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PROFILE

I was born in **Thessaloniki** on **17/04/1969**. I have been living and working in **Athens** since **1989**.



EDUCATION

Private Film School

EYGENIAS XATZIKOY

From 1989 to 1991

Cameraman / Photographer

Technical Vocational High School

From 1987 to 1989

Electronic

SKILLS

Adobe Photoshop

Adobe Premier

Adobe After Effect

Adobe Illustrator

Adobe InDesign

Adobe Audition

Adobe Prelude

Adobe Acrobat

Adobe Dimension

Adobe Lightroom

Adobe Character

Autocad

Cinema 4D

Smith Micro Poser

Microsoft Office

Professional experience

32

 years of experience

1988 until today

In the 1st year of school, my involvement with photography begins, mainly as a set **photographer**, but also in advertising and tourism.

1989 until today

From 1989 until today I work in **Cinema** and **Television**, in the **photography department**, initially as an **assistant cameraman** and **cameraman** and then as a **director of photography** with participation in over 12 short and full length films.

1992 to 2018

From 1992 to 2018 I deal with the **design** and **construction** of lighting fixtures

1994 until today

In 1994 I founded **GouaStudio** with mrs. Maria Gyftodimou. A group of artists working on everything about image.

1995 until today

Since 1995 I started to deal with the theater as a **Lighting Designer** having lightened up to date more than 200 dance and theater performances.

1999

I undertake the **technical design** and **technical supervision** of the New Year events of the municipality of Lamia for the **Millennium** while later in the same year I undertake the lighting design of the **Cyprus Research Theater Week**, at the "Rialto" theater in Limassol.

2000 to 2003

I undertake the **technical design** and **technical supervision** of **electrical / theatrical installations** and equipment of the multi-space "Art Gate".

2000 until today

Although I learned **film editing** at school and trained in **Avid** and then Premier at **Cinetic** at the urging of Mr. A. Papastathis I started working professionally in editing in 2000.

2000 until today

In the same year, my involvement with **graphic design** began, first in print and then in digital media.

2005 until today

My work with editing and graphic design leads me to **Motion Graphic Animation** and **digital effects**.

2006

I undertake the **lighting design** in the sculptural composition "Sky Hunters" of E. Bordoni in the Municipality of Psychiko.

2007

I undertake the **lighting design** at the Exhibition "PEOPLE" M. Karathanou at "Booze Cooperativa" and the **lighting** and **decoration** of the hotel "Lithia Lethos" in Naxos.

DISCRIMINATION



1989 First Photography Award at the Berlin Film Festival for Students of Film - Photography.

2009 9th Skena Up International Film & Theater Festival (Kosovo) Award for the best Cinematography for the movie "Oblivion".

2009 04th Thess International Short Film Festival, Cinematic Achievement Award for the film "Oblivion".

2011 5th Thess international Short Film Festival (Greece), Cinematic Achievement Award for the film "Leader".

2008 I founded with Mr. Maria Karathanou **Elephant Walk**.

2009 I undertake the **technical design** and **technical supervision** of the ArtLocus program of EKETHEX, of the Ministry of Culture. **Lighting design** and **technical manager** at the exhibition "Med I Krv", at "Booze Cooperativa".

2010 I undertake **technical consultant** of the "Michalis Kakogiannis" foundation.

2012- 2013 I take over as **technical manager** of the "En Athinais" Theater.

2015 I undertake the **Infographic animation** for the online maritime law courses of BCA College.

2017 I undertake the **editing** and the **Motion Graphics** of the show "Greek Products" of the company DK Adv for Kontra TV.

2018 I undertake the **editing** and the **Motion Graphics** at the BlueSky TV station.

2019 to 2020 I am hired as a **Graphic Designer** at **MANIFEST FACILITY SERVICES** where I also managed the **social media** of the company and its president. During these 12 months I delivered to the company **7000 graphics and 650 videos**.

Indicatively I mention

Photography



Cinema



Director of Photography

Short Film

1990 to 1999 Set photography in several short and full length films .

1997 "Erotic Landscapes", a naked body photographic study under the Japanese haiku prism.

2010 «Mind The Gap», photographic study in the intermediate space.

2012 «Goung Underground», a photographic tour of underground Athens

1991 «DUEL» dir. Ch. Markadas.
«IRAKLIA» dir. Th. Triantaphyllou.

1992 «WHITE MOVEMENTS IN THE DARK» dir. Kon. Patsis.

1994 «Sweet Dreams» dir. Ep. Kouzounas.

2002 «DREAM CATCHER» dir. I. Nisiriou.

2003 «THE GAME» dir. St. Kosmidis

2004 «RESPONSIBILITIES» dir. St. Kosmidis.

2005 «www.flock.com». dir. K. Prepis.

2006 «Harri» dir. G. Tzafkas.

