* (Turku 2014). *Bryn Mawr Classical Review* 2014.09.24
<https://bmcr.brynmawr.edu/2014/2014.09.24>

➤ **Encyclopedia entries**

S. Roussou, 'Chiasmus (Hellenistic Greek)', in G. Giannakis, B. Joseph, M. Janse, E. Crespo, I. Manolassou, and P. Filos (eds.) *Encyclopedia of Greek Language and Linguistics (EGLL)*, Brill (forthcoming)

S. Roussou, 'Aelius Herodianus', in F. Montanari and A. Rengakos (eds.) *Encyclopedia of Greco-Roman Scholarship*, De Gruyter (submitted)

S. Roussou, 'ἀντίστοιχος', in F. Montanari and A. Rengakos (eds.) *Encyclopedia of Greco-Roman Scholarship*, De Gruyter (submitted)

S. Roussou, 'Arcadius', in F. Montanari and A. Rengakos (eds.) *Encyclopedia of Greco-Roman Scholarship*, De Gruyter (submitted)

S. Roussou, 'Aristarchus', in A. Sommerstein (ed.) (2019), *Encyclopedia of Greek Comedy*, Wiley-Blackwell Press

S. Roussou, 'Callistratus', in A. Sommerstein (ed.) (2019), *Encyclopedia of Greek Comedy*, Wiley-Blackwell Press

S. Roussou, 'Didymus Chalcenterus', in A. Sommerstein (ed.) (2019), *Encyclopedia of Greek Comedy*, Wiley-Blackwell Press

S. Roussou, 'Euphronius', in A. Sommerstein (ed.) (2019), *Encyclopedia of Greek Comedy*, Wiley-Blackwell Press

WORK IN PROGRESS:

Book *Theognostus' Canones: a bridge between the ancient and byzantine worlds*

Book *Learning how to spell in antiquity and the Middle Ages: a selection of antistoechic lexica*

Assistant Editor for the *Greek and Roman Humanities Encyclopedia: Scholarship* (General editors: F. Montanari and A. Rengakos, Publisher: De Gruyter)

PROFESSIONAL AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

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| 2021– | Assistant Professor in Ancient Greek Literature, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki |
| 2021 | Post-doctoral Research Fellow at the Academy of Athens (research funded by the Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation) |
| 2018–20 | Post-doctoral Research Fellow, University of Cyprus Department of Classics and Philosophy |
| 2018 | Instructor, University of Cyprus Department of Classics and Philosophy |

- Ancient Greek Prose Composition
- 2018 Tutor, Joint Association of Classical Teachers (JACT) Greek Summer School, Bryanston School, Dorset, UK
- 2018 Tytus Fellow (Spring Semester), University of Cincinnati Department of Classics
- 2017 Researcher on a joint project funded by the John Fell Oxford University Press Research Fund, Wolfson College's Lorne Thyssen Research Fund for Ancient World Topics (due to a successful grant application by Philomen Probert), and the A. G. Leventis Foundation (due to a successful joint grant application on which I took the lead) for research towards the book *Ancient and Medieval Thought on Greek Enclitics* that Philomen Probert and I have recently completed (see above under the section 'Books'), University of Oxford, Wolfson College
- 2016 Teaching Assistant in a Seminar on Byzantine grammar, University of Cologne
- 2014–16 Humboldt Post-doctoral Research Fellow at the University of Cologne
- 2012–14 Research Associate, *Thesaurus Linguae Graecae (TLG)*, University of California, Irvine
Responsible for all aspects of digitization of the *TLG* corpus. Conducted research on a variety of projects, supervised graduate student researchers
- 2009–11 Instructor, University of Oxford
Reading classes on Herodotus 8 and Euripides' *Bacchae*
- 2005-9 Research Associate, University of Cyprus
Assisted in the preparation of G. A. Xenis (ed.) (2010), *Scholia Vetera in Sophoclis Electram* (Berlin and New York: De Gruyter) and of G. A. Xenis (ed.) (2010), *Scholia Vetera in Sophoclis Trachinias* (Berlin and New York: De Gruyter)
- 2004–5 Research Assistant, University of Cyprus
Assisted Professors Charalambos Symeonides and Georgios Xenis in the preparation of their Ancient Greek-modern Greek lexicon (*Λεξικό Αρχαίας Ελληνικής Γλώσσας – Α', Β', Γ' γυμνασίου*), for students of State Lower Secondary Schools in Greece
- 2004 Excavation team member, Archaeological Unit of the University of Cyprus (supervisor: Professor Demetrios Michaelides)

