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Current Research

My research interests cover:

- European Neighbourhood Policy
- Political economy of Euro-Mediterranean relations
- EU aid towards the Arab Mediterranean countries
- Regional integration of Middle East and North African (MENA) countries

Employment

Antalya International University, Department of Political Science 2016 – Present

Assistant Professor of International Relations

Theories of International Relations, Politics in Developing Countries, The EU: History and Integration

Maastricht University, Department of Political Science 2015 - 2016

Lecturer of International Relations

International Relations and Global Governance, EU Politics, The EU and International Development, Globalization and Inequalities, Practicalities of Policymaking, EU Foreign and Security Policy

Duties:

- Deliver seminars and lectures each week to undergraduate and postgraduate students
- Design the teaching material
- Assess students' coursework, maintain records to monitor student progress, achievement and attendance
- Mark essays and examinations
- Supervise dissertations
- Support students through a pastoral/advisory role
- Undertake administrative tasks related to the department, such as the coordination of research seminars and involvement in exam committees

King's College London, Department of European and International Studies 2013 – 2015

Teaching Fellow in European and International Studies

The Integration of the EU, The EU in the International System, Global Perspectives: Power and Society, Foreign Policies of the EU

Part-time Lecturer 2009 - 2014

Part-time lecturer at Birkbeck College, University of Westminster and the London College UCK, where I taught the following modules: Political Science, Politics in Developing Countries, Theories of International Relations, Immigration: the European Experience, International Political Economy, Middle East Politics, Politics of Globalization, Politics of Global Europe, International Organisations, Diplomacy, US Foreign Policies, Global Terrorism, Political Science, Macroeconomics, Public Policy, Research in Social Sciences

Publications

Books:

Kourtelis, C. (2015) *The Political Economy of Euro-Mediterranean Relations*, Palgrave MacMillan, Basingstoke.

Articles in peer-reviewed journals:

Kourtelis, C. (2015) 'Assessing EU Aid to the 'Southern Partners' of the European Neighbourhood Policy: Who Benefits from the Reforms in the Agricultural and Industrial Sector?' *The Journal of Intervention and Statebuilding*, 9:2, pp190-211.

Book Chapters:

Kourtelis, C (2016) 'The EU-MENA relationship before and after the Arab Spring' in Cafruny, Alan, Talani, Leila Simona, Pozo Martin, Gonzalo (eds) *The Palgrave Handbook of Critical International Political Economy*, Palgrave MacMillan, Basingstoke.

Kourtelis, C. (2016) 'Transferring Accession Programmes to the Arab Mediterranean partners: A comparative analysis between IPARD and the ENP reforms in the agricultural sector of the EU neighbouring countries' in Gstohl, Sieglinde (eds) *The European Neighbourhood Policy in a Comparative Perspective*, Routledge, Abingdon.

Kourtelis, C. (2012) 'The development of immigration and integration policies in Spain', in Tsakiridi, O, Afouxenidis, A and Sarris, N (eds) *Integration of immigrants in Greece today: perceptions, policies & practices*, EKKE, Athens.

Kourtelis, C. (2011) 'Social Injustices and international development cooperation: What is the role of aid provided by the new donors?' in Afouxenidis, A (eds) *Social injustices and space*, Propompos, Athens.

Book reviews:

Kourtelis, C. (2015) review of EU strategies on governance reform, ed. by Hout W., Routledge, 2013, *European Foreign Affairs Review*, 20:1.

Working papers:

Kourtelis, C. (2011) *Identifying the European and North African interests behind the European Neighbourhood Policy*, Working Paper 3/2011, Centro Interuniversitario Di Ricerca Sul Sud Europa (CIRES), University of Firenze.

Selected Papers Presented at Conferences

Kourtelis, C (2015) *The ENP-led agricultural and industrial reforms of the North African countries after the Arab Spring* Paper presented at the Council of European Studies 22nd Annual Conference, Paris 8-10 June 2015

Kourtelis, C (2014) *Transferring accession programmes to the Arab Mediterranean partners: A comparative analysis between IPARD and the ENP reforms in the agricultural sector* Paper presented at the College of Europe International Conference, Bruges, 20-21 March 2014

Kourtelis, C (2014) *The EU agricultural policies after the Arab Spring* Paper presented at the UACES 44th Annual Conference, Cork, 1-3 September 2014

Kourtelis, C (2013) *Business as usual? Continuity and change in EU policies towards the North African countries after the Arab Spring* Paper presented at the 2nd LSE-FEPS Graduate Conference, Cairo, 27 June 2013

Kourtelis, C (2012) *The political economy of the Euro-Mediterranean relations* Paper presented at the 2nd EPSA Annual General Conference, Berlin, 21-23 June 2012

Kourtelis, C (2012) *The future of the Euro-Mediterranean relations after the social unrest in North Africa* Paper presented at the Vrije Universiteit European Studies Institute Conference, Brussels, 3-5 May 2012

Kourtelis, C (2011) *Identifying the European and North African interests behind the ENP* Paper presented at the 25th Congress of the Italian Political Science Association, Palermo, 8-10 September 2011

Kourtelis, C (2011) *The European Neighborhood Policy: The politics of EU foreign assistance* Paper presented at the 1st EPSA Annual General Conference, Dublin, 16-18 June 2011

Education

King's College London – Department of European and International Studies 2009 - 2014
PhD in International Political Economy (awarded without revisions)
Supervisor: Prof Leila Simona Talani
External examiners: Prof Stefan Collignon (LSE) Dr Sara Silvestri (City University London)

London School of Economics – Department of International Development 2007 – 2008
MSc in Development Studies (Merit)

Hellenic Open University - School of Arts and Humanities 2002 – 2007
B.A in European Cultural Studies (1st class)

Memberships and Professional Recognitions

Fellow (Higher Education Academy, UK)
Lecturer (University Teaching Qualification, The Netherlands)
Member of the British International Studies Association
Member of the European Political Science Association
Member of the Italian Society of Political Science
Editorial board member *Journal of International Relations and Diplomacy*
External reviewer for *Journal of Common Market Studies*
External reviewer for Zed Books

Appendix One: Synopsis of my thesis, other work experience and skills

Summary of my PhD

Thesis: Integrating the North African countries into the EU market: The European Neighborhood Policy as a three-level game

Drawing from different perspectives of International Political Economy and International Relations my research focuses on the political economy of EU-MENA relations. More specifically, my thesis offers a sectoral analysis of the European Neighborhood Policy (ENP), with a particular focus on the economic aspects of the ENP Action Plans in Morocco, Tunisia and Egypt. Its aim is both to explore the role of interest groups in the formation of the preferences of the EU members and the partner countries and to analyze the implementation of the ENP Action Plans in the partner countries. Fieldwork was carried out in Brussels, Cairo, Tunis and Rabat.