2007 «Dream» dir. St. Kosmidis.

Full Legh Film

2008

«See Drink Only Cappuccino» dir. Al. Alatsis.

2009

«Oblivion» dir. G. Tzafkas.

- **photography award at the 9th Skena Up International Film & Theater Festival (Kosovo).**
- **Cinematic Achievement Award on 04th Thess International Short Film Festival.**

2011

«Leader» dir. G. Tzafkas.

- **Cinematic Achievement Award on 5th Thess international Short Film Festival (Greece).**
- «I Hear You» dir. Z. Roumbos.

1996

«INEPOLIS» dir. N. Davas.

1997

«Moon Runaway» dir. Th. Maragos.

2001

«Reflection an a role» dir. Fr. Dianelis.

2004

«Zero Years» dir. N. Nikolaidis.

2011

«Champions: A Comic Tale» dir. G Tzafkas.

«Hostess» dir. Ch. Karambelas.

2014

«Pan.di.Mia (OLA/loipon/ENA» dir. D. Piatas

Camera Assistant

1991

«Major Came» dir. D. Tragalos.

1994

«LIKE A PRAIRIE COCK IN WYOMING» dir. D. Indares.

1996

«GOLDEN APPLES OF THE ESPERIDES» dir. S. Papaxristou.

«MERRY GO ROUND» dir. G. Drakos.

2001

«Meteorites» dir. G. Mavrogenis.

2004

«Liubi» dir. L. Giourgou.

Television



Cinetik, «Paraskinio»
1993 to 1999

Participating in more than **140 documentaries** on socio-cultural issues as **director of photography, cameraman assistant** or **sound engineer**. Indicatively I mention:

1993

«Triptych on Al. Fasiano» dir. Ap. Papastathis.

1994

«Anastenaria» dir. Ap. Papastathis.

«WITH POWER FROM NORTH» dir. K. Evagelakou.

1995

«GREEK surrealism» dir. T. Hatzopoulos.

«Triptych on D. Mitara» dir. Ap. Papastathis.

1996

«THE IMMIGRANT WHO WE DO NOT KNOW» dir. V. Iliopoulou.

«HISTORY OF WATCHES» dir. V. Iliopoulou.

1999

«Zogolopoulos» dir. K. Koutsina.

Other Productions

1993

«THE EYE OF THE SNAKE» T.V. Series dir. Ant. Tembos.

«AT THE END OF CITY» T.V. Series dir. G. Iliopoulos.

1994

«KALAMATA» T.V. doc. dir. T. Hatzopoulos.

1995

«MUSIC TRADITION OF THRACE» T.V. doc. dir. G. Lamprou.

1997

«Region of western Macedonia» T.V. doc. dir. A. Iliopoulos.

2000

«Odyssey: A Journey of Passion» doc. dir. N. Alevras.

2006

«Thessaloniki» doc. dir. Z. Simatos.

«Hunters of Heaven» doc. dir. S. Koundouros.

2007

«Komotini» doc. dir. Z. Simatos.

Directing / Editing

2005

«THREE SONGS FOR WINTERS» (music video) **director-editing.**

«NOVI SAD: I remember" (documentary) **director-editing.**

2006

«William Blake: First Reading» (documentary) **director-editing.**

2007

«Hunters of Heaven» **editing.**

2008

«OTHELOS» (video for the performance of Haris Mantafoini) **director-editing.**

«ECHI DE TRASPARENZA» (documentary) **director-editing.**

«Passenger» (music video) **director-editing.**

«A Paid Song» (music video) **director-editing.**

«Inana» (musical 3D animation).

2009

«Astor / Hilton / Desmos» (triptychous tribute to the visual artist M. Karavelas), **editing**, for the Museum of Contemporary Art, Thessaloniki).

2010

«Med I Krv/ A Wired-Fiction Story» (documentary) **director-editing.**

2013

«Little Tribute to Jenny Karezis» **directed and edited**

2016

«Masticha/fig» (documentary) **editing.**

2019

«Apo to Mikro sto Megalo» **editing**

Lighting Design



Drama / Dance

1995

"GLAROS IONATHAN" theater group Metaichmio, **theater**
"Kalypso"

1997

"URANOCHROUS" group of modern dance A KIN, **theater**
"Knossos"

1998

«**THROUGH THE MOUNTAIN RANGE OF TIME**» theater group Metaichmio, **Week of Research Theater**.

"... and swimming" group of modern dance A KIN, theater "Knossos".

1999

"**REHABILITATION**" theatrical group Metaichmio, theater "Alkmini".
"**THE GIANT OF THE MOUNTAIN**" OMMA theater group, OMMA studio.

"**Romeo and Juliet**" OMMA theater group, theater research Nobi Sand Festival, Serbia.

"**PARALLEL ROADS**" ch. M. Stratinakis.