GRANTS, AWARDS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS:

- 2021– Post-doctoral Research Fellowship funded by the Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation at the Academy of Athens
- 2020 Academy of Athens Award for the best monograph or critical edition in classical philology, for the book *Pseudo-Arcadius' Epitome of Herodian's De prosodia catholica*, Oxford University Press, 2018
- 2020 First Book Award for the book *Pseudo-Arcadius' Epitome of Herodian's De prosodia catholica*, Oxford University Press, 2018, awarded by the Classical Association of the Middle West and South (CAMWS), USA
- 2018–20 Post-doctoral Research Fellowship, University of Cyprus Department of Classics and Philosophy
- 2018 Tytus Fellowship (Spring Semester), University of Cincinnati Department of Classics
- 2017 Three-week Research Scholarship, Fondation Hardt
- 2017 Center for Hellenic Studies two-week Fellowship, Harvard University
- 2014–16 Humboldt Post-doctoral Research Fellowship, University of Cologne
- 2007–10 Sloane Robinson Foundation Graduate Award, Lincoln College, Oxford

- 2007–8 Graduate grant from the A. G. Leventis Foundation
- 2007 Class Valedictorian (for the highest mark in all three departments of the Faculty of Letters, University of Cyprus)
- 2007 Prize for the best academic performance in the Department of Classics and Philosophy during the years 2003–7, University of Cyprus
- 2003–7 Scholarship from the Cyprus State Scholarship Foundation for my undergraduate studies at the University of Cyprus, for obtaining the highest mark in the National Examinations for admission to the Department of Classics and Philosophy, University of Cyprus
- 2003 Award for the highest marks in the final examinations among all pupils of the same school year, 2nd Lanition Lyceum
- 2003 Award for performance in Latin, 2nd Lanition Lyceum
- 2003 Award for performance in Ancient and Modern Greek, 2nd Lanition Lyceum
- 2003 First prize in the Fourth Competition in Ancient Greek, Organization to internationalize the Greek language

EXAMINING OF DOCTORAL THESES:

- 2023 Member of a seven-member committee for the examination of:
Kalamara, Zoe 'Νόστος Ἀχαιῶν: the return of the Achaeans in fragmentary Aeschylean and Sophoclean tragedies'
- 2022 Member of a seven-member committee for the examination of:
Kourtoglou, Aikaterini '*Laws and decrees in the political speeches of Demosthenes: historical and philological commentary*'

OUTREACH:

- March 2017 Invited outreach talk on 'Herodian and the Greek language: rules of thumb for accenting Greek enclitics' to a general audience of c. 400 people, at an event organized by the Center for Hellenic Studies in Greece and the Society for the Promotion of Education and Learning (SPEL; otherwise called Filekpaideutiki Etairia). The talk and discussion were simultaneously translated so as to be available in both English and Greek
- February 2017 Participation as a Roman Maths Teacher in the Festival of Ancient and Modern Science that took place in Oxford

WORKSHOP ORGANIZED:

- February 2017 Workshop on Ancient Grammar, Institut für Altertumskunde, University of Cologne

INVITED LECTURES AND TALKS:

- April 2021 One of the three keynote speakers in the Colloquia Ceranea III, University of Lodz (Łódź), Poland. Title of lecture: 'Why textual criticism of obscure grammatical texts matters'
- September 2018 Colloquium of the Department of Classics and Philosophy, University of Cyprus. Title of paper: 'The reception of Herodian in Choeroboscus and Theognostus'
- March 2017 For an invited outreach talk to a large general audience, see under 'Outreach'

June 2016 Invited lecture on 'The reception of ancient grammar in the Byzantine period: the case of Theognostus and Choeroboscus' in the context of a course on Language and Literature in Byzantium (Institut für Altertumskunde, University of Cologne)

CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, AND SEMINARS:

June 2023 Workshop 'Editing Ancient Grammatical Texts: Challenges and Opportunities', Oxford. Title of paper: 'The Περί ἀντιστοιχῶν in MS. Barocci 10 and MS. Barocci 48'

January 2018 Annual Meeting of the Society for Classical Studies, Boston. Title of paper: 'Distinguishing between concrete and abstract nouns: A terminological innovation in Herodian?'

May 2017 Ancient World Research Cluster Seminar at Wolfson College, University of Oxford. Title of paper: 'Don't talk about recursion: ancient Greek rules of thumb for getting enclitic accents roughly right' (joint with Philomen Probert)

May 2017 Comparative Philology Seminar (University of Oxford). Title of paper 'εἴ πέρ τις σέ μοί φησὶν ποτε. Accenting sequences of enclitics in ancient Greek' (joint with Philomen Probert)

April 2017 Conference on 'Ancient Scholarship: Scholastic Culture in the Hellenistic and Roman Eras' (University of Glasgow). Title of paper: 'New readings in the text of Herodian'

February 2017 Workshop on Ancient Grammar (Institut für Altertumskunde, University of Cologne). Title of paper: 'New readings in the text of Herodian'

November 2016 Third Scholarly Meeting of Master's Students, Doctoral Students, and Researchers of Aristotle University of Thessaloniki and University of Cologne; Programme of Scholarly Collaboration funded by DAAD (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki). Title of paper: 'ὁμότονος: when did words have the same accent?'

June 2016 Work-in-Progress Seminar (Institut für Altertumskunde, University of Cologne): Title of paper: 'Difficult passages in Pseudo-Arcadius' Epitome of Herodian's Περί καθολικῆς προσωδίας'

September 2015 Colloquium Grammaticum (University of Leiden). Title of paper: 'The preface to Pseudo-Arcadius' Epitome of Herodian's Περί καθολικῆς προσωδίας'

October 2013 Seminar for doctoral students at the University of California, Irvine. Title of presentation: 'Textual Criticism'

March 2012 Symposium on 'Synchrony and Diachrony: Variation and Change in Language History' (Philological Society UK, Oxford). Title of paper: 'Dating a Greek grammatical text: the interdependency of change and variation'

June 2011 Seminar on Scholars and Scholarship in the Greek and Roman Worlds (Faculty of Classics, Oxford). Title of paper: 'Late antique and Byzantine perspectives on Herodian's Περί καθολικῆς προσωδίας'

June 2010 Herodian Workshop (Faculty of Classics, Oxford), Title of paper: 'Doubtful sections in Pseudo-Arcadius' Epitome'

ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES AT THE SCHOOL OF PHILOLOGY OF THE ARISTOTLE UNIVERSITY OF THESSALONIKI:

2022– Elected Member of the Department of Classics at the School of Philology Assembly

- 2022– Member of the Erasmus Committee of the Department of Classics, School of Philology
- 2021– Member of the Committee for the construction of the new website of the School of Philology

SERVICE:

- 2019– Acting as a referee for books submitted to Walter de Gruyter
- 2014– Acting as a referee for *Classical Quarterly*, *GRBS*, *Rheinisches Museum*, and *Historiographia Linguistica*
- 2013–14 Participated in the administration of the examination for the Certificate of Attainment in Greek (<https://www.tlg.uci.edu/CAG/>) at the University of California, Irvine