2000

"**THEOMACHI**" dir. L. Karalis, theater "Baphio".

"**The Barber of Seville**" dir. K. Rouggeri, Theater "D. Horn"

2001

"**Orestis**" dir. T. Manolopoulos, "Alkmini" Theater.

"**FLIRT**" dir. A. Papageorgiou, "Neos Kosmos" Theater.

"**MAGIC FLUTE**" dir. K. Rouggeri, Acropolis Theater.

"**The COMEDY OF FRUIT FLY**" dir. Th. Kyriacos, "AN" club.

"**KOPELIA**" dir. K. Rouggeri, puppet show, theater "Analiti".

2002

"**THE UNKNOWN FATHER OF HEART**" dir. N. Thomopoulos, multi-site "Thira Texnis".

"**AFTER THE RAIN**" dir. E. Vlachos, multi-site "Thira Texnis".

"**CANNED ORANGE**" dir. G. Kourkoulaimis, multi-site "Thira Texnis".

GOD / The Bald Soprano " dir. E. Vlachos, Amphitheater ASOE.

2003

«**this will continue for much longer**» dir. M. Mavrogeni, multi-site "Thira Texnis".

"**BIRTHDAY**" dir. E. Vogli, theater "Topos Allou".

"**THE SWAN LAKE**" dir. K. Rouggeri, puppet show, theater «Alpha».

"**DO NOT STEP ON THE GRASS**" ch. M. Mavrogeni, theater «New World».

"**The COMEDY OF THE FLY**" dir. Th. Kyriacos, Theater of the School of Fine Arts.

THE WIZARD OF FIRE " dir. Th. Kyriacos, theater "Petra".

"**PERSISTENCE DESIRE**" dir. E. Mastrokalou, "Ebros" theater.

2004

"**Nosferatu**" dir. G. Economidis, "AN" club.

"**I like men**" ch. M. Mavrogeni, Athens Concert Hall, Ponec Theater Prague, Athens Dance International Festival.

"**TRANSPARENCY**" ch. St. Tsakona, Athens Concert Hall.

"**REM**" dir. Ph. Philippou, National Theater (Experimental Stage)

"**Empty Space**".

2005

"**Order of Knights**" ch. M. Mavrogeni, Arts Center Man. Chalandri - Altera Pars Theater.

"**The cabaret Rubbish**" dir. P. Nakos, "Altera Pars" Theater.

2006

"**Selfish Giant**" dir. M. Chimona Festival, "Altera Pars" Theater.

"**OZLAND**" dir. St. Kosmidis ch. M. Mavrogeni, "Altera Pars" Theater.

"**FAREWELL**" ch. T. Zehas, Balkan Platform of arts and arts

2007

«**PARTY**» ch. Chr. Liatziviris, Theater "Hororoes".

2008

"OTHELOS" ch. Ch. Manthafounis, **Theater "Ebros"** Theater.
Festival of Young Choreographers of. A KIN Theater **"Roes"**, during the Athens Month Of dance.

"BLUE BLINK" ch. T. Zhexas, **Theater "Roes"**, during the Athens Month Of dance.

2010

"CRAVE" dir. Al. Alatsis, **Theater "Lithography"**.

"DE-FENCES" dir. M. Mastrandonis, **Theater "Dipylo"**.

"Within this carbon" dir. El. Vogli, **Municipal Market Kypseli**.

2011

"Laughing Wild" dir. El. Vogli, **Theater "Space"**.

2012

"Leaf Silence" dir. M. Anthis, **Theater "Altera Pars"**.

"Knock" dir./ch. M. Mavrogeni, **Theater "Roes"**.

"Notary" dir. G. Karamichos, **Theater "In Athens"**.

2013

"Makis" dir. D. Piatas, **Theater "In Athens"**.

"Sisters" dir. Kr. Katsulis, **Theater "131"**.

"Copy Paste" dir. N. Mitsas, **Theater "In Athens"**.

"Knocki" dir./ch. M. Mavrogen, **Theater "Alkmini"**.

"The Shadow of the idol" dir. M. Thomadaki, **Theater "In Athens"**.

"From the first moment" dir. Alexis Georgoulis, **Theatron "Athinaion"** (Thessaloniki).

2014

"Sex Revolution" dir. H. Rome, **Theater "In Athens"**.

"The Little Shop Of Suicide" dir. M. Mavrogeni, **"Academia"** Theater.

2015

"The Joy of Failure" dir./ch. M. Mavrogeni. **Michalis Kakogianni Foundation**.

"The saved" dir. I. Mane, **Armolia**, Chios.

2016

"Ubu tyranny" dir. El. Vogli, **Theater "Station"**.

2020

"The Minetti Case" dir. Evri Sofroniadou, **"Booze Cooperativa"** Theater.

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Sample of Work



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